

T2, W10, 2018

I would like to send out a huge congratulations to our school community for completing a very busy and eventful term.

A big thank you goes out the wonderful P&C for organising a fabulous Trivia Night fund raiser. The evening was a huge success and a lot of fun. The funds raised will contribute greatly to the further improvement of our resources and directly benefit to our children's learning. It takes a huge effort to organise an evening like this and it was a huge success. It was also wonderful to see how supportive our local businesses were and how happy they were to support their local schools.

Congratulations also to the students involved in this year's Create East project. Ten of our talented students worked on a combined project with 35 other schools to present a production showcasing dance, drama, music and art. After achieving a position through an audition process, our students contributed to set design through the visual arts aspect, dance, singing and drama. The event culminated a combined performance at NI-DA on Wednesday nights in front of proud families and teachers. Well done everyone for your wonderful contributions and thank you to Mrs Sellick for organising the audition process again this year.

Congratulations also to Elias, Claudia and Sophie for their exceptional performances at the Multicultural Public Speaking final. A special congratulations to Sophie who was the stage three winner and moves on to the next level to represent our school next term.

Thank you and congratulations to the students involved in the Festival of Instrumental Music playing at the Opera house this term, our debating teams and the students who competed in the netball knockout. Thank you also to the teachers and parents who made our participation possible.

We look forward to another wonderful term but until them take some time to relax, recharge and enjoy this beautiful winter sunshine. Please have a safe and happy holiday. I look forward to a busy and productive term three with you all.

Elizabeth McGlynn Principal



UPCOMING DATES OF INTEREST:

6TH JULY PRIMARY ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

6TH JULY LAST DAY OF TERM

24TH JULY STUDENTS RETURN

1ST AUGUST P&C MEETING

6TH -10TH AUGUST EDUCATION WEEK

7TH AUGUST WAKAKIRRI

14TH AUGUST INFORMATION NIGHT FOR NEW ENROLMENTS

16TH AUGUST SPEECH NIGHT

22ND AUGUST ZONE ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

29TH AUGUST P&C MEETING

K-2 Athletics Carnival



The athletics carnival was fun, I won first place in the running race. I liked the hurdles activity as well.... Anouk

I liked doing the parachute at the carnival because we got to go under it... Will

I liked doing the running race... Zoe

I had fun doing the running race. I got a red ribbon... Fin

The athletics carnival was good. I enjoyed the running races. Eddy. P

It was really fun. I liked doing the hurdles. Evelyn. T

It was awesome! Poppy. R

I relay liked it because I could get all my energy out. I liked the running races and the relay. Ethan. L

I like the athletics carnival because it had lots of games. It was fun because of the races and games. Ruby S

Education & NAIDOC Week

The full calendar for Education Week is TBC, but Thursday will be the main event

9:15-10:00am - Whole school assembly (incl. senior choir & ukulele group)

10:10-10:40 - Open classrooms

10:50-11:00 - Wakakirri performance (grassy area)

11:00 - 11:40 Picnic lunch & student radio broadcast

NAIDOC WEEK

Our school NAIDOC assembly will be held the first week of term 3 on Tuesday 24th July 2018. The assembly will start at 2.00pm and finish at 2.45pm. This year's NAIDOC theme is Because of her, we can!

NAIDOC Week 2018 celebrates the invaluable contributions that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women have made and continue to make in our communities.

As it is only the assembly held that week we will be celebrating this event in a few weeks time as the people who run the culture events were unavailable due to their busy schedule.

Newtown North Aboriginal Education Team.

P&C News

Last Friday night was Newtown North's Trivia Night. We had a terrific turn out of parents and supporters. The teams were by turns knowledgeable, competitive, and raucous! Once again we have to thank Charles Bailey (of Urbane Property) for his support of our school – he compered the evening with enthusiasm and humour. Thanks also to Duncan & Amber Cook (of Cooks Lot wines) – NNPS parents who ran our bar.

The event was a great success. At this stage it looks like we will have raised approx. \$8,000.

