

Safe,  
Respectful,  
Cooperative  
Learners



TERM 2

WEEK 1

3 MAY 2024

# NYNGAN PUBLIC SCHOOL



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## IMPORTANT DATES TERM 1

Dear Parents,

Welcome to Term 2. To say we have had a flying start is no exaggeration. I would like to thank staff and students who marched on ANZAC Day and would like to congratulate Max and Indie on delivering the annual school speech so confidently and respectfully on this day of remembrance, while honoring the courage and sacrifice of those who served.

Our PSSA netballers travelled to Cobar on Wednesday. The students demonstrated great sportsmanship on the day, coming away victorious. We are now awaiting news of our next game. Marea was very proud of the team. They have been back out training in preparation for the next game.

Staff and students have finalised show entries with students entering show art, writing and Nyngan PS display (found in the Wye Pavilion) and Waste to Art (found in the Walker Pavilion)

The SRC will be hosting the annual Mother Day Stall on Wednesday.

I look forward to attending the Brolga Dance Workshop at Nyngan PS on Thursday. This event is run by Department of education Arts Unit. We have students visiting from other schools across our network.

Nyngan PS Public Speaking and Cross Country will be held next Friday. We welcome families to come and support their children. This will give you the opportunity to see the playground work that was completed over the holidays.

I look forward to seeing many of you at the show. Come along and support the P&C kiosk. Buy a delicious lunch, bring some tasty treats to share or add your name to the roster and help make the kiosk a success.

Nyngan Public School will be closed on Monday for the Show Day Public Holiday. We look forward to returning to learning on Tuesday.

Kylee Pearce  
PRINCIPAL

| TERM 2                             |  |
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| <b>Week 2</b><br>Monday 6 May      | Nyngan Show Holiday<br>Full day          |
| Wednesday 8 May                    | Mothers Day Stall                        |
| Thursday 9 May                     | Primary Aboriginal<br>Dance Workshops    |
| Friday 10 May                      | NPS Cross Country<br>NPS Public Speaking |
| <b>Week 3</b><br>Thursday 16 May   | PSSA Rugby League<br>Dubbo               |
| <b>Week 5</b><br>Thursday 30 May   | Nyngbar Cross Country<br>at Hermidale    |
| Friday 31 May -<br>Monday 3 June   | Mid Term Break                           |
| <b>Week 7</b><br>Wednesday 12 June | Western Cross Country<br>@ Orange        |
| <b>Week 8</b><br>Thursday 20 June  | Schools Cup @ Cobar<br>Yrs 3-6           |
| <b>Week 10</b><br>Friday 5 July    | Ridley/Trudgett<br>Netball - Yrs 3-6     |

### NYNGAN SHOW DAY HOLIDAY



**MONDAY  
6TH MAY**



*Mother's Day*  
**STALL**

WEDNESDAY 8TH MAY

Information being sent  
home next week!



**2024 Public Speaking**  
**Years 3 - 6**  
**FRIDAY 10 MAY**

**TOPICS**

**Years 3 and 4:**

1. Why is it important to brush my teeth
2. The power of music
3. Ghost Stories

Time limit is 2 minutes

**Years 5 and 6:**

1. Who makes me laugh
2. What it means to be a good friend
3. Life through my pets eyes

Time limit is 2 minutes

Students to choose a topic & start writing it during the holidays.  
 A little time will be given during Weeks 1 & 2 to complete it.



Hiya! I'm Veronica (aka Miss Butcher) and I moved to Trangie from Newcastle at the beginning of the year. I'm the new school counsellor working at Nyngan Public School on Thursdays and every second Friday.

I began in education 12 years ago as a primary teacher on the Central Coast, Maitland, and Newcastle, as well as a short while in the UK. A few years ago I made the long but exciting journey into psychology while I worked part-time as a music teacher. Last year I was lucky to receive a department of education scholarship to complete my study.

