

Narrogin Primary School



Independent Public School

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In the Pursuit of Excellence

From the Principal

HAPPY HOLIDAYS

We trust that all of our families will have a relaxing and refreshing school holiday period. We look forward to seeing all students back at the beginning of Term 3, refreshed and re-energised (many of our students are looking a little tired at the moment). Please be reminded that school resumes on Tuesday 18 July for students. Staff are participating in a Narrogin Schools Network professional learning day on Monday 17 July. Happy Holidays everyone.

STAFF MOVEMENTS

We would like to congratulate Miss Emma Button and Miss Kaitlyn Waters for successfully completing their teacher practicums this term. We wish them both the very best of luck for their future teaching adventures.

Mrs Jenny Carter has been seconded to Boddington DHS to fulfil the Principal position for the first 3 weeks of Term 3.

Mrs Hardingham will work full time for the duration of Mrs Carter's secondment and Ms Conlon will complete administrative tasks for 3 days a week. Mrs Sarah Munns will teach in Ms Conlon's class whilst she performs these duties.

REPORTS

Your child's report will be going home tomorrow, Thursday 27 June. Reports will be placed in a sealed envelope and we would expect that this is the way that they will arrive home. Students who are absent on the Thursday will receive their reports on Friday. Any reports not handed out by Friday will be posted.

Schools in Western Australia are now in Phase 2 of the implementation of the Western Australian Curriculum. This means that along with the Phase 1 learning areas of English, Mathematics, Science and some strands of Humanities and Social Sciences, schools are required to teach, assess and report in all strands of Humanities and Social Sciences and Health and Physical Education based on the Western Australian Curriculum.

Staff at Narrogin Primary School have also chosen to report on Technologies against the WA Curriculum, in readiness for 2018. All other learning areas will be reported on against the WA Curriculum Framework.

More information on the grades and descriptors will be included on the cover page of your child's report. Please take the time to read this information carefully and then ask your child's teacher for clarification.

Once you have received your child's report, if you would like further information as to how your child's achievement compares with your child's peer group at the school, please contact the school and we will provide this information to you.

If you would like to discuss your child's report and/or progress, please contact your child's class or subject teacher to organise a mutually convenient time for a meeting.

PERSONAL ITEMS

There have been some students who have had personal items go missing from their school bags. Unfortunately school bags can not be supervised at all times. Students are discouraged from bringing personal belongings to school (including fidget spinners) as they may get lost or damaged. Should such items be brought to school they will remain the responsibility of the student. Items of significant financial or sentimental value should not be brought to school. We would appreciate your support with this.

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Dates to Remember

Thursday 27 June
Reports home to parents
Friday 30 June
Last Day of Term 2
Tuesday 18 July
Term 3 commences

Narrogin Primary School
Voluntary Contributions
Commonwealth Bank
066 522 0090 0206



P & C NEWS

We were all mellow yellow last weekend delivering phone books for a fundraiser and it's been lovely to hear people say "I saw the Narrogin Primary kids all over town." 2016 books to be exact and the process is nearly finished.

Heartfelt thanks to the Draper family, Kaitlin Warner, Sprigg family, Harry Hawksley and his family for the use of the egg van, Hobson family, Alison Johnson, Conlan family, Bradford family, Julie Davies, Sarah Munns, Kensett-Smith family, Rob and Clancy Shepherd and Fullston/Drayton family.

We also had the added bonus of including a Narrogin TAFE flyer thanks to Sonia Hogermeer and the Forsythe family.

We have plans for a Father's Day function and a disco next term as well as a Busy Bee for playground improvements and if you could help out to make these events a success then we all win especially your kids.

This Friday will be your last opportunity to purchase uniforms at current prices as we will be updating our order forms over the holidays due to increased prices from our suppliers. Shop opens at 8.30 until 10am or you can leave an order form at the school office.

Enjoy your holidays! *Filipa Shepherd P&C Secretary*

JOB VACANCY

Part time - School Hours

The Narrogin Primary School P&C are seeking expressions of interest for the following paid vacancy in our School Canteen;

Canteen Worker

- ◆ 2 days/ 9 hours per week (Wednesday & Friday)
- ◆ Food Preparation & service

If you are interested in joining the team, please contact Stacey Hobson, Canteen Convenor on 0426 518 337 for further information and/or a Job Description.

Please email your resume to staceyn87@gmail.com

Applications close: Friday 7 July.



CANTEEN ROSTER

A huge thank you to the following volunteers;



Wednesday 28 Jodie Kickett
Thursday 29 Julie-Ann Grout
Friday 30 **Help Needed**

If you are not on our roster and you would like to be, please contact Gloria at the canteen 9881 1200.

This term has been extremely busy and hopefully adding to our canteen to be viable again. This term we have done outside catering (Thanks Chloe), made and iced Star biscuits to coincide with the opening of the new mural, made special reward treats for attendance cards, TAFE lunches, St Matts lunches on Mondays and as well as our own canteen lunches! We also said goodbye to Jess, my co-worker, and we wish her well. All this couldn't have happened without our great band of volunteers that bring their valuable time and smiles to help and contribute to their P&C. My appreciated thanks and enjoy your holidays. See you in Term 3. *Gloria*

Chappy's Chat

I would like to wish all staff, students and families a relaxed and fun-filled holiday and I look forward to catching up with you next term. Besides Breakfast Club, the "In Real Life" program will continue along with the addition of a couple of surprise activities. Stay safe. *Mrs Wilkie*



Pre-Primary are very excited to have Maddy Potter back this week completing the walk way mural. Maddy is painting a scene from the Dryandra Woodlands, including many native animals from our area. Please come and have a look at the finished mural later in the week, it is quite spectacular.

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