



NUNDLE PUBLIC SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

WEEK 1 TERM 2

Calendar-2016

APRIL

Thursday 28 th	Mrs Price training-NCCD Dog Race Meeting-7pm
Friday 29 th	Ten Training-Mrs Price, Ms Weis, Miss Warden, Mrs Worley
Saturday 30 th	Dog Race Working Bee-2pm

MAY

Sunday 1 st	Great Nundle Dog Race-Setup from 7.00am.
Monday 2 nd	Scripture
Wednesday 4 th	Parent Information Evening- 6.00pm 5/6 room
Thursday 5 th	School Photos-Winter Uniform PLPs-Kindergarten
Friday 6 th	Nundle X-Country
Monday 9 th	NAIDOC Meeting-6.30pm 5/6 room
Tues-Thurs 10-12 th	NAPLAN years 3 and 5
Thursday 12 th	Miss Warden L3 Training
Monday 16 th	Scripture
Thursday 26 th	Miss Warden L3 training
Monday 30 th	Zone X-Country Barraba Scripture

JUNE

Thursday 2 nd	Kindergarten PLPs
Wednesday 8 th	Whole School Eisteddfod
Thursday 9 th	Miss Warden L3 Training
Monday 13 th	HOLIDAY-Long Weekend
Wednesday 15 th	Speech Pathologist here
Thursday 16 th	Mrs Price out for Focus on Reading
Friday 17 th	Regional X-Country
Monday 20 th	Scripture
Thursday 23 rd	Mr Worley out-PPA meeting
Monday 27 th	5/6 and Mrs Price leave on Canberra excursion. Mr Worley on ¼
Wednesday 29 th	Music Concert Reports out
Thursday 30 th	Parent/Teacher Evening 4.30- 6.30 Miss Warden L3 Training

JULY

Friday 1 st	Last Day of School
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We're Back

Hopefully everyone had a very relaxing holiday with lots of quality family time. Thank you very much to Ms Weis for relieving as Principal for the last 2 weeks of term 1.

As per usual, this is going to be another very busy term with plenty happening to keep everyone on their toes. Our first major event is of course the Great Nundle Dog Race. There is a final meeting tonight at 7pm with a working bee on the oval at 2pm on Saturday. The setup on Sunday will start at 7.00am. I can't believe I am writing this but-here's hoping for a sunny dry day.

Next week we will be having school photos on Thursday. Students need to be in their full winter uniform. There are a few students who are still searching for their school ties. It is expected that students wear their ties from Monday to Thursday as part of the winter uniform. New school ties have been ordered and will be here next week if you need to make a purchase. Students have been sent home with their photo envelopes.



ANZAC Day march

Students will all be receiving an interim computer generated report. This report is known as PLAN. It relates to student progress along the Literacy and Numeracy continuums. Students are placed along the

continuum by teachers. The report offers suggestions for students to work on to assist with their move to the next cluster of indicators. This report will normally go out at the end of term 1 and term 3 to offer greater assistance to parents and carers in relation to assisting students in Numeracy and Literacy. I will be discussing this further at the Parent Information Evening to be held on Wednesday 4th June at 6.30pm in the 5/6 room. If you would like to come along, it is an opportunity to find out about school structures, to ask questions and offer any suggestions. If you are able to come along, please let Joy in the office know for catering purposes.

The Nundle Public School Cross Country will be held Friday 6th May at 11.00am at the Nundle Golf Course. Students will leave the school at 10.30am and walk to the Golf Course. The races will start at 11.00am. Minors will run/walk 1km, juniors will complete a 2km run/walk and seniors will complete a 3km run/walk. If any parents or carers would like to join in and pit themselves against the senior group, you are welcome to take part in the 3km run. Students will walk back to school after the event. Students who qualify will be nominated to participate in the Zone X-Country event to be held in Baraba on Monday 30th June. Transportation will be the responsibility of parents and carers

On Monday 9th June at 6.30pm we will be having a meeting to prepare for our NAIDOC. This meeting is open to anybody who would like to come along and assist with our preparations. You may have some great ideas, contacts or be able to help with some specific activities. NAIDOC is an important occasion. It is an acknowledgement of Australia's long history. It is an opportunity for us to pay special recognition to the original custodians of Australia. Last year we recognised NAIDOC with the planting of our Australian Bush Foods Garden. This year it will need naming.

Music lessons will start next week. If there are any outstanding bills, these will need to be paid before students can participate in music. As the music timetable needs to be set, it may mean students will miss lessons for the term.

Students who have nominated to take part in the Tamworth Individual Eisteddfod will need to have their poems into the school by next week. Please practise

these poems at home with your student. These items will take place between the 14th to 17th of June. Once a final date has been set I will notify parents. Students who have nominated are as follows;

Erica and Kandy-Duo, Charlie Jones, Erica Eather, Ella Worley, Campbell Jones, Jessy-Lee Deaves, Saskia Fitzgerald, Brooke Krsulja, Quinn Gibson, Ryan Fitzgerald, Jade Krsulja, Wunda Jaffer-Williams, Cormac Trousdale, Gryffyd Trousdale, Montana McInnes.



