

Nambucca Heads Public School



Proud to be a Positive Behaviour for Learning School

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Nambucca Heads Public School is an outstanding school, our team is proud of our strong culture, high expectations and successful learners. We cater for the whole child and every single person in our learning community is welcomed, valued and included. Our future focused learning design enables students to be resilient, persistent and confident learners.

Giinagay NHPS Community

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**Term 4
Week 7
27 November 2019**

Wow – its nearly Week 8 already and 2020 classes and teachers have been finalised as of today. Class lists will be sent home to families next week (Week 8). This will give you and your children time to discuss the location of their class and their teacher for 2020.

Reports will go home in week 10 and we have a 100 things to do in between!

Yarning Circle Opening

Tomorrow we will have our Yarning Circle opening. The Yarning Circle itself has been about a year in the making and we are very excited about this celebration.



So What is a Yarning Circle?

A Yarning Circle is a place that is dedicated to coming together for storytelling, listening and connecting with each other. Ever since people first walked the earth, we have been sitting down together and sharing stories. Many groups have developed different approaches to yarning circles all of which are valuable because they are based in human processes of caring and communicating.



Principal's Report cont...

How Does Yarning Circle Work?

In a Yarning Circle, all participants are provided with an opportunity to speak in a safe non-judgmental place and to share their strengths in an inclusive and collaborative way.

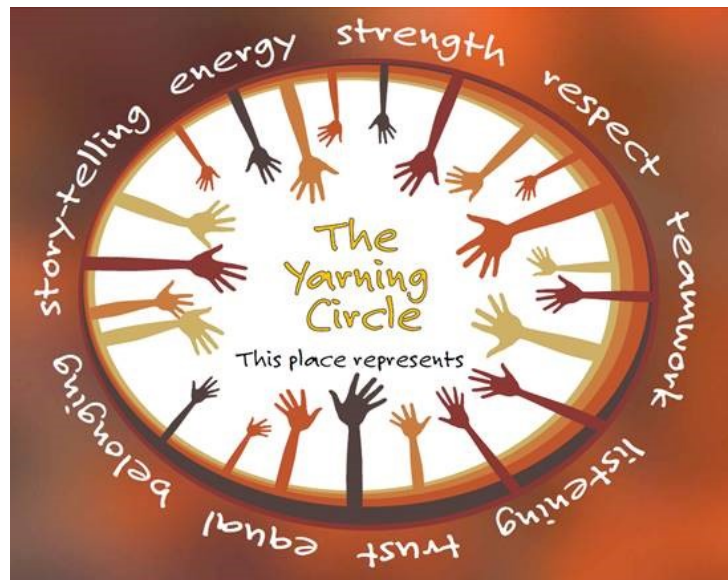
When learning together in a yarning circle it is important to be present in the moment, to have respectful interactions, to be open and honest, to listen deeply, acknowledge other's strengths and offer your own strengths and knowledge in turn.

In a yarn, all points of view are equally valid and all respectful verbal statements are equally valid.

What Does this Mean for Nambucca Heads Public School?

The completion of this yarning circle is significant for our school for many reasons:

- The work to create the Yarning circle came from our Aboriginal Advisory Team, this team comes together every month and discusses how we can continue to improve our Aboriginal Education Delivery at NHPS. There have been many significant initiatives come from this team. For example, next year we will have our first Aboriginal Student Leadership group and these students will also be the beginning of a regional Junior Aboriginal Education Advisory Team.
- This significant work completed in partnership with Macksville TAFE is representative of our commitment to the celebration of Aboriginal Culture in our school and in our community
- Our staff and students will use this space regularly to come together in this more traditional way and will be improving our learning by embracing this Aboriginal way of learning.



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NOTES IN CIRCULATION

- **Disco Note**
27 November
- **Swim School**
Payment note
- **Stage 3 Final**
Notice Canberra

Calendar of Events

TERM 4

December

- 2-6 Swim School Week
- 11 Year 6 Farewell
- 12 Christmas Carols Main Street (see flyer in newsletter)
- 13 Presentation Day 9.15am
- 18 Last Day for Students

January 2020

- 29 Students Return
- 29 Best Start Interviews
- 30 Best Start Interviews
- 31 Kindergarten Students Start

Stars of the week - Friday 15 November 2019

Principal Awards

Grace C, Miller B, Parker Mc

AP Awards

Issac Mc, Jai H, Caleb V, Ryan G, Ruby A-H, Chase T, Evan T, Halo C, Parker A, Hannah B, Paige J, Landon B, Brooke W

PBL Awards

5- Shaylah A **35-**Jude M, **45-**Wyatt M, **Blue** - Ashton S **Bronze** Seth M- **Silver-** Ingrid A, Alyssa A, Pheobe L, Emilia G **Gold-**Reese L, Lola P, Evan T, Roxanne D, **Diamond** - Jairah S

