Dear Parents, Caregivers and Community

It's the beginning of another great year – 2014! I would like to welcome all new students and families to our school, especially to our Kindy children who are starting school for the first time. Please find a year calendar included in this newsletter, so you can keep track of all of the special events over the year. This will be updated each term to enable new dates to be added.

This year we welcome three new teachers to East Narrogin Primary School. Megan Thompson, who has been appointed to be the teacher of Room 6, Year 3/4; Kelly Kensett-Smith, who will be sharing the Year 3/4 class with Megan; and Pip Rayner who will be sharing the Year 4/5 class with Jude Jones in Room 8 this year. Welcome to our school!

Parent Involvement in School

Over the next few weeks, classroom teachers will be holding parent meetings, either as class meetings or one-on-one interviews with parents. It is important to attend these meetings to find out about your child's routines and learning expectations. It is also vital that you talk to your child's teacher about his or her learning needs. The more your child's teacher knows about him or her, the better!

East Narrogin Passport Program

Our Passport program rewards parents for helping out at school and supporting your child’s learning. Some of these include: helping out in the canteen or in your child's classroom, washing lost property items, attending meetings, returning notes on time and supporting your child’s home reading or homework. Please also talk to your child’s

From the Principal

Please remember that we have early close at ENPS every Monday.
School closes at 2.30pm
Kindy closes at 2.30pm

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School Board Meeting
Tuesday 18 February 6.00pm

Scholastic Book Club Due
Tuesday, 18 February

Swimming Lessons Year 2-7
Monday 24 February to Friday 7 March

Labour Day Public Holiday
Monday 3 March
STUDENTS DO NOT ATTEND

Faction Swimming Carnival
Friday 14 March

East Narrogin Primary School ETF
Banking details for Voluntary Contributions
Commonwealth Bank
BSB: 066040
Account No: 19901631

Monday After School Swimming
From 3.00pm — 3.45pm

For East Narrogin Primary School students. Must be at a Stage 3 level or above.
Free lessons are available but must pay for own cost to enter Leisure Centre.

For more information contact Lynda Herdman or the school office on 9881 1581
From the Principal (Cont)

From the Principal

Contact Mr Johan van Wyk for more information about the Passport program.

Thank you to our P&C

Last year our P&C raised around $20 000 towards two major developments in our school, thanks to the hard work of its members. Very soon our Kindy will have a new playground, and there will be a new trough of drinking fountains built on the edge of our playground quadrangle. Watch out for the P&C Newsletter which outlines fundraising events scheduled for the year – and how you can contribute!

Important information about the operations of our school

East Narrogin has a school website which can be found at www.eastnarroginps.wa.edu.au. Here you can find many of the answers to questions that you may have about the day-to-day running of our school. Just check out the Parent Info section. For a summary of all of these aspects, simply download the ENPS School Information Handbook 2014.

Changes to Parent Assembly Times

This is a very busy term with swimming lessons as well as faction and interschool swimming carnivals. There will be two parent assemblies which will be scheduled on Fridays – these are:

✩ Week 8 – Student Leader Assembly; and
✩ Week 9 – Room 4 Assembly.

In an attempt to attract more parents and family members to attend, during Term 1, we will trial a different starting time for parent assemblies. Instead of being on Friday mornings, these will commence on Friday afternoons at 2.30pm.

East Narrogin’s Health Plan

Our staff are committed to the health and well-being of all students in our care. On the school development day before the school year began, all staff completed their Senior First Aid certificate and received updated training as an Asthma Friendly school and in Anaphylaxis. Please support our school to keep our children healthy by being aware and respecting the following:

✩ We are peanut free and nut aware. Do not send your child to school with these as snacks or in lunchboxes, as there are students in our school who have anaphylactic reactions to peanuts.

✩ We are a Crunch’n’Sip school. Please make sure that students have water bottles and fruit to eat during Crunch’n’Sip times during the day.

✩ We are a SunSmart school. Students must wear either the school wide-brimmed hat or bucket hat to have protection from the sun. School uniform hats can be purchased at the canteen before school.

Payment of Voluntary Contributions

Please pay your students’ voluntary contributions at the front office as soon as possible. These funds help with our budget to provide more resources to help with our students’ learning.

