



# Nyngan Public School

*Nyngan Public School provides – quality education for all children  
through dedicated teaching in a secure, caring country environment.*

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Dear Parents,

Congratulations to our School Captains, Students Leaders, Members of the SRC, Sports Monitors and Library Monitors who received their badges at our School Leaders Induction Assembly today. Thank you to the family and friends of our students who attended to share this celebration with us. Photos will be available for viewing on the website on Wednesday.

The Nyngan Public School community had a wonderful day of swimming last Wednesday. Congratulations to those who swam on the day. We were very proud of all students for joining in and supporting their house. Congratulations to Macquarie who was victorious on the day.

25 students from Nyngan Public qualified to progress to NYNGBAR this Friday. Parents are advised that students who qualify for Dubbo as a result of their swim in Cobar must attend.

The Hearing team from Dubbo will be basing their Primary School visit at Nyngan Public School. Thankyou to the families who expressed an interest in having their child/rens hearing tested.

The first AECG meeting for the year will be held today at Nyngan High School. I look forward to seeing many parents / carers at 3.30pm

Kylee Pearce, Principal

**Nyngan Public School App** - Our school has a mobile phone app. This is an application that sits on your phone and gives you instant access to our school information when you click on it 24/7. The app gives parents and community members the ability to instantly access school newsletters, send in sick notes when your child(ren) is/are away, and be notified of upcoming events!

To download the app go to either the Apple App Store or Andriod Google Play Market and search for **Nyngan Public School**. Once you have found it press install or download.

The app will commence to function again as of next Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> of February.

If you would like your child to receive a paper copy of the newsletter please fill in the form below and return it to school. If you do not return this slip your child will not receive a paper copy.

**Mid Term Break** – As a result of process Nyngan PS has been allocated Mid Term Break (MTB) again for 2016 with an invitation to reapply in 2017. Staff would like to thank P&C President, Mr Richard Milligan for his support in this process. Mid Term Break dates for 2016 are as follows:

TERM ONE: 26-29th February

TERM TWO: 27-30th May

TERM THREE: 19-22th August

TERM FOUR: 11-14th November

**P & C Annual General Meeting** will be held on, Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> February at 5.45 p.m.

**Blue Information Cards** were sent home today with every student. Please fill in the card and return it to the Administration Office as soon as possible. This information is important to keep our records up to date and in the case we need to contact a parent or carer.

**Clean Up Australia Day** - Nyngan Public School are continuing their commitment to keeping their community tidy, by taking part in the National Clean Up Australia Day again this year. Our school will be running the event on Monday 7th March, in Week 7. If any friends or family of our students are interested in taking part, we will be meeting in the Undercover Area after lunch at 1:55pm. Any assistance on the day would be greatly appreciated.

As part of Clean Up Australia Day and our partnership with the community we are looking for people interested in joining Miss Pearce, Mrs Scullion and Mrs Andrews to take part in the town's event on Sunday 6th March, to represent Nyngan Public School. Mrs Scullion will be handing out notes to interested students but it will be the responsibility of their caregivers to organise their participation in the event.

**Nyngbar Swimming Carnival in Cobar** - Notes were sent home on Friday to student who will be participating in the Nyngbar Swimming Carnival in Cobar. Please fill in the form below and indicate the travel arrangements for your child. It is the responsibility of parents to supply or organise transport for their child/ren.

**Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL)** - Staff from Nyngan PS meet every second Monday to discuss our PBL journey and make decisions as to where we are going to go from here. Last Monday it was decided that our BANGO vouchers would increase in value from \$2 to \$5 and shops within the community would be invited to take part. Children simply need to take their voucher to the shop of their choice (from those elected – Khans IGA, Nyngan Foodworks, Swimming Pool, Aranda's Shop, The Newsagency and The NPS Canteen) and spend the entire amount – no change can be given.

We welcome parent input. Please phone Nyngan PS for more details if you are interested in joining the PBL team. Our next meeting will be February 22<sup>nd</sup>.

Last weeks winners were – Matilda McDougall, Chelsea Fitzalan, Nicholas Motley, Jacob Martin, Clancy Armstrong and Billi Smith.

**Assembly** – Our next assembly will be held at 12.15pm on Monday the 7<sup>th</sup> of March. Age Champions from The Nyngan PS swimming carnival will be presented with their shirts, Macquarie will be presented with the shield and the House Captains and Vice Captains will receive their badges. To top off this sporting extravaganza, Year 5/6 will present an item.

### **Important Dates**

Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> February	Nyngbar Swimming Carnival
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> February	P & C Annual General Meeting at 5.45 p.m.
<b>Friday 26<sup>th</sup> &amp; Monday 29<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	<b>Mid-term Break</b>
Sunday 6 <sup>th</sup> March	Town Clean Up Australia
Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 5/6 Assembly – 12.15 p.m.
	Clean Up Australia at School 1.55 p.m.
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> March	School photos

**Nyngan Netball Registration** days for the Dubbo competition will be held at the Nyngan RSL between 4.30pm- 6.00pm on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> February

Registration fees are as follows; 8,9,10 years- \$135    11 & 12 years - \$160    13, 14, 15, 16 years - \$165    Open - \$170

**Nyngan Junior Rugby League** registrations are now open for 2016. All players are asked to register ASAP by going to the following link <http://www.playnrl.com/register/>

The NRL's new and improved online registration process is quick and easy and you can register 24hours a day, 7 days a week using your phones, tablets or laptops! There is a really good short video that you should watch before registering, its a fairly simple process to follow...much improved from previous years. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PF7zAkt0sS4>

Registration fees for 2016, will remain the same as last year, \$100 a player or \$170 a family...great value for money!!!

The registration fee includes: - 2016 players polo shirt (please email players shirt size through once registration is completed) - 2016 players shorts - 2016 players socks - Full medical insurance cover - 2016 NRL player rewards pass to NRL games

NJRLC caters for all kids from 5 years to 16 years (girls can play up until Under 12's).

We have nominated all age groups for 2016 (depending on rego numbers). The Under 14's and 15's will run the same as it did last year with the 13/14's, combining with Narromine. This year we are planning to split the home games with Narromine in these age groups (ie. 4 in Nyngan, 4 in Narromine). We will also be running an Under 6's team this year, as opposed to having all our Under 5,6,7's together as in previous years.

**Western Studio of Performing Arts** is still taking enrolments for Dance Ballet, Tap, Jazz, Contemporary, Hip Hop - boys and girls - Ballet Technique Open Stretch class - Young adult Jazz/Funk/Hip Hop - Jellybeans and Jellybabies. Come and join the fun - enquiries to Angie White 0417291067

## **Nyngan Public School Newsletter**

I would like my child \_\_\_\_\_ in Year \_\_\_\_\_ to bring home a paper copy of the newsletters.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Nyngbar Swimming Carnival Cobar**

My child \_\_\_\_\_ will be participating in the Nyngbar Swimming Carnival to be held in Cobar.

I will be providing transport for my child and am able to transport \_\_\_\_\_ extra students

I will arrange transport for my child and my child will be travelling with \_\_\_\_\_.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_



Schools Captains – Cate Smith and Zane Bailey



Student Leaders – Connor Ryan, Amber Dutton, Amy Motley, Bradley Stanford (absent)



Bradley Fitzalan, Arizona Griffiths, Chelsea Fitzalan, Clancy Armstrong, Claire Piper