2015 INTERM SWIMMING
BEGINNING WEEK 1, TERM 1
YEAR 3 – YEAR 6 STUDENTS

Interm Swimming will begin Day 1 of the 2015 school year for students. The program will run for 10 days and span Week 1 and Week 2 of Term 1, 2015.

Notes will be sent home in the coming weeks and are to be returned before the conclusion of the 2014 school year.

Kate Wilson
Principal, East Narrogin primary School

Year 6/7 Graduation and Book Awards

Congratulations to the following students for being selected in the following roles for Graduation and Book Awards:

- Kate Dyson, Sarah Coetzer and Juanelle Van Wyk will present the Graduation Speech.
- Jack Bradford and Amber Dehnel will be the MCs for the Graduation evening.
- Zane Drage and Jayden Lawrence will be the MCs for the Book Awards.
- Kelly Ugle will present the Welcome to Country.

Spring Festival
Thank you to everyone who joined in our parade at the Spring Festival. Our masks looked fantastic and we were awarded second place in the parade competition and awarded with $175.

Thank you to the Year 6/7 leaders for volunteering their free time to assist at the P&C stall at the Spring Festival. These students were Zane Drafe, Ashleigh Smith, Kayla Jones, Kate Dyson, Kelly Ugle, Joey Ramshaw, Bayley Draper, Jayden Divall, Jonathan Lynch, Steph McCracken, Esther Daw, MacKenzie Tullett, Kate Rasmusses, Morgan Bropho, Juanelle Van Wyk and Jessica Coppock.

Joanna Hayes & Johan Van Wyk
Deputy Principals
Congratulations to Sarsha Hayes for winning the Mayor’s Award at the 2014 Narrogin Agricultural Show

The Award Winners from Last Week’s Assembly 31 October 2014
P & C JUNIOR DISCO – FRIDAY 14 NOVEMBER
YEARS K to 3  5.30PM TO 7.00PM
THEME : “PURPLE PARTY”

Procedures for drop off & pick up of students at discos.
These procedures are to ensure that the P & C provide appropriate duty of care to all students who attend.

- Tickets to be pre-purchased at school in the week prior to the event ($7.00 for each child - this includes disco entry and 1 sausage sizzle).
- Juice box’s, LOL’s, Lollies, Chips etc will be available to purchase on the night so please send a few dollars with your child if you are happy for them to buy a snack.
- Parent / Carer (or responsible adult) MUST drop off their child at the undercover area and have them signed in as participating.

Parent / Carer (or responsible adult) MUST collect their child from the undercover area at the end of the disco.

Therefore children CAN NOT walk to or from the disco unaccompanied by a responsible adult. They also CAN NOT be dropped off in the car park and left to walk into the undercover area on their own.

As previously mentioned, these changes are to make sure duty of care is passed directly from the parent / carer to the P & C. If students arrive unaccompanied by a responsible adult they WILL NOT be able to participate in the disco. We trust all families will support our efforts to ensure the safety of all our students.

The ticket for the JUNIOR disco is on this slip. If your child is going to participate in the disco please complete the details on the ticket and return to canteen (with payment) by Wednesday 12 November 2014.

P & C JUNIOR Disco Friday 14 November - Ticket

My child / ren ________________________________

YEAR(S) ________________________________

Junior Disco: 5.30pm – 7.00pm (Yr K to Yr 3)
- School Undercover area
($7.00 for each child - this includes disco entry and 1 sausage sizzle).

Additional sausage sizzles $4 each: _______ required

Name and mobile number of adult dropping child off:

Name and mobile number of adult picking child up:

Payment of $7.00 each child + additional sausage sizzle money enclosed. TOTAL: $ ____________

Parent / Carer signature: ________________________________

Parent help: I will be able to stay and help on the night either in canteen or with supervision: YES / NO

HELPERS NAME: ________________________________

HELPERS Phone # : ________________________________

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P & C SENIOR DISCO – FRIDAY 28 NOVEMBER
YEARS 4 to 7  6.30PM TO 8.00PM
THEME : “PURPLE PARTY”

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The ticket for the SENIOR disco is on this slip. If your child is going to participate in the disco please complete the details on the ticket and return to canteen (with payment) by Wednesday 26 November 2014.

P & C SENIOR Disco Friday 28 November - Ticket

My child / ren ________________________________

YEAR(S) ________________________________

Senior Disco: 6.30pm – 8.00pm (Yr 4 to Yr 7)
- School Undercover area
($7.00 for each child - this includes disco entry and 1 sausage sizzle).

