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Newsletter

WEEK 7 TERM 4 | 2020



Upcoming Events

Term 4 WEEK 7 MON TUES	23 Nov 24 Nov	K-6 Zoom Assembly @ 9.30am School Swimming begins Infants Sports Day Silver Badge Leadership Speeches Boys School Swimming
WEDS	25 Nov	Jumpstart continues Leadership Speeches Girls School Swimming
THURS	26 Nov	Vote for Leadership Team School Swimming
FRI	27 Nov	K-6 Zoom Assembly @ 9.30am School Swimming begins
WEEK 8 MON	30 Nov	K-6 Zoom Assembly @ 9.30am School Swimming
TUES	1 Dec	Jumpstart continues School Swimming
WED	2 Dec	School Swimming
THURS	3 Dec	School Swimming



ENVIRONMENTAL GURUS @ NPS

We are trying to reduce the amount of waste at our school, so we have started two initiatives: Return and Earn and Lids4Kids. Many children do Return and Earn at home; collecting their recyclable, returnable bottles and containers and take them to the depot where they receive 10 cents per container. The SRC, along with 4S, have decided to use this fantastic initiative to raise money for our SRC projects. Students can place their disposable drink containers in the class recycling tub and the SRC representatives will put them into our large yellow bins once the tub is full. Mrs Allen will then manage the return process and funds will be monitored on a large bottle display. The SRC are also collecting the lids separately, washed and then SRC will sort them according to colour and send to Lids4Kids: an organisation that turns these lids into prosthetic limbs for kids. These two initiatives are part of a long term plan to reduce our waste and show children the importance of being environmentally responsible.

LIBRARY REFURBISHMENT

This week saw the arrival of our much awaited furniture for our Learning Hub. The new resources provide for our students a learning environment that promotes an opportunity to work collaboratively and creatively to convey ideas and expand on ideas.

Students are able to investigate, imagine and generate questions and ideas to engage as part of the problem solving process.

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STARTING STRONG

This week will see our 3rd round of Jump Start. Over the past two weeks we have enjoyed welcoming our 2021 Kindergarten students into the school setting, providing them with the opportunity to explore their new classrooms and enjoy aspects of our playground. During this time we have also given students in K-6 the opportunity to test out what next year may have in store for them. Teachers have prepared engaging tasks that challenge the students and make them feel ready for what is to come. During this time, year 6 have particularly enjoyed testing out the new collaborative facilities in The Learning Hub, while learning about the Japanese Language and how to think critically and creatively.

LOOKING THROUGH THE WINDOW

The Rural and Distance Education Team advised us that Narrabri Public School had been successful with their entry in the Primary Category 'Looking Through the Window'. We received second prize. The panel made up of representatives from the NSW P&C Federation, Isolated Children's Parents' Association, Aboriginal Education Consultative Group and a Director of Educational Leadership identified that our photos truly captured the hearts of the judging panel.

Our facebook page is proudly sharing the winning entries.

RURAL AND REMOTE

Narrabri Public School is part of a Rural and Remote research project conducted by the University of New South Wales in partnership with the Department of Education. Through discussions and surveys, Principals, teachers and students are able to build a picture of what is occurring in regional schools. This information will enable informed decisions to be made on how best to support learning to meet the needs of our students and educators in rural areas.

UPCOMING DATES Term 4

23 Nov - 07 Dec	School Swimming
24 Nov	Silver Badge
	Leadership Speeches - Boys
25 Nov	Leadership Speeches - Girls
30 Nov	School Council
8 Dec	Silver Badge
9 Dec	Gold Badge Ceremony & Luncheon
10 Dec	Year 6 Overnight Excursion
14 Dec	Presentation Award Ceremony
	School Leaders Announced

This section of the newsletter will be updated as events are scheduled.

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1ST WHITE CARDS

Heather O'Meara

BRONZE AWARDS

Timarlie Williams, James McCurley, Cooper Eames, Michael Lamb-Miners, Darren Williams, Jaidah West, Kyeneil Gibbs, Shayeleigh Ward, Kobi Rule

SILVER AWARDS

Blake Herden, Kaleb Hetherington, Jacob Teer, Taiykeah Welsh, Kristopher Went, Dominic Calsena, Lachlan Coffey, George Barton, Ceanna Toomey, Dustin Cuell, Angel Stanford, Zeia Price, Tyson Crean, Ellie Bennett, August Downs, Calliope Longstaff, Kostah Rooney, Will Stuart, Bruce Rex, Harry Redfern, Bella Lettice, Tallara Lamb, Zoey Lamb, Ben Taylor, Olivia Shoobert, Aida Renaud, Sienna Christian, Deklan Condran, Suzanne Ward, Claire Gillan, Bo Burgess, Jad Harris, Sophie Chisholm, Bella Bakhuis, Marlei Arnold, Rigby Richards, Jed Smith, Coby Richards, Harmony Goldman, Janarli Knox, Chelsea Clarke, Anneliese Berney, Elsie Barton, Oliver O'Regan, Zoe O'Connor, Cadence Anderson, Tekaya Dennis, Ryan Herden, Blake Howison

REMEMBRANCE DAY RSL WINNERS

The Narrabri RSL Sub-Branch conducted a colouring in competition and the following students received a special book in recognition of their achievement. 1st prize Kindergarten - Bridie Whan 3rd Prize Kindergarten - Casey Lamb 1st Prize 1&2 Classes - Elouise Redfern 3rd Prize 1&2 Classes - Chloe Cameron

CONGRATULATIONS!

YAAMA acknowledgement

I would like to acknowledge the traditional owners and custodians of the land I work on as the first people of this country. I would also like to pay respect to Elders past and present of the Gamilaraay Nation and extend that respect to all youth today, as they are our future generation.

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