From the Principal’s Desk…

Principal Awards for this week are:

KC  Xavier P, Samuel B  
KF  Van W  
KW  Bronte R, Ashley S, Jaxon K  
1B  Mali W, Amika-Lily R  
1F  Jasmine L-M  
1M  Tyla W, Bruna C, Paya A, Alexa B, Taylor F  
2H  James L, Will B, James L, Dylan K  
2SG  Jade T  
3G  Harry T  
3P  Corey L, Mackenzie W, Ruby O  
4B  Charlotte C  
4M  Aurora G  
4S  Emily L, Amber B  
5M  Mitch M, Connor D, Kaloe H, Monet M, Darcie C  
5T  Taira M, Samuel M  
5/6B  Monique A, Noah P, Lennox V, Liam G, Liam T, Alex B, Lily C  
6D  Hayleigh G, Alex L  
6W  Dallon M, Josh B, Sequoia G-B, Nathan F, Jacob V, Kyle S, Tom C  

Well done!

World Teacher’s Day

World Teachers’ Day was inaugurated on 5 October 1994 and is usually celebrated internationally on the first Friday in October. However, as this is usually the school holidays, Australia celebrates on the last Friday in October. This year it is tomorrow, Friday 30 October.

This day focuses attention on the contributions and efforts that teachers make in educating the next generation of children. It also recognises the important role teachers play in our local community.

Narrabeen North Public School has a staff of dedicated, committed and professional teachers who work hard to provide our children with an extensive range of learning opportunities. The teachers also provide a nurturing, caring and positive environment that makes children feel welcome and happy when coming to school.

On behalf of the community I’d like to acknowledge their hard work and the time they dedicate to developing our young children to be our leaders of the future.

Band

Congratulations to our senior band students on their performance at the Hornsby North Band Festival.

The students received a credit for their performance. Well done to all musicians!

The band will perform on Saturday at Blackmores at 10am.

P&C Donation

The P&C donated the funds to the school to purchase a new mobile interactive board for the binshell. Students and staff now have access to a fabulous new board for presentations and displays in the dome building.

Last night at the monthly P&C meeting it was used to showcase the quality work being done in numeracy across the school. The video highlighted students reflecting on their work, their new approaches to problem solving and the different ways they record their learning.

Dates to Remember - Term 4

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Website: narranorth-p.schoo ls.nsw.edu.au Before and After School Care: 9913 2846
**Working Bee**  
A reminder the working bee is on this Saturday, 31 October. We are encouraging as many parents as possible to come along to help for whatever time they can between 9am - 4pm.

Lunch will be provided between 12pm - 1pm.

Many hands make light work so any assistance would be greatly appreciated.

Please see further detail in the newsletter.

**Whooping Cough - Message from NSW Health**
Some students who attend Narrabeen North Public School have recently been diagnosed with Whooping Cough (pertussis).

What are the symptoms?
Whooping cough usually starts with a runny nose, followed by persistent cough --often worse at night--that comes in bouts. Bouts may be followed by gagging, vomiting or gasping for air.

Whooping cough can cause a very severe illness in young children particularly those aged under 6 months.

How is it spread?
Whooping cough is usually spread by direct contact with the droplets from the nose and throat of an infected person produced whilst coughing. People at greatest risk of getting the illness are those who have had a considerable amount of face-to-face contact with a person with the disease. Whooping cough can occur in people previously vaccinated.

What should parents do?
Anyone developing symptoms should consult their local doctor and mention that there are cases of Whooping cough in the school. Children who are diagnosed with Whooping cough need to stay away from school until they have taken 5 days of a special antibiotic.


Ryan Shepheard  
Principal

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**Kindergarten 2016 Orientation**

**Thursday, 5 November**

**Friday, 13 November**

from 9.15am - 10.30am

Would all new Kindergarten children and their parents please meet outside the Administration block at 9.15am.

Thank you.

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**P&C NEWS**

At last night’s P&C meeting $10 000 was donated to the Band subcommittee. This money will be used to buy new instruments to meet the growing size of our NNPS bands.

Thanks to all who attended. The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, 25 November. Put it in the diary.

"Volunteers are not paid--- not because they are worthless, but because they are PRICELESS!"

We badly need more ‘priceless’ volunteers in the school canteen. Please text Sherene on 0427 174 472.

**WORKING BEE**

This Saturday - Free Lunch

Whatever time you can give between 9am and 4pm.

Tradies needed. Gardeners needed.

Kids needed to play games! (supervision organized)

Let us know if you can help – text David 0414 899 775.

Please bring gloves and tools.

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**Stage 2 Effective Communicators**

This week Year 3 and 4 students have been entertaining their classmates by presenting their Effective Communicator speeches in class. Teachers and students are using a rubric to choose two students from each class to present their speech at the Stage 2 Final.

The final will take place next Friday, 6 November at 10:00am in the Dome. The two finalists from each class will present their speech to Stage 2, and will then be given a topic and five minutes to prepare and present an impromptu speech.

We are looking forward to these engaging speeches!

Ms Sarah Brown  
Stage 2 Assistant Principal
# School Invoice for Term 4

**IS NOW OVERDUE**

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**Note:**
The school’s end of financial year is 30 November. Your assistance in settling outstanding accounts would be appreciated.

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**Payment Options**

1. Only when paying the full amount of the Term 4 fees you may pay directly into the school’s account but please send in the green payment envelope indicating that you have done so.

When using this method each child is to be paid separately please. Your reference must be **CHILD’S SURNAME, INITIAL, CLASS**.

Bank Name: Westpac  
Account name: Narrabeen North PS Admin Account  
BSB: 032-001  
Account No: 146091

2. If paying by cash, cheque or credit card you may pay for all your children on the one envelope—please list all names if doing so.

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## Canteen Roster - Term 4

Our canteen really needs you!  
If you can fill any of the gaps in the roster below please text/call Sherene on 0427 174 472

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You are invited!

Join the Tribe and help to make a difference

Local Healthy Heroes has arrived at NNPS
Its Healthy; Its Fun; It includes the whole family and
It raises money for our School

We call it FITRAISING

Q: What is Local Healthy Heroes?
A: An initiative to Raise Awareness for Healthy Lifestyle Choices......that rewards your School

Adults and children joining a Team to take part in a Family Action Day organised by Local Healthy Heroes and held at a local sports oval on 6 December 2015.
This Family Action Day is packed full of events that will include everyone from beginner to elite level.

Your Team Captain is:

Stephanie Park – Kinder, Year 1 and Year 3
0488 721 571

Please note: Whilst every attempt is made to verify bonafide advertisers, the school does not accept responsibility therefore parents should use their own discretion.

Halloween Trick-or-treating in Sydney used for collecting food for the homeless
Saturday, 31st October 2015

Kids love Halloween, but this year a growing number of kids across Sydney will be trick-or-treating for cans of food instead of lollies. They’ll be collecting for Rev. Bill Crews’ Exodus Foundation, which will then distribute the food to the poor and the homeless.

"It's a great way to put some real meaning into Halloween", said Rev. Crews.

"Demand is increasing and Christmas is always especially busy. I'm sure the Sydney kids can rise to the challenge and help us meet the need for this upcoming Christmas".

If anyone would like to participate in this wonderful cause please register your family with canoween@gmail.com and refer to the Facebook page for regular updates and information.

The Facebook page also contains suitable items for collection in the interests of providing the needy with a balanced diet and is listed below. Let's make Halloween for the Homeless!!!

https://www.facebook.com/Canoween-Can-Collection-drive-1092642624087181/

Donations of cans can be left in the foyer of K Block.