



NUNDLE PUBLIC SCHOOL

# NEWSLETTER

WEEK 9 TERM 2

## Calendar-2016

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<b>JUNE</b>	
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup>	SRC Bush Dance-6pm Nundle Hall
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup>	5/6 and Mrs Price leave on Canberra excursion. Mr Worley on 3/4
Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup>	Music Concert Reports out
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup>	Parent/Teacher Evening 4.30-6.30 Miss Warden L3 Training
<b>JULY</b>	
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup>	Last Day of School
Monday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Teachers return
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup>	Students return
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup>	Ms Warden at L3
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Scripture
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup>	Nundle Public Athletics Carnival
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup>	Peel Valley Athletics Carnival
<b>AUGUST</b>	
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup>	Scripture
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup>	Ms Warden L3 Training
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup>	Zone Athletics
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup>	Principal away-meeting
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Scripture
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Book Week Parade

## Ciao

Well, this is the last newsletter I write into as the Principal of Nundle Public School. I will not go on too much but will say It has been an immense pleasure to be a part of the school for the last 7 and a bit years. Nundle Public School is truly a jewel in the crown of public education. Sometimes we become a little complacent about how good things are. I assure you that you will not find a better school, nor a more committed staff and supportive community. Thank you to all for making this such a wonderful school.

Next term, Ms Lynne Weis will relieve as the principal whilst the position is advertised and interviews held. Hopefully we will know who the new Principal is mid next term. I am looking forward to working with them in their



transition time and being involved in the school as a parent.

A huge congratulations to our Regional Cross Country representatives-Wunda Jaffer-Williams, Sam Archer and Saskia Fitzgerald. They all did an outstanding job at Coolah. An even bigger congratulations to Wunda and Saskia who are off to State. Saskia Fitzgerald won her age division at regional level which is an absolutely outstanding achievement. It is for this reason we have moved the date of the Nundle Athletics Carnival to the following week. When we set the carnival date, we don't know the date for the state competition or if we have students competing. We wish both the girls the best of luck.

The Tamworth Eisteddfod allowed us to showcase some of the wonderful talent we have in our school. Students performed outstandingly in the poetry sections with a number of Highly Commended, Third Places, Second Places and Ella Worley winning First Place in her section. It is great to see how far students have come over the time we have been competing in the Tamworth Eisteddfod.

A special congratulations to Campbell Jones who came second in the music section of the eisteddfod.

Mrs Warden has come out of hospital and is recuperating. She will be coming home sometime over the next few weeks. Students have all written some wonderful cards to her. We will be sending flowers from the school and P&C when she arrives back in Nundle. We are glad to hear she is doing well.

Again, thank you to everyone for their support and assistance. I'm looking forward to seeing a number of you at the Bush Dance on Friday.

Ian Worley

Principal



### **CLASS AWARDS 15th June 2016**

#### **STUDENT OF THE WEEK**

**Kandieta Self - For mature behaviour**

**Kindergarten** -Sidney Sutherland – for improved participation

**Years 1/2** Jack Whale – for consistent effort

Talia Summers – for consistent effort

**Years 3/4** Jules Schofield – for excellent reading

Ryan Fitzgerald – for excellent effort in writing

**Years 5/6** Jessica Borchard – for excellent manners and work ethic

Kandeita Self – for excellent manners and work ethic



### **CLASS AWARDS – 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2016**

#### **STUDENT OF THE WEEK**

**Caitlin Emerton – Mature approach to learning**

**Kindergarten** - Tarlieya Taylor - participation in all areas

**Year 1/2** – David Smith – independent working in literacy

Sienna Burr – super spelling strategies

**Year 3/4** - Eathan Wiley – effort in reading

Brayden O'Connor – effort in writing

**Year 5/6** – Jack Bell – assisting others with technology

Jayden Morrow – positive attitude to learning

#### **Kindergarten Report**

This week kindergarten has continued to practise their recorders and the children are excited to be playing Merrily We Roll Along at the music concert on Wednesday. They have also enjoyed learning about music notation including rhythm, tempo and dynamics.

In mathematics, students have been creating their own picture graphs and learning how to interpret them. We have gathered and sorted data about pets, eye colours and the weather.

