

Newsletter

EAST NARROGIN PRIMARY SCHOOL

An Independent Public School



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From the Principal

Dear Parents and Carers

Our focus during the first few weeks has been all about building positive relationships with students and families. As we settle into the year, we start to discuss expectations of high standards and what that means for East Narrogin Primary School.

To support us moving forward, we would love families and community members to have a say on our current school culture. Help us by completing the survey link below.

[East Narrogin School Culture - Survey - School Survey](#)

East Narrogin Primary School Board

As a school, we are very much in a transitional period for our strategic planning, vision and values. To make inroads moving forward, we must develop a high-functioning School Board supporting the governance of East Narrogin. Being a member of a council or board is an important and rewarding role that contributes significantly to the success of a school. However, we need some amazing new members! Be the change we want to see in our school and jump on "Board". We are looking for both Community and Parent representation.

Please contact Ashleigh.dixon@education.wa.edu.au for further information.

Morning Routine

1. Attend Breakfast Club if required (this must be completed before play)
2. Bag on hook and set up desk for the day
3. Choose between morning activities in the classroom (doors open at 8:30am or morning play on the oval (must have hat).

On-Entry

On-entry assessment will commence over the coming weeks. This is mandatory for all Pre-primary students in public schools. Participation is optional for Year 1 and Year 2 students.

This provides us information about your child's early literacy and numeracy skills. Supporting us to plan and deliver targeted learning programs that address the needs of every child. Pre-primary parents are welcome to reach out to our amazing pre-primary teacher Julie-Anne O Donoghue with any questions.

Congratulations Laycee

We sure do have some talented staff at East Narrogin Primary School. One of them is Laycee! This Wednesday Laycee will be a facilitator for Education Conversations in Kellerberrin. The work of this day will guide and support the development of the Department of Education's strategic direction. Congratulations, Laycee, this is a huge accomplishment.

Miss Ashleigh Dixon

Principal

ashleigh.dixon@education.wa.edu.au

Coming Events

- ★ **Year 6 Leadership Assembly**
Friday 24 February
- ★ **Swimming Lessons Years 3 to 6**
Monday 27 February to
Friday 10 March
- ★ **Tennis Coaching in PE**
Monday 27 February
- ★ **Sunsmart Schools Tennis Classic Year 5 and 6**
Wednesday 1 March
- ★ **School's Clean Up Day**
Friday 3 March
- ★ **Labour Day Public Holiday-No School**
Monday 6 March
- ★ **P&C Meeting**
Monday 13 March at 7:00pm

School Times

ECC2

8:35am Start
2:50pm Finish

Room 3, 4, 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

Every Friday 8:30am-9:30am

East Narrogin Primary School

Banking details

Commonwealth Bank

BSB: 06 6040

Account No: 1990 1631

From the Deputy

Dear Parents and Carers,

Swimming Lessons

Swimming lessons have been confirmed for Rooms 4, 7 and 8 and will have lessons from Monday 27 February to Friday 10 March. If there are any changes to the lessons we will advise.

Consent forms can be completed on compass or via paper consent form. Swimming enrolment forms can only be complete on the paper form. All forms need to be returned by Thursday at the latest. The cost is \$40.00 for 9 days swimming.

The school is subsidising \$1900.00 towards swimming lessons to keep costs to minimum.

Students need to bring bathers, towel, goggle and a spare bag for swimming gear.

Swimming Carnivals

Our Faction Swimming Carnival will be held on Monday 27 March at the YMCA in Narrogin and the Interschool Carnival is to be held on Friday 31 March at Williams Swimming Pool. Students will bring home an events program with the events they will be participating in. If there are any parents that are available to help please contact Mrs Evelyn Wilkie.

Sunsmart Schools Tennis Classic Carnival

Next Wednesday eight Year 6 students will be representing East Narrogin Primary School in the Sunmart Schools Tennis Classic Carnival at the Narrogin Tennis Courts. Selected students will receive information this week.

Mrs Evelyn Wilkie

Deputy Principal

evelyn.wilkie@education.wa.edu.au



Library

Hello and welcome to the ENPS Library.

Library Hours:

Monday and Wednesdays between 8:00am and 4:00pm.

Scholastic book club has new look, **Scholastic News.**

You can put orders through the online 'LOOP' app or drop off at the office. 15% of your order value is given back to our school, for new books into our collection.

