

# Wagga Highlights

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## Term 4 Week 9 – Monday 4 December 2017

### Year 9 Science

9SCV took on the challenge to plan and construct an earthquake proof dwelling. Once completed, students put their buildings to the challenge on the Science Faculty's earthquake replicating apparatus. However, many constructions did not handle what one would describe as 'a good 10' on Richter scale, all efforts deserved commendations.



### Rotary Youth Program of Enrichment (RYPEN 2017)

On Friday 24 November, seven Wagga Wagga High students attended the RYPEN Youth Program at Borambola. We all attended for the same reasons, such as, to meet new people, gain leadership skills and to improve team work related skills. The camp took place over the weekend, within this short amount of time we formed many new friendships with people from all over the Riverina that will last a lifetime. Some of the activities included raft building, blind folded rock climbing, the human knot under water, drama night with Andrew Strano, which was great fun and improved social skills. We heard many motivational speakers such as Jonathon Doyle, Sarah Naveen and Phil, the paramedic/philanthropist. Overall, this experience was inspiring, memorable and exhilarating and we recommend this program to all Year 9 2018 students. Thank you to Darren Wallace and the Rotary Club of Wollundry Wagga Wagga for organising this very beneficial weekend.



**Gabriella Hall, Isabel Cox, Danica Huyser, Alisha Macaulry, Mackenzie Purtill –Wright, Morgan Taylor and Ruby Condon.**

### Careers News

Congratulations to all Year 10 students who went out on work experience during Enrichment. All feedback from the employers was positive; this is a credit to all students involved.

Comment from one employee: - "Our staff spoke very highly of Chandler and I enjoyed the chats we had through the week. He is a credit to himself and Wagga Wagga High."

Congratulations to Jacob MacDonald. Through Enrichment, Jacob completed work experience as a Heavy Vehicle Mechanic and has gained a School Based Apprenticeship with his employer.

### P&C News

The P&C would like to thank everyone that donated a prize or purchased a ticket in the raffles held during Production Week last week. The P&C are thrilled to share that they raised over \$700 from the three raffles.

The P&C are still accepting donations to their 2018 major House and Garden raffle. If you are able to contribute to the major raffle, please contact the P&C at [waggawaggahspandc@gmail.com](mailto:waggawaggahspandc@gmail.com)

We wish the Wagga High community a Merry Christmas and a safe holiday. *Thank you for the support of our school.*

*Erika Crevatin, P&C President*

### Book Packs – Year 7 2018

**Book packs are now available.**

You can pay and pick up from the front office or on orientation day, tomorrow Tuesday 5 December.

**Book packs are \$85.00** and can be purchased using cash, cheque or eftpos.

### Presentation Assemblies

**Presentation assemblies for all years will be held this week.**

Year	Date	Time
Year 7 and 8	Tuesday 5 December	11:30am
Year 9, 10 and 11	Wednesday 6 December	11:30am

Parents are asked to be seated by 11:15am. The list of students receiving awards have been placed on the noticeboard in A Block and the Library.

### Year 7 2018 students:

**Information Evening:** Tomorrow night, **Tuesday 5 December** in the Wagga Wagga High Ted Drake Room at 6:00pm. **Orientation Day** for Year 7 2018 students is also tomorrow, **Tuesday 5 December** from 9:00am to 3:00pm. Year 7 Student Adviser, Miss Vanberlo and other members of Wagga Wagga High School staff have been visiting Year 6 students who are coming to Wagga Wagga High School next year in our main partner primary schools this term.

### Uniform Shop Update

Did you know that you can order school uniforms online? The online ordering system is quick and easy. Simply create an account profile, place your order, pay and select 'walk in' to pick up your order from the School Uniform Shop on the next open day. (Tuesday 8.00am -12.00pm, Thursday 2.00pm – 6.00pm). For further details, please go to <http://daylightsportswear.com/wagga> The Uniform Shop will be open early in 2017. Opening times are:

Monday 22 January	8:00am – 2:00pm
Tuesday 23 January	8:00am – 2:00pm
Wednesday 24 January	8:00am – 2:00pm
Friday 26 January	10:00am – 6:00pm
Monday 29 January	8:00am – 4:00pm
Tuesday 30 January	8:00am – 4:00pm
Wednesday 31 January	10:00am – 6:00pm
Thursday 1 February	2:00pm – 6:00pm

After these dates, opening hours will be back to normal times:

Every Tuesday	8:00am – 12:00pm
Every Thursday	2:00pm – 6:00pm

### Calendar – Term 4

DECEMBER		
5	Tuesday	Year 7/8 Assembly Year 7 2018 Orientation Day Year 7 2018 Parent Info Evening
6	Wednesday	Year 9/10/11 Assembly
12	Tuesday	Presentation Evening 7:30pm
14	Thursday	HSC results released
15	Friday	Final school day for students for 2017