



# NEWSLETTER

## NORTH HAVEN PUBLIC SCHOOL

*"THE FUTURE IS OURS"*

*VISION: North Haven Public School, in partnership with our community, promotes and provides a dynamic, future-focused learning environment fostering equity excellence. Our school will deliver opportunities for every student to become a successful learner and a caring, confident, creative individual.*

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2.30 - 3.15 pm

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## Principal's Message

Dear Parents, Carers and Community Members,

### **Book Character Parade**

What fun we had! Thank you to Mrs Eggins for her great organisation, enthusiasm and dedication to making sure literature is always high on the agenda at NHPS.

### **Tell Them From Me Surveys**

All families received the details for logging in and completing the survey. It is so important that we get as many families as possible completing the online survey. The information will help us plan and reach our shared goals in the coming years.

### **Why should You participate?**

Parents and carers are an important and valued part of the school community. Schools can use survey feedback to make practical improvements and inform school planning.

### **What does it involve?**

This online survey takes about 15 minutes to complete. It is anonymous and voluntary.

If you have more than one child at this school, and feel that your children's experiences differ, you can complete the survey more than once.

### **How can you participate?**

You can access the survey in your own time, between 24th August and 11<sup>th</sup> September 2015. Visit the address below and log in using these details:

Username – parent18148

Password – Nor4149

<https://www.tellthemfromme.com/login.htm>

### **Grounds Maintenance**

Last weekend we had all the grass areas including the oval sprayed for bindi and broad leaf weeds. Hopefully this will give us a good basis for our ovals and playing areas over the summer months.

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## P & C

The fete will be upon us before we know it. There have been some great offers of help but I know more would be appreciated. The other major fundraising event for P & C is the father's Day Stall being held on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> September.

Next week I will be taking leave from Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept to Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> Sept. Mr McGrath will be relieving as principal.

Kind regards

*Christine Wild*

Principal

## Father's Day Stall

We will be holding a Father's Day stall at school on Friday, 4th September in time for Father's Day on Sunday, 6th September.

All children will have the opportunity to purchase ONE gift from the Father's Day stall. Students may buy a second gift after all classes have purchased from the stall.

Gifts will cost \$5.00. Students should bring money on the day (NO money to the office, please).

## SCHOOL NEWS

**Fete Meeting** – There will be a final gathering before the fete on Wednesday 2 September at 10:00am to sort and wrap prizes, showbags and craft items. Morning tea provided.

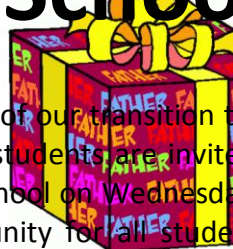
**Woolworths Earn & Learn** – keep those stickers and sticker sheets coming in! Extra sticker sheets are available from the school office.

**Primary Assembly** – will be held on Monday 31st August at 2.20 pm in the hall. The Year 6 councillors will co-ordinate the assembly and Class 4E will present an item. All parents, carers and families are welcome to attend.

**Infants Assembly** – will be held on Wednesday 2nd September at 2.20 pm in the hall. Class 2H will co-ordinate the assembly and present an item. All parents, carers and families are welcome to attend.

**The Surfing Scientist** – Notes have gone home for this performance. Notes and money to be returned by Wednesday 14 October 2015.

## Year 6 High School Visit



As part of our transition to high school program all year 6 students are invited to visit Camden Haven High School on Wednesday 2 September. This is an opportunity for all students to experience a high school setting and see some of the programs offered which differ to primary school.

A note giving details of the visit has been sent home with students.

*Missed your copy of the newsletter or a permission note?*

*Find them at -*

[www.northhaven-p.schools.nsw.edu.au](http://www.northhaven-p.schools.nsw.edu.au)

*Newsletters can also be accessed via our SKOOLBAG app available from either the Apple App Store or Google Play Store.*

# The 2015 Premier's Spelling Bee Competition



Dear Parents/Carers,

Over the past few weeks, North Haven Public School has been participating in the Premier's Spelling Bee Competition! All 2-6 (and some Year 1 students) classes have been involved in a class spelling bee competition to determine those students who would go on to represent their class at the stage finals. The stage finals which were held in the hall during week 6 were extremely exciting, as students had to spell a number of different words which became increasingly difficult as the competition went on. In the final round there was only a small number of students remaining, which left the audience on the edge of their seats, listening to each competitor carefully spell out their word.

Congratulations to:

Junior Representatives, Jasmine Avelin 1M      Brock Holliday 3S  
Senior Representatives, River Evans 6T      Marli Parker 5D

who will go on to represent North Haven Public School at the

## **Regional Finals**

*When: Term 3 Week 10 Wednesday, 16 September 2015*

*Where: Old Bar Public School*

*(The winner of each division of each regional final goes on to the state finals (please note: the runner-up does not).)*

If successful they will go on to represent North Haven P.S at the State Final where they will be on T.V!

