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Narracan Primary School Newsletter

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Principal's Report

School Council Elections

Thank-you to Mel McGowen (parent vacancy) and Xandy Hulbert (DET vacancy) who re-nominated for another year on School Council. We say thank-you to former council members Rohen, Jenny and Janine who have all held numerous office bearer positions over many years. On behalf of our school community we appreciate all your hours of generous, volunteer service to School Council. The three vacant parent positions were filled by Tanya Harkom, Peter Brandon and Hanno Schloetel. Thanks to Tanya, Peter and Hanno for their nominations. Our School Council team look forward to their participation in the running/decision making process at Narracan Primary.

Grade 5/6 Melbourne Camp

A friendly reminder to parents of **Grade 5/6** students going to camp on **Monday**. We will be leaving from the **Moe** Railway Station and the train leaves at 7:59 a.m. We would like all our students to arrive at the station no later than **7:45 a.m.** to ensure no-one is late.

Whole School Sports Day

Friday 9th March
The School Athletics will be held at the Joe Carmody Track in Newborough next Friday. Parents will need to transport their children to and from the track. There is **no bus** on this day. Children will need to be at the track at **8:45 a.m.** Children will need to bring their lunch, healthy snacks, water and a hat as well as wear

clothing and footwear suitable for sports well as sunscreen. A permission form will be sent home next week. 😊 Parents and family are welcome to join us for the day, to cheer our students on.



Tap Works

Thank-you to Asha's Dad Adam, who very kindly, donated, supplied and installed a new drinking tap. With all our extra students in 2018, they won't be going thirsty thanks to Adam's generosity.



Fundraising

Attached to today's newsletter is a list of proposed activities for fundraising. Any other ideas or feedback are welcome. If you would like to volunteer please contact the school.

School Council Minutes

The minutes of the last School Council Meeting dated February 27th are attached to this newsletter.

Kitchen News

Thanks goes to parent Emma who arranged to have our kitchen knives professionally sharpened in preparation for our "School Kitchen Cooking Program. Thank-you also to Roy of **A1 SHARP** mobile sharpening service for kindly servicing our knives at no cost to our school.

2017 Woolworths Sticker Promotion

With our Woolworths Earn and Learn rewards we were able to order these fantastic art supplies. The order included scissors, specialty papers, brushes and paint. Thank you to those families who collected points on behalf of our school.



Public Holiday

This is a reminder that **Monday 12th March** is the Labour Day Public Holiday. There is **NO SCHOOL** on this day.

Regards *Kevin*.

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REMINDERS

TERM 1
2018

MARC Van

Monday afternoons

TENNIS COACHING

Tuesday Mornings
9:15 – 11:00

GUMNUTS

PLAYGROUP

Monday 5th March
at 9:30 a.m.

GRADE 5/6

MELBOURNE CAMP

Monday 5th March—
Wednesday 7th March

WHOLE SCHOOL ATHLETICS

Friday 9th March
Joe Carmody Track
Newborough

LABOUR DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY

Monday 12th March

SENOIR ATHLETICS **9 to 12 year old**

Friday 16th March
Joe Carmody Track
Newborough

SCHOOL COUNCIL

Next scheduled
meeting
Tuesday 27th March at
4p.m.

TERM FINISH

Thursday 29th March

FUTURE DATES

Term 3

Gr. 3/4 Waratah Bay
Camp
Wed 5th—Fri 7th
September

Bus Business

Bus Monitor:
Laedy / Sienna
Best on Bus
Torri and Arthur

Please contact/text our
bus driver, Ken Grant
on his mobile
0400 563 334
before 8:15 a.m.

Please advise 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 or any other pay-
ments to the school.

A reminder that pay-
ments need to be made
each fortnight for bus
travel. If families be-
come 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.



BIRTHDAY CORNER

Best wishes to our
breakfast lady Celia
who celebrated her

birthday on Wednesday
Happy Birthday
to Oden who turns 10
on 13th of March.



SPORTS FOR SCHOOLS

The Sports for Schools Program has started!
For every \$10 spent at Coles Supermarkets,
one voucher will be issued.

**Please bring your vouchers to the school
office and/or you put them directly into
Narracan Primary school box located in the
Moe Coles store.**

The more vouchers the more sporting equip-
ment for our school!

Term 4 **Sun Smart Reminder**



During terms 1 & 4 **students**
need to wear a sun smart
hat when outside at all
times.

Student's hats need to be a wide brimmed
or bucket hat that covers their ears and
the back of their neck.

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 06 325 1
Ac No 1006 2842



Gumnuts Playgroup

Gumnuts Playgroup will
meet on Mon, 5th March
at 9:30 a.m. in the Sloyd
room.
New members welcome.

A I SHARP

Mobile sharpening Service
Commercial and Domestic
ROY 0417 353 031



Newsletter

The next edition of the
newsletter will be Friday 2nd
of March.

Proposed Fundraising Calendar for 2018

March: Easter Raffle and Liz Bulbs. Going out in the Narracan News to engage a larger audience.

March: Sausage sizzle at Coles Moe. Thursday 29th March 11am to ??

May: Mother's Day Raffle. Drawn just before Mother's Day

June: Trivia Night at Narracan Hall

July: Chocolate Drive

August: Liz Bulbs. Going out in the Narracan News to engage a larger audience.

September: Father's Day Raffle

October: Open Day?? To be discussed. Needing input from everyone for ideas

November: Movie Night

December: Christmas Raffle



Volunteers are required to man the stall at the **COLES SAUSAGE SIZZLE** being held on Thursday the 29th of March.

If you can help, please contact the school.

Jack's Special Salad

Slice

Lettuce

Tomato

Radish

Eggs

Mint

Chives

Cheese

Carrot

Capsicum.



and enjoy.