



Nundle Public School

NEWSLETTER

HONOUR - INDUSTRY - TRUTH

Term 1 Week 4

DATES FOR THE DIARY

MONDAY

OOSH

WEDNESDAY

Music

THURSDAY

Library/Canteen

FRIDAY

Sport/OOSH

Cricket - Wks 4, 5, 6 & 7

TERM 1 - Upcoming events

WK 4

Friday 23rd February

Tamworth Zone
Swimming Carnival

WK 6

Monday 4th March

Hallogen Young Leaders Day
Sydney

WK 8

Thursday 21st March

5/6 Science & engineering

Friday 22nd March

Harmony Day at Dungowan P.S

WK 10

Friday 5th April

Ride 2 School Day

WK 11

Friday 12th April

NPS Cross Country
Last day of Term 1



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PRINCIPAL REPORT

Welcome BBQ

This week Nundle Public School's dedicated staff hosted our annual Welcome BBQ. We were thrilled to have so many families join us for the evening to share some food, play games, chat with friends, and meet new families.

A highlight of the night was a visit to each of our classrooms where parents were able to see where the learning takes place and chat with our fabulous teachers.

We look forward to seeing everyone at our next school community event.

Peel Valley Swimming

Last Friday we were joined by staff and students from Bendemeer, Moonbi, Tintinhull, Woolomin and Dungowan for the Peel Valley Swimming Carnival. It was a great day with perfect weather. Our swimmers performed very well and displayed honourable sportsmanship throughout the day.

Thank you to Mrs Ryan and Miss Taylor for their organisation which allowed the carnival to run so smoothly. The carnival was also supported by our committed teachers and volunteer timekeepers and records. Thanks also to Crawney's Hills to Grills for donating sausages for the BBQ lunch.

Staff Update

This week teachers met our newest staff member, Ray Ornelas. Mr Ornelas will join us in the role of virtual Assistant Principal of Curriculum and Instruction. Next week Mr Ornelas will visit our school for two days where he will get to know our students and work alongside our teachers to further enhance our delivery of lessons and use of assessment data. During regular weeks, Mr Ornelas will meet with teachers and work with classes virtually using Microsoft Teams. We look forward to having Mr Ornelas as part of our team for the remainder of the year.

Classroom Adventures

Mrs Prices class once again provided a delicious meal for all of our students and staff last week. The class picked fresh produce from our garden and made tasty vegetable frittatas which we all enjoyed together at lunch time.

This week I was lucky enough to be working with our K/1/2 students. We enjoyed reading a story and creating an artwork about a clever singing cat, and we had a go at coding our BlueBots. It was wonderful to watch our Year 1 and 2 students supporting our Kindergarten students to operate the robots.



Akshara Sah

Completing maths extension activities

Oliver Pratt

Participating in Maths extension activities

Ashton Little-O'Callaghan

Completing all set tasks in class

Noah Munro-Adams

Participating in class discussions

Kalarni Oliver

Fantastic effort in reading

Lincoln Burr

Effort in writing

Sebastian Denton

Effort in writing

Merit Awards



Congratulations to Casey, Harry and Elijah for achieving the 100% attendance awards

FROM THE OFFICE

Updating student details

Please advise administration of any changes to your child's contacts - this includes emergency contacts, the emergency contact needs to be someone other than the parent/caregiver that can be contacted about your child and is able to collect your child if needed.

Changes to routine – IMPORTANT REMINDER

For any changes in your child's routine, parents must formally advise the office staff either:

- In person, phone call, email or
- A note sent in dated & signed detailing changes.

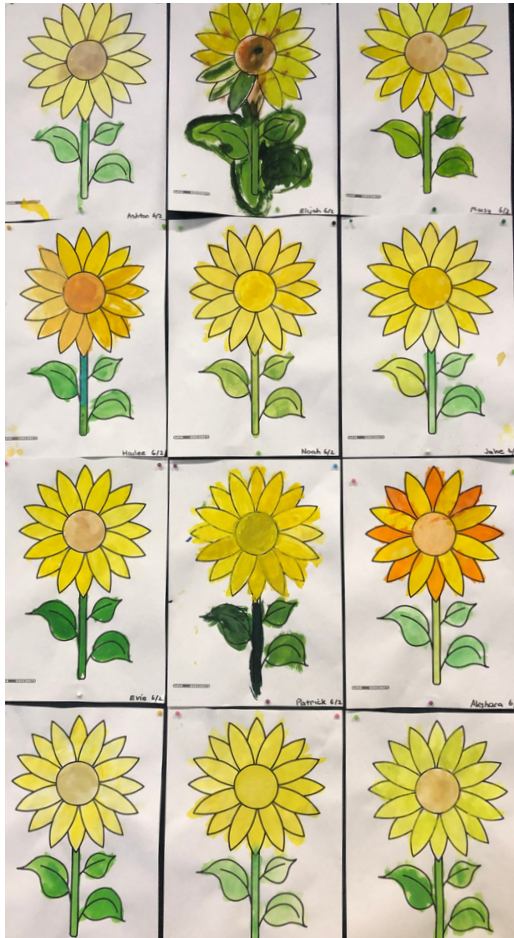
Report to the Office

Any visitors entering school grounds are to report to the office and sign in using the QR code. If your child is late to school, they also must report to the office before going into their classroom so the rolls can be adjusted.

