

Newsletter

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From the Principal

Dear Parents, Carers and Families,

Cultural Immersion

It was a privilege for some of our students to visit Ballardong Boodja and Katter Kich and immerse themselves in on Country Learning with Uncle Wardy last week. On Country Learning is a culturally responsive pedagogy which aims to support Aboriginal students, their peers, teachers, schools and families to engage with Aboriginal ways of knowing, being and doing. We will be welcoming Uncle Wardy to our school in Week 10, where students will be able to showcase Gnaala Karla Boodja.



Coming Events

- ★ **Book Fair**
Monday—Wednesday, Week 6
See Library Notes
- ★ **Learning Journey**
Tuesday 22 August at 5:00pm
- ★ **Book Week Parade**
Wednesday 23 August at 9:00am
- ★ **Faction Jumps & Throws**
Monday 28 August at ENPS
- ★ **Faction Athletics Carnival**
Tuesday 5 September at Thomas Hogg Oval
- ★ **Assembly Room 1 & 3**
Friday 8 September, 9:00am
- ★ **Year 6 In Your Head Excursion**
Friday 8 September
- ★ **Constable Care Incursion PP-Year 5**
Friday 8 September

School Times

ECC2

8:35am Start — 2:50pm Finish

Rooms 1, 3, 7 and 8

8:45am Start — 3:00pm Finish

Early Close

Please remember that we have early close at ENPS

every Tuesday

School closes at 2:30pm

Uniform Shop

By appointment

East Narrogin Primary School

Banking details

Commonwealth Bank

BSB: 06 6040

Account No: 1990 1631

From the Principal Cont...

Learning Journey

Tonight we are excited to welcome our school community to our classrooms to showcase our learning throughout the year. Enjoy a free sausage sizzle on arrival! We look forward to seeing the school buzzing with excitement from 5:00pm onwards. Also – do not forget to check out our amazing Book Fair in the Library.

Year 6 Camp

A huge appreciation to Mr Fawell for the outstanding organisation of camp this year. The three days were smooth sailing, exciting for all and thoroughly considered in planning. Thank you to Mr van Wyk, who at the final hour jumped in to drive the bus and join us on camp – your driving skills in the busy streets of Perth are to be admired. Thank you Miss Sta Ana, Aunty Laycee and Miss Clark for the energy and fun you brought to camp this year. Finally, congratulations to all our Year 6 students. Your behaviour, positive attitude and willingness to have a go was inspiring – we are so proud.



Thank you Miss Clark

Thank you to Miss Clark who we farewell this week! Miss Clark has supported us since 2022, in the acting deputy role and more recently backfilling long service leave as a specialist teacher. In speaking with the students over the last few weeks; the things they have loved most about Miss Clark is her warm heart and fun learning activities! We congratulate Miss Clark on her outstanding achievements at East Narrogin Primary School, including passing her first stage towards becoming a Level 3 Classroom Teacher. This is a significant accomplishment. Miss Clark, you will be amazing wherever you go – East Narrogin wish you all the best.



Book Week

East Narrogin are excited to promote the love of reading during our Book Week celebrations. Our Book Week Parade commences at 9:00am this Wednesday morning. Come down and enjoy the students and staff showcasing their costumes.

NAPLAN

Individual NAPLAN Reports have been sent home for Year 3 and 5 students. In 2023, new standards were introduced to NAPLAN reporting. This reporting replaces the previous numerical NAPLAN reporting bands and national minimum standards.

The NAPLAN proficiency standards include four proficiency levels for each assessment area at the each year level:

- **Exceeding:** the student's result exceeds expectations at the time of testing.
- **Strong:** the student's result meets challenging but reasonable expectations at the time of testing.
- **Developing:** the student's result indicates that they are working towards expectations at the time of testing.
- **Needs additional support:** the student's result indicates that they are not achieving the learning outcomes expected at the time of testing. They are likely to need additional support to progress satisfactorily.

