

# Narrandera East Infants School

Excellence in Early Learning

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Week 4, Term 4

28th October, 2014

## Grandparents Day:

Yesterday we welcomed many of our Grandparents to our school for a special morning tea. They were entertained by our students with a medley of songs before coming into our classrooms to see how schools have changed since they were young students. It was lovely to hear some of the old stories and also for the opportunity for students to show their grandparents what school is like today.

## Year 2 Cake Stall:

Thank you to all families who supported the Year 2 cake stall fundraiser yesterday. \$697.80 was raised to assist the Year 2 excursion to the Corowa Chocolate Factory. Congratulations to Brigette Rahim who won the decorated cake raffle prize.



## Principals Conference:

The Australian Primary Principals Conference in Sydney last week was perhaps the best I have ever been to. The speakers included Geoffrey Robertson, QC, Darryl Lovegrove, entertainer and founder of the Three Waiters, Anna Bligh, the former Premier of Queensland, Sue Langley, an expert on emotional intelligence, Emma Alberic, from the ABC's Lateline, Frank Crawford and Ian Dukes who both gave their take on teaching to the "Digital Generation". However perhaps the most inspirational speaker of all was John McLean who became an incomplete paraplegic 25 years ago after being hit by a truck whilst training for his first triathlon. John's journey has been amazing and worth reading if you get the chance. On Sunday just gone John completed in the Nepean Triathlon and crossed the finish line using carbon leg braces and walking poles. He is truly a remarkable human being.

## Parent Planning Meetings:

On Wednesday this week I will be holding two parent meetings, one in school time and one after school hours (to cater for working parents). Each meeting will be an hour only and is an opportunity for you to have your say regarding the direction our school should take for the next three years. Together we need to come up with a vision statement and three strategic directions. The staff have had the opportunity to present their ideas and the P&C will be doing so on Monday, 10th November, Please try to attend either the 2.00-3.00pm or the 6.00-7.00pm session. Your thoughts and opinions are critical if we are to work together to achieve the best possible outcomes for our students. We will meet in the staffroom.

Regards,  
Karen Babbs

## What's happening at Narrandera East

### Week 4

27/10/14	Grandparent's Day Cake Stall
29/10/14	Year 2 Halloween Day 2015-2017 Planning Session for Parents
30/10/14	Fruit Day
31/10/14	Library Scripture Sport

### Week 5

04/11/14	Melbourne Cup
05/11/14	School Photos
06/11/15	Bike Day Fruit day
07/11/14	Library Scripture Sport

### Week 6

10/11/14	P&C Meeting
13/11/14	Kinder 2015 Orientation Fruit Day
14/11/14	Library Scripture Sport

## Presentation Day Raffle

The P&C are again running a raffle to be drawn on Presentation Day. Prizes include a large John Deer Tractor, a 'Scratchies Tree' and a Hamper. Parents are asked to donate a Scratchie and/or goods for the Hamper. Items can be left at the office.

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## Awards for Week 3, Term 4



### Kindergarten:

Madisyn Bengtson - making rows and groups in multiplication  
Joey Scott - making rows and groups in multiplication  
Macy Salucci-Morgan - making rows and groups in multiplication  
Chelsea Cottom - improved writing skills

### Year 1:

Abbie Hodges - clever work with money  
Sebastien Warren - clever work with money  
Sam Williamson - clever work with money  
Will Thornton - 125 nights home reading



## Happy Birthday

to

Jai Quince who turns 8 on the 30th,  
Levi Wise who turns 6 on the 31st,  
Blake Lawrence who turns 6 on the 3rd  
&  
Abbie Hodges who turns 7 on the 4th.



## Music: Count Us In

This Thursday at 12.30pm, students will be participating in Music: Count Us In, an initiative of Music Australia which celebrates the benefits of music education in Australian schools. More than 500,000 students from 2,100 schools nationwide will be singing "Paint You A Song" at the same time. You may have already heard your child singing it at home, it's very catchy! Parents are welcome to join us in the Kindergarten room at 12.25pm.



**Congratulations** Sebastien Warren on receiving a Principal's Award at last week's Assembly. Well done!

## Junior Cricket

The in2cricket and junior programs for Narrandera are commencing Friday 31st October from 5.30pm at Henry Mathieson Oval. There will be programs for boys and girls from 5 -14 years. The Milliken Shield under 13 team has their first game on Sunday 2nd November we're looking for any interested boys (under 13 at Sept 1) and girls (under 15 at Sept 1) to get in touch asap. All enquiries to Matt McLellan 0427 104887. Registration can also be completed anytime online by following the links from <http://www.narrandera.nsw.cricket.com.au/>

