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Principal's Report

'FIVER FOR A FARMER'



Great news!. We successfully raised \$200 for those farmers impacted by the severe drought in NSW and QLD.

Our 'farmer' look alike students, dressed with an Akubra, a 'flanny' shirt and boots with chooks and a kelpie dog, all looked the part in the Express Newspaper photo. It was an example of our students, deciding to put their 'empathy into action' to help out the rural community impacted by the severe drought. Our full amount of money raised will be shared between Rural Aid and Drought Angels.

FATHER'S DAY RAFFLE

The school's Fundraising Team are **seeking suitable items for the Father's Day Raffle**. Donated items can be placed in the box provided, in the office. Thankyou to those families who have done this :)

Tickets and monies must be **returned by Friday 31st of August**. This raffle will be **drawn** at the Coles BBQ fundraiser on **Saturday 1st of September**.

CHOCOLATE DRIVE

A reminder to those families who ordered box/s of chocolates, that they can **picked up from school when the full amount for each box is paid for**. Thank you to those families who supported this fundraiser for our school :)

SCHOOL COUNCIL UPDATE

We require a volunteer to fill a **casual vacancy position on school Council**. This involves attending/participating in the three remaining School Council meetings for 2018. Please phone/SMS Kevin to express your interest or to ask any questions regarding this voluntary position.

This weeks MINUTES of the School Council Meeting are attached to this newsletter.

The next School Council Meeting is on **Tuesday 11th September**. All parents are welcome to attend.

PERMISSION FORMS

Permission forms were sent home on Wednesday for students attending **camp** and for students going on the **Melbourne excursion** (6th Sept) **Please sign and return forms asap**, thankyou.

BREAKFAST PROGRAM

Thank-you to Mel who has kindly agreed to be our Wednesday 'breakie lady' for the rest of the term.

ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Good luck to our qualifying students who will compete on **Tues 4th Sept**.

FUNDRAISING VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED

The fundraising team are seeking volunteers for a **BBQ at Coles in Moe on Saturday 1st September**.

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NEW POLICY STUDENT ABSENCE

As from **Term 3, 2018**, DET has a new parent requirement re their child's absence from school. **Parents are required to ring or SMS the school, on the day, if your child will be absent from school**. In addition to this, parents of bus travelling students, can you please SMS Ken's mobile number to notify him that there will be a spare seat on the bus for a casual bus traveller.

2018 PARENT OPINION SURVEY

Thankyou to those families who have completed the 2018 Parent Opinion Survey. A reminder to those who have yet to do so, you only have until **Sunday 2nd September 2018**.

LIFE ED VAN

Students will travel to Thorpdale P.S for a Life Ed Van session on **Thursday 20th September**.

Regards *Kevin*.

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0400 563 334

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REMINDERS

**Term 3
2018**

**MARC Van
Monday afternoons**

**PARENT OPINION
SURVEY END
Sunday 2nd
September**

**GUMNUTS
PLAYGROUP
Monday, 3rd
September
at 9:30 a.m.**

**ATHLETIC
CHAMPIONSHIP
DAY
Selected students only
Tuesday 4th September**

**MELBOURNE
EXCURSION
Erth's Prehistoric
Aquarium
Thursday
6th September**

**Grade 3/4 CAMP
Waratah Bay Camp
Wed 5th—Fri 7th
September**

**SCHOOL COUNCIL
Next meeting Tuesday
11th September**

**LIFE ED VAN
SESSION
Thursday 20th
September**

**MELBOURNE ZOO
EXCURSION**

**FUTURE DATES
Term 3 finish
Friday 21st September**

Bus Business

**Bus Monitor:
Quynh-Anh / Laedy
Sienna (relief)
Best on Bus
Hana and Luke**

Please contact/text our bus driver, Ken Grant on his mobile **0400 563 334** before 8:15 a.m. Please **TEXT** Ken if your child/children will **not** be attending school or you are a casual travelling student and would like to book a seat. Don't forget to include your family name in the text message.



Please ensure your bus payments are kept up to date. \$20 per week per child. A cash tin is on the bus daily to receive bus monies or any other payments to the school.

A reminder that payments need to be made each fortnight for bus travel. If families become four or more weeks behind in their payments then the child/children will **NOT** be allowed to travel on the bus until what is owing is paid.

8:30 (set up) – 10:30am
Hanno
Mel
Tanya
? _____
10:30 – 12:30pm
Liz
? _____
? _____
? _____
12:30 – 2:30pm
Carrie
? _____
? _____
? _____
2:30 – 4:30pm (pack up) Drawing Raffle
Carrie
Mel
Hanno
? _____

BBQ VOLUNTEERS



NEEDED

Please phone or SMS Kevin if you are available to help out during the day. Here is a list of times filled and those yet to be filled.



Account Payments

For those families who would like to pay their accounts by direct debit the school's banking details are as follows:
Narracan Primary School

**BSB 06 3521
Ac No 1006 2842**

GUMNUTS PLAYGROUP

Gumnuts Playgroup meets at 9:30 a.m on **Monday 3rd of September.**



Newsletter

The next newsletter will be sent home on **Friday 7th of September.**

Hot Lunches

During term 3, lunches may be sent to school to be heated in the oven. Please ensure **clearly named food items** are wrapped in foil, or placed in an **oven-proof container**, ready to be placed in the school oven at

morning play.