The following link will help families understand how to interpret and understand student reports.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AcYsiLtE7a8>

Overall school performance will be analysed and presented to the School Board. Remember, NAPLAN results are only one aspect of our school's assessment and reporting process. I encourage families to speak to their child's classroom teacher in relation to questions surrounding NAPLAN reporting.

Miss Ashleigh Dixon, Principal
Ashleigh.dixon@education.wa.edu.au

From the Deputy

Dear Parents and Carers,

ENE Bee Wheel Award

Congratulations to the following students who had their names drawn out at Mondays assembly. These students each had the chance to spin the ENE Bee Wheel for a reward.

Week 5

Ashlyn Furphy	10 minutes four square.
Joseph March	Lunch with Miss Dixon.
Glenn Vandervliet	10 minutes four square.
Thomas Davies	10 minutes ipad.
Malakai Holliday	10 minutes ipad.

Week 6

Ruby Charles	10 minutes four square.
Joseph March	10 minutes board games.
Ashlyn Furphy	Lunch with Miss Dixon.
Kane Wakefield	Free dress with a friend.
Malakai Holliday	Uno with Mrs Wilkie.

PEAC

East Narrogin Primary School are hosting PEAC teacher Velu Ramasamy and identified regional students from Year 5 and 6 each Tuesday fortnightly in Room 4. PEAC is parttime extension and enrichment lessons.

Parliament Incursion

Today we had the Parliamentary Office of WA come for a visit. It was their first time visiting East Narrogin and were very impressed with our Year 6 students knowledge about local, state and federal government.



In Your Head Excursion

The Year 6 class will be participating in a youth mental health forum at the YMCA Narrogin Regional Leisure Centre on Friday 8 September. At this one-day event students learn from a range of inspirational keynote speakers, panellists and facilitators, and take part in interactive break out sessions. There will also be an opportunity for our students to network with students from other schools within our Wheatbelt Region.

Constable Care Incursion

Constable Care is a live interactive puppet show that delivers engaging safety education to children in WA primary schools. Our students will be participating in the following workshop on Friday 8 September:

Getting to School (Year PP-Year 3). Students will learn about walking, riding a bike or scooter, and travelling in the car. This program assists in teaching children pedestrian/bike safety, road rules, and how to make cautious, safe decisions when near traffic.

Frenemies- (Year 4/5)- The aim of this show is on bullying prevention. The performance will help children develop pro-social skills and support them in creating and promoting a culture of respect and consideration amongst their school community.

Attendance

Families can support attendance by:

- Notifying the school of a planned absence if it falls during the school term.
- Notifying the school of an absence as soon as possible.
- Providing an explanation of a student's absence within two school days from the start of the absence.
- Answer SMS from the school to provide an explanation for your child's absence.

Artist in Residence

We are looking forward to having Michael Ward (Aboriginal Artist) in our school as our artist in residence in the final week of Term 3. All staff and students will have access to in-class art workshops with Mr Ward inspired through on Country learning. Final artwork will be displayed our Narrogin Show display at the end of Week 1 Term 4.

The National Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability (NCCD)

Throughout the term classroom teachers and administrators have been involved in a process called The Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability (NCCD). The NCCD is a mandated, yearly count of students by all Australian schools across the country. The aim of the NCCD is to provide the Australian Government with information about the number of students with disability in Australian schools and the type of adjustments they need in order to access and participate in education on the same basis as other students. The NCCD will be used by the Australian Government to inform funding for schools, known as the 'student with disability loading'.

For more information, please click on the following link: [NCCD Fact Sheet](#)

One Big Voice

What magnificent day! The choir had an absolute blast. (For some, the trip to McDonalds was just as exciting as the concert). Jordyn was thrilled to be in the solo group for 'Storming' and shone on the stage like a true star.

Congratulations to our choir students on your amazing performances and representing East Narrogin.