A big thank you to all of the students who turned out for the ANZAC Day ceremony and march. It is great to see people make the time to come and remember why it is we must try to avoid war at all costs. Special certificates will be presented. Thank you very much to Claire, Jess, Emily and Gemma Borchard for coming down to the hall on Tuesday and

packing away all of the chairs. You saved a great deal of work for a few old people.

Finally, welcome to our two new students Kayden and Eathan. Years 3 and 4 are very excited to have new students in their class.

Ian Worley

Principal

LAST MEETING BEFORE THE DOG RACES

Tonight (28th April) 7pm

SET UP FOR THE GREAT NUNDLE DOG RACE

Saturday afternoon – 2pm

GREAT NUNDLE DOG RACE

SUNDAY, 1ST MAY, 2016 – help needed from 7am



Term 1 2016 workshops at Tamworth Regional Gallery

Tamworth Regional Gallery is offering art workshops in Term 2.

These workshops book out quickly,
for details contact the Gallery on 6767 5248.

Smarty Arty for 5-7 year olds

This block of 4 classes designed for 5-7 year olds will give participants the opportunity to develop their skills in a range of art practices including printmaking, painting and mixed media. These classes encourage students to enjoy the creative process and have fun!

Dates: Thursday May 19, 26, June 2 & 9

Time: 4.15pm-5.15pm

Cost: \$50.00 for a 4 class block (includes all materials)

Teacher: Kate Armstrong

Block 2 is a repeat of block 1.

Students **must** wear closed in shoes (no sandals or thongs please) and a paint shirt to each class. Full payment must be made prior to the commencement of class 1 and an enrolment form must be completed.

No refunds available

Art After School for 8-12 year olds

This block of 4 classes starting in week 4 of term will be conducted by the Gallery's Education Officer Kate. Students will engage students in a program designed to encourage students to try their hand at new and familiar materials. Activities will include painting, mixed media, sculpture and drawing.

Dates: Wednesdays May 18, 25 & June 1 & 8

Time: 4.15pm-5.45pm

Cost: \$80.00 for a 4 class block (includes all materials)

Teacher: Kate Armstrong

Students **must** wear closed in shoes (no sandals or thongs please) and a paint shirt to each class. Full payment must be made prior to the commencement of class 1 and an enrolment form must be completed.

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Monday Special Lunches.

Monday Lunches will be available again this term; cost will be \$5.00 per serve.

Menu is as follows:

Monday 2 nd May	Pizza Scrolls
Monday 9 th May	Spaghizza
Monday 16 th May	Chicken & Ham Pies
Monday 30 th May	Sticky Chicken Noodles

If you have any suggestions for meals your children would like please let me know.

I will try to come up with some new veggie packed recipes that they will all love!

Carol Fiddes

SCHOOL PHOTOS

5th May, 2016

Envelopes for school photos are being sent out to all students today. The details of prices and packs are listed on the front of the envelopes.

Please ensure that envelopes and money are returned to the school office by Tuesday, 3rd May.

If you wish to have a family photo (of the children attending this school) please request one from the office.

CROSS COUNTRY

FRIDAY, 6th MAY, 2016

Nundle Golf Club

Commencing at 11am

Parents and friends are invited to come along and watch the children competing in this event

Cancer Council NSW Nutrition Snippet

The simplest way

...to serve up 2 and 5.

It is important to aim for a minimum of two serves of fruit and five serves of vegetables every day, for good health and to reduce cancer risk.

So how much is a serve? Here is a quick and easy guide:

How much is 1 serve?

150 grams of fresh FRUIT or:

- 1 medium piece (e.g. apple)
- 2 small pieces (e.g. apricots)
- 1 cup chopped or canned fruit

75 grams of fresh VEG or:

- 1/2 cup cooked veg or legumes
- 1/2 medium potato
- 1 cup salad or veg

For recipe ideas and inspiration visit:
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Eat It To Beat It

OUTSTANDING MUSIC ACCOUNTS

It would be appreciated if all outstanding music accounts for Term 4 2015 could be finalised as a matter of urgency. Music lessons will recommence next Wednesday.

If you are unsure of the amount outstanding, please contact the office for details

CHANGES TO EMERGENCY CONTACTS, TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS, ADDRESSES AND 'PHONE NUMBERS

If you have any changes to your child's emergency contact details, travel arrangements, addresses or 'phone numbers, please let the school office know so that the school records can be updated.

NAPLAN

Naplan testing for Years 3 and 5 will be held on 10th, 11th and 12th May, 2016.

K/1/2 - EXCURSION TO THE TROUT FARM