Reading Medallions

Lewis D, Taylarnii D-R, Narissa M, Frankie H, Jesse B, Bella M, Brooke W, Luke M, Jacob S, Ella R




Nambucca Dental Surgery
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CHILD DENTAL BENEFIT SCHEME
We Bulk Bill

Phone today for your appointment at our family friendly practice

Nambucca Aquatic



Staying Active



Indoor Heated Pool
Mon/Wed/Fri 7am-12pm Mon-Fri 2pm-6pm
Sat 8am-1pm

Learn to Swim Term/Monthly/Holiday Programs
Casual & Competitive Squads
Adult Squad & Aqua Fitness
Staying Active (Supported by NSW Health)
Lap Swimming (During available times)

Ph. 6568 7596

APPLICATION FOR EXTENDED LEAVE - TRAVEL

If your child will be absent for more than 3 days for travel please see the office for an "Application for Extended Leave - Travel" form. This leave needs to be approved by the Principal when taken during the School Term.

CANTEEN ROSTER

Wednesday 27 Nov
Roxanne

Thursday 28 Nov
Lydia

Friday 29 Nov
Lissy

Wednesday 4 Dec
???

Thursday 5 Dec
???

Friday 6 Dec
???

Words we are learning in Gumbaynggirr

**Garlqaany - pipi
(ga-larn)**

**Wawaa - bush
(w-waa)**

**Bindarray - river
(bin-da-ray)**

Nambucca heads Public School Yarning circle opening ceremony



Please join us in celebrating the opening of our
Yarning Circle

Thursday the 28th of November

Commencing at 10am followed by morning tea

RSVP: 21st of November 2019 Ph: 6568 6411

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Community News



Nambucca Heads Bowra Street

Christmas NIGHT FESTIVAL

Thursday 12th December 2019

From 5:30pm | Kids Disco & Face Painting
From 7:30pm to 8:30pm

Food Stalls | Night Shopping | Rides
FREE Kids Face Painting & Kids Disco
Local School Choir & SANTA!

Nambucca Heads Public School SRC & P&C
joint initiative

Farmers Friends Christmas Disco

Come dressed as a Farmer or Christmassy

Wednesday 27th Nov 2019

Stage 1 4.15 - 5.30pm Dinner at 5.20

Stage 2/3 5.30 - 7.15pm Dinner at 5.30

Dinner is a Sausage Sandwich, a Drink
& an Ice Block

Cost \$5 per student

Nambucca Heads Primary School SRC & P&C Drought Initiative Disco

Name: Class:

No. Of Tickets - Stage 1 Stage 2/3

Amount Enclosed:

This is a Nambucca Heads Public School Student Event Only

This will also be our last chance to accept
donations of food and toys for our farming
friends... help us fill the trailer!



SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

CRICKET BLAST

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For kids of all abilities from 5 to 12 years old

- Learn new skills through fun game-based activities and play modified games of cricket
- All equipment provided
- Fun and safe environment

SIGN UP NOW TO GET YOUR CRICKET BLAST PACK!
Includes a ball, drink bottle and drawstring bag

Nambucca Valley
Where: Phillip Hughes Oval (Macksville)
When: Friday 24th January
Time: 9.00am - 3.00pm
Cost: \$50 - 1 day

REGISTER

JOIN THE FUN AT YOUR LOCAL CENTRE
REGISTER AT PLAYCRICKET.COM.AU

NAMBUCCA VALLEY ARTS COUNCIL

Presents



CHATSWOOD HIGH WIND ORCHESTRA

Nambucca Community and Arts Centre
Also featuring the
Valla Voices

Sunday 15 December 2.00 pm

Tickets \$15 Members
\$20 Non Members,
Children Free

Tickets from Hello World Travel or at door

Afternoon Tea Included

Nambucca Heads Public School
SRC & P&C joint initiative

Farmers Friends Christmas Project

The SRC and the P&C have joined forces to show our country cousins we are still here for them. As Christmas approaches our thoughts turn to family and friends. We get joy from being together and exchanging gifts and we want our farming friends to know that we are thinking of them too.

The SRC are asking children to make donations of non perishable foods and water to fill our trailer that will be delivered to the RSL in time to be taken across the mountains to the drought affected communities.



The P&C are asking parents and carers whilst out Christmas shopping to purchase a small gift for a boy or girl, or even an adult, that we can wrap and add to the trailer.

We will be accepting donations from now until week 7 so if we all purchase just one item of food a week that would be around 1800 items we can donate to those in need this Christmas.

Thank you all for your generous support.

Nambucca River Cruises



Every Wednesday
Devonshire Tea Cruise
9.30am to 11.30am
\$25 per person

also available for your own private functions
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Sport Report

Smoke is not a deterrent for sport!!!!

Last week with all the smoke around Mrs Fenning had to move indoors for her sport program.