## **State Finals**

When: Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> November 2015

Where: Eugene Goosens Hall, ABC Centre, Ultimo

### Stage 1 & 2 Class Representatives

Jasmine Avelin, Dallas Rogers 1M, Hayley Sime Finch? 2H Taj Barber 2M Breannah Langdon Dawes, Sonny Gilbert, Brock Holliday 3S Cohen Abbott, Benjamin Drewitt, Max Eggert, Lochlan Frith, Eden Rogers, Emilee Franklin, Tomas Bambling 3M Brianna Lee, Briella Meyers, Matilda Sargent, Bailey Whitton 4E Cordy Gamblin, Charlie Forster, Zane Holliday 4/5B

### Stage 3 Class Representatives

Bayly Blackman, Charli Hearne 4/5B Bryce Cook, Braith Langdon Dawes, Daniel O'Brien, Marli Parker 5D

Sharnee Esson, Alicia Holliday, Caidyn Sharman, Molly Walters 6R Taylor Bulley, River Evans, Ali Thomas 6T





# BOOK WEEK PARADE



*What a fantastic parade!  
Thank you to all our  
students and parents for  
supporting our Book Week  
parade.  
Books really do light up  
our world.*





NORTH HAVEN PUBLIC  
SCHOOL

# Spring Fair

Sunday 13 Sept 9am-2pm

- Get your wristbands now. Available to purchase from the office.
- Keep those raffle books coming in. Spare books available from the office. Buy 10 tickets get 5 free.
- Colouring in competition can be returned to the office or to North Haven Pharmacy.





**ONLY 2  
WEEKS TO  
GO!!**

**Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> Sept**



## **LOLLY LOTTO**

Lolly Lotto is one of the most popular stalls at our fete and we are seeking parent and student support to help make this stall a success.

**WHICH CLASS WILL COLLECT  
THE MOST LOLLIES??**

## **SPRING FAIR VOLUNTEERS NEEDED CAN YOU HELP??**

Everyone who puts their name on the roster goes into a draw to win a ride wrist band for their child.

If you can spare an hour on fete day we ask you to consider putting your name on the roster.

We can only make the fete work with the help of families.

*Let's make it a great day, together.*

## **COMMUNITY NOTICES**

**Camden Haven Little Athletics** – Register online before 16th September at [www.laansw.com.au](http://www.laansw.com.au). The 2015-16 season begins with an Orientation Night at Laurieton Oval on 16th September 4-6.30 pm. Season registration \$65 per athlete, reduced registration of \$60 for the third child from the same family, plus club singlets \$20 each.

**The Lost Plot Spring Fair** – Saturday 5th September 1-4pm, Central Rd, Port Macquarie. Face painting, kids games, tree planting, music & more.

**Paint the Town** – on Fathers Day Sunday 6th September 3-5pm. Paint with dad in a painting class, go home with a 40x50cm masterpiece. Canvas & paint supplies included. All family members welcome to join in. Book now at [www.PaintTheTownPort.com](http://www.PaintTheTownPort.com). \$40 for 2 people (dad & child).

Call today on **1300 65 16 25**

**All children under 18 yrs of age can receive FREE DENTAL CARE  
through the Mid North Coast Local Health District.**


**PARENTS DO NOT NEED TO HOLD A PENSION CARD OR HEALTH CARE CARD  
FOR THEIR CHILD TO BE ELIGIBLE.**



**Please call 1300 65 16 25 if you would like your child to have a check-up.**

**IF THEY ARE IN PAIN OR HAVE DENTAL PROBLEMS THEY WILL BE PRIORITISED  
WHEN YOU CALL 1300 65 16 25 TO BE TRIAGED.**

**OUR MID NORTH COAST LOCAL HEALTH DISTRICT DENTAL CLINICS ARE SITUATED IN:**

 <b>PORT MACQUARIE</b>	Morton Street (Old Hospital)	Port Macquarie
 <b>WAUCHOPE:</b>	Wauchope Community Health Campus High Street (adjacent to hospital)	Wauchope
 <b>LAURIETON:</b>	Camden Haven Community Health Campus Laurie Street	Laurieton
 <b>KEMPSEY:</b>	Kempsey Community Health Campus (in hospital grounds) Polwood Street	Kempsey
 <b>COFFS HARBOUR</b>	Coffs Harbour Health Campus Pacific Highway	Coffs Harbour

**IF YOU HAVE RECEIVED A LETTER INDICATING YOU ARE ELIGIBLE FOR THE CHILD DENTAL BENEFIT SCHEME YOU  
CAN USE THIS AT ANY OF OUR CLINICS**

## Student of the Week

KB	Lachlan Ward
KF	Emily Hanly
1D	Ashley Wheadon
1M	Billy Hutchinson
2H	Tenisha Kinnaird
2M	Haylee Watt
3S	Eden Rogers
3M	Ellyse Haldane
4E	Mia George
4/5B	Amelia Eggins
5D	Jacob Slater
6R	Samara Vallick
6T	Jay Toogood

## Sharing Awards

Miley Hearne	Benjamin Blanch
Jai Sawyer	Abbey Cook
Marissa Haynes	Kaleb Luland
Noah Model	Brock Holliday
Oscar Spinks	Abigail Pearce
Bentley Gregory	Jesse Bell
Cody Boland	Harry Walker
Bryce Cook	Codee Bird
Hayden Single	David Wilson
Annelyse Davidson	

## Playground Citizenship Awards

## Infants Merit Awards

KB	Willow Lawrence	Ashur Gallagher
KF	Rory Toogood	Neave O'Brien
1D	Marni Lahey	Sophie Hill
1M	Isaac Luke	Isla Wilkinson
2H	Ruben Avelin	Christa Dale
2M	Zoe Boland	Amy Harrison-Douglas

## Work of the Week

Jack Downing	Breannah Langdon-Dawes
Blake Cutler	Dylan White
Jade Betts	Bianca Usher-Clark
Julia Cable	Zane Hanlon
Sharnee Esson	Riley Hoffman
Tim Wilson	Tasia Rose Kerry

## Sharing Committee Winners

Mia George	Sophie Cheers
Julia Cable	Ashley Ritter

## Good Sports Awards

Emily Wheadon	Matthew White
Ayeisha Fraser	Molly Walters
Danny Usher-Clark	Jesse Alaban
Deo Limeburner	Bree Marks

## Value of the Week

Respect