

P. & C. UNIFORMS

Winter is making itself known. In the Clothing pool we have fleece vests (\$12) and winter jackets (\$20). We also have sloppy joes (\$18) as well as sports shirts (\$16) and ties (\$16). Parents, please make sure that your child/children have a jumper available to put on at all times and please make sure it has their name on it so if it is left at school it can be returned quickly.

The Clothing Pool for used clothing and new uniforms is open each Friday from 9am to 12noon

KATE SUMMERS, Uniform Co-ord.



OOSH

Open Monday to Friday

Before School Care: 7:30am to 8:30am.

After School Care: 3pm to 6:30pm.

Vacation Care: 7:30am to 6:30pm.

Bookings: required 24 hours in advance. Bookings for Vacation Care now open.

An enrolment form needs to be completed before attending.

KITCHEN TO GARDEN TO KITCHEN AGAIN

We have been working with Ms. Deaves. We have done sculpture with beetroot leaves by hitting the leaves with a hammer on fabric.

We have

been digging up the ground and laying wooden sleepers for little fences for the garden.

We have been raking leaves and putting in wheelbarrows and using the leaves as compost. That is why we love working with Ms. Deaves in the garden.



In the kitchen we cook lots of different things for different occasions like:

- * farewells
- * Grandparents day, and
- * morning teas.

There are loads of different ingredients that we cook with but most of our produce comes from the school garden.

We also cook tasty dishes and just recently we cooked pumpkin soup.



After we have finished we clean up and get ready for our next session.

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NEWSLETTER



No. 8 Term 2 Week 7 4th June, 2015

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Carers

Congratulations to all of our students for their fantastic performances at the Tamworth Eisteddfod. Their choral verse speaking items were all outstanding. The years K,1,2 and 3,4 groups both brought home second place awards and 5,6 brought back the first place trophy.

Again, 5,6 performed a poem they wrote in class with Miss Boland. This is the third year they have performed their own composition. All classes must perform 2 poems. The poems are to contrast to show the skill of the performers. Students all put a great deal of time into the preparation, as do staff at the school. Tuesday next week will see students perform their individual items. I would encourage parents who nominated their children to take part to work with children over the weekend to fine tune their performances.

Music has been very successful. I have had requests for students to take part in groups. All of these requests are forwarded to the conservatorium in Tamworth. They are then able to allocate students to a group. If groups are full, students

WHAT'S ON !

Friday, 5th June

Tennis

Tuesday, 9th June

Eisteddfod

Friday, 12th June

- * Coolah X Country
- * Kinder Yr 1/2 Excursion
- The Gruffalo's Child
- * Bush Dance 6pm to 8pm

Wednesday, 24th June

Parent Teacher Interviews
4pm—6pm

Fri 26th June—Tennis Finals

Last Day Term 2

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will be placed on a waiting list. Please be sure to pay all of your term 1 fees. It is essential that we get these in as the school pays the fees to the conservatorium then we recover the fees from parents. The school pays the weekly travel cost of the teachers to help keep prices down.

Students will be attending the regional cross country next week. We wish Brooke, Sam, Wunda and Saskia all the best of luck. I know that they have been training hard and deserve a great deal of success.

Some parents have spoken with me about bus runs. The school does not handle any of the bus runs. All bus contracts are allocated directly to the contractors through the Department of Transport. If you have questions in relation to the buses, please contact the bus company in the first instance. If you have further queries they are unable to answer, you will need to contact the Depart. of Transport Newcastle office. The number for this office is 1800 049 983.

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We do now have a school counsellor attending the school 1 day per fortnight. Her name is Roslyn Long. The counsellors do offer counselling but also a great deal more. They can assist with finding health professionals,

cognitive assessments and working with other agencies. If you have questions relating to your child that fall outside of the school realm, please contact the school and leave your name with Joy in the office, she will then be able to pass this information onto the counsellor who will make contact.