Best regards

Fiona Collopy
Principal, East Narrogin Primary School

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2014 Staffing Profile, Class Structures

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Areas: Ancillary Staff

- Cleaning: Mrs Claire Racevskis (CIC)
- Gardening: Mrs Jo Edwards Mr Michael Hebb

Specialty Areas: Teacher/s

| Literacy | Mrs Sarah Dyson Mrs Jenny Sterry |
| Numeracy | Mrs Jenny Sterry |
| Oral Language | Mrs Lynda Herdman |
| Library | Mrs Sarah Dyson |
| Art | Mrs Chris Davis |
| Music | Mrs Chrissy Gillett |
| Physical Education/Sport | Mr Johan van Wyk |
| Learning Support | Mrs Judy Garlick |
| (Languages) Indonesian | Mr Harley Young |

Pastoral Care Team

- School Chaplain: Mr Marty Vause
- AIEOs: Mrs Carol Kickett Miss Laycee Coles
Leadership
This year the Year 6 and 7 students are our ENPS student leaders. The students will participate in a leadership program with Jo Hayes and the class teacher every Monday. On Tuesday 11 March the Year 7 students will attend a leadership conference in Perth and on Thursday 20 March the Year 6 student leaders will attend a leadership conference in Bunbury.

The student leaders are eagerly planning their roles and responsibilities and are looking forward to initiating new ideas and activities in the school.

Incursions Term 1
This term in week 7, Tuesday 18 March, all students at East Narrogin will be participating in an exciting learning opportunity:

STAMP OUT BULLYING will be visiting our school on Tuesday 18 March. The show uses comedy, magic and puppets and illustrates the following principles:

- Stay Away – How to avoid bullies
- Telling Someone - report a bully is not being a “dobber.”
- Always help – The power of peers.
- Make Friends – including students who are easily left out.
- Play nicely – Making sure that YOU’RE not being the bully.

The cost is $4.40 per student. A note will be sent out to all students regarding this incursion closer to the date.

Attendance
There is strong evidence in research showing high attendance equals stronger school results. It is important students maintain strong attendance patterns to support school achievement. We encourage all students to aim for 90% or higher with their personal attendance rates.

Premier’s Reading Challenge
During the Christmas holidays children from Kindergarten to Year seven were given the opportunity to participate in the Premier’s Summer Reading Challenge. Well done to all East Narrogin Students who read for 15 hours or more during the Christmas holidays. Every student who completed the challenge will receive a letter of congratulations from the Premier of Western Australia.

Announcement of the major prize winner will take place on Friday 21 February 2014.

Students Arriving to School early
The school does not provide supervision prior to 8.20am in the morning. Students must go directly to their class upon arrival after 8.20am to prepare for the day. Students are not permitted to play with balls etc before school.

Swimming Lessons
We have received positive feedback from our community regarding swimming lessons being in the summer months.

Students from Year 2-7 will begin lessons on Monday 24 February for two weeks and will be travelling on the bus each day.

Students will need bathers, towel and goggles each day. Parents/Carers please return permission notes and monies to class teacher.

There has been a change to the lesson timetable:

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Swimming Carnival
There has been a date change to our Faction Swimming carnival. It will now be held on Friday 14 March and not Tuesday 11 March due to our Year 7 students attending a Leadership Conference. Nominations for the swimming carnival close this coming Friday 14 February.

Passports, Passports!! East Narrogin Passport
Families that were part of the 2013 passport program will automatically be part of the program for 2014 and can continue using the same passport as last year. If you have misplaced your book please see Mr van Wyk for a new one. If you still have the passport please just change the year to 2014. We would like to keep the passports at school for easier management so we would appreciate you sending your passport back to the classroom teacher.

If you are new to the passport program please complete the following tear off sheet below and send back to Mr van Wyk:

Family Name: ________________________________________________

Names or children at ENPS from Oldest to Youngest and their Room Number please

1: ___________________________ Room: _______ 4: ___________________________ Room: _______
2: ___________________________ Room: _______ 5: ___________________________ Room: _______
3: ___________________________ Room: _______ 6: ___________________________ Room: _______

Parent / Carer signature: _____________________________________ Please send me back to Mr van Wyk!!!
Selamat Datang semua anak-anak, ibu-ibu dan bapak-bapak!

