



# HAPPENINGS

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## District Swimming Carnival

Congratulations to our successful Swimming Team who have come away as **'Runners Up'** for the District! This is a huge achievement and the only school that was ahead of us has twice the enrolments of our school.

Congratulations to **Connor Potts** (Junior Boys) & **Joel Constable** (11 Years Boys) for being awarded **District Champions** for their age groups! Congratulations also to **Ilah Constable** (Junior Girls) & **Jett Cook** (Senior Boys) for being **Runners Up** in the age group.

I know Mrs Deaves and Mrs Pearce were very impressed with the sportsmanship and the behaviour of children on this day

Well done Narooma PS!

## Far South Coast Zone Basketball Trials

Last week, two of our student trialled for a position in the Far South Coast Basketball team which will play in the South Coast Championships.

Congratulations to **Dhardyan Hill** & **Jordyn H** for being selected for this team. We look forward to hearing about how the South Coast Championships go!

Good Luck Boys!

## Meet the Teacher Evening

Thank you to all the parents / carers who came along to the 'Meet the Teacher Evening' last week. The response was very pleasing and I would like to thank all of the parents and carers who took time to visit the school.

We understand that many others could not make this evening however, I encourage you all to make contact with your child's class teacher firstly if you have any queries about what is happening in their classroom.

## Afternoon Pick Up Procedures

The school has recognised a small systems problem with the 'Afternoon Pick Up' procedures. We will continue to assemble the children underneath the COLA of the hall and line them up in their appropriate lines for dismissal.

We request that parents keep this area clear and wait for children on the seated concrete area near our pizza oven. This will ensure the COLA is less congested and we can organise the children into their dismissal line more effectively.

Once the second bell has rung, the parents can collect children. We ask that parents wait until this bell to assist with our afternoon routine.

We thank the community for their anticipated co-operation and understanding.

## Safety Evacuation Practices

All schools are mandated by law to practice evacuation drills as part of their WHS (Work Health and Safety) procedures. These drills take the form of either: 1) Evacuation from the classrooms to the oval or basketball courts; 2) Lockdown in classroom and/or 3) Evacuation from Premises to the Golf Club Car park.

Later this term, our school will practice an 'Evacuation from classroom' drill. I am confident that in the unlikely event of an emergency, all children will know our expectations, which will ensure everyone is safe.

## Clean Up Australia Day

I would like to thank the children of Narooma PS for their participation in 'Clean Up Australia Day' last Friday. The Infant grades cleaned all around the school and the Primary grades left the grounds and cleaned the community around Surf Beach and Bill Smyth Oval.

I would also like to acknowledge Miss Symons for her organisation of this event.

## Deadlines and Payments

The school requests that families take notice of published deadlines stated on permission notes etc. These deadlines are to allow the necessary administration to take place.

On most occasions, these are set by the service provider for the administration to take place at their end.

To avoid any disappointment on missing out, please ensure all permission notes and money is paid by the stated deadline on these notes.

## Staffing News

Lyn Bambach in our office has taken a well-deserved holiday and thus is on Long Service Leave. During this time, Mrs Kim Newbold will be in the front office. I know everyone will understand that Mrs Newbold is learning the ropes and assists the office area in every way possible.

## School Photos

I would like to give parents an early warning that our 'School Photos' will be held on **Wednesday April 29**, first week back in Term 2.

We would like all children to be dressed in their full school summer uniform, which is their **white polo shirt**.

Later in the year, we will have our 'Sport & Special Groups' photos where children will be required to wear the new sport shirt then.

Thank you for your anticipated co-operation.

Paul Sweeney  
Principal

We would like to advise our parents and carers that we will be introducing a school communication app called *School Stream*. This app will allow instant notification of important news and it will help keep you up to date on events that are happening within our school. We will transition across to having our Happenings Newsletter being loaded onto the app and excursion permission notes being digital with the option of payments being made here as well. A few things on our app are still being finalised. Once completed, we will provide instructions for you on how to download the app. The app will be available to download for free.

### Clean Up Australia Day

On Friday, 28th February, Narooma Public School participated in the Schools Clean Up Australia Day. Students from Kindergarten through to Year 6 took an active role to look after the environment by collecting rubbish and sorting it into recycling and waste bags. This year our school was given a donation of gloves and bags for the children to use during the clean up. Kindergarten, Year 1 and 2 focused on tidying up our school and Year 3-6 did their job in the local community. Year 3 and 4 walked to Surf Beach while Year 5 and 6 looked after Bill Smyth Oval during their AFL Gala Day. I would like to thank everybody for their effort to help care for and protect the environment.

