Email Communiqué – 31 March 2015

Easter Bonnet Parade
All Students are busy making their Easter Bonnets in class ready for our annual Easter Bonnet Parade on Thursday 2 April at 9am in the hall. All Parents and Carers are invited to come along on this exciting day to see their children proudly march in their hats. We look forward to seeing you there!

Easter Raffle and Pizza Day
Our annual Easter Raffle is on again – lots of yummy Easter treats are up for grabs, with tickets on sale each morning in plaza for $1. As a special treat the P&C has organized a pizza day for the last day of term.

IMPORTANT REMINDER
For your child’s safety staff members are on duty to supervise from 8:30am each morning. Students are not to be left at school without a supervising parent/carer before this time. Student safety is our number 1 priority and we thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

NEW Office Hours
The school office hours of operation are from 8:30am – 3:30pm. Phone messages may be left outside of these times, and are checked daily. Absences are recorded on our absence line – 5429 9460. For all other enquiries please call or visit between these times.

Fun Run and Cross Country
It is time again for our annual Fun Run Fundraiser and there are some fantastic prizes up for grabs again this year. Students have brought their sponsorship home – our website has spares if required. All money raised goes towards resources and improvements in our school.

Update of Email Details
At Wamuran State School we value caring for the environment. As such we are endeavouring to make more of our communications electronic. Next term we will have a new look weekly communiqué with interactive links to all the notes sent home that week. Please ensure that we have your current email address on our system. If you have not been receiving emails please send your address to kmoir6@eq.edu.au. Invoices are also able to be sent electronically, please advise if you would like to take advantage of this option.

Former Wamuran State School Students Shine!
Today four of Wamuran’s former students were inducted into the Leadership Team for Tullawong State High School. Congratulations to Danielle .N. and Stacey .E. on receiving House Captains, and to Paige .M. and Xanthe .C. for gaining the positions of Junior Secondary Vice Captains. It is wonderful to see so many of our past students continuing to follow the Wamuran values, and wish them every success for their time in the leadership team.

Help Keep Our School Safe!
With the holidays fast approaching, we need you to look out for after-hours crime in our school. If you see anything suspicious, please don’t attempt to intervene; simply call the School Watch number on 13 17 88.

Easter Colouring Competition
The Ray White Easter Colouring Competitions are due now! The team at Ray White Wamuran are generously donating $1 for every entry handed in! Please hand these either into Ray White Wamuran or the school office by Thursday 2 April and help raise much needed funds for school resources.

A Note from Chappy Tania
Every strength has a weakness and every weakness has a strength, foster your strengths and be aware of your weaknesses. Blessings, Chappy Tania.

Happy Easter!
From all the staff and P&C at Wamuran we wish you very safe and happy holidays. School resumes on Monday 20 March.

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**Ladies Night Success!**

A great big Thank you to all the wonderful Ladies who attended, volunteered and donated the many items required to make our Ladies Night a successful event. Without you and your generosity our Chaplain would not be available to all of our students and their families, thank you all.

Some special thanks go to Louise Linck and Jenny Sykes not only for creating the amazing meals and desserts on the night but the hours of labour involved in feeding 100 people and so generously donating the ingredients used. To Kristel Moir for organising the Wine Pull, an awesome money maker for the evening, and for donating the large Basket of goodies to raffle. An extra special thank you to Jayne Clark, without Jayne this night would not exist. Jayne organises this fabulous event every year and because of her the chaplaincy fund is $3400 higher! Thank you Ladies!

The evening was great fun, including a surprise visit from Hogster from Hogs Breath Café at Morayfield who brought us all drink coolers and 4 x $50 Vouchers. Please support these local businesses who so generously support us.

Don’t forget you can make Donations to our Chaplaincy fund – to ensure we keep our Chappy 3 days a week – at anytime, simply drop any amount in to the office or fill out the Monthly direct debit paperwork.

**Tree Change**

You may have noticed the recent removal of Large Trees in the area above our Hall. There were several reasons for the removal, number 1 being the safety of our students and staff. After consulting an Arborist the trees were the variety that drop large limbs, they were the cause of damage to the old pavers that caused trip hazards and the area was a haven for snakes.

The final stage of this project will be to clean out the guttering which will hopefully solve the water issues with the Prep undercover area when it rains.

A very large crane was used for the removal and we now have another great load of mulch for our Working Bee on Sunday 19th April.