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Dates to Remember

Vednesday 7 September West Oz Wildlife P-3

Friday 9 September Athletics Carnival

Wednesday 14 September Open Classroom & Talent Night

Tuesday 20 September Interschool Jumps/Throws

Thursday 22 September Interschool Athletics Carnival

> Friday 23 September Last Day of Term



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From the Principal

NATIONAL SCHOOLS OPINION SURVEY

It is a requirement that all schools distribute opinion surveys for students, staff and parents to complete. These surveys are typically distributed every 2 years. We are now entering into the data gathering period for 2016 surveys.

Our results from the last opinion surveys distributed in 2014 were heavily scrutinised in last year's DES school review. The school administration team also considered the responses from the 2014 surveys and, wherever practicable/relevant implemented measures to address the concerns that were highlighted in the survey results. Surveys can be completed in a number of ways.

A small amount of printed surveys are available at the school office or you can complete it online at the following link *https://www.schoolsurvey.edu.au/s/6YKEA8PX*

At next week's Open Classrooms event we will have a number of laptops available in each classroom so that parents can complete the survey online.

ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

A reminder to all students and parents the Athletics Carnival is this Friday. It will commence at 9.30am. Could students please make sure they wear their faction shirt/ colour, bring a hat, water bottle and lunch. Please remember lunch orders must have your faction colour on them. Any parent who is able to help put up shade tents, can you please be at Thomas Hogg Oval at 8.15am. At the end of the carnival students may go home with parents provided their class teacher has been notified. Farm bus students please notify class teachers if you will not be on the bus.

On Monday we conducted the Jumps and Throws at NPS. Thanks to Mr Kensett-Smith, Mrs West, Mrs Rowe, Mrs Hadlow, Mrs Perkins, Mrs Pratt and to the other parents who volunteered their time. This assistance is greatly appreciated and as a result the day ran very smoothly. Below are the faction point scores up to Event 28. Good luck to everyone on Friday. *Mr Moon*

BLUE	RED	GREEN	GOLD
258	189	221	193

VI BARHAM AWARD

Congratulations to the following students Jorja Young, Max Chivell, Kobe Hayes and Cassidy Young for their nomination to participate in this years Vi Barham awards. The testing date is Wednesday 14 September, we wish them all the best of luck.

OPEN CLASSROOM & TALENT NIGHT

Next Wednesday 14 September is our Open Classrooms and Talent Night. Your child's classroom will be open from 4.30pm - 6pm. Laptops are available for the Parent Survey to be completed. The Talent Night will be commencing at 6pm in the undercover area, all parents, carers, families and students are welcome to attend.

WILDLIFE INCURSION

Today we were lucky enough to have West Oz Wildlife come to visit our Pre Primary to Year 3 classes. Their animals included a Dingo, Koala, Snake and a Bobtail.



Narrogin Primary School Voluntary Contributions Commonwealth Bank 066 522 0090 0206





Check out our website:www.narroginprimaryschool.wa.edu.au

CHATTERBOX CHAT

It has been another busy week with jumps and throws and a Wildlife Incursion. I am wishing everyone well for the Athletics carnival this Friday. I would appreciate any secondhand uniforms as stocks are running low. It's great to see so many happy faces at Brekky Bites on these warmer mornings! Enjoy the coming week!

Chappy

COUNCILLORS CORNER

Last Friday was our footy colours day. We raised \$178. Thankyou to everyone who participated. On Monday we had jumps and throws as well as the 800metres. Congratulations to all participants and thank-you to everyone who helped make it an enjoyable day. This Thursday Mrs Bicknell and Mrs Tyler's classes are going to the Bella Kelly exhibit at the Nexis gallery. This Friday is our sports carnival. Don't forget to wear your faction colours and wear lot's of sunscreen.

Caitlin Pratt

Yr 6 Fundraiser

The year 6s are holding a fundraiser.

A large range of greeting cards, Christmas cards, gift wrap, gift tags, bookmarks, jotter pads etc will be available to purchase. (All cards are blank inside).

Cards are priced at \$3.75 ea but if you buy any 10 or more cards, the price drops to \$3 each.

A stall will be set up at the "Faction Sports Carnival" on Friday the 9th of September and you can browse and buy on the day from 9.30am – 1.30pm.

You are welcome to place orders and collect orders from family and friends. Orders will then be made up and returned to school to be sent home.

P & C NEWS

Narrogin Primary School P&C Uniform Shop

Uniform shop open Friday 8.30am to 10.00am.

The Narrogin Swimming Club welcomes all swimmers back to the pool for the last 2 weeks of Term 3.



The kick off will be on Tuesday 13th September 4.30 – 5.30pm and Friday from 4-5pm.

We are looking to also have a morning session once per week starting in October Term 4.

New swimmers will need to be assessed by our coaches with a minimum entrance of Stage 6.

We look forward to seeing you in the pool!

Further Details please call Bill O'Neill - 0417 583 172

CANTEEN NEWS

A huge thank you to the following volunteers;

Wednesday 7 Thursday 8 Friday 9 Monday 12 Tuesday 13 Wednesday 14 Danielle Allinson Janine Dewing Natalie Coopes Lexie Atwell Chanthoeun Reung Tracey Barrow

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

COMMUNITY NEWS

Narrogin Agricultural Spring Show – Saturday 15th October 2016

Calling all kids!

Have you thought about entering something in the Narrogin Show Exhibition Hall? Check out the Show Program and enter some of your awesome work - there are lots of categories just for kids from art to collections to cooking! Entry forms are in the Show Programs which are available at either your school office (limited number) or at many local businesses. Please read the entry guidelines & submission date

details carefully -

No late entries will be accepted!

For more information please see the website <u>www.narroginagsociety.com.au</u>.

Strikers Basketball Club is holding their registration day on Tuesday 13th September at the Leisure Centre Narrogin from 4:30pm to 6pm.

We take team and individual nominations.

Contact details are email- strikersbasketballclub2015@gmail.com

Phone - 0429813215 or like us on Facebook.

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