Thank you to Mrs Hastie for all your effort, passion and commitment this year. Our students are truly lucky to have a wonderful mentor. Thank you to Mr van Wyk for supporting the choir students and driving the bus.



Mrs Jo Hayes, Deputy Principal
Joanna.hayes@education.wa.edu.au

P&C

Next Meeting

Our next P&C Meeting will be on Monday 11 September at the family friendly time of 5:00pm in the ENPS Staffroom. We are really hoping to draw in some new people for 2024. If this is something of interest to you, please come and see what it's all about and feel free to bring a friend or two.

Faction Athletics Carnival

The P&C are planning to run our usual food stall at this year's Faction Athletics Carnival so that families can purchase a healthy lunch, drinks or other goodies without having to leave the oval and miss a race! This year, we are looking to offer hamburgers for lunch as well as a variety of drinks (hot or cold depending on the weather) and biscuits/slices etc for morning/afternoon tea.

The P&C need assistance on the day. **Please contact Jaz Charles on 0439 150 312** if you are able to do a shift at the stall (whilst also being free to watch your child's race). We are also looking for donations of food items to sell. These items can be dropped at the School Canteen on Monday 4 September between 2:00pm and 3:00pm or before school on Tuesday 5 September.

Thanks in advance for any support you are able to give.



Sock Fundraiser

Thanks to those families who supported our sock fundraiser. We try to give options for different fundraising ideas. If you have a specific fundraiser in mind that you think would be successful, please email or come to a meeting to discuss.

Canteen News

We will continue to use the Narrogin Senior High School Canteen for lunch orders on Monday and Fridays. Thank you to Desi Wilkie and Emma Peddey for assisting with taking and delivering orders for our students.

To order lunch:

- Write your child's name, room number and food to be ordered on a paper bag or envelope.
- Enclose the required money (correct money if possible or as close to accurate as possible).
- Place the bag in the lunch order basket located at Breakfast Club, now in the Art Room, downstairs.
- Mrs Desi Wilkie will be available to help students complete forms if needed.
- Orders must be received by 9:00am. If your child forgets to put their order in the basket, we will do our best to accommodate late orders.

Mrs Belinda Furphy, ENPS P&C President

Uniform Shop

The Uniform Shop will now run by appointment only until further notice.

If you need to purchase any uniform supplies, please contact Jazmin by phone or text on 0439 150 312, email: jazzy_skye@hotmail.com or you can leave your order at the Front Office.

Mrs Jazmin Charles, ENPS Uniform Co-Ordinator

From the Library

Book Fair

Book Fair is here! Come visit Mrs Seton in the Library during Learning Journey on Tuesday or before and after school on Wednesday.

Come and browse our range of popular and new release books. Stationery, posters and novelty items. By making a purchase at our Book Fair you are helping our school earn new books and resources for the Library.



Sandi Seton, Library Officer & Book Club Co-ordinator

Phys Ed

Carnival Dates

Faction Jumps and Throws

Monday 28 August, Week 7 at East Narrogin Primary School Oval. 800m, Jumps and Throws events will start at 9:00am.

Faction Athletics Carnival

Tuesday 5 September, Week 8 at the Thomas Hogg Oval. **Consent forms have been sent home today and are available on Compass. Please complete by Wednesday 30 August and make bus fare payment to the Front Office or pay online.**

Interschool Jumps & Throws

Tuesday 12 September at Thomas Hogg Oval

Interschool Athletics Carnival

Friday 15 September also at Thomas Hogg Oval.

We would love to have parents or families helpers for these events. If you are able to help by raking pits, setting up gazebos, timing, record keeping etc; please let Mrs Evelyn Wilkie know. Our students always love having families involved on their special school days.

