



## NUNDLE PUBLIC SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER

WEEK 1 TERM 3

## Calendar-2015

## July

Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup>	Native Food Garden Planting
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup>	PVAAA Carnival Dungowan
Friday 31 <sup>st</sup>	Nundle Public Athletics Carnival

## August

Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup>	Tree planting day
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup>	Zone Athletics TREC

## September

Friday 11 <sup>th</sup>	3/4/5/6 to I Am Jack and Skating
Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup>	Nundle Preschool Prawn and Chicken Night
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Nundle Public Movie Premier 7pm
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Last Day Term 3

## October

Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup>	First Day Term 4
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> to Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> inclusive	5/6 Aussie Bush Camp Tea Gardens
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Australian History live performance
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> to Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> inclusive	3/4 Lake Keepit Excursion

## November

Monday 30 <sup>th</sup>	Intensive Swimming starts
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## December

Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup>	Presentation Night 7pm
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## A Chilly Start to Term 3

We're off and running for term 3. Hopefully everyone had a very restful holiday and kept nice and warm over the weekend. Seeing it has got very cold we have scheduled our athletics carnival. Mr Fisher has marked out the oval so students are able to head down and practice anytime they like. Next week will see some students head to Dungowan for the Small Schools' Carnival. This carnival is only for students 8 years and up. We are limited in the number of entries we can send. Students will be given this information tomorrow.

Good luck to both Wunda Jaffer-Williams and Saskia Fitzgerald who are heading off to the state cross country. They will be running at Eastern Creek come rain, hail or shine. I'm sure they will both have a great experience.

Unfortunately, Miss Emily who has been teaching our students stringed instruments on a Wednesday is no longer able to come out to the school and teach. The conservatorium is organising another teacher to work with students. If any students would like to change instruments or take up an instrument, please contact me at the school this week.

We are heading into our performance term. We are hoping to film our very first movie. This will be a trial for staff and students but is certainly a great experience for everyone. The film will be



based around an historical event in Nundle-Horse Stealing!

Chess club is continuing and we are looking at starting our craft club on a Friday. Students who would like to be involved will be able to work with community members to complete a variety of works.

Our school plan for the next 3 years is on the school website. There are 3 strategic directions we are following-Student Preparedness, Staff Capacity and Enhancing Community Links.

Ms Deaves has been organising a native food garden. A number of people have sponsored trees. The produce from these plants will be used as part of the school Kitchen to Garden to Kitchen Again Program.

A special welcome to Jack Whale who has joined us in year 1. We hope he and his family enjoy life in Nundle. They certainly picked a great place to live.

We hope you like our new look newsletter.

Ian Worley,  
Principal.



### **Are you interested in attending regular yoga classes at Nundle Sport and Recreation Club.**

I have had some yoga training but at this stage hold no formal teaching qualifications and therefore would not charge students for instruction.

There is however a cost for Club hire.

For instance, if we can get 10 students per session, cost would be \$3.00 per 90 minute session. On the other hand if only 5 students commit the cost would be double etc.

To go ahead a payment of \$15 for the 5week block beginning first week in August would need to be paid before Thursday July 30<sup>th</sup>.

I will be in contact with further details if sufficient interest is shown.

Regards

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**Term 3 Art Classes for 7-11 year olds  
at Tamworth Regional Gallery  
(Wednesdays)**

**Class Description...**

In each of these classes, students will be given new and familiar materials and taught techniques and skills to extend their creativity.

Students will create a work to take home each class. All materials are

included in the workshop cost but students *must* wear a paint shirt and closed in shoes to participate.

**When :**

Classes run from 4.15pm-5.45pm over the course of 5 Wednesdays.

