

NEWSLETTER

NYMBOIDA PUBLIC SCHOOL



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WEEK 3 TERM 3

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Carers,
Congratulations to Sonny who participated in the Clarence District Athletics Carnival last week. Sonny came 2nd in discus and will be advancing to the Mid North Coast Athletics Carnival. We wish him all the best!

Premier's Spelling Bee

The Premier's Spelling Bee Regional Final will be held next Monday at the school via Zoom. Alexia and Oliver will be participating. Good luck to both students!

Small Schools Big Impact Concert

Thank you to all the parents who have returned the EOI for their child to attend the SSBI concert at Market Square on Wednesday 30 August at 6pm. Just a reminder that Miss Amanda has been very busy teaching the students their dance moves, and it is so important that they all attend the concert as their dance positions have been assigned. If you envisage any difficulties driving your child to the event, please contact the school as soon as possible.

Book Week / Education Week

A reminder that our Book Week Parade will be held in two weeks time. We are all very excited to see what characters turn up to school that day! If you need help with costumes, please let us know as we may be able to help.

Life Education Visit

Healthy Harold will soon be visiting our school! Thank you to the parents who have returned permission notes and money for this important educational program.

Have a great week,
Louise Hankinson
Principal

TERM 3 CALENDAR

Fri 4 Aug - Milkiri Art Dance Visit

Mon 7 Aug - Premier's Spelling Bee

Tue 15 Aug - Yr 6 CAPA day - SGHS

Thu 17 Aug - Book Week Parade /
Education Week

Thu 24 Aug - Life Education visit

Wed 30 Aug - SSBI Concert Grafton

Wed 6 Sep - Wooli Traditional Games

Year 6 Excursion to Brisbane

The Year 5/6 excursion to Brisbane is only six weeks away, and just a reminder to parents that payments by instalments may be made to assist with the payment of the excursion. The total cost to parents is \$350.00. The new parent portal (see info attached) is now up and running and you can make payments easily using this system.

Happy Birthday!

**Happy belated birthday to Raven for the 30th Jul,
and to Ami who will celebrate her birthday on Mon 14 Aug**

CANTEEN

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Provided by Angela!

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SCHOOLBYTES PARENT PORTAL

What is the School Bytes portal

The School Bytes portal provides flexibility for you to conveniently:

- Make school payments online (including paying for multiple siblings at once)
- Use a family credit to pay for an activity or school contributions
- Download a receipt for payments made
- View all historical payments in one place
- Complete and submit digital permission notes
- View the status of all permission notes
- Request a refund if required

This can be done where you want at any time: day or night.

Through the portal, you will easily be able to download a receipt once a payment has been made and have access to view all historical payments when needed. Online payments are processed in real-time and can be viewed by school staff immediately.

While our preference is for payments to be made via the portal, we will still accept payment via cash, cheque, money order and EFTPOS.

OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CARE - UP AND RUNNING!



This is exciting news for our school community!

The Out Of School Hours Care program from 3pm-6pm has commenced at our school!

You can find more information about TheirCare on their website:

<https://theircare.com.au/>.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the school, or the Before and After School Care Program team at the Department of Education by:

Phone: 1300 244 145 or

Email at: BASCReform@det.nsw.edu.au.