Mrs Evelyn Wilkie, Physical Education Specialist Teacher and Deputy Principal

Year 6 Camp

On Wednesday 9 August the Year 6 class went on a camping trip to Ern Haliday. We left camp early to get ready. I was excited. We travelled about two and a half hours to get to Perth and as soon as we got there we went to Kings Park to have recess and run and play. We had lunch after and played chasey. We then travelled to the WA Museum, I saw a blue tongue lizard, a snake, butterflies and a big spider. There is a blue whale, shark, dinosaurs and lots of other stuff that I can't remember. After the Museum we went to the camping place, Ern Halliday. We unpacked and set up the dorm then went to the sand dunes! I made a sand castle with Alexi. We sang baby shark while going down the sand dune! Then we had a shower and dinner. At night we played Escape the night. It was so dark but fun.

By James E



On Friday we packed up before breakfast and it was a hot breakfast! We had to hop on the bus early for Fremantle Prison. We then got to play at a big park, and have a yummy lunch at Cicerello's of fish and chips! We then headed back to Narrogin and got home around 3:15pm. It was so much fun I wish we could of stayed for longer.

By Zara



On Thursday Miss Sta Ana was up super early in the morning. My voice was super croaky! After that we had breakfast. We had to go on the big oval and were broken up into two groups. We changed between team building and orienteering. The instructor ran through all the rules and we had lots of fun with all our friends. After that we had lunch, building our own burger. The groups rotated and we got to do Archery and the Flying Fox. I couldn't do it because of my collarbone but still got to help out a little and have a go at firing a bow with some help.

By Tianna



Community Notices

Disclaimer

This section is provided for general information only, and on the understanding that the Department of Education is not providing advice or a recommendation about any of the services referred to in this newsletter.



HUB CLUB

Welcome to Amity Health's HUB CLUB. Explore our creation stations, construction fun, simple cooking, arts and craft.

When: Wednesday afternoon during Term 3 (starting Week 2)

Time: 3:00pm - 4:30pm

Where: East Narrogin Primary School Community Centre (Butler Street parking)

Who: Primary school aged children (Kindergarten to Year 6).

A parent or guardian over the age of 18 must be in attendance.

KIDS HUB PLAYGROUP

Amity Health's free Playgroup sessions are back for 2023.

A fun morning for families to make new friends and socialise in a safe, relaxed environment.

When: Mondays of Term 3

Time: 9:00am – 11:30am

Where: East Narrogin Primary School Community Centre (Butler Street Parking)

Who: Families with children aged 0-4 years old. Parents/carers must be in attendance.

Morning tea provided with tea and coffee available for parents and carers.

Parents can seek advice, make new friends, enjoy a cuppa and join in.

Kids explore hands on and skill based play and learning activities.

Contact: Kirsten 0428 929 550/
kpartyka@amityhealth.com.au or Hannah 0437 858 079

Beverley District High School Independent Public School

You are invited to join us in celebrating 150 years of service to the community of Beverley.

On: Friday 15 September 2023

Where: 20 John Street Beverley



NARROGIN JUNIOR BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION 2023/24 SEASON

REGISTER ONLINE

only accepting individual player nominations

Payment or Kidsport voucher number is required to complete registration

SCAN TO
OPEN LINK



narroginbasketball.com

\$140 Registration Fee
+ Option to buy uniform singlet (black & white reversible)

Divisions will be split into Boys & Girls (not mixed)
and age groups

For kids aged 8-17

Aussie Hoops also available for kids aged 5-7, please find
Narrogin Aussie Hoops on facebook or visit aussiehoops.com.au

REGISTRATIONS CLOSE 9TH SEPTEMBER

For more info, see our Facebook page or
email us at narroginbasketball@gmail.com

Find us on



NgnJnrBasketball



NgnAussieHoops



Night Hoops

Night hoops is a free basketball program with skills training, match play and dinner provided.

When: Monday Nights

Where: Narrogin Leisure Centre

Time: 4:30pm-6:30pm

Who: Ages 10-18 years

For more information about the program contact Liam Anthony on 0408 929 960 or liam@smfoundation.org.au



Kindergarten Enrolments



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Kaya Wanjoo Koorda wer Moort