The changing weather has given us many great opportunities to enhance our learning in our science unit which is Weather In My World. Students have been learning about how we can predict rain by looking at the clouds as well as how the changes in weather affect the way we dress. One of our favourite activities however, has been checking the rain gauge after our heavy downpours.

Miss Lynch



**Year 1/2 Newsletter Report**

In the last two weeks, Year 1 and 2 have had the pleasure of having Mrs Sullivan teaching them. During this time,

they enjoyed learning about fractions, how different cultures celebrate special occasions and completed some beautiful artworks.

Unfortunately, this week, the coldest week we have experienced; was the exact time that Miss Warden decided to teach capacity in

mathematics. Which in her wisdom, involved measuring with water. Cold water not warm water. Despite the cold the students enjoyed getting a little damp and learning at the same time.

The wet weather this week has made it difficult to exercise and get rid of some excess energy. However, some Cosmic Kids: Star Wars yoga has helped in relieving some tension.

**Year 3/4**

In English we have been reading the picture book *The Treasure Box* by Margaret Wild. We looked at how the illustrations add to the text. We have also talked about

character and identified the parts of an imaginative (Narrative) text. We have also made connections: text to self, text to world and text to text.

Everyone is doing really well at fast maths. We have also started to look at different types of lines.

Please see our separate note about the sausage sizzle helper list.

We are looking forward to the holidays and having a rest ready for a huge term 3.

**Year 5/6 Class Report**

Excitement levels are through the roof this week, as we are leaving for Canberra on Monday!

Over the last two weeks, 5/6 have been completing many tasks and lessons for when we go to Canberra! As we will be leaving early next Monday morning, we want to know as much about Canberra as we can cram into our minds.

We are really looking forward to our excursion to Canberra and visiting places like Telstra Tower, the Royal Mint, Parliament House and the Australian War Memorial. What most of us are not looking forward to is the nine hour bus trip that it takes to get there, but we all agree that it will be worth it!

One of the places that comes up most in conversations about Canberra is Questacon. Students who have older siblings who have been on this trip, or have been to Questacon themselves, know what it's like and are telling other students how exciting it is.

With Miss Boland we have been studying Government and our political history to prepare for when we go to Parliament House. We know a lot about our government now, and look forward to seeing Parliament House in person.

With Mr Worley we have been creating promotional documentaries on the school that Mr Worley is going to put up on the school website. They all look pretty fantastic, even though they were made by amateurs on Ipads, and Mr Worley thinks that they are made fairly well.



Wednesday this week was the last day that Mr Worley would ever teach us. Even though the trip to Canberra is lifting our spirits, most of us are really sad that Mr Worley has to go. We all hope that we will get to see Mr Worley around Nundle and at school functions.

Canberra, here we come!

By Kandy and Charlie

**NUNDLE ATHLETICS CARNIVAL HAS BEEN POSTPONED UNTIL TUESDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2016. THIS IS DUE TO THE ORIGINAL DATE CLASHING WITH THE STATE CROSS COUNTRY.**



Due to lots of book club orders being submitted, the school has earned rewards through Scholastic, which have enabled teachers to order new books for their classrooms this term. Keep up the good work.

**HAPPY READING.**

**Reminder to come and farewell Mr Worley at our Bush dance Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June at the Nundle Memorial Hall.**

Bush dance starts at 6pm : Farewell supper at 7.30pm.

Please bring a plate of food for supper

**Monday Lunch 27<sup>th</sup> June 2016**

**Fish and chips \$5**



**Canteen News** - If any parents or carers would like to volunteer to help out in the canteen on Fridays, please contact Carol or leave a message with Lyn in the office

## OOSH NEWS

NEW FEES-\$16 for 3.00pm to 6.30pm session

And \$6 for the 7.30am to 8.30am session. Permanent bookings are even cheaper

If you have provided all of the correct information, you will be entitled to a 50% rebate. This is available to all Australian permanent residents.

This means the afternoon session will cost a maximum of \$8 for 3 ½ hours per child.

If you qualify for the CCB then your fee will be reduced even further.

Call 67693485 to make your booking.

See you at the OOSH!