

NEWSLETTER

NYMBOIDA PUBLIC SCHOOL



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2 NOVEMBER 2023
WEEK 4 TERM 4

TERM 4 CALENDAR

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Carers,

Bushfires

We certainly have had an interesting last two weeks with the bushfire! We are very thankful that all our school families are safe, and many properties were saved. A big thank you goes to the RFS and other volunteers who have kept the school and Village safe. Please make sure you are prepared this summer and let us know if you need any assistance with anything.

Principal Term 4

It is lovely to have Ms Hankinson back with us a couple of days a week this term. When Ms Hankinson is not on site, Mrs Rainbow will be Relieving Principal. Either of them would be happy to chat or address any concerns that arise.

Kindergarten Orientation

So far, we have welcomed Luna and Rufus to our Kindergarten Orientation programme and we are very pleased to have them here! So far, our new friends have had lots of fun being in with the current K-2 students and learning what it is like to be at "big school." We were set to finish the programme next week (Week 5), but due to the school closure last week, we are extending it for one week. In Weeks 5 and 6 the new students will be invited to stay all day on Tuesdays and until end of lunch (11:30am) on Fridays.

Fri 3 Nov

- Swim & Gym commences
- Kindy Transition - 8.45-10.45

Mon 6 Nov

- Writing Day Tucabia PS - Yr K-5
- Yr 6 Transition Coutts Crossing PS

Tue 7 Nov

- Kindy Transition - All day

Fri 10 Nov

- Yr 6 Transition Day - Solitary Isl Wooli.
- Swim & Gym
- Kindy Transition - 8.45-10.45

Canteen

Tomorrow, we look forward to our sushi for lunch, which we will eat prior to going to Swim and Gym. There are still a few Fridays without any canteen volunteers this term, so if you can spare some time on a Friday, we would love to hear from you!

Canteen

Fri 3 Nov - Sian

Fri 10 Nov - Volunteer Required

Fri 17 Nov - Volunteer Required

Fri 24 Nov - Jamee

Fri 1 Dec - Volunteer Required

Fri 8 Dec - Volunteer Required

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Swim and Gym

Tomorrow marks the first day of our annual trek into South Grafton Pool for Swim and Gym. These sessions are enjoyed by all students each year and they have been very excited to get started in 2023. Your child/ren can either wear their swimmers under their school uniform to school or bring them and change at lunch time. After each session has finished, students will change into their school uniforms to travel back to school. Thongs or slip on shoes are permitted to be worn at the pool, but normal school shoes must be worn to school in the morning. Please remember to pack a towel, as well as underwear if swimmers are worn to school. We should have time for a little snack at some stage in the afternoon, so please also pack some recess and water.

Boutique Schools Writing Day - Tucabia PS

On Monday we will be travelling to Tucabia for the Boutique Schools Writing Day. We will join Cowper PS, Baryugil PS and Tucabia PS at the event. This time we will also be joined by the skipping group from Gillwinga PS who will be teaching us some fantastic skipping routines. Notes were sent home earlier this week. There are still some outstanding permission notes so please return them by tomorrow.

New Phone System

We have recently installed a new phone system at the school and Mrs Johnson has been busy setting it all up. However, there are still a few bits and pieces to learn, so we apologise in advance if you call us and find yourselves hung up on! Hopefully we will master the new system soon.

New Demountable Classroom

You may notice some workmen on site over the next few weeks as preparations are made for our new demountable classroom. This area will be a work site until it is complete, and it will be roped off and "out of bounds" for students for safety reasons.

Remainder of Term 4

The remainder of the term is set to be very busy with many exciting activities and events. Although this time of year can be very exciting and somewhat tiring for students, we do still expect the same level of acceptable behaviour as we have all year, and students are still expected to follow school rules.

Around the school





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KINDERGARTEN ORIENTATION



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DATES:

Fri 20th Oct - 8.45-10.45
Tue 24th Oct - 8.45-10.45
Fri 27th Oct - 8.45-10.45
Tue 31st Oct - All Day
Fri 3rd Nov - All Day 8.45 - 10.45
Tue 7th Nov - All Day 8.45 - 10.45
Fri 10 Nov - All Day 8.45 - 10.45

You're
Invited!

We welcome children who are enrolling in Kindergarten in 2024 to join us for our transition program. If you know of any families in the area with children ready to start school, please encourage them to contact Nymboida PS for more information!

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