



Nyngan Public School

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through dedicated teaching in a secure, caring country environment.*

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I would like to thank the many families for positive feedback re the newsletter change of day to Friday. The newsletter will continue to be available on the app and the website.

Thank you to the friends and family of the following students for supporting them in their participation in Regional Cross Country in Guerie this week: Dakariah O'Connor, Mia Cummings, Max Smith, Bradley Fitzalan, Claire Piper, Thomas Hall, Amy Motley, Morgan Rigbye, Taliah Sherring and Zane Bailey. Congratulations to each and every one of you for giving your best effort. We are proud of you!

I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate Mr Bonsing who has been successful through application for an Assistant Principal position at Lightning Ridge Central School. Mr Bonsing will commence this position at the start of Term 3. We wish him all the best.

I would like to thank the staff of Nyngan Public School who have given much time to the production of our Semester One Reports. Reports will be going out to families on the 27th of June, 2016. Parents will be invited to a Parent – Teacher interview following this. Invitations will be distributed early next week.

Congratulations to the following students who visited the Principal's Office this week:

Gracie Griffiths, Ava Cummings and Kade Neyland have taken part in home reading on a regular basis. Many thanks to their families for supporting this program. Gracie, Ava and Kade were able to read *Sam Goes to School* fluently and with expression. I enjoyed listening to you story!

Matthew Milligan, Georgia Mc Dougall and Bella Smith astounded me with their knowledge of reciprocal teaching. All 3 students were able to use this strategy to assist in their comprehension of what they were reading. Using the strategies of questioning, predicting, summarising and clarifying they were able to assist each other to ensure accurate comprehension. Great work Year 1!

Ryaan Noor, Chelsea Fitzalan, Steven Whaley and Brady Hilder visited to share their use of prompt cards when taking part in reciprocal teaching. How magical is the learning in your classrooms!

Congratulations to all staff who have contributed to the confidence that these students displayed when sharing their learning. I can't wait for more visitors next week.



Gracie Griffiths, Ava Cummings, Kade Neyland, Matthew Milligan, Georgia Mc Dougall, Bella Smith, Rayaan Noor, Chelsey Fitzalan, Steven Whaley, Brady Hilder visiting Miss Pearce

I would like to invite all interested families to share in the next P&C Meeting in the NPS Library at 5.45pm this Tuesday.

Nyngan PS will be holding the Term 2 AEC Meeting for all interested families at 10.30am Thursday the 23rd of June. This meeting will be held in the Community Room at Nyngan PS.

I would like to ask all families to continue to support the respect student's show in our school uniform. Over recent days I have noted coloured jumpers on the playground. The school uniform includes a NAVY jumper / coat. I look forward to seeing more navy and less colour.



Zane Bailey, Ashton Bodanski, Darcy Yeomans, Bradley Stanford, Joc Doyle, Issac Drady, Cruz Cook, Sonny Calton, Latrell Weldon, Kye Elliott with Marea at the Byrock Rock Holes on their return trip from the Bourke Outback Challenge



Nyngan PS Cross Country participants. – Julian McDougall, Bradley Fitzalan, Max Smith, Dakariah O'Connor, Mia Cummings, Claire Piper, Morgan Rigbye, Zane bailey, Amy Motley, Taliah Sherring and Thomas Hall

Yellow and Blue Module Excursion

On Tuesday the 21st of June students in Kindergarten, Year One and year Two will be going on an excursion to the Nyngan Railway Museum. We are going on this excursion as it connects to our History unit; Past and Present Family Life. Students will need to bring a packed lunch and hat as we are having lunch at O'Reilly Park afterwards.

This week's Draw winners:

- ✓ Attendance winner was Watthew Wales



Bango winners:

- ✚ Connor Ryan
- ✚ Darcy Yeomans
- ✚ Harrison Wood
- ✚ Shane Smith
- ✚ Jamaal Simpson
- ✚ Zemah Forrest
- ✚ Matilda McDougall

Congratulations to all this week's winners

Kylee Pearce, Principal

Parent Workshop
Tuesday 21st June 10.00am – 12.00 noon

All parents and carers are invited to a workshop about helping your children with reading and numeracy. This is the follow-up session from the previous workshop held on 17th May.

In reading, we will talk about the importance of the home reading programme and how to develop your children's skills.



In numeracy, you will learn about some games and activities that you can play with your children. The activities will be fun and will help children to practice what they have learnt at school.



Morning tea will be provided.

You will have an opportunity to watch your children at work in their numeracy groups after morning tea.

Athletics Carnival will be held on **Tuesday 28th June** at Larkin Oval, commencing at 9.00 a.m. Staff will meet students at the oval. Students are asked to wear their House colours. The canteen will operate at the oval. If you choose to take your child from the event before the end of the day, please see their class teacher so your child can be marked from the roll.

House colours for the athletics carnival.

Bogan	Yellow and green
Orana	Black and gold
Macquarie	Purple and white



A reminder that our Athletics Carnival is a smoke-free zone. Parents and visitors will be asked to leave if they choose to ignore the Department Education policy and State Government legislation.

High Jump competitions will be held on Thursday 23rd June at the following times. Parents and interested people are invited to come and encourage their children.

- 9.00 – 10.00 – Junior Girls (8, 9 and 10 years)
- 10.00 – 11.00 – Junior Boys (8, 9 and 10 years)
- 11.40 – 12.40 – 11 years Boys and Girls
- 12.40 – finished – Senior Boys and Girls
- 2.00 – 3.00 – Infants Boys and Girls – Infants will complete on Friday afternoon if time required.

Excursion receipts were sent home yesterday for the 3/4 and 5/6 excursions.

NYNGAN PUBLIC SCHOOL P & C FETE

We are currently looking for people to help form a Fete Committee, we require a minimum of 6 parents to be on the Fete committee and will be needing many more helpers as well. This is a fantastic event for our school and the community and we hope that many people will join in and participate or help in one way or another.



We are currently planning to have our first meeting so please return the note sent home today. This will allow us to hold a meeting that will hopefully be suitable for the majority of people.

We are encouraging all parents, grandparents, carers, aunties, and uncles etc to get on board. If you have any suggestions or ideas and are unable to attend the meeting or would like to share them please feel free to email them through to nynganpublicfete@outlook.com

Excursion Instalments - Please look at the calendar on the App for instalment days for the primary excursions.

Important Dates

Monday 20 th June	Red Module Assembly 12.30 p.m.
Tuesday 21st June	Parent Workshop at 10.00 a.m.
Friday 24 th June	Middle School
Tuesday 28th June	Athletics Carnival
Thursday 30 th June	Third instalment of \$50.00 for Year 5/6 excursion due
Friday 1 st July	Last day of Term 2
Tuesday 19 th July	Term 3 first day for students

Positive Behaviour for Learning

As part of the school continued implementation of PBL, our students, across all classes, have been involved in lessons about the expected behaviours within different contexts of our school.

This week our focus has been – COLA – Lining Up. In Monday's lesson, students discussed what is expected of them when they hear the bell start ringing at the end of our breaks. Students worked together to understand why we walk under the COLA and how we get into our class lines, following our three key values – safety, respect and cooperation.

We encourage you to have a conversation with your children at home about the week's focus. Question the right behaviour and ask them about this week's lesson to promote a home to school connection of information.

Year One were our stars in this week's lesson. They starred in role-play videos and photos to be analysed by the rest of the school. Some photos used in this week's lesson are below. They have done an amazing job!

