

# Nathalia Primary School Newsletter

October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2021

## Students Attending On-Site (Don't forget your broad brimmed school hat!)

Today we have all of our grade Prep—2 students attending on site. We also have all of the students in grade 3—4 and some students from grades 5 and 6. Tomorrow all of our grade 5 and 6 students are expected to attend on-site at school and remote learning will no longer be provided.

**All grade 3 and 4 students can also attend tomorrow (Thursday)** and there is an expectation that they will all be in attendance on Friday.

This week marks the end of remote learning for our school and we hopefully can have an uninterrupted period at school for the remainder of the school year.

Melbourne Cup Day is the only public holiday this term. There are no pupil free days planned for the remainder of term four until the last day of school for students on the 16th of December. This will maximise the opportunity for every student to attend school on every available day for the rest of the school year.

## Masks at School

Wearing masks is a proven method of restricting the transmission of COVID 19 in our community. The wearing of masks by year 3—6 students will be implemented according to the guidelines that have been provided.

All students in grades 3—6 must wear approved face masks when they are indoors at school. The school is providing child sized masks for students who have not brought their own mask but the preferred option is for children to have a mask that has been brought from home.

Children in Prep—2 are advised to wear masks indoors but this is not compulsory.

The students do not need to wear their masks when they are in the playgrounds.

## Visitors to the School

Parents and other visitors to the school must check into the office using the QR Code system. All visitors to the school, including parents, must be vaccinated and be prepared to provide evidence of their vaccination status to the office staff.

This process is in place to protect the safety of the children in our school.

## School Cleaner

I welcome Amy Street, "Amy the Cleaning Lady", to the staff at Nathalia Primary School. Amy is on a short term contract while the school works through a tendering process for a longer term contract.

The position of School Cleaner will be advertised in the Redgum Courier this week and the Shepparton News in Friday's edition.

### Forthcoming Events:

**Thursday the 21st of October—All students return to on-site learning—Revised Date**

Tuesday the 2nd of November—Melbourne Cup Day Public Holiday

Thursday the 9th of December—School Concert

Thursday the 16th of December—Last day for students

Friday the 17 of December—End of Term 4

# Celebrating the End of Remote Learning!



This Friday the 22nd of October at 2.20 pm.

## A Whole School Games afternoon on the school oval.



**This will be fantastic  
fun and a great way  
to mark the end of  
the era of remote  
learning.**