

Narrandera East Infants School

Excellence in Early Learning

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Week 8, Term 1

17th March, 2015

Fire Safety:

This week our school has planned a major focus on fire safety using a variety of resources from our local community. Staff have planned a lock down and fire evacuation drill, according to our 2015 Emergency Procedures.

Robert Hutchison and Mick Steele from the Narrandera Fire Brigade came to our school today in the Fire Truck, wearing their protective fire uniforms. They spoke to our students about fire safety in the home and here at school. Unfortunately during the presentation their fire alarm went off and they had to leave but the students were thrilled to see them roar past the front of the school with sirens blaring and lights flashing.

On Thursday, we have Rachael Grigg from the Rural Fire Service coming to talk to us about bush fire safety and awareness. We thank the community members for delivering this valuable information to our staff and students.

Responsible Pet Awareness:

On Friday, Carmen from Responsible Pet Ownership will be visiting our school to talk to the students about the safe handling of pets and in particular, pets of others not necessarily their own.

Fun Run Preparation:

We have a bit over one week left of training for our Fun Run, planned for Friday March 27th. All students have made personal progress throughout the daily morning training and are looking forward to the big day. We hope that they have also been busy gaining sponsorship from family and friends.

Book Fair:

Wow! Our Book Fair sales totalled \$1947.00 which resulted in \$635.00 worth of commission in books to our school (see the photo below). Thank you to everyone who purchased from our Book Fair and we are all looking forward to reading our new books. Prize draw winners were; Alison Hallam, Tiffany Dunne, Mallakye Nicholson, Cody Hands, Zahli Ivanoff and Chelsea Cottom.

Have a great week everyone
Regards,
Karen Babbs - Principal



What's happening at Narrandera East

Week 8

19/03/15	Fruit Day
20/03/15	Responsible Pet Ownership Sport Library Scripture

Week 9

26/03/15	Fruit Day
27/03/15	Fun Run

Week 10

02/04/15	Easter Celebrations Fruit Day Last Day of Term 1
03/04/15	Good Friday

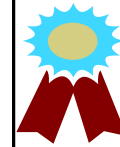
Fun Run

Change of Date

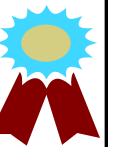
Please note we have changed the date for our Fun Run to **Friday, 27th March**. I hope that all students have been working hard to gain sponsors. If anyone needs another sponsor sheet please see Mrs Ash or the office.



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Awards for Week 7, Term 1



Kindergarten:

Harley Milthorpe - neat handwriting
Nicholas Perram - writing 14 words from memory
Koby Quince - trying hard to write his name

Year 1:

Eunu Ko - working hard in Year 1
Coby Hands - great reading in L3 groups
Leesa McBean - completing all her homework at home
Jye Winnell - a great effort in story writing
Macy Salucci-Morgan - 25 nights home reading

Year 2:

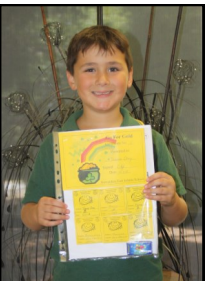
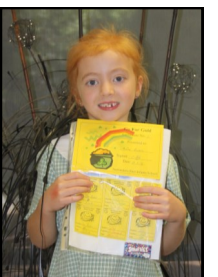
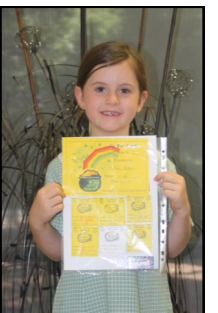
Brigitte Rahim - working hard in class
Thomas Wickes - for his great organisation skills with sports equipment
Galaxia Rodrigues-Machado - for her enthusiastic attitude to school life



John O'Brien Winners






Congratulations Zoe Ewers who won 1st Prize in the Short Story section of the John O'Brien Festival, April Walsh received 2nd prize and Sam Williamson received a Highly Commended. Well done you three!

Congratulations also to the following winners of the colouring competition; Lila Brown 5yrs, Aden Sowman 8yrs and Amy Hall 6yrs. What a fantastic effort.



Congratulations to Abbie Hodges, Zoe Ewers and Thomas Choy who all received their Go for Gold Awards at last week's Assembly.

NEIS Calendar of Events 2014

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
15 Week 8	16	17 Narrandera Fire Brigade visit	18	19 Fruit Day Bushfire Safety 	20 Responsible Pet Ownership Stadium Library Scripture Canteen: L.Brown C.Flanigan	21 Stadium Helpers: A.Brewer, C.Flanigan, G.Shute, M.Croft, L.Brown
22 Week 9	23	24	25	26 Fruit Day 	27 Fun Run Canteen: P.Scott C.Flanigan	28 Fun Run Helpers: C.Flanigan, G.Shute, M.Croft
29 Week 10	30	31	1 April	2 Last Day of Term 1 Easter Celebrations 	3 Good Friday	4
<div>School resumes for Term 2 for all students on Tuesday, 21st April</div>						
Week 1 Term 2	20 April Staff Development Day	21 First day back for Term 2 for all students	22	23 Fruit Day 	25 Stadium Library Scripture Canteen: C.Flanigan	25 ANZAC Day 

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John O'Brien Festival



What a wonderful turn out we had for the John O'Brien Festival Street Parade.

