

# Nathalia Primary School Newsletter

April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2019

## Apprenticeship Factory

Paula Ryan from the Apprenticeship Factory was at the school assembly on Monday with a huge cheque for our school. The Apprenticeship Factory has donated \$2500 towards re-painting the lines on the netball / basketball court area of the school.

This donation is greatly appreciated and the work will be completed as soon as possible.

## Dismissal Time

This Friday is the final day of term 1. The children will be dismissed at 2.20pm. The buses will run an hour earlier in the afternoon to cater for the earlier the normal dismissal time.



## Parents Club

Parent's Club wish to thank the whole school community for helping make the canteen a success. A big thank you goes to all the people that helped with either food prepping, serving and cleaning up. It was amazing!

Our next event will be our Mother's Day Morning and Mother's Day gift stall for the students. This will be held on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May. More information to follow next term. Thanks, Lisa-Ann

## Student Attendance

The school has set the target of 95% attendance for the year and, so far, we are achieving that target. Congratulations to Ms Willcock's class for winning the March challenge, having the highest rate of attendance across the school last month.

We will continue to monitor attendance and celebrate attendance achievements throughout the year.

## Nathalia Kids are Friendly Kids "Taking Turns"

Isabella, Harry, Ivy, Harrison, Sereana and Matty

**Sports Awards:** River, Ryan and Lexie



### Dates to Remember:

April 3<sup>rd</sup> - Parents Club AGM and General Meeting

April 5<sup>th</sup> - End of Term 1 (2.20pm dismissal)

April 23<sup>rd</sup> - Start of Term 2 (Easter Tuesday)

April 25<sup>th</sup> - ANZAC Day

May 10<sup>th</sup> - Mother's Day Morning Tea

May 29<sup>th</sup> - Open Day



## Interschool Athletic Sports

The Interschool Athletic Sports were held last Thursday at the Nathalia Recreation Reserve and they were a huge success. The children had the opportunity to participate in every event and the children across the six schools competed in good spirit and with enthusiasm.

A big thanks to Doug Cobbledick for setting up the oval and getting all the equipment ready for the children. Doug is a wonderful person to have in our community and he promotes healthy exercise through athletics at every opportunity.

The Nathalia Primary School Parents Club catered for the event and the canteen did steady business throughout the day. Thankyou to everyone who was able to help out in the canteen. This is a big task to take on and the funds raised are significant. The Parents Club raised over \$1,100 through the canteen which is a great reward for lots of hard work.



Thank you to the Secondary College students from Nathalia Secondary College and St Mary of the Angels Secondary College who came to the sports on their pupil free day to help us out. They did a great job helping out with several events and were a credit to themselves and great representatives of their schools.



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**Saturday 13th April, 7.30pm**

**Sunday 14th April, 2pm**

St. Clare Auditorium, Chapel Street Nathalia

**Adults \$20, Children/pensioners \$15**

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