

Nambucca Heads Public School



Proud to be a Positive Behaviour for Learning School

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Principal's Report

Looking Smart

We pride ourselves on looking like Nambucca Heads Public School students. We like our positive image within the community with everyone wearing red. Please wear red jumpers only so we look amazing. Remember, tights may only be worn under skorts or shorts.



Connor Green and Carly Robins looking amazing in their winter uniform.

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Safety of Students

Keeping our students safe is of paramount importance to us. We ask parents to remind their children about stranger danger and that they should not go with anyone they don't know. We also ask parents to let the school know if there is a change of routine for pick up. It is very difficult to hold up the buses in the afternoon for a student who is not sure if they are to catch the bus or are being picked up. Let's keep our kids safe.

Winter has arrived

Already we have a number of jumpers in the lost property box. Don't forget to put names on each piece of your child's clothing, so we can return them if they are lost.

Thank you

A big thank you to all the wonderful parents who transported students on Monday and Tuesday to football. Thank you to the ever enthusiastic Mrs Fenning and Mr Katte for training the football teams. *It is very timely to be talking footy with the State of Origin on tonight. Go the Blues!*

Term 2
Week 6

5 June 2013

Calendar of Events

June

- 7 NC X-Country
- 14 Fun with Maths
- 18 Go Safe Day
- 25 NAIDOC Celebrations
- 26 Reports Home
- 27 Stage 1 PJ Day
- 28 Last day of term

CANTEEN ROSTER

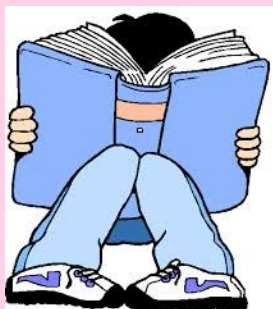
Thursday 6th June
Candice Chapman

Friday 7th June
Help Needed???

Wed 13th June
Cathy McDonald



BOOK CLUB



**Orders Due by Tuesday
11 June 2013**



WOOLIES EARN AND LEARN

Collecting Now.
Drop your stickers
into the box at the
school foyer.

Principal's Report cont.....

Lots of exciting things coming up in the next 3 weeks.

There is a very special PBL event happening next week. It is great to be able to celebrate the student's positive behaviours that support their learning. I am sure they will enjoy the activity. Stay tuned.

Student Reports are coming out in 3 weeks time for semester one. Teachers are pleased to report on the wonderful learning outcomes of the students.

NAIDOC Week celebrations are on in the last week of this Term. It will be bigger and better this year. More information coming out soon.

Stage 1 Maths Day Friday 14th June
Go Safe Day Tuesday 18th June
And if that is not enough, Stage 1 will be having a PJ Day on the 27th June. Get your PJ's ready! Watch this space for more information.

It is expected that students would enjoy all the extra activities provided in a sensible manner remembering they are proud members of NHPS and expected to act in an exemplary manner at all times. Proud wearers of the Red uniform!

World Environment Day – something for us to think about

Today is World Environment Day. The theme for this year's World

Environment Day celebrations is Think.Eat.Save.

Think.Eat.Save is an anti-food waste and food loss campaign that encourages you to reduce your foodprint. Don't you just love the word "foodprint." According to the UN Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO), every year 1.3 billion tonnes of food is wasted. At the same time, 1 in every 7 people in the world go to bed hungry and more than 20,000 children under the age of 5 die daily from hunger. These statistics are definitely food for thought!

Making informed decisions therefore means, for example, that you purposefully select foods that have less of an environmental impact, such as organic foods that do not use chemicals in the production process. Choosing to buy locally can also mean that foods are not flown halfway across the world and therefore limit emissions.

I'm sure we can all think of times we have wasted food. You just need to look in the garbage bins at the end of lunch time. So please on World Environment Day think about the world's food supply and talk to your children about how your eating habits could change to make it more planet friendly. Happy eating! So **think** before you **eat** and help **save** our environment!

Report this week by Assistant Principals
Glenys Bonventi & Morelle Makinson.



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Getting ready for camp

What do you remember most about school camp? Children can feel a little anxious before they go - but then don't want to come back home! Here's how to help them feel confident about camp as departure day approaches.

Find out more: <http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/wellbeing/development/getting-ready-for-camp>

Parenting ideas

Parenting expert Michael Grose opened his Facebook page to readers' questions for a little while recently and was inundated. It's worth jumping online to have a look - if only to see you're not alone in your parenting challenges.

Find out more: <https://www.facebook.com/parentingideas.com.au>

Too sick to go to school?

Sometimes it's hard to know if your child is really coming down with something or just suffering a bout of Mondayitis. This chart will help answer your questions about common childhood illness and how long sick kids need to miss school.

Find out more: <http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/wellbeing/health/too-sick-to-go-to-school>

Speech problems

All children learn how to talk and listen at different rates but there is a general pattern to children's language development. If you're worried about your child's speech development - or their teacher has concerns - the best thing you can do is get it checked out professionally.

Find out more: <http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/wellbeing/health/speech-problems>

Kids Art Club

The NEW PROGRAM is NOW out for the Kids Art Club at the Coffs Harbour Regional Gallery. The Kids Art Club is for 7 - 12 year olds and NOW also for 13 - 15 year olds. Please ask for information brochure available at the office.

REMINDERS

Year 6 Urgent

Please return your expression of interest form for Year 7 if you haven't already done so.

Year 3-4 Excursion Lake Keepit.

1st - 4th September

Bus is now full. If you would still like your child to attend, please see Mrs Fenning immediately.

Keep those payments coming in.

Year 5-6 Excursion Bathurst

3rd - 8th November

\$50 deposit due **NOW!**

Further payments can be made anytime.