Please encourage your child to bring back their library books on their class library day.

ECC2 Wednesday

Room 3 Monday

Room 4 Monday

Room 7 Monday

Room 8 Wednesday

If you child needs to drop off a book, they can return it to the office or find me in the library during library hours.

I am looking forward to lots of reading adventures with the students.



Mrs Sandi Seton

Library Officer

Chappy's Chat

Mrs Desi's Kindness Poem Competition

Create and share your amazing 'Kindness' Acrostic Poems. Use a kindness word/words to make your poem. You can decorate it as well. Please put your name on the back and place your entry in the box at Breakfast Club.

Winners will be announced in next newsletter Please give it a try.

Here is Mrs Desi's poem:

Be a bucket filler to your classmates and teachers.

Excited to help someone.

Invoke someone to play with you.

Notice all the helpful things that other people do.

Give someone a big, bright smile.

Kindness leads to happiness.

Interest enough to listen.

Never take without saying 'Thank You'.

Do a kindness everyday.



Mrs Desi Wilkie,
School Chaplain and Breakfast Club Co-ordinator
Desiree.wilkie@youthcare.org.au

P&C

Eco Basics Fundraiser

Keep an eye out for the flyer. A great way to get some items for the home/garden and look after the environment at the same time.

Speedway Canteen

The P&C committee are scheduled to help out at the Speedway Canteen on Saturday 25 March. We would love to have some help, even if you can only give a couple of hours on the night, that would be great. Please contact Belinda (0429 086 911) to add your name to the list of helpers and reserve a timeslot that suits you best.

P&C Notice of AGM

The Annual General Meeting will be held in the ENPS staffroom on Monday 13 March, 7:00pm. While we are confident that we can successfully fill Executive roles on the committee, we are always looking for new members to help out with the running of P&C events and the contribution of new ideas to help make the school a better place for our children.

Please consider if you can support our enthusiastic Committee. Do you know someone who may like to get involved? We would love to hear from you and answer any of your questions. Please contact Belinda our P&C President on 0429 086 911 if you would like more information.

Next Meeting

Our next meeting is Monday 13 March at 7:00pm in the Staffroom. Please come and hear about what is being planned and contribute your ideas for 2023. We forward to seeing you there.

Uniforms

The uniform shop is open at the canteen on Friday morning from 8:30am to 9:30am.

Please make sure you write your child's name on their uniform items (especially items that are removed during the day like jumpers and hats).

Canteen News

East Narrogin Primary uses the service of the Narrogin Senior High School for lunch orders on Monday and Fridays.

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.
- A menu has been copied on the back of the term planner, shared on facebook, the website and compass.



Mrs Belinda Furphy, ENPS P&C President

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 1 (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.

Contact: Kirsten 0428 929 550 or kpartyka@amityhealth.com.au



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 1

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.

Contact: Kirsten 0428 929 550 or Hannah 0437 858 079

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.



Lynette B Yoga

Classes practice yoga at a slower pace, focusing on the breath, controlled movements and stretching, finishing with a guided relaxation to absorb the benefits of the practice. All level and experience welcome, including beginners.

Term 1 Classes

Hatha Yoga (strength and flexibility)
Tuesdays 6:00pm and Wednesdays 9:30am

Classes held at The Guide Hall 7 Furnival Street Narrogin

Contact Lynette Blechynden 0428 131 656 or lynettebyoga.com.au

Upper Great Southern Female Football Training

Where: Clayton Road Oval Narrogin

When: Mondays

Who: Girls aged 10-18

Time: 5:00pm-6:30pm

What: AFL training for all young women in the Upper Great Southern Region who are keen to play with the UGS Regional Academy or South Fremantle FC in 2023.

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



Devine You Inc

Sewing, Crochet and Knitting

Where: 8 Federal Street Narrogin

When: Saturday during school terms

Time: 2:00pm-4:00pm

Age: 8-18 years

Classes begin Saturday 18 February.

Register by 15 February to 0477 795 389

Narrogin Junior Hockey

2023 Registrations

Where: Hockey Office at the John Higgins Building

When: Tuesday 28 February or Wednesday 1 March

Time: 3:00pm to 5:00pm

More Information: Secretary Sarah Hawksley ugshajuniors@westnet.com.au or Development Officer Rodney Johnson ugshockeydo@gmail.com