Our Multi Lit program, aimed at years 2-6 has been running very successfully. This program is assisting a number of students with their literacy in a very prescriptive manner. The course was developed by the Macquarie University and is intensive in its application to help students improve their literacy. Miss Boland has been coordinating the students in this course with Mrs Fitzgerald, Mrs K. Worley and Mrs Boland all working with students throughout the week on a 1 to 1 basis. Mrs N. Worley has been trained in the Mini Lit program. This program is aimed at assisting students in year 1 who need to improve their literacy. We will be assessing students next week and implementing the program shortly.

Ian Worley, Principal
Principal



AWARDS –27th May, 2015

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

SASKIA FITZGERALD

For positive attitude

Kindergarten:

Digby Gibson—trying hard with homework

Bailey Little—trying hard with reading

Years 1 and 2:

Tenzen Sherman—outstanding effort in creative dance

Jade Krsulja—excellent leadership in poetry recital

Years 3 and 4:

Matilda Eisenhauer—increasing 3 levels in Fast Maths

Brayden O'Connor—effort in poetry

Years 5 and 6:

Erica Eather—continued improvement in Maths

Charlie Jones—excellent effort in class



AWARDS—3trd JUNE, 2015

STUDE4NT OF THE WEEK

SAM SCHOFIELD

For enthusiastic attitude

Kindergarten:

Jack Williams—effort in Maths

Jamie Edelbroek—effort in reading

Years 1 and 2:

David Smith—great improvement in all areas

Bryce Thompson—excellent improvement in all areas

Years 3 and 4:

Jayana Little—enthusiasm for learning

Jack Bell—leadership and enthusiasm

Years 5 and 6:

Joe Worley—excellent problem solving

Jorja Potts—attempting questions in Maths



Australian Early Development Census

Playing our part to build a national picture of child health

In early 2015, our school, along with thousands of others across the country will begin preparations for the third Australian Early Development Census (AEDC).

The AEDC measures five key areas of development in children during their first year of full-time school to build a national picture of health and wellbeing. Since 2009, the census results have helped communities, schools and governments plan services and target support for children and families.

Teachers are trained to assess each child and answer questions. Children don't need to be present so no class time is missed, and parents/carers don't need to supply schools with any new information for the census. Teachers' individual assessments are then analysed by the AEDC and reported as anonymous groups of children in the final report.

> *Optional information: summarise your school's profile from the 2012 AEDC* <

In the previous 2012 AEDC, our school profile indicated that ...

> *Optional information: ways the census results helped your school or improved community services* <

We used the results to support ...

In other communities across the country, census results have helped communities to plan new playgrounds and parental services; schools are seeing improved student performance through new literacy programmes; and governments are using the results as evidence to develop better policies for children.

Teachers have also noticed practical benefits in the classroom. Some said in previous years that completing the assessments made them more aware of the needs of individual children and the class as a whole. Others reported that the census results are useful in planning for transitions to school and for developing class programmes.

Participation in the AEDC is voluntary. Parents/carers don't need to take any action unless they choose not to include their children in the census.

To find out more about the census and how communities are using the data to help children and families visit the AEDC website www.aedc.gov.au



Dylan Dunn, Year 5

KINDERGARTEN

Mr. Bear Branches and the Cloud Conundrum



Zachary

Migrating To Australia, A Guest Speaker:

Yesterday Mrs Fitzgerald came into the 5/6 classroom and talked about migrating to Australia. Mrs Fitzgerald left Holland in July. She told us that you have to be under twenty-five to have a working visa and that the laws are similar to the Australian laws except they drive on the other side of the road in Holland. Mrs Fitzgerald talked about her childhood. She was bullied at her school in Holland and she learnt three different languages in Holland.

