

# The Kookaburra

North Nowra Public School News

*Empowering a Positive future for our Learning Community*

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Term 1, Week 9

Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> March, 2018

## Term 1 2018

Canteen Open Tues, Wed and Thurs

Uniform Shop Wednesday 8.30am – 9.30am

### Week 9

March 27 NRMA Road Safety & Science visit – All school

Helmet Safety Talk – Years 2-6

March 29 Easter Hat Parade – 12 noon start

Mufti Day – Gold Coin Donation – Tathra bushfire appeal

March 30 Good Friday Public Holiday

Week 10 – No newsletter this week.

April 2 Easter Monday Public Holiday

### Week 11

April 9 PBL Celebration Assembly – 9:15am

April 10 Stage 2 AFL Gala Day

April 11 NNPS Cross Country Carnival

## No Newsletter Week 10

Parents and Carers please note that due to the Easter break there will be no newsletter coming home with your child in Week 10. We will be posting school updates on our facebook page and also on our website.

## Tathra Bushfire Appeal – NNPS Mufti Day

More than 70 homes and businesses were burnt to the ground in Tathra just under two weeks ago. Our school community understands the devastation this causes individuals and communities as a whole.

We are holding a mufti day this Thursday with a gold coin donation. The money will go directly to the Tathra bushfire appeal. Please send your child to school in mufti Thursday. We will additionally do a call out at the Easter hat parade for anyone who wishes to donate again. Every little bit helps the Tathra community. Thank you for your support.

## Easter hat parade – March 29<sup>th</sup> – 12 noon start.

**Craft donations being sought for hat making.**



**Please send in with your child to their class teacher. Thank you!**  
**Raffle tickets on sale on the day.**

## Health Care for your child

Parents are sometimes unsure if they can send their children to school when they are experiencing some health conditions. This web site covers many health conditions, such as worms, whooping cough, ring worm, influenza, etc. It is an A-Z directory of conditions and their treatments. This is a very valuable resource for families.

<http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/wellbeing/health/too-sick-to-go-to-school>

## ANZAC Day March and School Assembly

Bomaderry RSL Sub Branch is holding a Dawn Service at Walsh Memorial Park, Bomaderry commencing at 5:45am on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> April. The main service will begin directly after the ANZAC Day March which will step off at 9:10am from the RSL Club. If you would like your child to participate in the march, please meet us on the corner of Bunberrra & Coomea Streets at 8:55am, dressed in full school uniform. Concluding the service, parents can collect their children from Walsh Memorial Park.

Our school ANZAC Day assembly will take place on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> May at 10:30am. This is the first day of term 2. We are asking for students to bring flowers into school to make class wreaths, and we warmly invite families to attend our assembly.

**Thank you, Mrs Green.**



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## Relay for Life



The Relay for Life is an event held annually to raise funds for the Cancer Council. The funds raised help individuals and families in need to access goods and services that help lighten their load in life. For example, one of the services offered to those in need is a housekeeper. These services help greatly. The NNPS team were in their first year as participants and learnt a lot about how to fundraise for the event, what is expected when you are there and also how much fun it is!



Mrs Daley, Mrs Viney and Mr Wright-Smith at the Relay for Life

Mrs Viney was our team captain and she did a marvellous job at organising for us to go to the event and setting us up when we got there. She also created extra fundraising activities like our purple and yellow mufti day, that went towards our fundraising efforts as a team.



Some of the NNPS team at the event

**Thank you** to all the staff that attended, supported and raised funds for this event. Especially, **THANK YOU to Mrs Viney**. You have done us proud as a school community and our goal was to raise \$1000 and we raised \$96.00 more than our goal.

## Roll of Honour Soundscape

The Roll of Honour soundscape is an initiative of The Australian War Memorial to commemorate the Centenary of ANZAC. The project is inviting school children from across Australia to assist in recording the name and age of one of the 62,000 Australians who died during the First World War. These voice recordings are then played in the First World War section of the Cloisters in the Commemorative Area of the Australian War Memorial in Canberra. The rationale for this is to engage young Australians in developing their understanding of and connection with Australia's involvement in conflicts past and present.

Stage 3 students will be taking part in recording names using an app specifically designed for the project. The students are not identified in the project, it is simply an audio recording. If you do not wish for your Stage 3 child to be involved, please send a note in to their classroom teacher.

Additionally, for any student in K-6 who has a relative who died in WWI, we want to invite you to record that relative's name and age. If this is you, please send a note in to your child's classroom teacher with the full name of your family member as it appears on the First World War Roll of Honour so we can find their details using the app. The eldest child will be invited to record that name. We will be recording the names at school during week 11.

Mrs Green - DSTA



## P&C NEWS



**Easter Raffle** - We have had many families donate Easter goodies for the raffle and we wish to thank you for your support.

The winners of the Easter raffle will be drawn at the end of the Easter hat parade. Tickets will be on sale before the hat parade for \$1 per ticket.

**Colour Run4Fun** - Sponsorship packs will be coming home with this newsletter for the Colour Run4Fun which will be held Sunday May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at 10am. Happy fundraising!

**Canteen** – The canteen is open every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday and lunch orders are to be placed before 9am.

Thank you to our school community for supporting our P&C Fundraising events at North Nowra Public School.



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## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

**ALBATROSS MUSICAL THEATRE COMPANY**  
PRESENTS  
**#JAMpact!**  
A SHOWCASE OF YOUNG TALENT  
**APRIL 14 7:30PM**  
TICKETS: \$15  
BOOKINGS: TRYBOOKING.COM  
VENUE: NOWRA, ANGLICAN COLLEGE

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### SCHOOL HOLIDAYS!

**WEEK 1**

**MONDAY - MINI NINJAS - 1:30PM - 3PM - 5YR TO 12YRS - \$15**  
**TUESDAY - GYMNASTICS, ACROBATICS & TUMBLING - 9:30AM - 12:30PM - 4YR TO 12YR - \$25**  
**WEDNESDAY - ARCHERY BOOTCAMP - 9AM - 1PM - 8YRS TO 16 YRS \$25**  
**FRIDAY - PARKOUR/URBAN MOVEMENT - 1PM - 3PM - 12YR TO 16YR - \$25 (COVERS BOTH WEEKS)**

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**BOOK NOW TO LOCK IN YOUR SPOT!  
PLACES ARE LIMITED!  
CALL US ON 4421 8588 TO BOOK!**

### Interested in running, jogging or walking for fun or fitness?

Victory runners Inc. is a brand new running club starting up in the beautiful Shoalhaven District. Victory runners has a main focus on fitness and fun for the whole community, our aim is to promote running and walking as a healthy, affordable, inclusive recreational activity where all are welcome and encouraged. Our activities will be conducted each week with the hope of multiple family members being able to attend and enjoy recreation together.

For more information please phone Victory Runners Secretary - Jan Gibb on 44460226 or email [info@victoryrunners.com.au](mailto:info@victoryrunners.com.au)



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