



# Wondai State School

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## SCHOOL WIDE POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR SUPPORT (SWPBS)

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Hi, my name is Karen Handford and I am one of the two parent representatives on Wondai State School's recently formed **Schoolwide Positive Behaviour Support** committee. The other representative, **Noel Blair**, has agreed to act in a position as an Indigenous liaison advisor for our school's SWPBS.

What is SWPBS? This is a program we are implementing at our school which aims to show students that positive behaviour is more effective and efficient than problem behaviour. Appropriate student behaviour will be **taught** like other curriculum in our school (eg Maths & English). Positive behaviour will be acknowledged frequently and rewarded, while problem behaviour will have clear and consistent consequences. SWPBS is data proven to reduce problem behaviour and improve academic performance. As a parent this is all good news for establishing a safe, happy, caring environment for our students to achieve academic success.

Our SWPBS team would like to invite you to a presentation on introducing this program across our school. This will be held on **Wednesday May 20** in our music room which is situated between the prep and the primary buildings. You can choose from either a **3.30 pm** or a **6.30 pm** presentation. Light refreshments will be provided. Please RSVP your choice of time by calling Karen or Debbie at the school on 4169 2333.

We are all very excited about embracing and incorporating this program with our present system. We look forward to seeing you there.

### Schoolwide Positive Behaviour Support committee Members

Ruth Miller	Principal
Helen Ross	HOD
Jo Wernecke	Year 4 Teacher
Kym McKay	Prep Teacher Aide
Noel Blair	Indigenous Representative
Karen Handford	Parent Representative
Robyn Allen	Learning Support
Brenden Humberdross	Behaviour Officer
Debbie Henderson	Guidance Officer

Kind regards

Karen Handford  
Parent Representative - SWPBS