*Dates: Wednesday 12, 19, 26 August and 2, 9 September*

**Who:**

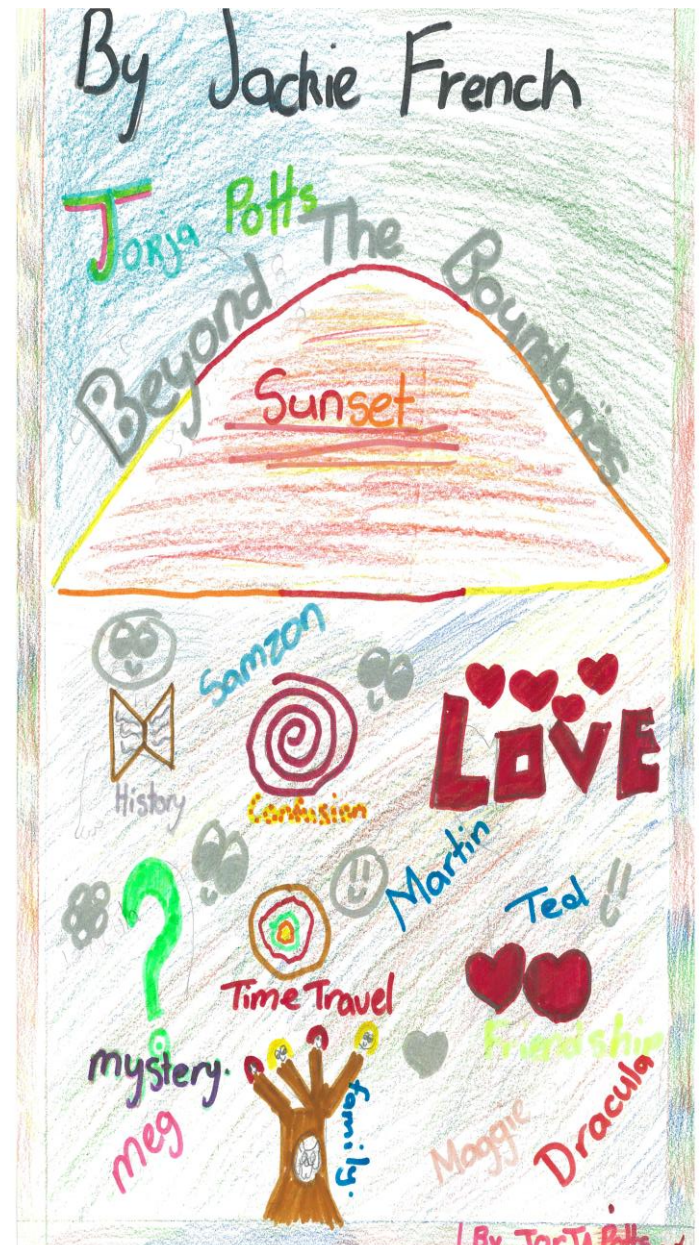
Leisel McIlrick is back teaching these classes in Term 3. Leisel is a highly qualified and experience teacher with a supportive and enthusiastic approach to teaching creative arts. Classes suitable for previous students in Art After School as well as new students.

**Where:**

All workshops will take place in Esther Halliday Studio at Tamworth Regional Gallery, above the Library in Peel Street Tamworth.

**Ages:** Classes are for 7-11 year olds

**Cost:** \$100.00 for the 5 class block. Cost includes all materials



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**NAIDOC**

This week we are recognising NAIDOC. This is the National Aboriginal and Islander Day of Celebration. Students are completing a variety of activities in class relating to Aboriginal culture and history. As a school, we are proud of the fact this is something that we do on a very regular basis as part of our everyday teaching. We have a special focus this week on Aboriginal belief systems. As part of the overall recognition of the traditional owners of the land, we are establishing a native food-Bush Tucker Garden. Students will be able to regularly use produce as part of their cooking. Next week, students will be cooking using particular ingredients from native plants. This will be a very enjoyable process and will show students what is available to them in way of native foods.

**P&C MEETING****Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2015****School Library****7.00pm****OUTSTANDING MUSIC FEES**

**Please send in all outstanding fees from term 1 music. We will be sending out term 2 bills next week.**

**This is an extremely valuable program but it is essential that all invoices are paid on time.**

**If you are unsure if you have paid, please contact Mrs Warden in the school office.**

*Bailey**Charlee*