Welcome all students and parents! It was really nice to see many children still remembered some of the basic greetings in Indonesian after the long Christmas Break. Bagus! Good job!

I would also like to welcome the students in Room 4 and Room 6, because many of them started their first Indonesian class last week. I hope they will find learning Indonesian fun and interesting.

From this week onwards, I will be giving special Indonesian assignments to a small group of students to complete individually at school and at home. This is a free task and if the student completes the assignment, they will get a little incentive from me. The special assignment is to teach one Indonesian word/phrase to ten people according to their assignment sheet. If your child asks you if he/she can teach you one Indonesian word/phrase, please let them do it and sign or write your name on the assignment sheet.

You may also want to ask your child what they have been learning in their Indonesian class when they are trying to teach you the word/phrase. If this activity goes well, I will continue giving out the special assignments throughout this year. The students will be selected randomly each cycle. Please continue to support your child when they have a go at speaking Indonesian at home or overseas. It will help increase their confidence in learning and speaking the language.

Lastly, I will be writing a list of Indonesian words titled ‘Let’s Learn Indonesian Together’ on our school newsletters from time to time. If you can, please practice saying and memorising these words/phrases with your child. It will be a really fun family activity to learn Indonesian with your child.

Let’s Learning Indonesian Together
★ Good morning – selamat pagi
★ Good day (11am – 3pm) – selamat siang
★ Good afternoon (after 3pm) – selamat sore
★ Goodnight – selamat malam
★ See you later – Sampaikan nanti

Have fun learning! Terima kasih (Thank you).

Pak Young (Mr Young)-
Teacher of Indonesian Language

Asia Literacy and L.O.T.E. News

The Narrogin Dental Therapy Centre is located at the Narrogin Primary School and all children aged Pre-Primary to Year 11 are eligible to receive FREE dental treatment. The centre is open all of Term 1, it will be closed in Term 3 and 4 whilst staff travel with the mobile caravan and then open for Term 4.

If you are new to the area, have a high schooler not currently enrolled or have any questions you would like answered, please contact Karen Fazey or Sandra Sullivan between 8.15am, and 4.30pm weekdays on 9881 2281. All pre-primary and Primary students who are new to the school will automatically receive enrolment forms in the next few weeks so please complete these as quickly as possible and return to the school office.

P & C Sweet & Savoury Stall & Raffle

The P&C are holding a Sweet & Savoury stall on Thursday 27 February from 8am at the Piazza area on Fortune St.

Please deliver your muffins, cakes, biscuits etc to the Piazza area around 8.00am on Thursday morning.

We will also be holding a raffle on the day. We would be most grateful if you could deliver raffle items to the canteen BY TUESDAY 25 February so we have time to assemble the raffle.

From the Canteen

Welcome back to canteen for 2014. We have two different menu’s for this term. One Menu is the basic menu for days when we do not have a helper, the second menu is the full menu for days when we do have a helper. When we can get enough helpers we can include daily specials as well.

Thank you to Rachael Grice, Brodie Corker and Ebony Rogers for your help so far this term.

Uniforms

Uniforms have been selling very well with more orders expected this week. Please label all clothing especially hats so they can be returned if left behind. We have swimming caps for sale at the canteen for $6.00 each.

Ros, Jo & Lorraine Canteen Managers

A Message from the Tooth Fairies

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If you have any questions please contact Laycee Coles at the school on 9881 1581.

0-4 Program

Will be starting on Thursday 20 February
Where: ENPS Community Centre
Time: 9.00am—11.00am

If you have any questions please contact Laycee Coles at the school on 9881 1581.
### Community Notices

**Narrogin Junior Tennis Coaching & Social Club**

- **Starts Wednesday 19 February** for a 6 week block, must be 6 years & over.
- **Early registration is essential** as class numbers are limited.
- **Full payment required by Week 2** — $10.00 per class.
- **Registration closes Friday 14 February**