Miss Symons



### COMING EVENTS:

- Wed 11 Mar:** Stage 3 NRL Weyman Shield
- Fri 13 Mar:** District B & G Soccer Trials
- Fri 20 Mar:** District Rugby League Trials
- Wed 25 Mar:** Wake Up & Read - In school performance
- Thu 26 Mar:** District Netball Trials
- Wed 8 Apr:** K-2 AFL Skills Day
- Thu 9 Apr:** Easter Hat Parade
- Thu 9 Apr:** Last Day of Term 1
- Tue 28 Apr:** First Day of Term 2
- Wed 29 Apr:** School Photos

### Wake Up and Read

All students are invited to attend 'Wake Up and Read.' The show will take place in the school hall on Wednesday the 25<sup>th</sup> of March. 'Wake Up and Read' is a funny, well-paced comedy incorporating music, drama, mime, puppetry, magic and circus skills all linked with short charming tales about growing up in Australia.

There will be two shows;

**Kindergarten to Year 2:** 10.10 – 11.10am

**Year 3 to Year 6:** 12.00 – 1.00pm

The cost for the show will be \$5.00 per student. Students need to return their money and permission notes to their class room teachers as soon as possible.

### Level 3 Water Restrictions—Eurobodalla Shire

Water restrictions in the Eurobodalla Shire have now been reduced to Level 3. For information and details about water restrictions and how they apply to your home or business, visit Council's website [www.esc.nsw.gov.au/water](http://www.esc.nsw.gov.au/water) or phone 1800 441 070

### School Banking day is Wednesday

*Remember, Wednesday is School Banking day and students can bring in their weekly deposit by Tuesday of each week.*

For every deposit made at school, students will receive a silver Dollarmites token. Once students have individually collected 10 tokens they can redeem them for an exclusive School Banking reward item in recognition of their regular savings habits.

School Banking is also a great fundraiser for our school. Our school receives a Regular Savers Contribution of \$5 for every 10 deposits processed per student as well as an Annual Contribution which is based on the number of students who made at least one School Banking deposit in the prior year.

If your child has lost their book, please contact your School Banking Co-ordinator for a replacement or visit any Commbank Branch.

Thank you for supporting the School Banking program at Narooma Public School.

If you would like to know more about School Banking, please visit [www.commbank.com.au/schoolbanking](http://www.commbank.com.au/schoolbanking)

# NAROOMA PUBLIC SCHOOL P&C MEETING

THE NEXT MEETING WILL BE HELD ON:  
TUESDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> MARCH @ 7PM  
SCHOOL STAFF ROOM

SCHOOL UNIFORMS ARE NOW AVAILABLE  
FROM EZYPRINT IN NAROOMA.



BUCKET HATS ARE AVAILABLE FROM  
THE SCHOOL OFFICE AT A COST OF \$10



Eurobodalla Shire Council have advised that they will no longer be collecting the Lids 4 Kids so please be advised that unfortunately we are no longer a collection point. Thank you for your support.



## Volunteers Needed

Do you have a spare day, week or month?

**in Cobargo area  
to assist Property Owners rebuild  
their fences after the ongoing  
fires**

Ring on  
**0459 825 593**

No fencing experience necessary

Our base camp is at the Cobargo Sports  
Ground on Park Street

## Start your empowerment journey!

# ilyo Taekwondo

Narooma and Bermagui.

Tiny Tot Kwon Do- 3-5 yrs

Beginners and Adults Classes

FB - ilyo Tkd Tilba or  
Ph - 0402 749 593

Web-<http://www.ilyotkdnarooma.com.au>

# naroomanetball



Ages from 8-90 Boys & girls

**MAKE FRIENDS.  
BURN ENERGY.  
PLAY NETBALL.**

REGISTRATIONS NOW OPEN

PLAY NETBALL



## Registration Day 2020 Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> March

► **Club Narooma - Montague Room** from 11:00am to 1:00pm

Register online: [www.mynetball.com](http://www.mynetball.com) or find the link on our Facebook page.

Come down and **GRAB YOUR DRESS.**

**We would love a NET SET GO team this year, players aged from 8-10,  
we are close to forming a team.**

