



NUNDLE PUBLIC SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

TERM 4— WEEK 2

Calendar

October 18	State Athletics
October 19	State Athletics & Kinder Transition
October 26	Kinder Transition
November 3+4	CAPERS— Far Far Away
November 8+9+10	Years 2 & 3 Lake Keepit Excursion
November 9	Kinder Transition
November 16	Last Kinder Transition
November 27	Year 6—RSL Bursary Exams @ Dungowan Public School
November 28,29,30	Intensive Swimming @ Nundle Pool
November 30	Student Leaders Speeches
December 1,5,6,7,8	Intensive Swimming @ Nundle Pool
December 7	Presentation Night Scripture at the Anglican Church
December 13	Year 6 farewell
December 15	End of term 4

Principal's Report-

Welcome back for Term 4. Staff have been busily planning some great learning opportunities for our students in what is usually a hectic but rewarding time of the school year.

Good luck to our Nigel Bagley Relay team this week. They are taking on the best in the State in the Small School's relay. The team is made up of Wunda, Sam, Clay and Riley. We know you'll do your best. Also good luck to Sam and Wunda who have both qualified for individual events.

Students have been invited to perform at CAPERS in Week 4 of this term. Students have been preparing by learning the dances on an almost daily basis. CAPERS is a highly professional production featuring the best performers in our region's schools and is an opportunity for all of our students to become stars for the weekend. With one of the key priorities of our school to develop confidence in our children, this is a truly unique opportunity for our children to be involved in.

We understand the commitment required from all of our students is huge, and staff are going to great lengths to ensure students will have ample opportunities to rest and recuperate. I encourage you to contact the school to discuss any concerns you might have.

Thank you to our parent helpers who volunteered their time on Saturday to upgrade our sandpit. A special thank you to Mr Burr and Mr Bradford who were the brains behind the whole operation. It was great to see so many people here, helping each other out and contributing to our school. A positive partnership between the school and parents ensures school is a positive experience for all.

This term we are trialling a new system to determine students of the week and also trialling having our Whole School Assemblies on Monday morning. Throughout the week, teachers are identifying students who help other people with a star ticket. At the Monday morning assembly, we will draw out 2 students who will be our students of the week. We are promoting the values of helping each other and being considerate of others through this positive initiative.

We have just been notified that the school has been successful in gaining a grant to install a 15Kilowatt Solar System on our school roof. Work on this should commence soon. It will be a great opportunity for our students to learn about sustainable energy. This will compliment our kitchen to garden program and the work students do in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics.

Inverell Public School have kindly loaned their Spheros to our school so our students can have an opportunity to experiment and code with robotics. I will be visiting each classroom so all students will have an opportunity to play and learn through playing.

Looking forward to working with you this term.

Stephen Gadd

K/1's Play performance of 'The Three Little Pigs'



Good for Kids good for life

CRUNCH&SIP®

Our school is part of the Crunch&Sip® program, also known as 'Fruit break'. Crunch&Sip® is a set time during the day to eat salad vegetables and fruit and drink water.

Below are some examples of what students are allowed to bring for Crunch&Sip®:

- All fresh fruit and vegetables
- Dried fruit or tinned fruit in juice but only sometimes
- Plain water

Items that are not considered fruit and vegetables for Crunch&Sip® include:

- Fruit products (e.g. fruit leathers, fruit roll-ups)
- Fruit jams or jellies, fruit pies or cakes
- Tinned fruit in syrup
- Vegetable or potato chips, hot potato chips, popcorn
- Vegetable pastries (pies, pasties)
- Vegetable cakes, fritter, quiches or similar
- Fruit or vegetable juices or any drink other than plain water



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Expression of Interest for the Conservatorium Music Program at Nundle Public School in 2018

Could you please let the school office know if you or your child would like to continue or start learning to play an instrument or have vocal lessons with the Tamworth Regional Conservatorium here at Nundle Public School once a week. This will help us plan for term 1, 2018.

Thank you!



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