Additional sausage sizzles $4 each: _______ required

Name and mobile number of adult dropping child off:

Name and mobile number of adult picking child up:

Payment of $7.00 each child + additional sausage sizzle money enclosed. TOTAL: $ ____________

Parent / Carer signature: ________________________________

Parent help: I will be able to stay and help on the night either in canteen or with supervision: YES / NO

HELPERS NAME: ________________________________

HELPERS Phone # : ________________________________
Today we had a visit from Joey Ramshaw and his mum, Ms Hames, with their rescued turtle, Mr Turtle. It was found by Joey’s sister’s dog, three weeks ago. If you touch one of these turtles and put your fingers in your mouth you could get very sick and have to go to hospital. The oblong turtle can carry Salmonella. Joey’s family have been keeping Mr Turtle in a pond at their house they had made for it. This is their first rescued turtle and probably their last. It looked like a frog the way its neck went up and down.
The reason Mrs Jones invited Joey and Ms Hames was because at the moment we are reading a book called *CHELONIA GREEN*. It is about a young girl who is in love with turtles. When I’m older I’d like to be an animal carer just like Ms Hames. I hope she comes back soon with another rescued animal.

By Sarsha Hayes

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Today Ms Hames and Joey Ramshaw brought a turtle to our class. It had a long neck. Mrs Jones invited them because we are reading a book about turtles. Something interesting I found out was it is six months old and the shell was as small as a 50 cent coin when it was a baby. I felt so happy what the turtle came in, I think the turtle did too.

By Liam Todt

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Today at the Community Centre, Ms Hames and Joey Ramshaw brought a baby turtle down because we are reading a book about turtles. Something interesting that I found out was that the turtle eats some gross things and that Ms Hames is a registered carer. I was also really surprised that it was found in a dog’s mouth. That connects to my prediction in *Chelonia Green - Champion of Turtles* by Christobel Mattingley. I felt very sorry for the turtle being found in a dog’s mouth. Turtles have lots of interesting facts. But I didn’t find out if it was a girl or a boy.

By Emma Phillips
Congratulations Walk to School participants!

Congratulations to everyone who participated in “Walk to School” last Tuesday. Students and families put in a great effort and enjoyed the beautiful weather in the morning. Lots of students took up the challenge to walk all or part of the way to school (or bus stop).

Many participants were lucky prize winners too, well done!

Remember walking is free, it’s better for the environment and it keeps our bodies fit and healthy!

Tischa Forman, Jo Hayes & Nicole Fowler

Go Health!

Live Lighter for families

Being a parent is a difficult job, and sometimes looking after children gets in the way of caring for ourselves.

However, being healthy and having enough energy is important to be able to take care of our children.

We as parents are also the biggest role models for our children. When we choose nutritious foods and water over processed foods and sugary drinks, our children accept this as normal and also learn to make healthy choices.

But it is not always easy. Take some time to investigate free healthy eating tips, tools and resources to get you and your family back on track and put your health first.


For more information contact the Healthy School’s Officer at the WA Country Health Service Wheatbelt Public Health Unit on 9622 4320 or wheatbelt.phu@health.wa.gov.au

From the Canteen

Thank you again to Louise Coppock, Val Ballard and Ebony Rogers x 2, for your support in the canteen, we need more of you. Room 4 is on roster this week followed by Room 5 next week. Anybody with some time on Thursdays would be most welcome in the canteen. Thanks.

Ros, Jo & Lorraine Canteen Managers

0-4 Program
Thursday 9am—11 am
Fruit Provided.
Parents please bring and stay with your child/ren.
ALL WELCOME!

Graduation and Book Awards 2014

We are seeking donations for our graduation and book awards. If you would like to offer your support, please leave your donation at the front office.

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

ARE YOU SIXTEEN YEARS OF AGE OR OVER, ENTHUSIASTIC, ENJOY WORKING WITH CHILDREN AND CAN SWIM.............. THEN ENROL NOW IN THE AUSTSWIM “TEACHER OF SWIMMING AND WATER SAFETY COURSE” SATURDAY 8 AND SUNDAY 9 NOVEMBER AT THE WAGIN SWIMMING POOL FROM 8.30AM TO 5.30PM TO ENROL CALL AUSTSWIM ON 1300 885 666 SWIMMING TEACHERS ARE DESPERATELY NEEDED IN MANY COUNTRY TOWNS, SO ENROL NOW AND BECOME A QUALIFIED SWIMMING TEACHER CALL 1300 885 666 OR ENROL ON THE WEBSITE WWW.AUSTSWIM.COM.AU

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