

# THE BULLETIN

## Nowra Hill Public School

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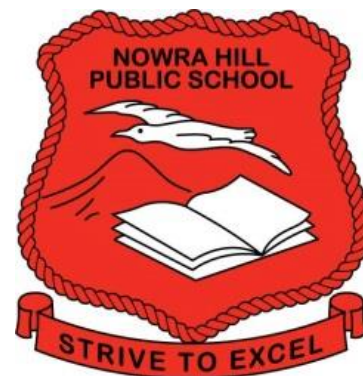
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CANTEEN: Wednesdays

UNIFORM SHOP: Friday 2.30pm – 3.15pm

ASSEMBLY: Fridays 9.00am



Term 2, Week 6 – 31<sup>st</sup> May 2016

Dear Parents and Carers,

The students have enjoyed their time in the Life Education van this week, where they have been learning about making good personal health choices, food and nutrition, personal safety, physical activity, cyber safety and safety with medicine and legal drugs. If you haven't yet paid for the Life Education visit, please do so at the front office or via the Parent Online Payment system as soon as possible. We appreciate your support in delivering this valuable program.

We wish the 4/5 recorder group all the best at the Shoalhaven Eisteddfod tomorrow. We were treated to a performance by this group at last Friday's assembly and were all impressed with their skill. We have no doubt they will do us proud tomorrow.

We also wish Imogen Radburn, Matthew Higham and Leigha Barrett all the very best for Regional Cross Country at Willandra this Friday. Mr Vucic will attend as the District Team Manager and Mrs Bellamy will attend as an official. Good luck to all the runners!

Teachers are very busy this week and next, conducting formal assessments in their classrooms, in preparation for the half yearly reports which will be sent home at the end of Week 9. A note will go home soon about parent teacher interviews in Week 10. Teachers will also be plotting each child on both the literacy and numeracy continuums via the PLAN software, which will also generate a parent report late this term or early next term, detailing where your child is on the continuums and some ideas for future directions.

Today, Mr Parrish and Mrs O'Sullivan are attending the first of a number of training sessions about LMBR, which is the new school management system being implemented in NSW Department of Education schools later this year. Terms 3 and 4 will be busy terms as we all adjust to the new system, which will encompass the financial system and student tracking and wellbeing.

### DATES TO REMEMBER

**Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> June Recorder Eisteddfod**

**Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June Regional Cross Country**

**Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> June ICAS Writing**

**Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> June Verse Speaking Class 4/5**

**Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> June ICAS Spelling**

**Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> June FISST Athletics Carnival**

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July Last Day of Term 2**

At this stage, we expect Mrs Rowe to return to school this Thursday. We thank students and parents for the support they have shown Mrs Rowe during this difficult time. We also thank Miss Rigney for stepping in and taking the 1/2 class in her absence.

Regards,  
Mrs Rebecca White  
Assistant Principal

## SHOALHAVEN EISTEDDFOD - RECORDER

This Wednesday, thirteen Year 4 & 5 students will be performing recorder at the Nowra School of Arts for the Shoalhaven Eisteddfod. Children must wear neat and clean winter uniform. Jackets/jumpers may be worn to the venue but they will be taken off before the performance.

The children have been very busy practising and are looking forward to performing in front of a larger audience. Mr Parrish was most impressed with their performance at last Friday's assembly and Miss Reminis said she had 'goosebumps' after hearing their rendition of 'Scarborough Fair' and 'The Australian National Anthem.' All the best to the Recorder Ensemble group, who will be competing against 3 other schools in their section.

Students are bringing transport notes home today to indicate with whom each child will be travelling in order to be at the Nowra School of Arts by 9.30am. Parents/carers who wish to watch the performances must pay \$5.00 at the door on the morning of the performance.

## SHOALHAVEN EISTEDDFOD - VERSE SPEAKING

On Wednesday, 15th June (Week 8) from 1.00pm, Class 4/5 will be travelling to the Shoalhaven Entertainment Centre to perform in the Verse Speaking. We are competing in a section with many of the other Small Schools in this District.

We have been practising a poem by Roald Dahl (Little Red Riding Hood and the Wolf) since Term 1. The children will perform the poem for the school in the next few weeks during assembly.

Permission notes will be coming home for the Verse Speaking tomorrow. Transport will be by private vehicle.

## BIRTHDAYS

Happy Birthday and best wishes to Madison Fish, Mitchell Clark, Baden Manwaring and Rhys Andrews who celebrate their birthday this week.

## STUDENT INFORMATION UPDATE - 2016

Attached to the bulletin is a Student Information Update form. Could you please fill out all the information on the form and return it to the front office.

# MERIT AWARDS

Kinder -	Cameron Smits, Sonny Walker, Triston Reay
K/1 -	Xavier Bendall, Riley Gough, Ella Moreau
1/2 -	Taylah Gill, Seth Jarrett
2/3 -	Aimee Lamb, Alina Henry, Jack Wilson
4/5 -	Camani Collis, Ella Butler, Maddison Caruana
5/6 -	Harrison Morgan, Pippa Walsh, Tia Renomeron

# PRINCIPALS AWARDS

Kinder: -	William Tiyce
K/1 -	Jackson Davis
1/2 -	Kyah Schell
2/3 -	Jack Woods
4/5 -	Kristina Esposito
5/6 -	Hunter Woods



## COVERING READERS

We have just purchased a large number of new readers for the infants classrooms and we would LOVE some help to cover them so they last!



***When: Friday, 3<sup>rd</sup> June at 10am  
(after assembly)***

***Where: In the library.***

We will supply a cuppa and cake.