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**Dates to Remember**

**Friday 6 April**  
5A Assembly

**2018 Easter Break**  
**(No school for students)**

**Friday 30 March**  
**Monday 2 April**  
**Tuesday 3 April**



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# Narrogin Primary School

## Independent Public School



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## In the Pursuit of Excellence

### From the Principal

#### EASTER BREAK

We would like to take this opportunity to wish all of our families a very happy Easter break and remind you students return to school on Wednesday 4 April.  
*Have a safe and happy Easter!*

#### INTERSCHOOL CARNIVAL

The Interschool Swimming Carnival was held at Williams on Friday March 16. Well done to our team who performed extremely well against some formidable opposition. N.P.S. finished in third position overall. Congratulations to Crystal Jetta and Chase King who won bronze, Chelsea Bradford - silver and Willow West - the gold medal for their respective year group. Thanks to Mr and Mrs King and Mr and Mrs West for their help on the day. *Mr Moon*

#### NAPLAN ONLINE TRIAL 5 APRIL

The transition to NAPLAN online will commence at Narrogin Primary School in 2018. In May of every year, students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 take part in the National Assessment Program - Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN). NAPLAN is moving online except Year 3 writing. Some of the main benefits of students taking part in NAPLAN Online include:

- **Better assessment and more precise results.** NAPLAN Online uses a tailored test or adaptive design, where the test automatically adapts to a student's performance and asks questions that match the student achievement level, allowing the student to demonstrate their knowledge. This provides teachers and schools with more targeted and detailed information on students' performance on the tests. Tailored testing also provides an opportunity to broaden the scope of the assessments.
- **Faster turnaround of results.** Delivery of assessments online significantly reduces the time it takes to provide feedback to schools, students and parents, so teachers can respond more quickly to learning needs.
- **More engaging.** ACARA research into online assessment has shown that students have engaged well with electronic tests.

All students in Year 3 and 5 will participate in trial testing on April 5. We would strongly encourage all of these students to attend school on the day of the trial.

#### SPORTS FOR SCHOOLS VOUCHERS

It's been an incredible race, but the Sports for Schools finish line is in sight. You've only got one week left to collect vouchers for our school!

#### TOWN BUS GRAFITTI

The TransNarrogin town bus has sustained graffiti on both of the back side windows - there is also a small amount halfway up the bus. This has been etched into the side windows with a sharp object which should not be carried or produced whilst travelling on the bus. The etching is very large and scratches right into the windows. It has lettering of and also a picture depicting genitalia. Graffiti is a criminal offence and it not only defaces the bus but it is costly to repair. No students will own up, however it is high school students who occupy the back seats with some primary students at times. These students have been asked to now sit towards the front of the bus and this creates a problem as you have mixed ages sitting at the back of the bus. The driver cannot see these incidents as he has to concentrate on his driving and cannot be checking in his mirror all the time, as this then becomes a safety issue. This incident has been reported to the Public Transport Authority in Perth as they are the owners of this bus.

## CHAPPY'S CHAT

Easter break is upon us and with only two more weeks until the end of term I hope everyone is being kind to themselves and others. At such a busy time we can get overwhelmed and need to remember that Kindness Is Necessary Daily.

Breakfast is available from 8am to 8.45am every morning in Chappy's Café. Everyone is welcome. Please feel free to contact me there any morning.

Mrs Wilkie

### JUNIOR SOCCER

Juniors yr3 up Saturdays starting 9am ENPS oval

Contact [Clive@westnet.com.au](mailto:Clive@westnet.com.au) Ph 98811657

## CANTEEN ROSTER

Wednesday	28 Mar	Simone Wallace
Thursday	29 Mar	Julie Davies
<b>Friday</b>	<b>30 Mar</b>	<b>Good Friday</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>02 Apr</b>	<b>Easter Monday</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>03 Apr</b>	<b>Easter Tuesday</b>
Wednesday	04 Apr	Clare Hardie
Thursday	05 Apr	Simone Wallace
Friday	06 Apr	Stacey Shepherd
Monday	09 Apr	Kelly Stott/Julie Ann Grout
Tuesday	10 Apr	

## P & C News

### Sheep Poo Fundraiser

Our President Brenton always says anything we do is a team effort but after raising well over \$800 I think we should praise the drivers of this fundraiser Brenton Hayes and Ben Nottle. These two legends carried the bulk of the load - literally. Thank you to the Melchiorre Family for access to their pile of lovely sheep lollies and to everyone that purchased our wonder poo, bloom on.

### Easter Disco

We had a fun night last Thursday with over 120 students dancing and singing - that's a better turnout per school population than Ed Sheeran concert attendance! The warm evening rolled along relatively drama free thanks to our DJ Mr Harrison and our wonderful student councillors who continue to impress us all with their enthusiasm and energy. Jane Eames and Robyn Mulgrew you are my star performers. Thanks to Thing-a-me-bobs for your kind donations towards our decorations and prizes.

### Next P & C Meeting

We would love to see you on Tuesday 10 April at 7.30pm in the school staffroom for our general meeting. Hot topics on our agenda will be our Rockwiz Quiz night on Friday 22 June and the exciting opportunity to have a Colour Run on Sunday 11 November.

### P & C Market Day

Our next Market Day will be Saturday 5 May from 8am to 2pm. Has your class/club/team got a fundraiser running that you'd like to set up at our Market, stalls just \$5.00. Get the kids to clean out the garage/shed/toybox over the holidays and either run your own stall or donate items to our P & C shed which has a huge range of books, board games, jigsaw puzzles and lots of household goods including pots and pans for camping trips/back paddock BBQs. For any information and if you could help please call Fil on 0407 471 097.

Have a fun and safe Easter! *Mrs Filipa Shepherd*

### Narrogin NAB Auskick

**Starting Date: Saturday 5th May, 2018**

**Time: 9.30 am - 11am**

**Venue: Narrogin Hawks Oval (Clayton Road Oval) - Clubrooms**

All registration's for 2018 are to be completed by visiting the official AFL Auskick website, via

<http://www.aflauskick.com.au/>

Please click on **REGISTER** and away you go, your official Auskick pack will be directly mailed to you !!

If you have a Health Care Card and would like to apply for **KIDSPORT** – this now must be done by you online prior to Auskick registration – once you complete your info on their website you will be emailed a Voucher code – please include this code number on your registration form. To apply go to

<http://www.dsr.wa.gov.au/funding/individuals/kidsport> or contact **Chris Eales 9881 2651**

For those of you who do not have access to a computer or smart phone, the Narrogin Library have computer access available. Please visit our Narrogin Auskick Facebook page for further communications / updates on the season ahead.

**For further details, contact : Gavin de Gruchy**

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# P & C EASTER DISCO