## You are invited to our:

**Book Fair** - Tuesday, 4th November to Friday to 14th November  
**School Foyer** - 8.30 3.30pm

**A great opportunity to buy Christmas stocking fillers**

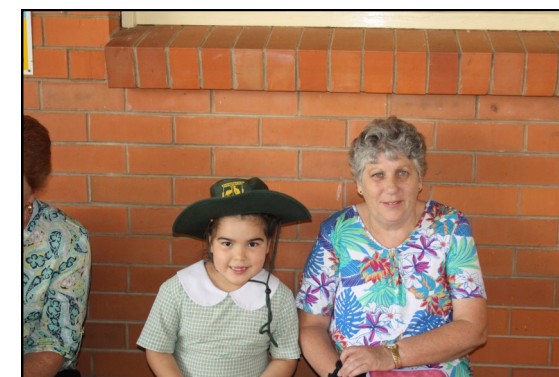


# NEIS Calendar of Events 2014

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
26 Week 4	27 <b>Grandparents Day</b>  <b>Cake Stall</b>  No Canteen	28 <b>Staff Coaching Course - Wagga</b>	29 <b>Year 2 Halloween Day</b> <b>2015-2017 Planning Session for Parents</b> 2-3pm or 6-7pm	30 <b>Fruit Day</b>  <b>Return Library Books</b>	31 <b>Library Scripture Stadium</b>  Canteen: A Gibson A Lyons	1 Nov
2 Week 5	3    No Canteen	4 <b>Melbourne Cup</b>	5 <b>School Photos</b>	6 <b>Bike Day</b>  <b>Fruit Day</b>  <b>Return Library Books</b>	7 <b>Library Scripture Stadium</b>  Canteen: J Bloomfield S Williams	8
9 Week 6	10 <b>P&amp;C Meeting 7.30 pm</b>   No Canteen	11	12	13 <b>Kinder 2015 Orientation Day</b>  <b>Fruit Day</b>  <b>Return Library Books</b>	14 <b>Library Scripture Stadium</b>  Canteen: J Yaung K Finn	15
16 Week 7	17 <b>Year 2 Swimming School</b>   No Canteen	18  <b>Life Education Van</b>	19	20 <b>Fruit Day</b>  <b>Return Library Books</b>	21 <b>Library Scripture Stadium</b>  Canteen: E Walsh S Williams	22
23 Week 8	24 <b>Year 2 Swimming School</b>   No Canteen	25 <b>Year 2 Swimming School</b>	26	27 <b>Christmas Advent</b>  <b>Fruit Day</b>  <b>Return Library Books</b>	28 <b>Library Scripture Stadium</b>  Canteen: K Finn	29
30 Week 9	1    No Canteen	2 <b>Teloca/Nursing Home visit K/ Yr 1/ Yr2</b>	3	4 <b>Book Fair</b> <b>Gold Afternoon Tea</b>  <b>Fruit Day</b>  <b>Return Library Books</b>	5 <b>Library Scripture Stadium</b>  Canteen: J.Blomfield A.Lyons	6

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# Grandparents Day







FREE

Parenting Your Child with ADHD

3 Session Program:  
Tuesday 28 October  
Tuesday 4 November  
Tuesday 11 November

10:30am to 2pm

Narrandera Library  
39-51 East St, Narrandera

Cope with the many difficulties of ADHD

Understand:

- The disorder
- The assessment process
- Medication
- Management techniques
- Working with your child's school
- Family problem solving

Bookings are essential please RSVP by emailing  
ParentingRiverina@missionaustralia.com.au  
or contact Stacey at Mission Australia on 6942 8001

FREE

MISSION AUSTRALIA together we stand

Tea, Coffee and a Light lunch will be provided  
(Please advise of any special dietary requirements at time of RSVP)  
Please note child care is not being provided

FREE PROGRAM

THIS STUDENT PA INSURANCE

As parents, we want our children to experience life but we also want to protect our family.

THIS Student Personal Accident Insurance is a simple, great value accident insurance package designed solely for school students that will help protect your family financially.

- Cover is available for students aged 4 to 19 years old
- Protection 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year anywhere in the world
- Cover for Non-Medicare Medical Expenses whilst participating in official school activities, including surgical, x-ray, physiotherapy treatments
- School Fee Relief help in the event that the child's parent/guardian has an accident that results in death

Only \$35 per child per calendar year

Visit [www.thisinsurance.com.au](http://www.thisinsurance.com.au) to obtain cover instantly with a simple on-line application process

Schedule of Benefits

Benefits payable up to a maximum of...

Permanent Quadriplegia or Paraplegia	\$300,000
Other Permanent Disablement	\$100,000
Death	\$30,000
Broken Bones/Fracture of Bones	\$2,500
Dental	\$2,000
Funeral Expenses	\$5,000
Emergency Transport	\$1,500
Non-Medicare Medical Expenses	\$8,000
School Fee Relief	\$10,000
Tuition Benefit	\$5,000
Total Cost Per Student	\$35.00

For all enquiries:

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Damian Syred's CIRCUS Royale

November 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>!!

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup>

7pm 6pm

Leeton DRILL HALL SITE CNR. MAIDEN & ACACIA AVENUE November 7<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup>!!

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> Sunday 9<sup>th</sup>

2pm 6pm 7pm

BIG 2 HOUR SHOW!!

An International Daredevil and Multimillion Dollar Circus and Animal Spectacular under the Mighty Big Top!!

Every seat a comfortable chair. Limited VIP and Ringside Chairs.

Damian Syred's All New 2014 Circus Royale!!

Aerial Daredevil John Fossett's **MOTORBIKE HIGHWIRE!!!**

Circus favourites including: Aerial acts, contortion, juggling, cows, camels, dancing horses, tail wagging dogs!!

**INTERNATIONAL PERFORMERS FROM 9 COUNTRIES!!**

HOT and COLD food on sale inside the Big Top

GRANDSTAND CHAIRS

VIP Ringside Ringside Grandstand Side View

Adult Child

\$40	\$30
\$35	\$25
\$30	\$20
\$25	\$15

\* RECEIVE \$5 OFF THE ADULT PRICE FOR AGED, DISABLED OR FULL-TIME STUDENT CARD HOLDERS. ID REQUIRED AT BOOKING OFFICE.  
\* CHILDREN AGED BETWEEN 2 & 14 MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT OR STUDENT.  
\* EFTPOS AND CREDIT CARD AVAILABLE - TRANSACTION FEE APPLIES!  
\* PROGRAM SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

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