



# 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

4<sup>th</sup> August 2017

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to all family and community who joined us in celebrating the beginning of Education Week on Monday. We have had much positive feedback from parents regarding the opportunities given to the students at Nyngan Public School. Congratulations to staff and students for the work shared during open classrooms and the work displayed in the shops in Pangee Street.

The excitement levels at Nyngan Public School were rather high on Tuesday morning as K-2 boarded the bus to attend “We’re Going on a Bear Hunt” From all reports... a good time was had by all.

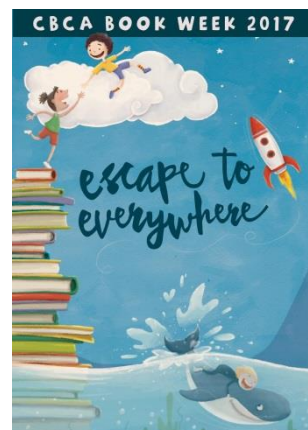
I would like to encourage families to keep up with payments for the 3/4 excursion to Lightning Ridge (15<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> of November) and the 5/6 excursion to Sydney (18<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> September). Prompt payments will assist greatly as Nyngan Public School progresses to the LMBR Finance system. Mandy and I are continuing to train for this new system in preparation for commencing LMBR on the 4<sup>th</sup> of September, 2017.

I would like to invite interested family and community to the AECG Meeting : Monday 7<sup>th</sup> August at St Josephs, commencing at 3.30pm and the P&C Meeting on Tuesday the 8<sup>th</sup> August in the Nyngan Public School Library, commencing at 5.45pm.

Kylee Pearce

## **Book Week**

Nyngan Public School's annual Book Week will be held this term in WEEK SEVEN (28<sup>th</sup> August – 1<sup>st</sup> September). During this week a lot of activities will be taking place with this year's theme being "Escape to Everywhere". Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> August will be our dress up day! Please keep this date in mind and start thinking of a costume that could be organised to wear on the day. Remember that the costume should be based on a character out of a book. We can't wait to see all the amazing costumes!



## **SRC News**

What has the Student Representative Council done this year?

- We ran a "when I grow up" disco in term one.
- We held an out of uniform day for a chocolate donation that was donated to be prizes at the P&C Fete.
- We organised a stall at the P&C Fete colour spraying hair and putting on temporary tattoos. All money was donated to the P&C.
- We ran a Mother's Day breakfast that saw plenty of people sharing breakfast with the women in their lives. All money raised was donated to the Hear our Heart bus.
- We ran a Mother's day stall so that all mothers woke up with a surprise!
- We raised over \$300 for Red Nose Day by dressing up and selling cupcakes.
- We raised over \$100 for the Pyjama foundation with our pyjama day this term!

Just look at how much we have raised and donated this year! Best part of all – we have another six months of work to do!!

## **Uniform Reminder**

Out of uniform hats/caps are only allowed for the students in the class who received Line Legend status in the last week. Unless your child's class is listed in this week's newsletter as Line Legends they are expected to be in FULL school uniform, including their cap. Out of uniform caps are a reward for the class that deserves it.

Nyngan Tiger jumpers are NOT uniform. Please ensure your student is wearing a uniform jumper. They will be warned and if they return to school the next day out of uniform a call will be made home asking for you to bring their jumper to school.

## **Spelling Bee**

On Wednesday the 2nd of August, Nyngan Public School held their finals for the Premiers Spelling Bee.

It was a tough competition, with all 13 finalists having to spell in front of the whole school. All did a fantastic job!

Our Stage 2 winners were Renae Bailey and Mia Cummings and our Stage 3 winners were Ashleigh Hall and Angela Tang.

These 4 students will now move onto the Regional Finals, which will be held at Dubbo West Public School on Wednesday the 6th of September.

Great work and good luck girls!

Mrs Giffin and Mr Knight



## **Nyngan High School Learning Hub**

**Year 6** students are attending the official opening of the Nyngan High School Learning Hub on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> of August at 10:00am. It is a great opportunity for students to see the modernised facility and take a tour of the facilities available. This will be followed by a morning tea.

## **Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL)**

### **This week's draw winners are:**

*Line Legends:* Year 4/5

*Attendance winner:* Charlotte Bartley

*Bango winners:*

- \* Kinder - Shriya Chand
- \* Year 1 - Josh Robb
- \* Year 2 - Charli Selfe
- \* Year 3/4 - Eden Quinton
- \* Year 4/5 - Samuel Milligan
- \* Year 6 - Whitney Pack



## **K – 2 Excursion**

Kindergarten, Year 1 and Year 2 had a wonderful time on their first excursion for the year. They were able to enjoy having a quick stop over at Trangie Public School for some morning tea. It was onwards to Dubbo where we visited the Dubbo Regional Theatre and experience the wonderful, engaging and interactive stage show of 'We're Going on a Bear Hunt'. The students then had a picnic lunch and played in the Zoo Playground where their imaginations went wild. We were even lucky enough to have some friendly peacocks and bush turkeys make an appearance that topped off our day before our long journey home. Thank you to our NPS staff who joined us on the excursion, we couldn't have done it without you.







### **Homework Centre**

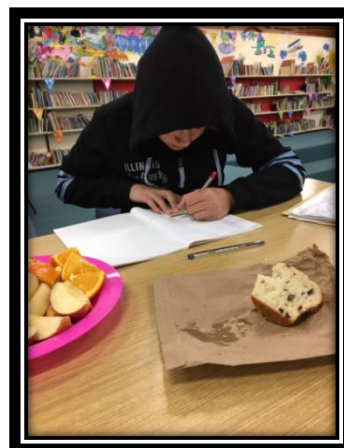
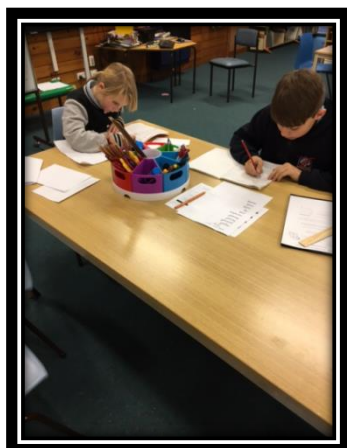
\*Is there an area that you think your child could improve in?

\*Are you sick of nagging your children to do their homework??

Use the homework centre.

Our homework centre runs out of the library every Thursday afternoon from school to 4:30.

Ring the office on 68321605 to get your child involved.



### **Important Dates**

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| 7 <sup>th</sup> August                       | Musica Viva Performance                        |
| 9 <sup>th</sup> August                       | Netball and Football Gala Day at Walgett       |
| 10 <sup>th</sup> August                      | Netball Jenny Wright Memorial Shield at Warren |
| 14 <sup>th</sup> Aug. – 18 <sup>th</sup> Aug | NAIDOC Week                                    |
| 18 <sup>th</sup> & 21 <sup>st</sup> August   | Mid Term Break                                 |

### **FACEBOOK**

If you do **NOT** wish for your child's photo to be put on our P&C Facebook page please fill in the note below by the end of this term.

I do **not** wish for my child's photo to be put on the P&C Facebook page.

Child/rens Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

### **Kindergarten 2018**

Kindergarten enrolments for 2018 are now being taken. Please call into the office to collect your enrolment pack. NPS will be holding an Open Day on the 31<sup>st</sup> July 2017 from 10am to 12noon.

### **WANTED**

If anyone has any newspapers that they have finished with, year 6 would like them for their Science project. Please drop them into the front office.

