



NUNDLE PUBLIC SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

WEEK 5 TERM 2

Calendar-2016

Friday 27 th	Debate-Nundle V Woolomin @ Woolomin
Monday 30 th	Zone X-Country Barraba Scripture
Tuesday 31 st	Debate-Nundle V Westdale @ NPS
JUNE	
Thursday 2 nd	Kindergarten PLPs Mr Worley-Principal's Meeting Tamworth
Monday 6 th	Dog Race Wrap-up meeting-7pm Debate-Nundle V Quirindi @ Quirindi
Tuesday 7 th	Whole School Eisteddfod-Tamworth Town Hall
Thursday 9 th	Miss Warden L3 Training Miss Boland-LST meeting
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 Small Schools Soccer-Nundle V Tintinhull Tamworth
Monday 27 th	5/6 and Mrs Price leave on Canberra excursion. Mr Worley on 3/4
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

A Change is Coming

As most of the community is now aware, I will be finishing as Principal of Nundle Public School at the end of this term, and taking up a new position as Principal of Quirindi High School. Ms Ruythe Dufty, Director Public Schools NSW Tamworth, will be starting the processes to fill the role of Principal at Nundle Public School.

The Great Nundle Dog Race was a huge success. The takings have been counted and costs worked out. The P&C will be discussing the finances at the next P&C meeting.



Thank you to all of those involved. As you know, this is not an easy event to pull together. It is only through the hard work of the P&C and the assistance from the community that the day is able to run. Hopefully next year all parents of students at Nundle Public School will make themselves available to help. Mark it in your calendar now-1st Sunday in May.

All of the funds raised from the day go toward supporting students at the school. Without these funds many of the excursions and activities in which students take part would not be possible. It is great that there is a group of parents who are prepared to put in so much work to assist all of the students in the school.

There have been some changes in our office staff. Mrs Warden will be away for an extended period. Mrs Lyn Ryan will be relieving in Mrs Warden's position during this time and Mrs Marjolijn Fitzgerald will be filling Mrs Ryan's position.

Monday will see a number of students competing in the Zone Cross Country at Barraba. Some students have been training for this event and have a goal of heading off to the Regional level. Good luck to all of you.

Mrs Eather has been working with the debaters. We have two teams entered into the Premier's Debating Challenge. Nundle Blue and Gold. The Nundle Gold team will be heading to Woolomin tomorrow. For some of them, this is their very first debate. I would like to thank Mrs Eather for all of her work with students. Without her constant support student would not be able to participate in this event.

There have been some students arriving at school before 8.30am. Please do not drop students to school before 8.30am. The OOSH is available for students from 7.30am. A booking can be made by calling 67693485.

There have been some changes made to bus forms. We no longer hand out the blue bus forms. The Department of Transport will no longer accept these forms. As of the start of this term, all applications must be made online or by calling 131500. If you require more information, please call into the school for a pamphlet.

Ian Worley

Principal

CLASS AWARDS 18th May 2016

STUDENT OF THE WEEK - JESSY-LEE DEAVES

For great participation

Kindergarten – Tarlieya Taylor – Splendid effort in reading

Years 1/2 Zachary Bradford – Improved attention to his work

Gryffyd Trousdale – Expressive reading and great application to written work

Years 3/4 Will Archer – Enthusiasm

Saskia Fitzgerald – Positive attitude

Years 5/6 Ella Worley – Improved problem solving

Jessica Borchard – working effectively towards her personal goal

CLASS AWARDS – 25TH MAY 2016

STUDENT OF THE WEEK – EMILY GEORGE

For enthusiasm, politeness and participation in all areas.

Kindergarten – Caitlin Emerton – excellent effort in mathematics

Year 1/2 Tommy Edelbroek – super effort in literacy groups

Sam Schofield – super effort in literacy groups

Year 3/4 – Miley Edelbroek – enthusiasm for learning

Sam Archer – enthusiasm for learning

Year 5/6 Kandeita Self – great behaviour in class

Cormac Trousdale – great first debate

Kindergarten Report

This week we have been reading lots of beautiful stories about characters from other countries. Through these stories we have visited China, Korea, Japan, Alaska and Peru. We have also been learning about writing letters.

The Tamworth Eisteddfod is fast approaching and we are practising our poems in class, but also need to do this at home. Could parents please help with reading these poems.

In maths, we are investigating area. There may be opportunities to talk about area at home.



Year 1/2 Report

Yet again it has been a busy fortnight in the 1/2 classroom. The students are continuing to work hard each morning during Literacy. At the moment students have been enjoying stories from some of the different cultures from around the world. With each new story students have written a variety of creative stories, descriptions and letters.

