



Nathalia Primary School

Newsletter— December 19th, 2018

Nathalia Kids are Friendly Kids

This week's theme is "Celebrate!"

Choir

The choir did a great job singing at the Community Carols last Friday. Many thanks to parents for bringing the children along to this community event. Karen King-Jones.

Last Student Day of Term

The children will leave the school at 10.00am tomorrow morning and head to the pool for the day. Please ensure they have the appropriate sun protection for, what is predicted, a warm and sunny day. The children will return to school at 2.00pm for a final assembly before they are dismissed at 2.20pm for the end of term. Buses will be running an hour earlier than the usual run.

Swimming The swimming program commences in the third week of term one in 2019. It is important that all children learn how to swim and understand water safety. The highest priority is placed on participation in the swimming program. It is not an elective but a core component of the curriculum.

I urge all families to take their children to the pool over summer to improve their swimming skills. Supervised playing at the pool is a great way to build confidence in a child and these skills will stand them in good stead for a lifetime.

I wish all families a happy Christmas and look forward to seeing everyone fresh, recharged and ready to go in 2019.



Pictured above is Blair the fishin' magician, the only person to catch a fish during the activities sessions held in the last week of term.

Free to a Good Home

I have two bikes that have been donated to the school to be given away to families who could use them. One of the bikes is new and the other is used but in good condition. They are BMX style and would suit children from about grade three and up.

Please contact the school if you would like one or both of the bikes.

Students of the Week

Stefanie, Billy, Taylah, Tristan,
Lucy and Ewan



Sports Awards

Kai and Mary



Dates to Remember:

December 17—20—Swimming

December 20—Last day of school for the students

January 31—Students Return in 2019

February 11—Swimming Program begins