



# Nyngan Public School

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

Safety, Respectful, Cooperative Learners

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17th March 2017

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to members of our school community who have joined in the events of the week – the AECG meeting, the P&C meeting and the Disco last night.

Congratulations to the P&C Executive elected at the AGM on Tuesday night:

President: Mrs Jacqui Motley

Vice President: Ms Kym Benson

Secretary: Ms Kristy Neill

Treasurer: Mrs Teresa Rose

Many thanks to members of the AECG who ran canteen day last Wednesday. The P&C will be running canteen day next week.

Many thanks to Mrs Scullion and the SRC for organising a fun night of dance, glow sticks and face painting!!

I look forward to seeing many parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles, cousins.... celebrating Harmony Day with us on Tuesday. Throughout the day students will take part in lessons that will encourage a greater knowledge of countries throughout the world. Travel passes have gone home and passports will be issued upon 'departure'. A free sausage sizzle will be shared at lunchtime. Parents and community are invited to join in activities and lunch.

Kylee Pearce – Principal

**Gold Information Cards** have been sent home with every student. Please complete the card and return to the Administration Office as soon as possible. This information is important to keep our records up to date.

**School Photos** are on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2017. Envelopes have been sent home with students and are to be returned to the office by Monday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2017. Payment can be made by cash in the envelope or online. Online instructions can be found in the envelope. Sibling Order envelopes can be collected at the front office if you would like a photo of your children together.

**Year 7 – 2018** – Expression of Interest forms were sent home with Year 6 students. These forms need to be returned to the administration office by 17<sup>th</sup> March 2017.

### Kids matter

NPS is participating in **KidsMatter Primary**, there are many things you can do to help make it a success:

- Read the **KidsMatter** information sheets to further your understanding about children's mental health or talk to NPS staff.
- Develop relationships with staff, so you can share knowledge and information about how they can support your child.
- Get involved in the Action Team. Our next Wellbeing meeting will be held in the School library on Wednesday the **22<sup>nd</sup> of March at 3:20pm**.
- Ask staff how **KidsMatter** is being implemented.
- Participate in school activities to build a sense of community.
- Respond to any school requests for ideas or information.
- Talk to other parents and carers about ways the school can support your needs.
- Let the school know what skills or talents you are happy to share.

### Home readers for Year 3-6

Today we have sent home readers with our students in Year 3-6. We are seeking your assistance in completing home reading. The students in K-2 who regularly complete home reading have shown great success at school.

Inside the books are a number of hints for reading at home. Please use this guide but know that you are always welcome to share any questions with the staff at school.

Recording books in the Home Reader Book will replace the Premier's Reading Challenge sheet. Students are encouraged to transfer the recorded books to the first two pages of the Home Reading Book ( do not be concerned about dates)

Could everyone please **start recording from the top of page 11**. This will allow our primary students to be working in alignment with K-2.

Children should read for approximately 10 – 15 minutes 5 nights per week.

If you have any questions please contact the school 02 68 321 605

Louise Shone

## Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL)

### This week's draw winners are:

*Attendance winner:* Eden Quinton

#### *Bango winners:*

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|------------|----------------|
| * Kinder   | - Bonni Couley |
| * Year 1   | - Taya Cook    |
| * Year 2   | - Bella Smith  |
| * Year 3/4 | - Roxy Robb    |
| * Year 4/5 | - Claire Piper |
| * Year 6   | - Cruz Cook    |



Disco – Students enjoying the school disco held last night



### Important Dates

21<sup>st</sup> March  
22<sup>nd</sup> March  
24<sup>th</sup> March  
31<sup>st</sup> March

Harmony Day  
School Photos  
Mufti Day – Chocolate donation  
P & C Nyngan PS Fete

### Nyngan Public School Newsletter

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

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

## **SLIME METER**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ would like to  
donate \$\_\_\_\_\_ to have a chance to slime the teachers.



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Nyngan Public School P & C will be holding a Hot Dog Meal Deal for lunch for just \$5 on **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2017**.

This \$5 Hot Dog Meal Deal will include:

- 1 Hot Dog
- 1 Popper
- 1 Zooper Dooper

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**Please complete and return this section with \$5 to the Office by Wednesday 22nd March 2017.**

**Child's name:**..... **Class:**.....

will have 1 Hot Dog Meal Deal.

Please find \$5 enclosed.

Parent signature: .....

I give permission for my child's photo to be published on Facebook. This is for Facebook only and does not include the NPS Website, newsletter or APP.

Child/rens name: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Carer signature: \_\_\_\_\_



# Nynganites Reunion

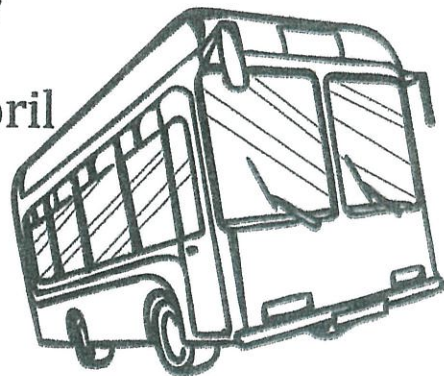
## Explore the Great Outback

**ANZAC weekend 2017**

**22<sup>nd</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> April**

**Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup>** – Museum Open Day from 9:00 am

- Afternoon tea available
- Evening at RSL 6:00 pm
- Award winning Sloan's Bottle Display and History – Ray Harris
- Willy Wagtail Band



**Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup>**

– A trip not to be missed



- Bus to Bourke
- Tour 2WEB radio station
- 2-hour paddleboat ride on the Darling River
- Byrock Historical Hotel



**Monday 24<sup>th</sup>**

– Catch up with old friends or new acquaintances



- Make your own arrangements to meet at Nyngan RSL 10:00am – 5:00 pm
- Or one of the coffee shops

**Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> – ANZAC day**

- Dawn Service – 6:00 am Cenotaph
- March from RSL 10:30 am to Cenotaph service
- ANZAC Races commence at 1:00 pm



## Don't miss this weekend – Book early

0268 321 436 – Glad

0268 321 253 or 0438 321 253 – Julie



## **We Encourage Healthy Eating**

We make healthy choices available whenever food & drinks are provided or sold.

We provide time for children to snack on vegetables and/or fruit everyday & drink water.

Healthy foods & drinks are provided through our school canteen.

## **We Encourage Physical Activity**

We encourage students to be active at recess & lunch.

We teach Fundamental Movement Skills (FMS), e.g. overarm throw, catch, sprint, vertical jump and more!

FMS are used in sport, being active every day & playing any game imaginable!

# **We are a Health Promoting School**

## **Get active as a family - turn off the screen!**

Get active as a family - take a walk or bike ride together.

Buy outdoor toys or sports equipment for gifts.

Play a game of backyard cricket.

Head to the park & play!

Involve children in grocery shopping & food preparation.

Eat dinner as a family.

## **A healthy lunchbox helps children get the most out of their school day**

Pack a wholegrain/wholemeal sandwich, roll or wrap & some salad/veggies & a piece of fruit.

Add a healthy snack such as yoghurt, wholegrain crackers & cheese, pikelets, fruit bread, vegetables sticks with salsa, or chopped up seasonal fruit.

Don't forget your water bottle & ice brick to keep things cool!



For more information head to  
[www.healthykids.nsw.gov.au](http://www.healthykids.nsw.gov.au)

