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Dates to Remember

FRIDAY 16 AUGUST

5/6 Hogg Assembly

TUESDAY 20 AUGUST

Hockey Carnival

Years 4, 5 & 6

WEDNESDAY 28 AUGUST

School Board Meeting

THURSDAY 29 AUGUST

PP/1K & PPW Father's Day
Night

FRIDAY 30 AUGUST

One Big Voice

MONDAY 9 SEPTEMBER

K/PP P&C Meeting

TUESDAY 3 SEPTEMBER

Year 6 Camp Commences

FRIDAY 6 SEPTEMBER

Year 6 Camp Concludes



Narrogin Primary School
Voluntary Contributions
Commonwealth Bank
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Independent Public School

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Thursday 15 August

In the Pursuit of Excellence

From the Principal

Fremantle Literacy Centre visit

Last week we had our two yearly visit from the Fremantle Literacy Centre. This year, Year 1-2 were exposed to Once Upon a Rhinoceros and the Year 3-6, The All New Must Have Orange 360.

Both sessions were highly interactive. The presenter said that she found all classes engaged, enthusiastic and very well behaved. Thank you to the Narrogin Primary School P&C for your contribution to this very successful incursion.

We look forward to your continued support.
Mrs McDougall



Important Reminders

Book Week—Dress Up as 'Super Heroes' Thursday 22 August.
Parade at 9am in undercover area.

Student Collection—early close Tuesdays

School closes at 2:30pm to enable staff to participate in necessary whole school planning and meetings. It is very important that students are collected on time.

Student drop off

We have noticed that students are being dropped at school before 8am which is not acceptable. After 8am students can attend Breakfast Club before school but for duty of care, they should not be on the school grounds before this time.

Vi Barham Award for Excellence

Congratulations to Denby Young, Charlie Blechynden, Kate Corner, Xavier de Gruchy and Max Drayton on their selection to participate in the process for the 2019 Vi Barham Award for Excellence. This award is a regional award for students in Year 6 that recognises excellence in their learning and achievements. By participating in this selection process the students are in the running for the major prize of a \$2,500 scholarship or \$100 for the top ten finalists. We wish our nominees the best of success when they participate in the HAST Test in Week 9.

CHAPPY'S CHAT

Mrs Wilkie

Today I would like to tell you how chaplains support the school community. We are someone to talk to (if you are struggling with something or someone). We support students when they feel anxious/upset. We provide encouragement and guidance. We provide formal support by one-on-one individual sessions or specific group programs. We are caring and compassionate and a happy face to have around the school.

Till next newsletter, "Be Kind to yourself".

CANTEEN ROSTER

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| Thursday | 15 August | Honey Andrada |
| Friday | 16 August | Cherri McBlane |
| Monday | 19 August | Chelsea Allinson |
| Wednesday | 21 August | Rebecca Miller |
| Thursday | 22 August | Julie Davies |
| Friday | 23 August | Jo West |
| Monday | 26 August | Cara Borthwick |
| Wednesday | 28 August | Sarah Hawksley |
| Thursday | 29 August | Fil Shepherd |
| Friday | 30 August | Carly Smith |

If you would like to volunteer please contact Gloria at the canteen 9881 1200, Amanda 0427 814 794.

Last Friday 9 August, four Narrogin Primary School students competed in the

State Cross Country Championships which was held at UWA Sports Park in Perth. There were 1,892 competitors on the day, our students' fantastic results were as follows;

Year 4 and under boys - 2km

Jay Hayes 32nd out of 344 boys 7.22 mins

Joel O'Hara 132nd in 8.06

Year 5 girls – 2.5km

Elise Andrews 48th out of 320 girls 10.17 mins

Year 5 Boys – 2.5km

Darren Casbolt 120 out of 263 boys 10.00 mins

Congratulations to these students on their achievements and a very big thank you to the parents who co-ordinated the travel to and from the event.



Indonesian News

Selamat Sore Semua,

Kenalkan nama saya Tahlia Gifford, (Let me introduce myself, my name is Tahlia Gifford) and I am the Indonesian Language Specialist for Semester 2, 2019 at Narrogin Primary School. I have 11 years teaching experience and this is my second year teaching languages and I am thoroughly enjoying it. In 2018 it became mandatory in Western Australia to teach and report on the Languages Curriculum with a staggered implementation for Years 3 to 6. At Narrogin Primary we are very lucky to be able to provide languages for Years 3 to 6. I am very excited to be teaching languages this year, it is my passion and I am currently in my second year of my Diploma of Languages – Indonesian through Charles Darwin University.

After spending the last six years in the Kindergarten classroom I understand how important environmental print is in regards to assisting and enhancing student learning. Therefore as Indonesian is a relatively new language to most of our students my classroom is bright and colourful with numerous vocabulary posters to not only engage students but to help assist them in learning this new language.

If you have any concerns or questions regarding Indonesian please feel free to contact me at tahlia.maxwell@education.wa.edu.au

Library News

Miss Savage

Next week, we will celebrate Book Week 2019! This year's theme is *Reading is my Secret Power*. Our dress up day will be held on Thursday 22 August. Dress as your secret power, a superhero or a favourite book character. If you can guess my secret power, I'll give you a prize. Clue: Soup a Collie Fridge Elastic Eggs Peas Halitosis

Also during Book Week this year all borrowed books will be a secret until you take them home and open them. Don't forget to read your secret book as we will be talking about them the following week!

Science Week Activities

We have some very exciting plans for Wednesday and Thursday of next week. Students from Pre-Primary through to Year Six will be participating in some fantastic chemistry and physics activities. Each class will also have a special class activity which they will bring home to share with their families. Year Five/Six will be exploring some forensic science and there will be a couple of amazing demonstrations during lunchtime on both days.

Container Gardens

5/6TT have been building a beautiful and healthy container garden at the back of their classroom. Come along and take a look at their efforts.



Chaplaincy Fundraiser Hi Tea Saturday 21 September

Raising funds to support our local school
YouthCARE chaplains
St Peters Hall Off Doney & Gordon Street
Narrogin

Two Sessions: 10.30—12.30pm

1.30pm—3.30pm

Tables of: 2,4,6,8

Gluten free (must be booked)

Raffles & surprise event in both sessions

Stall holders (wanted): New and homemade items —no preloved items

Tickets Sold: outside Cabanas Café - Egerton street

On: Friday 16 August 10.30am—12pm

Friday 6 September 2pm—3.30pm

Notifications on Facebook or

Contact: Jennifer Pollard: 98814565

\$25.00pp

**Miss Atherton's Year 4 class
require cereal boxes, if you
have any spare, please drop
them off to her class.
Thankyou!**

Starlight
**Tour
de Kids**

1-21 Sept



Riding the distance for sick kids

Our team is participating in Starlight's 21 days Tour de Kids cycling challenge to raise money for sick kids.

Every day a sick child is admitted to hospital in Australia.

**Donate to our fundraising page to help us reach
our fundraising goal:**

tourdekids.org.au



REGISTRATION DAY and COME AND TRY DAY SATURDAY 31 AUGUST

Thomas Hogg Oval, Bannister Street, Narrogin
9.00am to 12.00pm

Under 6's to Under 17's

Our motto is Family, Fun & Fitness!!

Sprints, Long & Middle Distance,
Hurdles,
Long, Triple & High Jump, Discus,
Javelin & Shot Put — plus FUN FUN
FUN!!

For further information please call
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