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### Dates to Remember

**30 October**  
Kindy Enrolment Day 2016  
**6 November**  
2S Assembly  
**11 November**  
Remembrance Day Service  
**11 November**  
T20 Cricket Carnival  
**21 November**  
School Board Meeting

# Narrogin Primary School

## Independent Public School

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## In the Pursuit of Excellence

### SCHOOL NEWS

#### TERM 4 STAFFING

*Special Message from Miss Ness.*

It is with excitement and sadness that I say farewell to Narrogin Primary after almost 4 years! I have been offered the position as Principal at Avonvale PS in Northam for Term 4. Thank you to everyone who contributes to this amazing school and I am grateful for the advice, support and friendship I have gained along the way! Looking forward to hearing about all the future success at NPS!

#### DEPUTIES

We are excited to welcome Mrs Leah Kellow and Mr Johan van Wyk, who will replace Miss Ness during her absence. Both Mrs Kellow and Mr van Wyk bring a wealth of experience and expertise to our School and we are thrilled to have them join our vibrant staff at NPS.

#### CLEANER

We welcome Mr Allan Quartermaine to our staff. Allan will be working as a cleaner in the school house.

#### YEAR 5 CLASS/PERFORMING ARTS

For the duration of Term Four, Miss Farrell will teach Performing Arts lessons in Room 7 and Mrs Tyler-Tourle will teach the Year Five class in the Music Room.



#### NEW SCHOOL SITE MAP

Visitors to our school will now see our new School Site Map which has been prominently displayed outside the admin block. You are encouraged to use this sign to navigate the school grounds, but please remember to sign in at the office first.



#### SCHOOL DISCO

The P&C will be holding a TV & Movie Star themed disco tomorrow evening in the undercover area, this will be the last disco for 2015. A note will be sent home today with costs, times and Canteen Meal Deal Menu.

#### NARROGIN SPRING SHOW "FLOAT PARADE"

Students who require their play costume need to come to Mrs Tyler-Tourle's classroom at 9.30am on Saturday morning ready to get changed and get down to the Clayton Road oval for 10.30am. Students who are coming dressed as Scarecrows can meet us at the Clayton Road Oval South East Corner for marshalling at 10.30am. The parade will commence at 11.15am. *Thank-you, Mrs Tyler-Tourle*

## P&C NEWS

### Uniform Shop

The Uniform Shop will be open on Friday 16 October  
**8.30am-10.00am**

EFTPOS available at shop, or order forms can be left at the front office with full payment, for those who cannot make uniform days.

### CHAPLAINS CHAT

Welcome back for Term 4. A reminder that breakfast club is held every day 7.50am - 8.30am., all welcome. We are also wanting any secondhand uniforms, especially small size shirts and shorts. Please feel free to contact me through the school office 98811 200

## COMMUNITY NEWS



### EOI: Child Car Restraint Checking Station



In Western Australia, the leading cause of death and the third most frequent cause of hospitalisation for children aged 0-14 years is transport related injury. Whenever children are passengers in a vehicle they should be seated in the most appropriate child restraint for their age and size.

- Did you know that all 0-7 year olds legally must be restrained correctly?

If your school is interested in having a child car restraint checking station completed in weeks 5, 6, or 7 of Term 4 then please notify Ann Rintoul on [ann.rintoul@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:ann.rintoul@education.wa.edu.au) by no later than COB Friday 30<sup>th</sup> October.

You will be contacted after this date to schedule the checking station.

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### Narrogin Poultry Society

Spring Auction

Saturday 31 October 2015

May St. Narrogin

Birds penned by 9.30am

Auction commences 10am

Enquiries: 9881 1948



## PLAYGROUND ADVISORY SERVICE

### Naturally Kids Play Workshop

Are you interested in finding out more about Natural Playspaces? Not sure where to start? Join Kidsafe WA in this workshop looking at the benefits of natural play, how to link them with ELYF and NQS and how they relate to the Australian Standards for Playgrounds.

Using uniquely Australian photos to inspire you to create a safe, stimulating, and cost effective outdoor environment for children.

#### Who should attend?

Staff, parents, and owners/operators of licensed children's services, OSHC, playgroups and schools.

#### Our Presenter

Tracy Blaszkow, Manager of Kidsafe WA's Playground Advisory Service is a qualified Level 3 Playground Inspector and is a member of the Australian Standards Committee for Playgrounds. Tracy has over 10 years' experience working with Local Governments, Schools, Community Groups and Early Childhood to create safe and interesting playspaces. She is passionate about all things play and regularly runs community consultations and training workshops throughout WA. These have consistently received excellent feedback by participants.

### WHEN?

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> October 2015  
6.30pm – 8.00pm

Elders Narrogin  
Fairway Street  
Narrogin

**\$10pp**

For more information  
contact Tracy on 0428 875503 or  
[tracy@kidsafewa.com.au](mailto:tracy@kidsafewa.com.au)



### Sunsmart Narrogin Triathlon

This year's Sunsmart Narrogin Triathlon is scheduled for Sunday 29 November. Events start at 9am sharp and presentations will be held at 12.30pm. This event is organised by the Narrogin Primary School P & C

Categories for juniors, open and vets as individuals and teams

Swim/bike/run over a choice of 4 distances;

Mini 50m/0.8km/0.4km, Intro 100m/2.4km/0.8km, Short 200m/8km/2.4km, Long 400m/16km/4.8km

Entry forms available from Narrogin Primary School office and website [www.narroginprimaryschool.wa.edu.au](http://www.narroginprimaryschool.wa.edu.au)



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## **P&C News October 2015**

### **Wanted – Market Day Co-Coordinator**

The P&C are still looking for expressions of interest for a family or families to take over running the P&C's Monthly Market Day. Our current co-ordinators are no longer able to continue the running of the market day. If you are interested please contact Brenton Hayes for further information on 0428 141 904. The Market Days have been running for a lot of years and have raised large amounts of income for the P&C. As we have not been able to find a co-ordinator for this month we have had to cancel the Market Day for this month.

### **Open classrooms and Talent Night – 22 September.**

The P&C would like to thank all of the staff and everyone involved for such an outstanding evening. We didn't realise there was such fantastic talent at NPS and there has been talk of planning an even bigger evening for 2016.

### **P&C Meeting – Tuesday 13 October at 7.30pm.**

The meeting is in the school staff room and everyone is welcome to come attend.

### **P&C Disco – Thursday 15 October.**

The P&C will be holding the last disco for 2015 this Thursday evening in the undercover area. Thank you to Mrs McDougall's classes and Ms Conlon's classes for assisting with this event and Miss Carroll for being our DJ for the night.

**Theme:** TV & Movie Stars.

**Cost:** \$4

**Times:** Years 1-3      4.30pm to 6.00pm  
Years 4-6      6.30pm to 8.00pm

**Meal Deal:** The canteen is proving a meal deal of

Pizza, Hot Dog or Sausage Roll (choose one)

And

Milk or Juice Drink (choose one)

And

A Mini Calipo ice cream for \$6.

**Please mark order bags with students name and JNR or SNR disco.** Any of the items may be ordered separately and preorders are necessary.

**Collection of Students:** At the end of each disco parents are expected to collect their own children. If your child is being collected by someone else please complete the cut off slip and hand it into the desk at the start of the disco.

Only students from Narrogin Primary School may attend. Positive behaviour prior to the disco will be an expectation for attendance.

Disco Collection by someone else

Students Name and Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents contact details: \_\_\_\_\_

Person to collect the student: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Signature: \_\_\_\_\_