

Physical Education News

Newsletter Term 1 Week 6

Swimming Carnival

Our Swimming Carnival Champions this year was Ross House, closely followed by Treacy and then Fadden. Our Age Champions for the carnival are as follows:

9yrs – Angela Chivers & Oscar Wyatt

10yrs – Meliana Craig & Jonathon North

11yrs – Tayah Poli & Zac Johnson

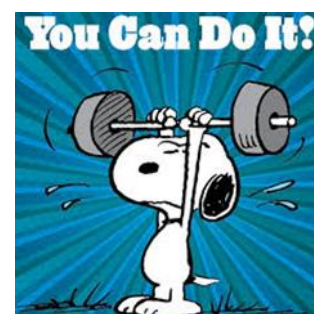
12yrs – Elizabeth Vella Evans & Vaughn Wyatt

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all the wonderful parents that volunteered to help at our carnival. They all enjoyed themselves and without their help and assistance on the day, the carnival would not have been as successful as it was. Thank you, from all the Walkerston Students and Staff.



Fun Run

As I write this article for the newsletter, Maison Smith in year 2 is our little fundraising champion. We have currently raised \$934 to date online. Our School Fun Run is a major help with the purchasing, upgrading and maintenance of the sporting equipment within the school. Our goal is to raise \$5000 this year. We have a little under 2 weeks now until FUN RUN day (Thursday 19th March 2020). If every student raised \$30 we would certainly make our target.



Trials

This week we had three students head into the Mackay Basketball trials. They played their hearts out however they were unsuccessful. Well done to Montana, Jahali and Liam. And also well done to Jaylee, Damon and Demi for attending the Mackay Hockey trials yesterday. Big congratulations goes to Demi for being selected in the Mackay Team to compete at the Capricornia trials later this month. Good luck!



Please keep an eye and ear out for the last of our upcoming trials for this term -

Tennis, Soccer and touch trials towards the end of this term and the beginning of next term.

Cross Country



Cross Country, training is in the last stages at our school level. Next week is the last week for training with the school and the training cards need to be handed in by Friday 13th March 2020 in the drop box at the office. Our Cross Country event is on Friday 20th March 2020 at 8am. Parents are more than welcome to come across to West Leagues Club to watch the students run. We are chasing some parent volunteers to stand on corners to help direct students along the right track, if you are interested please get in contact with Mrs Single or Mr Hurley.

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MDSS - Touch Football

Our Touch teams have been playing really well. Unfortunately, the weather has not been very co-operative with this competition so please check with your child to make sure you are getting the game time information right as they may want to catch up on some of the cancelled games due to weather. Again thank you to Mrs Sarah Schatkowski for taking on this extra role each Wednesday afternoon this term.

Regional Shield

Netball training has commenced this week; we would like to thank Mrs Michelle Germanotta for taking on the coaching role for our senior girls this year. Training will be 8am to 8:40am on Thursday mornings.

We are currently looking into a Rugby League team for the Regional Shield competition; watch out for expressions of interest for this.

MDSS - NRL Don Grove Competition

Mackay District School Sport are offering a NRL competition for term 2. This competition is on Wednesday afternoons and run similarly to the Touch Competition that is currently being run this term. Students who are born in 2010 to 2008 are welcome to participate in this competition. Walkerston had a team last year in this competition and it would be nice to have another go this year. Mrs Single will be looking for expressions of interest from the students and for any volunteers to help on the Wednesday afternoons.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you are willing to help at our remaining carnivals (Cross Country and Athletics) or the Wednesday afternoon sport afternoons.

Yours in Sport

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