**Relay For Life 18 + Event**

- **Saturday 15 February @ Narrogin Town Hall**
- **Entertainment by Tom O’Brien, Russell Gooley, Fiona & Alan Hastie**
- **Proceeds go to The Cancer Council of WA**
- **Charity auction, photo booth, prizes free drink on arrival/ Drinks available for purchase/ Formal dress**
- **Tickets $100.00 per person**
- **Available for purchase at Narrogin Bargain Barn**
- **Individual tickets & Tables of ten available**
- **Enquires to WBCHARITYALL@HOTMAIL.COM**

**Upper Great Southern Hockey Association**

- **Are your Hockey skills a little rusty after the summer then come to the Smarter than Smoking Hockeyroos Junior Hockey Clinic**
- **Staring Ashleigh Nelson, Anna Flanagan, Jane Claxton, Rachel Lynch, Casey Eastham**
- **Saturday 22 February 3.00pm—6.00pm**
- **Sunday 23 February 8.30am to 11.30am**
- **Cost $10 per day at the Narrogin Hockey Turf**
- **Please book by Monday 17 February to Rodney (Rocket) Johnson 0409 625 428 or rodrocket7@bigpond.com**

**Blitz Youth Group**

- Everyone in Year 4 to Year 7 is welcome
- We have lots of games and heaps of fun. Every second Friday night Week 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 At the Narrogin Baptist Church Hall (Parking off Fathom Street)
- From 5.30pm—7.00pm
- **$2.00 per person**
- Starts Friday 14 February
- For more information call Jo Aitchinson 9881 5148

**The Mary G Show**

- **Born of the legendary SBS TV Series**
- **Free Community Concert**
- **Friday 21 February**
- **Clayton Road Oval, Narrogin**
- **5.30pm—8.30pm**
- **Strictly no Alcohol**
- **Bring the whole family!**
- **Free Kids activities, food available for purchase.**
- **BYO chairs and picnic blankets**
- **For all enquiries please call NHLP on 9881 4788 or SWP on 9881 6666**

**Girl Guides Australia**

- Want to belong to an organisation with more than 10 million members in 145 countries? Think Guides. It’s more than just fun and adventure—it’s about developing skills in teamwork and leadership. Girls in Guiding achieve goals, improve communities and grow in confidence. It’s all about being your best!
- Guides meet every Monday evening at 5.00pm at the Scout and Guide Hall, Furnival Street Narrogin
- For more information call 1300 GIRL GUIDES or go to [www.girlguides.org.au](http://www.girlguides.org.au)

**Wheatbelt Charity Ball**

- **Relay for Life 18 + Event**
- **6.30pm Saturday 15 February @ Narrogin Town Hall**
- **Entertainment by Tom O’Brien, Russell Gooley, Fiona & Alan Hastie**
- **Proceeds go to The Cancer Council of WA**
- **Three course Dinner included**
- **Charity auction, photo booth, prizes free drink on arrival/ Drinks available for purchase/ Formal dress**
- **Tickets $100.00 per person**
- **Available for purchase at Narrogin Bargain Barn**
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**Narrogin Toy Library**

- **Open Day 2014**
- **WHEN: Saturday 22 February**
- **AT: Narrogin Leisure Centre**
- **FROM: 9.30am-11.00am**
- **New members welcome**
- **Come along and meet the new 2014 committee.**
- **Toys from ages 0-6 years.  Sausage sizzle available.  Plus Raffles and a colouring in competition. (Colour in Competition available from ENPS school office).**
- ** Plenty of activities for the kids including Squiggles and Giggles Face Painting, craft activities and a free take home show bag full of activity ideas and child development information.**
- **Meet the New 2014 Committee,**
- **For more information please contact Belinda Furphy 0429 086 911**

**Mixed Softball 2014**

- **Thursday nights from 6.00pm**
- **6 week competition**
- **20 February to 27 March**
- **Clayton Road Oval, Narrogin**
- **Get your nomination form at NRLC Reception or call the Narrogin Healthy Lifestyles Project on 9881 4788 or email alex@narrogin.wa.gov.au**
- **Nominations close 13 February**
- **If you are rusty or not sure of the rules come to our free come and try day for adults on Thursday 13 February from 5.30pm—7.30pm at Clayton Road Oval**

**West Coast Eagles Clinic**

- **On Thursday 6 February East Narrogin Primary Year 6 & 7 students participated in a football clinic run by the West Coast Eagles.**