

# The Bulletin

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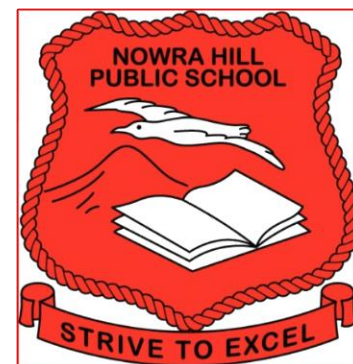
Dear Parents/Carers,

It remains a busy time at The Hill, and we ask for your support to stay **up to date** with all the happenings through the NHPS App and the Facebook page, and by checking with your child for any messages or notes they may need to pass on.

This week myself, Mr Bagnall and Mrs White will attend a two day workshop about **Inquiry Based Learning**, with the highly inspirational and respected Kath Murdoch. Kath's research and evidence based practices are proving to be extremely successful in engaging students and personalising their learning, and we hope to continue implementing this pedagogy in the primary classes. Miss Classon will be attending a training session about utilizing and managing iPads across the whole school and we are very grateful for her initiative in managing our increasingly large bank of devices.

In Week 9, myself and Mrs White will be holding a **Parent Information Night** about interpreting your child's school report. This is available for interested parents/carers who would like to know more about what the A-E reporting scale means and how to better use the PLAN Feedback to Parent's report that is now also issued semesterly. Please respond via the NHPS App if you are interested in attending.

In Week 10, we will be holding a formal time for **parent teacher interviews**. More information about available times and dates will be shared through the NHPS App, so please keep a look out for the information. If you are unable to attend at the available times, please see your child's teacher as they will always be able to make alternative arrangements with you, just as they are always available throughout the year for any discussions you wish to have regarding your child's education. A big thank you to those parents who do



## Weekly Events

### Mondays

Library

### Tuesdays

School Banking

### Wednesdays

Canteen

Gymnastics – Term 2 only

### Thursdays

Scripture

### Fridays

Sports Uniform

9am – Assembly

2:15pm – Uniform Shop

## Upcoming Events

### Wednesday, 14<sup>th</sup> June

P & C Meeting

### Thursday, 15<sup>th</sup> June

5/6 AFL Gala Day

### Tuesday, 20<sup>th</sup> June

Parent Information Night:  
*Interpreting your child's report*

### Monday, 26<sup>th</sup> June

Small Schools Athletics  
Carnival

### Wednesday, 28<sup>th</sup> June

Australian Ballet workshops  
and performance

come in to ask questions, or raise any concerns, as we are always happy to address any issues, as long as we know about them!

Also in Week 10 we have the Small Schools Athletics Carnival and we have organised a very special visit from the **Australian Ballet Dance Education Ensemble**, through the Bundanon Trust. The Ensemble will run a visual arts workshop and a dance workshop for the Year 6 class and 4/5B, and a whole school dance performance, **at no cost to the students**. This is a very special opportunity for our school to experience high quality, dance performance and instruction and we are very excited about this special visit.

**Finally, a big thank you to all those parents who are starting to use or Kiss and Drop zone correctly**, making sure they pull up **parallel** to the school fence when making the drop!

Regards

Mr Gordon Parrish  
Principal

## Birthdays

Happy Birthday and best wishes to the following students who celebrate their birthday this week.

**Kayleigh McCall**

**Cooper Fahey**



## More Important News

### PSSA REGIONAL CROSS COUNTRY CARNIVAL

Last Friday, 3 of our students (Geena Viney, Matthew Higham and Nicholas Iloski) represented our school and the Shoalhaven District at the South Coast Regional Cross Country Carnival at Willandra. Nicholas came 32nd, Geena came 52nd and Matthew came 4<sup>th</sup>, with each race having approximately 80 runners. An excellent run from Matthew who now represents the South Coast at the State Cross Country early next term at Eastern Creek. A fantastic result from all 3 runners.

## Merit Awards

**KR** – Noah Pedersen, Jett O'Connell, Lily deBrett

**K/1R** – Josie Lovell, Cameron Smits, Brookelin Shaw

**1/2R** – Michael Gibney, Sonny Walker

**2/3B** – Taj Westall, Jaxon Bruzzese, Lily Sproule

**3/4V** – Leigha Barrett, Alina Henry

**4/5B** – Seth F, Riley Ball

**6WP** – Mitch Clark, Nicholas Iloski, Alyson Kettlewell

**Library** – Natalie Barrett

## Principal's Awards

**KR** – Winter Clark

**K/1R** – Tiarn Schell

**1/2R** – Hudson Machin

**2/3B** – Summer King

**3/4V** – Keonie Adams

**4/5B** – Denzel Atkinson

**6WP** – Lois Fleming

## YEAR 3/4 SHOALHAVEN EISTEDDFOD-VERSE SPEAKING

Good luck to the Year 3/4 class who today take part in the Shoalhaven Eisteddfod Verse Speaking at the Shoalhaven Entertainment Centre. The children have put a lot of hard work and effort into this since Term 1.

## FIIST (SMALL SCHOOLS) ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

The Small Schools Athletics Carnival is on Monday, 26th June at Ron Brown Oval adjacent to Shoalhaven High School and will involve all students turning 8-13 years of age this year. A permission note is coming home with children early next week. Notes and money must be in by Friday, 23rd June (end of Week 9). If there is inclement weather, which would postpone the Carnival for that Monday, then the permission note will suffice for the back-up date of Thursday, 29th June.

## HOLIDAY SOCCER CLINICS

Shoalhaven Football (Soccer) will be running Holiday Clinics in July as follows: Ages u/6 – u/13

WHERE : Shoalhaven Heads - July 6th & 7th, 9 am – 12 noon    Cost = \$70

South Nowra - July 11th, 12th & 13th, 9 am – 12 noon    Cost = \$100

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**Science Viva – Mini Beasts**