



## NUNDLE PUBLIC SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER

WEEK 4 TERM 1

## Calendar-2016

## FEBRUARY

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| Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup>   | Life Education Van   |
| Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> | Mrs Price away-Focus on Reading  |
| Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup>  | Mrs Price away-Focus on Reading<br>Ms Weis away-Train the Brain                              |
| Friday 26 <sup>th</sup>    | Zone Swimming Tamworth<br>Ms Weis away-Train the Brain<br>Mr Worley away-Principals' meeting |

## MARCH

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| Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup>  | School Counsellor here  |
| Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup>   | Ms Ruythe Dufty visiting  |
| Friday 4 <sup>th</sup>     | Cricket Gala Day-Nundle   |
| Saturday 5 <sup>th</sup>   | P&C Barefoot Bowls-3 to 5pm   |
| Monday 7 <sup>th</sup>     | Regional Swimming Carnival<br>P&C AGM-7pm   |
| Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup>  | School Counsellor here  |
| Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup>  | Selective Schools' Test   |
| Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup>  | Mr Worley away-Small Schools' meeting   |
| Friday 18 <sup>th</sup>    | Mr Worley away-Conference<br>Maths (TEN) Training-Ms Weis, Miss Warden, Mrs Price, Mrs Worley |
| Monday 21 <sup>st</sup>    | Whole School Scripture-Easter Service at Anglican Church-12.20pm                              |
| Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> | School Counsellor here  |
| Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup>  | Mrs Price away-Focus on Reading   |

Friday 25<sup>th</sup> Good FridayMonday 28<sup>th</sup> Easter Monday

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| Tuesday 29 <sup>th</sup>  | Students at school            |
| Thursday 31 <sup>st</sup> | Ms Weis away-cricket coaching |

## APRIL

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> Last Day Term 1

entries have been completed and will be sent home with information. We are only able to enter 2 students per event for the Zone carnival. This has been done based on times from both carnivals. Relay teams have been entered. We are not able to enter a mixed team as our school numbers are too high for this. Part of the rulings also state that we can't swim students up an age group. For this reason we have only two relay teams.

olid and doesn't taste that good. With the yeast it taste delicious.

east is a living organism, a type of fungus. The yeast eats some of the sugar and excretes alcohol and carbon dioxide (co2).

We have been completing emotive writing activities. For example, colours

In Science, year 1 and 2 have been learning about the lifecycle of the mealworm. Before starting our study we didn't know much about them but w do now.o far we have learnt that they need food, oxygen and shelter to survive. We have built a special environment for them to live. It is a bucket with air holes which consists of a bedding of bran, carrot scraps for food and some cardboard for extra shelter. Mealworms also like a cool, dark environment so the bucket lives in our stoeroom and we check them every day for changes. When Miss Warden bought them from the pet shop they were in the form of larva, which meant that they looked like a little brown worm. In the last day or so we have noticed some changes. Some larva have changed into a pupa which means they will have a long sleep before they change form again. We think that they will turn into beetles.

AWARDSSTUDENT OF THE WEEK – JULES SCHOFIELD

For responsible behaviour

**Kinder** - Tarlieya Taylor – outstanding effort

**Years 1 and 2**

Zac Bradford – counting by twos and noticing number patterns

**Years 3 and 4**

Quinn Gibson – participation in all activities and following instructions

Brooke Krsulja – wonderful effort

**Years 5 and 6**

Jessy-Lee Deaves – great writing

Charlie Jones – responsible behaviour

**Kindergarten Report Week 4**

In maths we have been making pattern block pictures, counting, writing numbers and playing 'The Price is Right'.

In geography we are investigating places, and making models of different places. It is fun to make a house out of cardboard boxes.

Puppet plays are also fun. We made monkey puppets to celebrate Chinese New Year, and we put on a puppet show



**Years 3 and 4 Report**

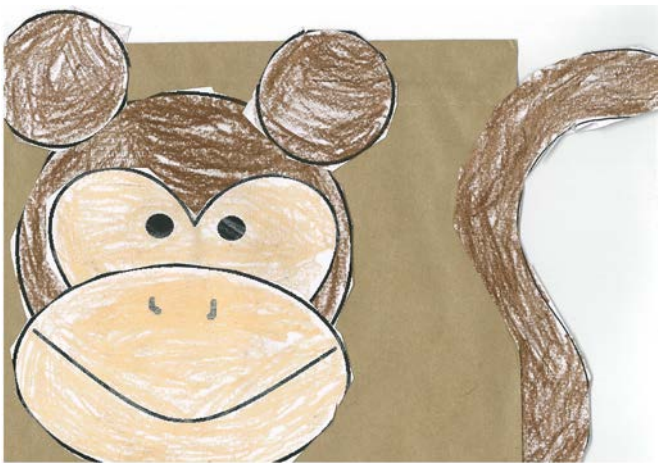
Week 4 already...amazing. In English we have been reading to improve our comprehension skills. We have also been writing to persuade others to Reduce, Reuse

and Recycle as well as persuading them not to chop down rain forests.

In Maths we have started working on Chance and Data. In Science we have been growing beans, as well as drawing flowers and fruit.

Can you see-1/2 Cheeky Monkeys? I wonder who they are?





## THE VERY SCARY, VERY HAIRY, STRANGE LITTLE MONSTER

AS THE STRANGE LITTLE MONSTER WON SCARIEST AND HAIREST AND GOT THE PRIZE WINNING TROPHY EVERYONE BOOED. THE MONSTER THAT WAS AS DARK AS THE NIGHT SKY WAS STANDING THERE LIKE A STATUE LISTENING TO THE AUDIENCE BOOING. HE OPENED HIS MOUTH AND EVERYONE SAW HIS TEETH LIKE RAZORS. EVERYONE BACKED AWAY. THEY REALISED HE WAS AS SCARY AS A T-REX, AND WAS LIKE RAZORS ALL OVER.

THE LITTLE MONSTER IS HORRIBLE, TERRIBLE. THEY REALISED HE WAS AS FAT AS A RAT. HE STOOD THERE WONDERING WHAT THEY THOUGHT HE WAS LIKE. THEY WERE PROBABLY RIGHT; HE IS MEAN, NAUGHTY AND SCARY.

BY JESSICA BORCHARD



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## Hairiest and Scariest Monster

By Erica Eather

*His razor like teeth showed a nasty grin as he held the sparkling, golden trophy. His black fur was the same colour as the charcoal in a brick fireplace. He finally held the precious trophy for hairiest and scariest monster. The monster was as plump as the fastest rat you could ever find and his bushy eyebrows are furry, little possums sitting on top of his beady, frightful eyes.*

*It was about 2 days ago when the announcement for the hairiest and scariest monster had arrived. Everyone had groomed their fur and whitened their triangular teeth. Everyone favoured the golden trophy. Everyone knew that one particular monster would hold the trophy... fortunately everyone was mistaken, for this fat, little monster had won. His long, sharp fingernails were like a lion's claws curling around the trophy.*

*This monster has stood in the same particular position for forty eight hours. For the scariest and hairiest monster was awfully happy. I think he won the wrong trophy.*