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Dates to Remember

Friday 8 September
Footy Friday

Monday 11 September
Pre Primary P&C Meeting
Tuesday 12 September
P&C Meeting

Thursday 14 September Spare Parts Puppet Show Monday 18 September

**Jumps and Throws** 

Wednesday 20 September

Faction Athletics Carnival at Thomas Hogg Oval

Friday 22 September

4/5C Assembly
Last Day of Term 3

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# **Independent Public School**

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# In the Pursuit of Excellence

# From the Principal

# **OPEN CLASSROOMS AND TALENT NIGHT**

Last night students had the opportunity to have their parents and families come in to share their learning journey so far this year. I think you would agree it was a wonderful display of our students talents and successes. Following the learning journey, everyone was encouraged to attend the Talent Night, which showcased a range of the amazing talent from our students.

Congratulations to the winners, and to all who participated in the show!

1st Ella Borthwick, Natalie Bradford, Georgia Copeland, Denby Young & Rowan Bradford (drama skit and dancing), 2nd Lexi Ashton (singing), 3rd Kate Corner (guitar & singing) and Jett Browne & Campbell Leeson (whipping tricks).

Encouragement Awards - Abby Dewing (piano), Caitlyn Gill (singing) and Willow West & Jay Hayes (skipping tricks)

#### **NATIONAL SCHOOLS OPINION SURVEY**

It is a requirement that all schools distribute opinion surveys for students, staff and parents to complete. These surveys are typically distributed every 2 years. We are now entering into the data gathering period for 2017 surveys. Please go to Newsletters on our website and click on the following link to complete survey <u>National Schools Survey</u>

# **JUMPS AND THROWS**

Jumps and Throwing events for the School Athletics Carnival will be held at Narrogin Primary School on Monday 18 September and parents are welcome to come and watch. At 2.15pm the 800m will be run. These races are optional commencing with the Year 6 Boys followed by the Year 6 Girls, Year 5 Boys and Year 5 Girls. Year 3 and 4 students are welcome have a go, even though it is not an

| Times             | Throws | Jumps  |
|-------------------|--------|--------|
| 9.15am - 9.45am   | Year 6 | Year 5 |
| 9.45am - 10.15am  | Year 5 | Year 6 |
| 10.35am -11.35am  | Year 4 | Year 3 |
| 11.35am - 12.35pm | Year 3 | Year 4 |
| 1.15pm - 1.45pm   | Year 2 | Year 1 |
| 1.45pm - 2.15pm   | Year 1 | Year 2 |

official event for their age group. Ribbons will be awarded, but not championship points. If you are able to help, please contact Mr Moon or front office. *Mr Moon* 

## **FOOTY COLOURS FRIDAY**

This Friday students are encouraged to wear their favourite footy colours in honour of Narrogin Hawks playing in this Sunday's grand final. Good luck to their D, C and A grade teams.

#### Do you have a favourite teacher or support staff member?

Now is your chance to shine a spotlight on our incredible teachers and school staff members and tell the world what makes them shine.

As part of the WA Education Awards, The People's Pick is an opportunity for parents, students and our community to get involved and recognise the dedicated and talented staff in our school. Simply **pick** who you want to recognise; **create** a video, photo or testimonial showing what makes them incredible; and upload your message at education.wa.edu.au/awards or on Facebook.com/PublicEducationWA.

Then **share** the message on your Facebook page and tell your family and friends to **vote** for it. If a message for one of our staff receives the highest number of votes, our school will win a \$1000 Modern Teaching Aids voucher.

Share your message before 5.00pm on Friday 13 October 2017 and stay tuned. The People's Pick will be announced on Friday 27 October on World Teachers' Day and all staff recognised will be acknowledged at education.wa.edu.au/awards.

#### Chappy's Chat

What an amazing talent show last night. So many children having the courage to get up and show us their talent. Congratulations to you all. A big thank you to staff for all the work you put in showing your class What an incredible staff we have. My girls program is coming to an end this term and I am looking forward to starting new groups next term. I am available for support to all families and can be contacted through the class teacher or the office. Enjoy the coming week. Mrs Wilkie

# Narrogin Primary School P&C News

# Father's Day Breakfast

Thank you to all the Dads, Grandads, Brothers etc. that came to celebrate with their kids. We had approximately 130 people enjoy their yummy bacon and egg burgers and we are so grateful to the Bradford family (Hillcroft Farm) and the Hawksley Family (Upper Great Southern Eggs) who made this possible. Geordie Allan was amazing and the drumming looked very cool. To all of the staff and students who assisted in setting up, the Mums and Dads who helped in the kitchen and on the BBQs, Target Narrogin who provided the door and spot prizes (Winners - West family, Lachlan Allan & Gavin deGruchy), Coles Narrogin, Narrogin Liquor Barons and the Dewing family who helped out with the Narrogin Agricultural College BBQ trailer - consider yourselves hugged.

# Open Classrooms and Talent Night

There was a great buzz around the school yesterday and hats off to all of the staff and students who put so much effort and pride into displaying their work and explaining their learning journeys. We served 150 sausage sizzles to an audience wowed by 16 varied acts and next year the P & C will have an entry. Who knew that our President Brenton had fire twirling skills which will save us from waxing!

# Upcoming P & C Meetings

Come along to our Kindy/Pre Primary P & C meeting at 7pm on Monday 11 September at Pre Primary or our general P & C meeting at 7.30pm on Tuesday 12 September in the staff room and help plan events and make improvements/purchase items to assist in our kid's time at school.

# **Uniform Shop**

Come and get your faction polo (\$25), guaranteed to make you look flash at the faction carnival on Wednesday 20 September. Open this Friday from 8.30 to 10am

A big thank you to Jane Eames who has added her lucky touch to our Cash Coupon Competition!

Mrs Filipa Shepherd

#### Disclaimer

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#### Canteen Roster

# A huge thank you to the following volunteers;



Wednesday 6 Danielle Allinson Thursday 7 Janine Dewing Kelly Fullston Friday

Monday 11 Fil Shepherd / HELP NEEDED

Tuesday 12 Michelle Abraham

If you are not on our roster and you would like to be, please contact Gloria at the canteen 9881 1200.

### **Community News**





Back to the Pool Sessions!

Come along and see what the Narrogin Amateur Swim Club has to offer!

7-9yrs 3.45-4.30pm

10+yrs 4.30-6pm Thursday 10+vrs 6.30-8am and 6-7.30pm 7-9yrs 3.45-4.30pm Last 2 weeks of Term 3 2017

With full training to start in Term 4

Further Info: Bill O'Neill 0417 583 172





# **Narrogin Junior Tennis Coaching**

Starts Monday 11 September for 6 week block

Must be 6 years & over.

Early registration is essential as class numbers are limited.

Registrations close no later Friday 8 September Call/Text Jane 0429 812277 or email mijldyke@westnet.com.au to register.

# **TALENT NIGHT 2017**

