

Nowra East Public School

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Newsletter Week 7 Term 3

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PBS Focus: Playing a Game

- Know the rules
- Who goes first
- Wait for a turn

BOOK WEEK PARADE – WEDNESDAY

This week is Book Week. It would be great to see as many family members as possible visit the school this week. Each day (Monday – Wednesday) the library will be open for children to come and browse the great display of books and hopefully purchase some wonderful books to take home.

On Wednesday the usual Book Week Parade will be held in the hall starting at 9.30am. All parents and carers are welcome to come and have a look at the fantastic costumes the children and teachers will be dressed in. I hope to see you there.

ANAPHYLAXIS TRAINING

All teacher and support staff will be completing mandatory Anaphylaxis training tomorrow. This training ensures that all staff members are up to date with the latest training and procedures should an anaphylactic emergency occur.

TRANSMIT PERFORMANCE

Last Friday night, the drumming group (22 students) performed at Shoalhaven Entertainment Centre at the annual TRANSMIT festival. The festival is developed by the Bundanon Trust and celebrated Aboriginal culture through the professional mentoring and performing of local indigenous youth. This was a great opportunity for our students to gain a behind-the-scenes look at a real stage production and experience features such as lighting, sound and stage exits. It was also great to see former NEPS students (Raymond Hickey, Mathew Stewart and Wezley Wellington) perform their self-written raps. It was also great to see so many family and community members come down to show their support for our students and enjoy the brilliant show.

I would like to thank Mr Lavington who donated his own time to prepare and perform with us on the night and also the Bundanon Trust, who provided the opportunity for the group to have professional mentoring sessions to prepare them for their performance.

Miss Opalniuk

BRAVEHEARTS SHOW

The purpose of 'Ditto's Keep Safe Adventure Show' is to teach children personal safety in a non-confrontational, fun and engaging fashion. Bravehearts' Education Teams deliver the show's messages into schools, day care centres, shopping centres, sporting clubs and other facilities (relating to the care of children) to provide students, parents, teachers, carers and the general community with specialised child sexual assault awareness and education. Ditto's show will be presented to Kindergarten students next Monday 31 August.

Peter Collins
Principal

COMING EVENTS FOR TERM 3

Week 7

24 – 26 Aug Book Week – book fair

Week 8

31 August P&C meeting 9:30am staffroom
Stage 2 & 3 Bundanon Trust Australian Ballet
2 September Garden Workshop
Readers Theatre from Shoalhaven Lib
3 September Shoalhaven Choral Festival rehearsal
Shoalhaven Choral Festival performance
Kookaburra excursion to HMAS Albatross

Week 9

9 September School Photo Day
11 September Stage 3 Parliament House \$42

LIBRARY NEWS

Welcome to Book Week 2015 where the theme “Books Light Up Our World” is being celebrated in our school library. Please come and join in the celebrations, as follows:

- Book Fair: Monday to Wednesday (24/8 – 26/8) in the school library during school hours. All staff, students, parents and carers are invited to purchase an item from a great range of books, posters and other stationery items.
- Book Character Parade: Wednesday 26/8 at 9:30am in the school hall. Students are asked to come to school dressed as a book character. Parents and carers are invited to come along and enjoy the parade of costumes.
- Readers Theatre: Wednesday 2/9 at 9:30am in the school hall for K-6. Parents and carers are invited to the drama presentation from the staff at Shoalhaven Libraries.

Mrs Urquhart – Teacher Librarian

RETURNING CLOTHES THAT HAVE BEEN BORROWED

During the day students are sometimes given clothes to change into for various reasons. It would be very much appreciated if those clothes that your student has borrowed be returned to school as soon as possible. At this time we are very short of clothes for students to be able to change into.

We would be very grateful if you have school clothes that no longer fit your child and you are happy to donate them to school.

Thank you
Mrs McKinnon

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Nowra Cricket Club Registration Day – Sunday 30 August at West Street Oval Nets from 10 am to 12 noon, Senior players: 1st – 4th Grade teams and Juniors will be 10’s, 12’s, 14’s & 16’s,

Contact:- Shannon – 0422090881 or email:- les.ison@hotmail.com
Everyone welcome, will be having a light training session as well.

Term 3 Week 7 INFANTS CLASSROOM MERIT AWARDS	
Wallaby	Koby, Rita-Lee
Wallaroo	Jai, Shailee, Katelyn
Emu	Brody, Brenden
Goanna	Bella-Mae, Ashely
Gecko	Stephanie, Robert

Woolworths EARN & LEARN

We are excited about once again collecting the Earn & Learn stickers from Woolworths. NEPS has a collection box at Woolworths, Nowra as well as at school. This is an excellent way for our school to boost supplies for classrooms, library, music rooms or sporting equipment.

START COLLECTING NOW



Our Garden Ambassadors – getting their seedlings to take home