Class Highlights - Ms Barham K-1-2

Some fantastic artwork has been created by K,1,2 this term. After a visit to a sunflower farm by Ms Barham, students were then keen to paint their very own sunflowers.

In K,1,2 we have read many fantastic books this term so far. After reading the book 'Millie's Fantastic Hat', students were given the opportunity to create their very own fantastic and colourful hat. They decorated their hats with pom poms, coloured paper, cardboard and also drew on them.



Every Day Matters

This week the NSW Department of Education launched a new attendance campaign to encourage student attendance. The evidence is clear that consistent attendance is the essential first step for your child to have a positive experience at school.

Every day matters for your child's learning. In recent years we've seen too many students miss a day of school here and there. Missing school for students means missing important learning experiences, time with friends, an important maths lesson or getting picked for a sports team. With days missed, years are lost.

Students are required to attend school every day, whether it's the first or last day of the term, Mondays, Fridays or days dedicated to sports carnivals, school excursions and incursions.

Help us make sure your child is achieving their best and stays ahead in their learning with regular school attendance. The more time your child attends school, the greater their opportunity to learn, make new friends and improve their wellbeing. Together, let's build positive attendance habits for a lifetime.

If your child is absent from school, please let us know why as soon as possible, even if it's just a few minutes at the start or end of the school day. Of course, there will be times when your child is unable to be at school (like when they are unwell). Medical appointments should take place outside school hours where possible and family holidays should be taken in term breaks.

If your child is feeling anxious about coming to school and you need support, please reach out to your child's teacher or me directly. Our staff are here to work with you and your child to help them attend school each and every day. There are also helpful resources for parents and carers on the Every Day Matters website at tinyurl.com/ycwy25r.

Thank you again for working with our teachers and support staff to make sure your child is at school, on time, every day. We all want to see our students learn, grow and belong in our equitable and outstanding education system.

OOSH



For World Invention Day Luna and Patrick collaborated together and Invented Water Laser machines.



Caseys Invention was called „A Piece Of Everything“ and she said her favourite invention of all time was her laptop.



Indi made Lipstick and a food platter for Dinosaurs that included spaghetti and meatballs.



Making pom poms and practising hairdressing skills while chatting with their friends.



It was Luna's Birthday and the children made her Birthday cards and gave them to her showing her how much she is cared for by everyone.



Eggs \$4/carton

Please see the main office to purchase

Empty carton donations are greatly appreciated



After School Care Monday and Friday
3pm - 6pm,
Permanent bookings \$20, Casual bookings \$22

Vacation Care Monday, Wednesday and Friday 9am - 3pm, \$40 per session
For bookings please contact Susi on 04 38936457

Nundle Swimming Club

A Rewarding Opportunity to Become a Certified Swim Coach

Are you passionate about swimming and enjoy working with children? If so, we have an exciting opportunity for you! Nundle Swimming Club is looking for a dedicated swim coach to join our team in October 2024.

We welcome applicants aged 17 and above, with or without a swimming teacher accreditation. If you don't have the accreditation but are willing to obtain it, we will cover the cost of the course. This is a fantastic chance to expand your skill set and become an integral part of our community.

For more information, please contact Susi at 0438936457 by March 15, 2024.

Don't miss this opportunity to make a difference in the lives of children while enhancing your own career.



Join Nundle Swimming Club today!

TFSS

1-2-3 Magic & Emotion Coaching

Includes adaptations for children with special needs

Parents will learn skills on:

- How to discipline without arguing, yelling, or smacking
- How to handle challenging and testing behaviours
- Using emotion coaching to encourage good behaviour
- Strategies for encouraging good behaviour

Where: 'Jumbuck Cottage' 62 Gunnedah Rd

Date: 11/03/2024

Time: 9.30AM - 2.30PM

Transport and child-minding available within the Tamworth Area

Scan the QR code or call 1800 073 388 to register



WDO hours available pending eligibility



CANTEEN VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

THE NUNDLE PUBLIC SCHOOL P&C ARE SEEKING MOTIVATED AND COMMITTED VOLUNTEERS TO RUN THE SCHOOL'S CANTEEN ONE DAY A WEEK. THE SCHOOL'S CANTEEN IS CURRENTLY NON-OPERATIONAL AND WILL REMAIN SO UNTIL VOLUNTEERS ARE FOUND.

THE ROLE INVOLVES FOOD PREPARATION, SERVING LUNCH, ORDERING STOCK, PREPARING BANKING, AND LIAISING WITH THE P&C'S TREASURER.

VOLUNTEERS WILL BE SUPPORTED TO COMPLETE MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS TO WORK AT NSW DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION SCHOOLS.

THE POSITION MAY BE FILLED BY ONE PERSON OR A GROUP OF VOLUNTEERS WHO WILL RUN THE CANTEEN ON A ROSTER BASIS.

INTERESTED PARTIES CAN CONTACT TASH MOORE, P&C PRESIDENT, FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ON 0421 454 667. THE P&C ASK THAT ANY EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST BE MADE BY FRIDAY 1 MARCH.

