Hawkesbury Dance Festival
Please get your ticket orders in by next Monday as unsold tickets will be returned on September 16. Tickets are $15 each and are available from the office. The Dance Group will be performing on October 14.

Multicultural Day
Next Wednesday, 16 September we will be holding our annual Multicultural Day. This is part of the program of study each class has undertaken during this term.

Students and parents are welcome to dress up in traditional costume or colours of the flag of their country of study.

Parents are welcome to attend from 12pm where you will see a costume parade and performances from each class. Students will receive a food sample from each country of study. Please note that there will be no lunch orders for students on the day, but lunch for parents will be available for purchase from the canteen.

After lunch we would love you to join us in watching an African drumming performance in the hall.

Please ensure your child has paid their $5 contribution for the days events.

Pyjama Day
The SRC will be hosting a Pyjama Day tomorrow. The penalty for wearing your pyjamas is a gold coin donation.

Hawkesbury Eisteddfod
Congratulations to both our Junior and Senior Choirs who represented our school in the true Southie style. Many people commented on the great manners of our children and one teacher from another school even made a phone call to our office to acknowledge and congratulate the students on their wonderful singing and presentation of exceptional manners. We are so proud of you!

UWS Visit
By all reports, the stage 3 visit to the University of Western Sydney, Hawkesbury Campus was a fabulous excursion. Ms Bryan and Mrs Tracey reported that all of our students were engaged with the activities and were excited to be learning at University. A letter from UWS has been included later in this newsletter.

Attendance Award
The term 3 Attendance Raffle will be drawn next Friday during the morning assembly. The winner will receive a $100 Toys R Us gift voucher donated by Wiseberry Real Estate, Richmond. Please note that students must be present to win.

2016 Kindergarten
We are currently organising our comprehensive Kindergarten Transition Program for 2016 Kindergarten students and ask that families with a ‘kindy’ for next year complete and return enrolment forms NOW to ensure that your child is involved.

Term 4
School resumes in Term 4 on Tuesday October 6, 2015. Please have a safe and enjoyable holiday period with your children.

Belinda Bristol
Principal (Rlg)
## Awards

Congratulations to the Award Winners for this week:

### KB

- **Lucinda Schmidt**: Fine effort in independent writing
- **Noah Case**: Fine effort in independent writing
- **Jacinta Richards**: Being a caring and thoughtful class member

### 3-4T

- **Brayden Bailey-Wisely**: For fantastic work with algorithms
- **Lillian Heather**: For great descriptive writing
- **Nick Hunter**: For wonderful descriptive language

### 4-5M

- **Sofia Sabas**: Great effort in guided reading groups
- **Charlotte Mifsud**: Improvement in spelling strategies
- **Sol Yuletian**: Improved effort during maths tasks
- **Jai Ryan**: Working more independently during writing tasks

### K-1H

- **Blair Borwell**: For working hard in literacy groups
- **Reaghan Bunn**: Settling in at WSPS
- **Cherish Heather**: For great discussions in class
- **Lukus Reyes**: For great work in maths

### 1-2R

- **Shayden Cook**: Being respectful learner during independent tasks
- **Connor Reyes**: Working hard during reading recovery lessons
- **Alyssa Gordon**: Working hard to improve her reading

### 2-3N

- **Chanel Bunn**: Settling in well at WSPS
- **Bindii Leadbetter**: Improvement in independent writing
- **Cooper Kirk**: Improvement in writing
- **Beau Cook**: Great improvement when writing

### Windsor South on Campus Excursion

Windsor South Public School visited the Western Sydney University on Wednesday, September 2. The students came out to the Hawkesbury campus and explored Gaming/IT, Health, Science and learnt about the Secret Garden. All students from Windsor South Public School were highly engaged in all activities, receiving many prizes for their efforts. The First Foot Forward team always look forward to having Windsor South PS out to the campus, and this year continued to be a fabulous day. All students are to be commended for their immaculate behaviour and enthusiasm throughout the day. The relationship developed with the teachers of Windsor South has been highly valued and we appreciate the support of the First Foot Forward program. **We look forward to seeing the Windsor South students at our Family Nights at Kingswood campus on the 15th October.**

**Alicia Pinning**
**Project Officer**
**First Foot Forward**
School Holiday Fun

**Day 1**
Creative Crafts!

Wednesday 23rd September 2015
Time: 9.30am - 11.30am
T-shirt fabric painting
$5 per family
Includes a shirt for each child and morning tea.

**Day 2**
Fun, Free, Fitness Day
For Kids & Parents!

Wednesday 30th September 2015
Time: 9.30am till 11:30am
Obstacle course, tug-o-war and more! Morning tea provided

For Children 0 - 6 Yrs and their siblings!

Parents are asked to remain at the centre during all activities.

Hurry to book!
Only a limited number of places

WE ARE AT: South Windsor Family Centre
6 Greenhill’s Way, South Windsor

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL
Phone: 45 779 804

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1-2-3 MAGIC® & EMOTION COACHING PARENT COURSE

Learn to manage difficult behavior in children 2-12 years old

A three-session program for parents and carers through
Peppercorn Family Services Inc
at South Windsor Family Centre
6 Greenhills Way, South Windsor (Opposite Greenhills Childcare)
on Wednesday 7th, 14th & 21st October 2015
at 5.45pm—7.45pm

This course gives you tools on:

- How to discipline without arguing, yelling or smacking
- How to sort behaviour
- How to handle challenging and testing behaviours
- Choosing your strategy, the three choices
- Using Emotion coaching to encourage good behaviour
- 7 tactics for encouraging good behaviour

Cost: This is a free program provided by Peppercorn Family Services

To book or for more information, contact Ph:
4577 9804 or Email dropin@psinc.com.au by
Friday 2nd October 2015

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An end to the arguing and yelling! It saved our lives Simple, sane, effective.

This course is being run by a Parentshop licensed practitioner - www.parentshop.com.au
LINCS Volunteer Scheme Inc.

LINCS is now recruiting volunteers for its 2015 Volunteer Training Program:

✦ LINCS provides much needed in-home support to Hawkesbury families with young children.
✦ Just two hours a week.
✦ Free training and support given.
✦ For more information on joining this award winning program, please contact the LINCS Coordinator on 4570 6291.
✦ www.lincs-family-support.com.au

Windsor South Public School

Attendance Raffle 2015

Sponsored by

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How to Enter: Perfect attendance for 1 week = 1 raffle ticket
Rules: Be at school on time every day of the week and each Friday you will be given a free raffle ticket.
Prize Draw: Last day of each term in 2015
Prize: $100 Voucher from Toys R Us

Collith Avenue

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Before & After School Care, Vacation Care, Pupil Free Days, Teachers Strikes and Emergency Care.

Afternoon Activities at No Extra Cost

Tuesday - Multisports
Thursday - Dancing/Soccer Cricket & Team Sports
All run by Trained Instructors

Footy Tipping Competition
Enormous Backyard

Centres Hours are: Monday to Friday 06.00am – 09.00am and 02.30pm – 06.30pm
During Vacation Time Hours Are: 06.00am – 08.30pm
We provide breakfast and afternoon tea in a home like environment. Our centre provides two private buses that transport your children to and from most of our local schools and Windsor station, thus securing the safety of your children.
NCAC High Quality Accredited. - Government Assistance is Available. - 13 years – 1 owner