There were many in our school and local community who provided generous donations:

Blue Dog Posters & Prints; Camperdown Commons; Campos; Cooks Lot; Dentists on Enmore; Entire Golf; Made 590; Manic Cure; Milk & Thistle; New Theatre; Rocket Boy Pizza Newtown; The Rose Hotel; Sassy Treats; Simply Bowen Therapy; Sydney Park Hotel; 12 Round Fitness; Urbane Property; Wayward Brewing; Young Henrys

Events like Trivia Night are a vital part of the P&C's fund raising efforts. The money raised goes directly to supporting our children and our school. Thank you to all who volunteered, and all who attended.

From the office

Enrolling for 2019 or leaving at the end of the year

Please inform the office by email if your child, in any class other than year 6 will not be returning in 2019. If you have a child starting at NNPS next year please also let the office know.



EXTRA PHONE NUMBER FOR NNPS

Are you having trouble contacting us on 9517 1110? If 9517 1110 is busy you can also now reach us on 9519 7413 or 95199537













What's happening in Wellbeing? June/July 2018 T2 Wk 9 & T3-Wk 1

PBL Messages

Everyone has the right to belong at school. It is our job to make everyone feel welcome in our school. We all think differently, look different, and like different things- but we are all students of Newtown North Public School. One of the best ways to prevent prejudice, bullying, and discrimination is to focus on our similarities rather than our differences. Because if everyone was the same... well, life just wouldn't be very interesting!

Naidoc Week falls in the holidays this year, a week where we recognise the contributions, aspirations and plights of our first peoples- Indigenous Australians. We will be celebrating first week back next term with this year's theme: 'Because of her we can...' Each class is learning about an amazing Aboriginal Australian Woman in the past or present- and their contribution to Indigenous Rights.





Fortnight Focus'



We respect everyone's right to belong.

Questions you can ask at home:

- Why is it important to feel a sense of belonging?
- How do we respect everyone's right to belong?
- What can we do to make everyone feel like they belong?
- How do we prevent bullying, prejudice and discrimination?

Fortnightly Focus on School Rules

An integral part of PBL is the explicit teaching of school expectations and rules. The PBL team spends time developing a social and emotional learning scope and sequence that includes a 'Fortnightly Focus' on a particular expectation. All classes have a PBL lesson each Monday that addresses the 'Fortnight Focus'. The fortnight focus will be updated in the newsletter as well as displayed around the school. You can get involved at home by discussing the focus and how it applies at school and home.

At NNPS We are... Safe - Respectful - Supportive - Active Learners

Community Noticeboard

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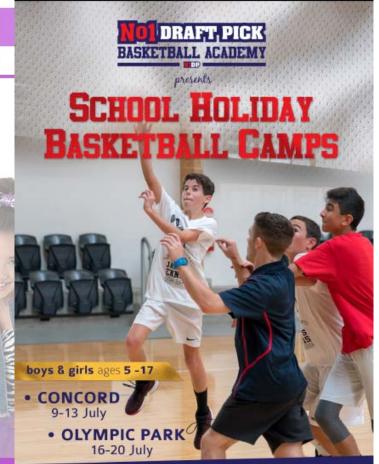
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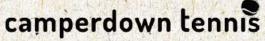
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Community Noticeboard



Nicholson Museum Children's activity day



Thursday 12 July. 10am-12pm

Nicholson Museum

Cost

To find out more, visit sydney.edu.au/museums

Recycling History: Art Workshop with Sarah Goffma

artist Sarah Goffman, Sarah is an installation artist and forensic garbologist delving into the discarded remnants of our society and refashioning the world in a consumer context. She describes herself as a "trash converter".

museums.education@sydney.edu.au She works with discarded materials: detritus, trash, waste, garbage, rubbish. In this workshop, participants will create their own works of art, made from waste and inspired by ancient cultures, which will be displayed in the Nicholson Museum

> Activities for 5-15 year olds. This a free activity but places are strictly limited.

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