Don't forget paying Online is now available.

Simply log onto the school website at

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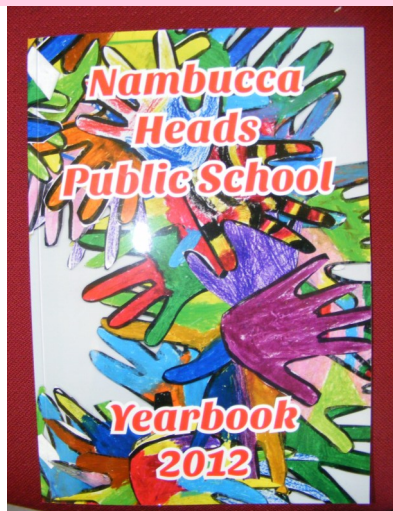
Hooray!!

**The 2012 Yearbook
is finally available.**

**You should have
received your
complimentary copy if
you paid your 2012
school fees.**

**A limited number are
still available to
purchase for those who
would like one.**

Cost is \$22



**SCHOOL
BANKING
Thursdays**

Stars of the Week Friday 31 May 2013

Levi Steele, Nathan Hawkes, Charlotte Battiston, Aaliyah Hodnett-Daly, Leanna Brown, Jamie Keppie, Roxanne Hall, Jacob Monaghan, Riley Martin, Trent Breckenridge, Bindi Guerke, Poppie Edwards, Josh Daniel, Trey Sampson, Daniel Williams, Kai Davies, Holly Bennett, Sammy Spokes-Langenbaker, Lucas Dumas, Nicholas Davison, Arabella Birse, Amisha Marican, Holly Lugnan, Poppi Rogers-Palmer, Wynta Davis, Monique Taylor, Drew Bennett, Laura Hughes, Kaylah Naden, Hannah Donnelly, Mia Kelsey, Llogan Greenup-Stokes, Leroy Caldwell, Jack McNeil, Adam Cross, Megan Summers

Students of the Week

Hilton Naden, Ryan Atkins, Caleb Jackson, Lachlan Hoffman, Kayla Hilton, Logan Mackney, Tullee Rixon, Trey Sampson, Ben Mander, Taj Bateman, Zoey Guerke, Jimerra Breckenridge

School Awards

Trey Sampson, Jett Weaver, Marli Weimer, Lochie Heighington, Lily Kelsey, Layla Heighington, Daisy Neuvonen



The SRC were presented with their badges at Friday's assembly. They have been doing a great job working for our fabulous school so far this year helping with Breakfast Club, and Hot Dog Day to name just a couple of activities.

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6568 6411 for more
information**

Worried about your child's hearing?
Have they had lots of colds and ear infections?
Do they seem like they are ignoring you?



Then come along to

Otitis Media Awareness Day

Thursday 20th June

Park Beach Plaza
 (Outside Big W)

9.30am – 4.30pm

Ear Health Checks for Children (0 – 18years)

FREE

No Appointment Necessary

Each ear check will only take approximately 5 minutes

Cartooning Workshop

For local children to attend our special weekend cartooning workshop. (Please see brochure in office).

Children can come & learn how to draw and gain skills in the techniques of cartooning & manga in a fun and unique way. No previous drawing skills are required.

All our staff have 'Working with Children Checks'. (Program available from office)

Here are the dates & location:

Coffs Harbour

Sat 8th - Sun 9th June 2013

Coffs Harbour Scout Hall

209 Harbour Drive

Coffs Harbour

Short Day: \$30.00 per child per day (9.30am - 3.30pm) Most of the activities listed in the brochure take place within the Short Day.

Long Day: \$35.00 per child per day (8.00am - 6.00pm or part thereof)

Long Day is a service we provide for those families that are working or for children that want to do more activities. All the activities listed in the brochure will take place within the Long Day.

Night Camp: \$20.00 (6.00pm - 9.00pm) Saturday night

SPORT

Below - some of our Football teams who played on Monday and Tuesday this week. Story back page.



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Big Two Days of Football

The Nambucca School community has once again rallied to support the students of NHPS. A huge thank you to the parents who took days off work and time out of their busy lives to transport boys and girls to the League 7's on Monday and Group 2 football in Coffs Harbour on Tuesday.

Six teams made up of 50 students, travelled to Biffin Fields to play the annual 7's Tournament against the other schools in the Nambucca Valley. All teams walked away with wins. New stars were uncovered and excellent sportsmanship was on display. Congratulations to the Girls League Tag Nambucca 2 team who were unbeaten on the day and won their way through to the finals in Coffs Harbour on the 19th June. (Details will follow as we receive them.)

Tuesday saw the trek north to Coffs Harbour to the Group 2 Rugby League Schools Carnival. Thirty boys and an enthusiastic group of supporters had a great day out. The opens narrowly missed making the finals by a double countback. All boys again represented our school with pride and gave their personal best. Congratulations to all students. True Legends of League.

SPORT



North Coast Cross Country

The North Coast Cross Country will be held this Friday 7th June. Charlotte Williams and Bella Ronan have both qualified. Good luck girls.

North Coast Touch Trials

Alex Cowan, Dakirra Williams, Isaac Jones and Isaac Hodnett Daly were all selected in the Mid North Coast PSSA Touch Football Team. They will compete for places in the North Coast Team next week. Good luck



NHPS Boys Basket Ball Team played Urunga today in the PSSA Knockout. Although the boys put up a strong fight NHPS was defeated 33 to 14. A big thank you to Mr Pascoe for coaching and organising uniforms and transport. Thank you to Mr Glen Jones who also transported players.

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