EMILY O'CONNOR, Yr. 6



Destiny

NUNDLE PUBLIC SCHOOL P&C ASSOCIATION MEETING MINUTES

MONDAY 1 JUNE 2015 COMMENCING 7.00PM NUNDLE PUBLIC SCHOOL LIBRARY

ATTENDANCE: Ian Worley, Susi Bell, Nicola Worley, Lynn Weis, Nick Bradford, Carol Fiddes, Ashley Vesper, Kelly Jaffer, Teresa Eather

APOLOGIES: M Fitzgerald, Kerrie Jones, Katie Summers, Eva Campese, Petrina Eisenhaur

MINUTES OF

PREVIOUS MEETING: Minutes of previous meeting held Monday 11 May 2015 were read.

Moved: Kelly Jaffer Second: Nicola Worley

Minutes of previous meeting held Monday 21 April 2015 were read.

Moved: Nicola Worley Second: Kelly Jaffer

MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MEETING: from 21 April 2015:

To make the following changes:

ATTENDEES: Add Kelly Jaffer

OOSHC: Re-word “*OOSHC Manager cannot operate as contractor any longer*” to OOSHC Manager review

NBTMG: Kerrie to send invoice to NBTMG for Radio advertising of \$550.00

from 11 May 2015

OOSHC: to do Asset list by next meeting

John Holland: Donation bucket will be placed at Nundle Woollen Mill and Ashley will approach The Peel Inn

AUDIT Financials: Secretary will send audit report to P&C Federation

TREASURER’S REPORT: Not available at this meeting

PRINCIPAL’S REPORT: As attached

CANTEEN MANAGER’S REPORT: Need more volunteers – note on NPS FB Page

Carol and Teresa to work out a plan for a new canteen structure with the possibility of having a paid employee to run the canteen also a new home cooked menu. Moved: Nicola Worley Second: Kelly Jaffer

Group of six cans of drinks for sale at \$5 to go on newsletter

OOSHC REPORT: *Currently : \$7/hr*

Vacation care: \$30 for 5 hrs

\$40 for 5-7hrs

\$50 for 7-9hrs

\$60 for 9-11 hrs

Morning: 7.30am to 8.30am at \$8

Effective Term 3 change in fee structure in session based rate:

Morning: 7.30am to 8.30am at \$8 Afternoon: 3pm to 5pm at \$15 5pm to 6.30pm at \$12

Vacation Care rates to remain

Moved: Nicola Worley Second: Carol Fiddes

Letter of Employment for The OOSHC manager accepted.

Moved: Nick Bradford Second: Nicola Worley

Advertising for an assistant to OOSHC Manager on a casual basis.

Applicant will require: First aid, working with children check and anaphylaxis and asthma certificate.

Moved: Kelly Jaffer Second: Nicola Worley

To approve the sign and branding for the OOSHC front fence.

Moved: Lyn Weis Second: Teresa Eather

Ashley updated that there has been 88 bookings and 3 new enrolments since last meeting.

Approval for a chalkboard to be built in OOSHC for the children to play with up to the value of \$200

Moved: Nicola Worley Second: Lyn Weis

GENERAL BUSINESS: GNDR:

Sending a Certificate of Appreciation instead of thank you note.

Return of Banners must be done ASAP

Raffle winners to be notified and prizes distributed

Trout and Dog nuts payments to be made immediately.

Outstanding invoices: Helium to reimburse Lyn Weis, 2TM Radio, Lions Club,

Northern Daily Leader, TRC for hiring of grounds.

Pre-School update:

“Pre-School P&C Integration sub-committee” be formed. This sub-committee will report to P&C on the integration progress. Committee members; Ian Worley, Susi Bell, Nick Bradford and Teresa Eather.

Moved: Carol Fiddes Second: Nicola Worley

Next meeting will be held Monday 20 July 2015 commencing 7.00pm at The Nundle Public School Library.

There being no further business, the meeting was declared closed at 8.55pm

FOR SALE

The P. & C. has

PACKS 6 CANS OF DRINK for sale at \$6