In science, students have been exploring push and pull forces and have conducted some experiments. From these experiments students have discovered that gravity pulls objects down and helps keep our feet on the ground.

Things are getting complicated in maths in the last few days with students being introduced to concept of multiplication. In their introduction they have enjoyed the picture book, 'One Hundred Hungry Ants', which tells the story of 100 ants that are attempting to get to a picnic quickly by rearranging themselves in rows. After reading the students have practiced making rows of ants with counters and dice.

**3/4 Class Report**

This week we have been working on Metacognitive Strategies. So far we have worked on Text to self, Text to world and Text to text. The books we are using are The lion, the witch and the wardrobe and Rich and Rare. The lion the witch and the wardrobe is about a girl called Lucy that finds a magical wardrobe that holds a magical world called Narnia. Rich and Rare is a lot of fantastic stories. We are also learning about Refugees. We have seen and read about Refugees and discussed how they feel and their past lives. For Science we have been doing a thing called Melting Moments. We have been testing things in the sun and seeing if they melt after that we put them in the freezer for two days. In maths we are starting to learn division. For reading the year fours are reading Someone Like Me and some of the year threes are reading The Best Kept Secret. The other year threes are reading Buggerlugs Bum Thief.

Written by Will Archer and Saskia Fitzgerald

5/6 class report

Throughout this week in English 5/6 has started making a documentary about our school. So far we have been split into pairs and given a topic to make a documentary. Each topic is related to activities and the many wonderful aesthetics. Even though we have not started filming yet we are still thoroughly enjoying sequencing and creating our basic filming step-to-step plan. Some of our topics include:

- Gardening and cooking
- Aas/ooshc(after school activities and out of school hours care)
- Music program
- Classrooms and aesthetics
- Movies, plays and clubs
- Excursions

There are still more examples.

During mathematics we have been studying and practising problem solving. To practise we have been using the little maths cards that we have been getting out of the boxes. Most of us have conquered the problems whilst others are still in need of that little more help.

Yesterday, the two debating teams, Nundle Gold and Nundle Blue, challenged each other in the first debate of the season. Unfortunately for Nundle Blue, Nundle Gold won. Nundle Gold will be going to Woolomin to challenge the Woolomin team in the first Premier's debate for 2016. The debate will be held tomorrow at Woolomin Public School.

So far this week in Science we have been constructing our model rockets. Before we started making our rockets we had to study the architecture and science of them. Some groups are near completion of their rockets, while some are still struggling. We can't wait until we get to paint and look at all of

We wish Nundle Gold luck at Woolomin tomorrow. We also wish Nundle Blue luck in their upcoming debate.

By Cormac Trousdale and Lindsey Burnes



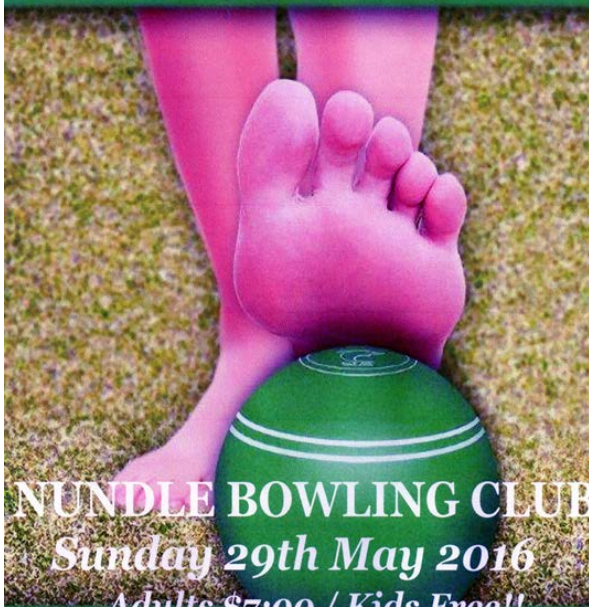
Canteen News

Tomorrow, Friday 27th May, there will be **FREE** toasted sandwiches available from the canteen. Please let Carol know if your child would like one when they arrive at school.

There will be no Canteen on Monday 30th May.



BAREFOOT BOWLS



NUNDLE BOWLING CLUB
Sunday 29th May 2016
Adults \$7:00 / Kids Free!!
Prizes / Meat Trays
Time: 1pm - 3pm
More Info: 67642294
Email: nundlebowlingclub@skymesh.com.au