HAPPENINGS

Facebook & Our Online Presence

Narooma PS is a great school with a positive feel to it. This extends to our online presence on our website and on Facebook. The purpose of this page is to keep our community informed and up to date as well as celebrate some of the fantastic things happening within our school.

In interacting as part of our school community on Facebook, we ask that you use the same courtesy and appropriate conduct you would in our physical school environment.

The DEC has requested we remind our community that in line with the Facebook terms and conditions, no one under the age of 13 years should have a Facebook profile. Therefore, any of our primary aged students who “like” our page or engage in the NPS Facebook page will be deleted.

NPS encourages involvement and interaction from our online community but we do not take responsibility for comments or wall posts made by visitors to our page. Comments posted do not reflect the opinions or policies of NPS or the Department of Education and Communities.

We ask that all people participating on our page show respect for fellow users by ensuring your contributions remain civil and appropriate for a public forum. All comments are subject to Facebook's Terms of Use and Code of Conduct too.

NPS reserves the right to remove comments or posts that do not meet school or Facebook standards of engagement and expectations of respectful community behaviour. Specific concerns or questions are best addressed to the appropriate staff in another forum.

Meet the Teacher Evening

Thank you to all the parents/carers who came along to the ‘Meet the Teacher Evening’ last Tuesday. It was pleasing to see the numbers in attendance.

We understand that many others couldn’t make this evening however I encourage you all to make contact with your child’s class teacher firstly if you have any queries about what is happening in their classroom.

District Swimming Carnival

Congratulations to our swimmers who represented the school at last week’s District Swimming Carnival. Our swimmers were up against some stiff competition however they displayed the true meaning of sportsmanship and competitive spirit.

Although we have children who received ribbons for their efforts, we didn’t have anyone qualify for the Regional Carnival this year.

Ribbons were presented to:

- Milaina Café – 3rd 50m Breaststroke; 3rd 50m Backstroke; 3rd 50m Freestyle, 3rd 50m Butterfly;
- Noah Smith – 3rd 50m Backstroke;
- Sam Patmore – 3rd 50m Freestyle;
- Junior Girls Relay Team – Jane Hudson, Lauren Smart, Halle Constable & Giana Café – 3rd place;
- Senior Girls relay Team – Milaina Café, Elli Beecham, Roxy Rose & Summa Shears – 3rd place.

Good Luck Boys

This Friday at Bill Smyth Oval, the following boys will be trialling for a position in the Eurobodalla District AFL team which will compete later in the term at the South Coast Trials.

They are: Brandon Feledyk, Bryson Latimer, Coupar Woods, Jared Newton, Michael Longbottom, Jack Westoll, Matthew Parker, Byron Lonsdale-Patten, Jack McCAuKrie, Seb Draven-Mellish, Thomas Hodge, Jakebo Booth, Jack Davis, Harrison Bromwich, Hayden Rapley & Jake Mikolic.

Good luck boys!

Clean Up Australia Day

Our school will be holding our Clean Up Australia Day event on Friday, February 27. Younger stages will be assigned areas of the school and older stages sections of our community to clean.

Children will need to have garden gloves or something similar to assist with them collecting rubbish.

A note is coming home today with more information about the event.

Paul Sweeney

Principal

Please Note:

The office is still being asked to provide change for the purchase of school hats etc. PLEASE have the correct money when making a purchase or payment. The office does not have change.
SCHOOL PHOTOS
Will be taken on Wednesday, March 11.
Order envelopes for individual photos have been sent home today and family photo envelopes are available from the school office.
Please send envelopes, with payment, in on photo day or you are able to make a payment online at www.theschoolphotographer.com.au or by phoning 9674 9824. Please do not make an online payment into the school’s account for photos.

2015 International Competitions And Assessments for Schools
All children in Years 3-6 have been given an entry form for the 2015 ICAS Competitions.
Entries for all competitions must be paid for by Friday, March 27.

Foyer Display
The items on display in the foyer this week are supplied by Eagles and Wallabies.

New School Website
We have a new school website. Find us by Googleing Narooma Public School home. If you wish to make an online payment for any activity, click on Our school in top banner, then Online Payments (bottom item of lefthand menu) and follow the instructions from there.

Narooma Netball Club
Rego Afternoon
Wednesday, February 25 4 - 6pm
Netball court at the back of Bill Smyth Oval.
Netta (UB/9): $65.00
Jnr (U12)/Intermediate: $95.00
Snr: $125.00.
All welcome.
Rego forms available from Jaycar on the flat.
Call Jane for more info - 044 7644279.

Rotary Community Forum
to discuss
Preventing Mental Health Problems.
Tuesday, March 17, 6 – 8.30pm
Moruya Golf Club
Admission free.
To assist with catering or for more information, contact Keith Armstrong on 0408 236 630.

Women’s Art Class
Well known local artist, Kim Cooke, will be holding an “open studio” style art class on Thursday afternoons in the SACC room at Narooma Public School. This is a free class with materials provided.
If you are interested, please ring Tashe on 4476 4834 for more information.
If we get the numbers, we will start on Thursday, 26th February.

Rotary Film Fundraiser
Come along to the Rotary film premiere of the widely acclaimed “The Second Best Exotic Marigold Hotel”.
Thursday, February 26 at 6.30 pm.
Funding worldwide to End Polio Now.
All tickets $20.00.
Refreshments/nibbles at 6.30 pm for a 7 pm start.
Optional fun theme: Bollywood.

Art For Kidz - After School
This class is for primary school students and will be held in the SACC room at Narooma Public School on Thursdays from 3.30 pm to 5.00 pm. The 6 week program starts on Thursday, February 26th and runs until the end of Term 1.
Cost is $20 per class. Subsidies may be available for families experiencing financial hardship.
The classes will be taught by tertiary qualified primary school arts specialist Kim Cooke.
For more information ring Kim on 44 737952.

Narooma CWA Branch Cooking Competition
Friday, March 6th
All residents, male and female are welcome to enter.
Recipes and rules available on the CWA website or phone Diana Morgan on 0422 600 660.
All entries to be delivered to the CWA rooms (next to the Narooma Cinema) by 10 am on Friday, March 6th.

OYSTER FESTIVAL PARADE
Saturday, May 2
Our Breakfast Club is to be entered into the parade as part of the street performance.
Any children who would like to be involved are invited to the workshops that will be held in the SACC room every Friday (from this Friday) at lunch time.
Parents are welcome to come along to these sessions.
Participants must have a consent form (available at the workshops and from the office) and this will give one parent/carer free entry to the festival.
For more information phone Sarah Fisse on 0402 171 450 or email sarahfisse@gmail.com.

BODALLA SOCCER CLUB
ALL REGISTRATIONS ONLINE NOW at myfootballclub.com.au (FREE SOCKS IF YOU REGISTER & PAY BY this Sunday, 1st March). LIKE US on FACEBOOK to be kept in the loop as to training start dates etc.
Join us at the oval this Sunday, 1st March 4-6pm if you want to have a say in running our great club and/or you are needing new player information.
Questions please email: bodallasoccerclub@gmail.com or call 44735080.

YEARLY SCHOOL CONTRIBUTION
$55 for the first child
$85 for 2 children
$100 for 3 or more children

Child’s Name: ____________________________
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Amount enclosed $____________________

Payment can be made in full or in instalments at the office, or by using the online payment system accessed through the school’s website.
Google Narooma Public School - Home - click on ‘Our school’ - then "online payments" (bottom left).