Thank you to these participating students;

Mahlie Ingram
Chelsea Cottom
Skye Hutchison
Julia Gunn
Harley Milthorpe
Luke Perram-Bevan
Cooper Perram
April Walsh
Abbie Hodges
Maddie Bengtson
Blake Lawrence
Chloe Luck
Zahli Ivanoff
Hunter Baldwin
Miley Lilford

Leesa McBean
Isaiah Hutchison
Mallakye Nicholson
Kazarna Mohr-Saladine
Marni Maver
Amy Hall
Nicholas Perram
Lila Brown
Lachlan Hodges
Sebastien Warren
Jye Winnell
Zayley Brewer
Eunu Ko
Eden Lilford
Fox Morris

Also a big thank you to Rose Davis, Tamra Beaumont, Vicki Hall, Andrew Brewer and Kylie Mohr for their assistance on the day.

Well done to Renae Croft and Gene Close who also participated in the parade but with different organisations.

Fun Run Countdown!!

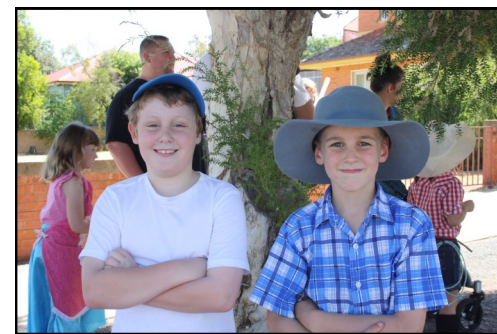
Just a reminder our Fun Run is fast approaching. With only 10 days to go, we hope everyone is busy filling in their sponsor sheets. \$10.00 ensures your child receives a special prize in Term 2. The money we raise will help go towards buying new technology (10 new iPads) for the school. If any parents have lost their sponsor sheet please see either myself or Mrs Amery.

We are looking forward to a lovely sunny day and seeing as many parents and grandparents as possible.

Yours in Sport
Colleen Ash - Sports Co-ordinator



John O'Brien Festival



NIFNC Junior Eagles Netball

NIFNC Junior Eagles will offer netball coaching/training for U9s netball players (children turning 9 in 2015), commencing Thursday 19th March.

The U9s will train from 4.20-5pm each Thursday at the outdoor courts next to the Stadium.

To lodge an expression of interest for the U9s training sessions, please email Lee Longmire on lalalee1@gmail.com with your child's name and date-of-birth, as well as your contact information.

U9s players will need to be registered for and participate in Narrandera Netball Association NetSetGo program for 2015. More information will be provided about this in due course.

For questions or queries regarding Junior Eagles Netball, please contact coordinator Lee Longmire on 0269598212 (a/h) or 0427961974 (b/h).

Junior Basketball

This week sees the start of round 4 for junior basketball.

Registration are now due or at least payments being made.

Registrations are \$50 for Junior, Intermediate and senior boys & girls.

Aussie Hoops registration is \$15.

Game fees and participation fees are \$3 per week and is to be paid at the kiosk.

WEDNESDAY 18th March

5.00pm Junior boys Maroon v Green & Black v Pink.

Blue team have the bye. They are Corey Hickson, Austyn Rankin, Myles Rankin, Adam McGilvray,

BJ Atkinson Johnson, Jordan Tunks & Felix Warren-Porteous.

5.50pm Intermediate Boys Maroon v Green & Black v Pink.

Blue team have the bye. They are Xavier Davis, Andrew Tunks, Cameron McLean, Ried Hitchens,

Jeremy Johnson, Dylan Johnson and Maisyn Paterson.

THURSDAY 19th MARCH

4.00pm Aussie Hoops

5.00pm Junior girls

5.50pm Intermediate girls

6.45pm Senior Girls

FRIDAY 20th MARCH

5.00pm Senior boys

Narrandera Swimming Club

PRESENTATION EVENING

Tuesday, March 17

Narrandera Golf Club

5.30pm Start

6pm Dinner

7pm Presentation Begins

Dinner: Chicken Schnitzel,
Chips, Salad (\$12.50 adult/
\$6.50 child)



Please join us as we celebrate
season 2014/2015.

Useful Websites - For Parents & Students

<http://yahooligans.yahoo.com/>

<http://www.kidsclick.org/>

<http://www.askforkids.com/>

<http://www.primaryschool.com.au/>

<http://www.det.nsw.edu.au/>

<http://www.curriculumsupport.education.nsw.gov.au/countmein/>

<http://www.wikipedia.org/>

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/children/>

<http://www.abc.net.au/children/>

<http://sites.kids.net.au/>

<http://sparklebox.co.uk/>

<http://www.freekidcrafts.info/>