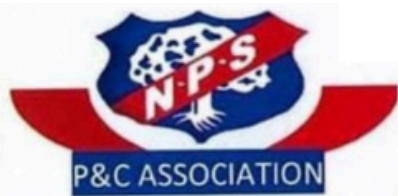
When I'm not at school I'll likely be outside walking, cycling, running, attempting to grow things in my new garden, road-tripping, reading, or just chatting with friends. I am a twin who owns far too many earrings and will give just about anything a go.

The school counseling service is confidential. Students generally need a referral from their parent/carer as well as their teacher. The service can:

- support students who are worrying about school, friends, getting into trouble at school or feeling down
- help parents and carers make decisions about their child's education
- assess a student's learning and behaviour
- help teachers and students identify and address disabilities that may affect learning
- liaise with other agencies regarding student wellbeing
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I have enjoyed getting to know the staff and students at Nyngan Public School in Term 1 and look forward to continuing the journey with you all. If you see me out and about, do wave or say hi!





# NYNGAN SHOW CANTEEN & BBQ

Dear Families of Nyngan Public School,

It is show time and the Nyngan Public School P&C are running the canteen and BBQ again this year. This is one of our major fundraisers for the year and we cannot do it without the help of volunteers to make it happen. Below is a roster with families that we were able to remember but are aware that there is families missing. We are hoping that parents, grandparents, aunties or uncles are able to help out in the allocated time slots. If your family cannot fill your allocated time slot, need to change your time or would like to put your name down to help please call 0400 131 428. All proceeds go towards making our children's experience at school a happy and comfortable one.

| Sunday, 5th May 2024 |                   |                 |                |          |                |                |
|----------------------|-------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------|----------------|----------------|
| Time                 | Canteen           | Canteen         | Canteen        | Time     | BBQ            | BBQ            |
| 8am-10am             | Bartlett Family   | Dutschke Family | Chantelle King | 7am-9am  | Jeremy Whaley  | Karl Bright    |
| 10am-12pm            | Bell Family       |                 |                | 11am-1pm | Mark Ticehurst | Graham Jackson |
| 12pm-2pm             | Jeffery Family    | Cassie Smith    | Megan Siemsen  | 3pm-5pm  |                |                |
| 2pm-4pm              | Boland Family     |                 |                |          |                |                |
| 4pm-6pm              | Whaley Family     |                 |                |          |                |                |
| 6pm-8pm              | Fitzalan Family   | Arnall Family   |                |          |                |                |
| Monday, 6th May 2024 |                   |                 |                |          |                |                |
| Time                 | Canteen           | Canteen         | Canteen        | Time     | BBQ            | BBQ            |
| 8am-10am             | Karvelle Scofield | Lukins Family   | Dione Bright   | 7am-9am  |                |                |
| 10am-12pm            | Dorrington Family | Sheather Family |                | 11am-1pm |                |                |
| 12pm-2pm             | Boyd Family       | Cassie Smith    |                | 3pm-5pm  |                |                |
| 2pm-4pm              | Neyland Family    |                 |                |          |                |                |
| 4pm-6pm              | Nichole Wake      | Dee Stephens    |                |          |                |                |
| 6pm-8pm              | Wright Family     | Jackson Family  |                |          |                |                |

Thank you to our fabulous students for attending the Nyngan ANZAC Day March last week. Thank you to Indie & Max W for representing NPS so wonderfully.

Lest we forget.





# PSSA NETBALL



Wednesday saw Marea, Mrs Enright & Netball team travel to Cobar to play Cobar PS in the PSSA Netball round. The game started slowly as both teams were nervous, but as they warmed up play improved.

Congratulations NPS on your win against Cobar. Your exceptional sportsmanship shone through and your ability to enjoy the game is commendable. Dedication and perseverance was the order of the day. Lets harness that as we move to the next round against either Bourke or Brewarrina.

A special thanks to Molly and Sarah from Cobar High School for umpiring the game with professionalism and fairness.



# POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR for learning

SAFE



THIS WEEK'S DRAW WINNERS ARE:

Attendance Winner: Louis

Line Legends: Kinder, Yr 3/4 and 6

Bango Winners:

Kinder: Jaxon

Year 1/2L: Alice F

Year 1/2D: Sarah

Year 3/4: Layla

Year 4/5: Brielle

Year 6: Eli

RESPECTFUL



COOPERATIVE



MAY

Alice W - 1st

Cayde - 3rd

Eli W - 4th

Kaydence - 9th



We have been very fortunate to be accepted into the Food Bank "School Breakfast 4 Health" program.

Foodbank supports programs that give students the opportunity to eat a wholesome, nutritious breakfast on a regular basis. Having breakfast has been shown to have a positive impact on factors such as physical and mental health, social skills, concentration, behaviour, attendance and academic outcomes.

Foodbank will be helping support Nyngan PS in continuing to deliver breakfast to all our students 5 days per week.



# COLOURING IN COMPETITION

Our students have completed a colouring in competition organised by the staff at the Commonwealth Bank Nyngan Branch.

The posters will be displayed at the Bank from 6th May to 10th May. Please call into the Bank to 'buy a vote with a donation' as a fundraiser for the Clown Dr's Day.

**THE  
HUMOUR  
FOUNDATION™**



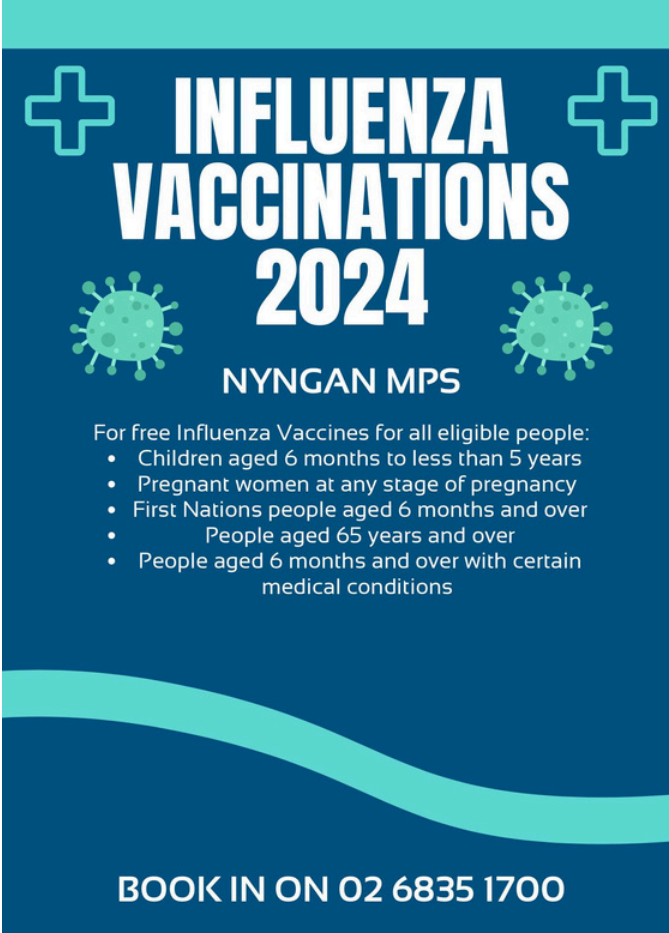
As a founding partner, CommBank has been proudly supporting the Clown Doctors since 1999.

The Humour Foundation provides the Clown Doctors program at no cost to 23 hospitals across Australia and one children's palliative care facility.

Clown Doctors are medical clowns – highly trained, professional performers who spread 'doses' of fun and laughter throughout hospitals, working to uplift thousands of sick kids.

By parodying the hospital routine with jokes, songs, music and play, Clown Doctors engage kids at their bedside – helping them to adapt to hospital life. They work in partnership with medical professionals to divert children during painful procedures, calm and distract in emergency, encourage and assist during occupational therapy and physiotherapy and improve the quality of life of some of the most vulnerable members of our community; sick and injured kids.





