



Nathalia Primary School

Newsletter

April 5th, 2023

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE - Mr Troy Woolley

Congratulations

The staff, students and community would like to congratulate Jen McKillop in her successful appointment to a DET regional position as part of the school improvement workforce. We wish Jen all the best as she moves onto an exciting opportunity to improve educational outcomes for students across a number of schools. Nathalia PS will probably see Ms McKillop working in her new role with our students in the near future.

Thank you for your dedicated approach to teaching at NPS over the last 4 years.

New Staff

Our grade 5/6 class will have a new teacher, Miss Caitlin Columbus starting with us first day next term. Caitlin was able to join us yesterday for our planning day and had a great chance to meet staff and be involved in planning for term 2. We welcome her to our school.

Also starting first day next term we have Mr Daniel Murray who will be completing his final teaching round in the 4/5 class with Mrs Lindsay. When he has completed his training he will be joining us as a teacher later in the year.

Lauren Patten and Tarni Phillips will also be commencing work with us during next term. Both Lauren and Tarni will be working in an education support role helping students with additional needs.

Thank you

A huge thank you to the parents club for organising our amazing Easter Raffle. The prizes looked amazing and heaps of tickets were returned to the school.

Athletics Sports

On Friday 24th March, NPS students competed against other local schools in our annual athletics day. It was great to see all of our students giving all of the sports their very best efforts. Thank you to the staff for coaching and teaching the students all of the skills need to compete at this event.

The following students will be competing at the next level after having success at this event.

Zac Ebejer Discuss 11yo, Paulie Sherer-Richards Shotput 11yo and Hurdles 11yo, Harry Baxter 200m 10yo, Blair Watson 800m 12 yo, Pia Coghlan High Jump 10 yo and Triple Jump, Ava Bourke Long Jump 12 yo and 800m 12 yo, Femke Wijmenga Triple jump 12 yo, Ashia Guthrie Discus and Shotput 12 yo, Amelia Patone Hurdles 10 yo, Ivy Patone 100m & 800m 12yo.

Well done to these who will be notified of competition dates early next term.

Head Lice Check

Over the last week we have had a number of head lice reports come to the school. Please ensure that you are checking your child/ren hair regularly and treating as necessary.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Thursday 6th April: Last Day Term 1 - 2.30pm dismissal (buses will be an hour early)

Monday 24th April: First Day Term 2 - 9.00am assembly

Tuesday 25th April: ANZAC DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY - SCHOOL CLOSED

Thursday 4th May: SMOTA Grade 6 Transition Day

Friday 5th May: *PUPIL FREE DAY* - Nathalia Learning Community PD

Wednesday 10th May: Nathalia Secondary College Open Day



Come and explore your opportunities

Grade 6 Transition Day

Thursday 4th May, 2023

10.10am - 1.45pm. Booking are essential via the QR Code

St Mary of the Angels Secondary College is proud to invite all current Grade 6 students along with their Parent/Guardian to attend our Grade 6 Transition Day. The day will have a series of activities including sessions in our Science, Textile, Wood, Food and Music classes.

The day offers an opportunity to meet students from other schools and familiarize themselves with the College.

For Grade 6 Transition Day Bookings:
Ph: 03 5866 2222 or visit www.smotanathalia.catholic.edu.au



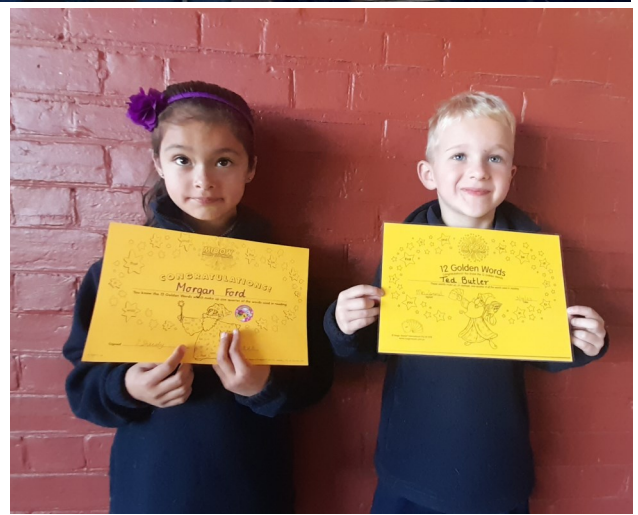
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THIS WEEK'S SCHOOL AWARD WINNERS



SCHOOL YARD SUPERVISION

Parents are reminded that student supervision in the school yard commences at 8.30am.

Please drop your children off after this time.

If you are in need of before or after school care, please contact Nathalia Community Early Learning Centre on 5866 2088.



JOIN THE FUN!

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Wednesday the 19th of April
10am-12pm

Register via Scanning QR code



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