

Narrogin Primary School

Independent Public School



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In the Pursuit of Excellence

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK



**Student Councillors
2015**

Front row: Logan Swadling, Jasmine Ozanne, Montahna McGuire, Emma Wiese and Reilly Blechynden **Back row:** Callum Watts, Jed Vukomanovic, Ruben Woodford, Darcy Knell and Cooper O'Neill

Congratulations to all the students for their well presented and delivered speeches and we wish our new councillors all the best for 2015.

Assembly Awards

Congratulations to the following students who each receive 5 NPS dollars.

STARR students

Willow West	Alex Isaacs	Quinlan Paice	Logan Rowe	Jakeb Western
Grace McNab	Dean Tidswell	Chante Kickett	Abigail Oldfield	
Hanna Jagan	Lionel Whitby	Caitlin Pratt	Colleen Edwards	

Voluntary Contributions and Charges - Marley Atwell's family received 30 NPS Dollars. Thanks to all our families who paid their Voluntary Contributions in 2014. We look forward to your ongoing support next year.

Chaplain

We are pleased to advise we have recently been informed that our funding application has been approved for the National School Chaplaincy Programme (NSCP) 2015-2016. This will allow us to continue to have the services of a Chaplain two days a week in our school to help with the needs of our students and school community.

Graduation Year 6 & 7

Reminder to those parents of year 6 and 7 students that your payment for Graduation is required **now**. This money is used to purchase food, decorations and provide entertainment for your child's party after the Graduation Ceremony. This is an extra activity funded by parents. To ensure it is a success we require the support of all the families of graduating students.

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Dates to Remember

Yr 6 & 7 Transition to NSHS - all day	Friday 12 December
Graduation Yr 6 & 7	Monday 15 December
Reports home with students	Tuesday 16 December
Last day for Students	Thursday 18 December
Presentation Assembly	Thursday 18 December

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On Sunday our school music group performed two songs "Santa Claus is coming to town" and "Rudolph the red nose reindeer" at the Carols by Candlelight in Mackie Park. Before a large crowd, they were part of the entertainment before the turning on of the Christmas lights by the Mayor.

PARENT SURVEY

To better serve our school community, it is important for us to continually seek to improve. We have generated 3 online surveys; one for parents, one for staff and one for students. Responses to the questions outlined in these surveys will assist us to make decisions on how we can better serve our school community.

We will consider the data collected from all three surveys and investigate those areas that are in need of improvement.

In order to access the parent survey please use the following web address and code;

<http://www.schoolsurvey.edu.au/s/ZTbpSbEX>

Code: MCXdwyke

The survey will end on Tuesday 16 December, we would appreciate you taking the time to complete this.

PASSPORTS

The end of the year has come and all Passport points must be redeemed as they can not carry over to next year. If you have your passport at home can you please ensure you bring it to the office by Tuesday so it can be finalised next week.

You are able to purchase uniforms or put your points towards the payment of voluntary contributions for next year (please put this in writing if you wish it to go against Voluntary Contributions) School uniforms or canteen. The uniform shop will be open this Friday 12 December and Thursday 29 January.



14 sleeps till Christmas

CANTEEN NEWS

Volunteers are needed for the Canteen. If you are able to spare 4 hours to help in the Canteen and would like to place your name on our Canteen Roster please contact the School on 98811200. Remember canteen volunteers receive 50 NPS passport points for their help.

Thank you to our helpers from last week.

Week 10 Roster

Tuesday	15 Dec	Trish Earnshaw
Wednesday	16	Lee Conlan
Thursday	17	Mel Browne

Volunteer Afternoon Tea

On Tuesday 16 December at 2pm in the Undercover area, the Canteen committee will hold an afternoon tea as a thank you to those people who have volunteered their time this year. Kristie Nottle has sent out invites.

Thank you

Thank you to the West family for donating a large tin of Milo, hence lots of Milo Pops, Thank you to everyone who has kindly donated items throughout the year.

P&C NEWS

Uniform Shop

The uniform shop will be open Friday 12 December 8.30am - 10am and Thursday 29 January 9am - 1pm. New shorts and polo's have arrived. Skirts are still on back order.

Lost Property - there were some towels and a bike helmet left behind after the Triathlon, which can be collected from the front office. They will be donated to charity if not claimed by end of term.

Market Day - The P&C are looking for donations of items for the shed, if you have items you wish to donate they can be taken to swap meet on Saturday 20th December or contact Brenton Hayes on 0428 141 904.