# INFLUENZA VACCINATIONS 2024

## NYNGAN MPS

For free Influenza Vaccines for all eligible people:

- Children aged 6 months to less than 5 years
- Pregnant women at any stage of pregnancy
- First Nations people aged 6 months and over
- People aged 65 years and over
- People aged 6 months and over with certain medical conditions

BOOK IN ON 02 6835 1700

## SECTION R – CHILDREN’S WORK

Chief Steward: Wendy Beetson

Entry Fee: Free

Prizes: 1<sup>st</sup> \$5.00 2<sup>nd</sup> \$2.00

Exhibits to the Chief Steward between **9:00 - 11:30 am on Saturday 4th May** at the Pavilion (to arrange alternative delivery of exhibits please ring 0477045059 prior to Saturday). One entry per child per class. Entries can be made at home, school, library, playgroups, workshops etc. Entries to be child’s own work. **Judging takes place in afternoon on Saturday 4th May**

**\$5.00 Encouragement Award** for each children's group donated in memory of Mrs Bay Lovett

### CHAMPION RIBBON FOR EACH CHILDREN'S GROUP

#### PRESCHOOL (any children not yet at school)

1. Hand-made Mother's Day card
2. Best potato person
3. Any craft item or artwork/painting
4. Creative item of Duplo or Lego

#### PRIZES DONATED BY

**Josephine Turk & Daughters**  
**Wendy Beetson**  
**Walsh Family**  
**Nyngan Preschool Staff**

#### KINDERGARTEN – YEAR 3

5. Hand-made Mother's Day card
6. Best potato person
7. Any craft item or artwork/painting
8. Article made with paddle pop sticks or twigs/bark
9. Creative item of Duplo or Lego

**Josephine Turk & Daughters**  
**Wendy Beetson**  
**Walsh Family**  
**Nyngan Preschool staff**  
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#### YEAR 4 - YEAR 6

10. Hand-made Mother's Day card
11. Best potato person
12. Any craft item or artwork/painting
13. Article made with paddle pop sticks or twigs/bark
14. Creative item of Lego

**Josephine Turk & Daughters**  
**Wendy Beetson**  
**Walsh Family**  
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#### YEAR 7 - YEAR 12

15. Best piece of handmade jewellery
16. Any item of Metalwork
17. Any item of Woodwork
18. Any craft item or artwork/painting

**Wendy Beetson**  
**Nyngan Men's Shed**  
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**Walsh Family**

**FAMILY ENTRY:** Best creative use of an old boot or shoe e.g. pot plant, door stop, shoe art etc. **\$10 prize donated by Wendy Beetson** one entry per family (entry can be a collection of multiple boots or shoes with same theme - adults & children can make together)

**PLEASE COLLECT ENTRIES ON MONDAY AT 4PM FROM PAVILION**

# NET SET GO



NET SET GO IS AUSTRALIA'S OFFICIAL STARTER PROGRAM FOR GIRLS AND BOYS AGED 5 TO 10 YEARS. IT IS A CHANCE TO LEARN THE NETBALL BASICS, GET OUTSIDE AND MAKE SOME NEW FRIENDS. FOR A LOT OF KIDS THIS IS THE FIRST TIME THEY'LL PICK UP A NETBALL. IT IS A LEARNING EXPERIENCE AND A LOT OF FUN!

THE PROGRAM WILL RUN FOR 10  
WEEKS. COMMENCING WEEK 1 OF  
TERM 2 EVERY MONDAY.

DATE: 29-4-24

TIME: 4PM UNTIL 5PM

CHILDREN MUST BE SIGNED IN AND  
OUT WEEKLY BY A PARENT OR CARER.

WHEN REGISTERING PLEASE SELECT THE 3 MONTH REGISTRATION OPTION FROM THE DROP DOWN BOX. TO REGISTER PLEASE FOLLOW THIS LINK:

[Nyngan Netball Association | PlayHQ](#)

If you have any trouble completing the registration we will be able to assist you week 1.