



NEWSLETTER

NORTH HAVEN PUBLIC SCHOOL

"THE FUTURE IS OURS"

13 October 2016
Term 4 Week 1
Issue No 32

Uniform Shop

Hours:

Tuesday mornings

8.45 – 9.15 am

Wednesday afternoons

2.30 – 3.15 pm

TERM DATES

Term 4 10 Oct – 16 Dec 2016

2017

Term 1 30 Jan – 7 April 2017

STUDENT BANKING

Monday is the day for student school banking.

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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear parents, carers and community members,

Term 4 has taken off with gusto!

KILOMETRE CLUB

We have been trialling a fitness activity during this first week and we are very excited by the student's response and enthusiasm.

We have marked out a 0.5km track and each morning students can complete the lap and have their cards marked off. We hope to tally the kilometres we cover across the week in lots of fun and engaging ways.

We are very thankful and acknowledge the generous contribution made by Lake Cathie Woolworths, who through their Fruit for Kids program, are donating 3 boxes of oranges each week.

If you are available in the mornings to assist we would love to see you here.

OUT OF UNIFORM DAY – LIGHT IT RED

Next Tuesday we will be raising awareness of dyslexia by asking students to wear red and donate a gold coin. All monies raised will be directed towards purchasing reading resources for our school.

P & C

In today's newsletter there will be a survey to determine an agreeable day for P & C meetings.

The current P & C have suggested trialling afternoon meetings at 2:00pm. They are also looking at holding one meeting per term.

If you are able to come to a daytime P & C meeting could you make your preferred day known by returning the survey slip.

You will also be receiving an updated canteen menu and price list, which has been sent home with students today. We would like to sincerely thank Pauline, Trish, Phillipa, Jo, Abby and Kylie for their efforts and contribution towards revising the menu and checking it against the Healthy Canteen Policy.

WALK-A-THON

We had a fantastic day yesterday for the walk-a-thon, with the weather being kind to us which added to the enjoyment and fun of the event.

It was great to see families walking together and Share Bear came along for the walk too!

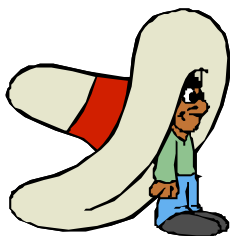
The sponsorship monies are coming in thick and fast and we would like to try to finalise the collection of money by Friday, 28 October.

Kind regards,

Christine Wild
Principal

WORDS ABOUT WELFARE SUN, WATER & ROAD SAFETY

Our Personal Development and Health lessons across the school continue in Term 4 with areas of emphasis being Sun Safety, Water Safety & Road Safety.



A Hat Draw will run on a daily basis at lunch times during term 4 with names being drawn each day. If the child whose name is drawn is wearing a hat they will win a lick stick from the canteen.

As a bonus to promote the wearing of hats with a full brim, any child whose name is drawn out will win a double lick stick pass if they are wearing a full brimmed hat.

Don't forget our full brimmed hats are available through the uniform shop at a price of \$10 each.

Please ensure your child has a hat to wear to school each day. Our school rule is –

NO HAT - PLAY IN THE SHADE

UPCOMING EVENTS AT SCHOOL

17-21 Oct	Year 5 Point Wolstoncroft camp
Tues 18 Oct	Out of Uniform Day Light it Red for Dyslexia
Tues 25 Oct	Junior Band 2017 Information Evening
Wed 26 Oct	Kindergarten Orientation Day (Kinder 2017)
Fri 28 Oct	Grandparents Day 9.30 am
Mon 31 Oct	Primary Assembly 3M
Wed 2 Nov	Letterland Fun Day
Thur 3 Nov	Out of Uniform Day Crazy Hair
Fri 11 Nov	Remembrance Day Ceremony

North Haven Public School P&C Association

Please indicate your preferred day for daytime P&C meetings (please tick one)

☐ Tuesday ☐ Wednesday ☐ Friday

Parent Name _____

North Haven Public School Student Late Note

***To be used if parent/carers are unable to accompany children into the office if arriving at school late (after 9.05 am).
Children should bring this note to the office on arrival at school.***

My child _____ of class _____ is late for school today ____/____/____ (insert date)

for the following reason _____

Parent/Carer Signature: _____

North Haven Public School Student Absence Note

My child _____ of class _____

was absent from school on the following date/s _____

for the following reason _____

Parent/Carer Signature : _____ Date: _____

OUT OF UNIFORM DAY
Light it Red for Dyslexia
Tuesday 18 October

We will be holding an Out of Uniform Day next **Tuesday, 18 October** in support of 'Light it Red for Dyslexia'.

Light it Red for Dyslexia is a volunteer initiative to highlight dyslexia awareness. Significant buildings and monuments including Luna Park, State Library of NSW and the Telstra Tower in Canberra will light up red on this day.

Approximately 10% of Australians have dyslexia and this day is an opportunity to help raise awareness for those who struggle to read, write and spell on a daily basis.

Students are invited to come to school out of uniform, wearing a red item of clothing, including closed in shoes. If they do not have anything red to wear, just come out of uniform. No midriff tops, sandals or thongs.

We will collect a gold coin donation. All money raised will go towards buying suitable reading resources for use in our school.

P&C FUNDRAISER

At the last P&C meeting it was decided that the P&C would run a fundraiser to raise money to go towards the new playground equipment. Information regarding the fundraiser will be sent home with every student tomorrow.

Each child will complete a piece of art (in class time), which will be used in the production of a range of products including calendars, greeting cards, tea towels and iPhone cases. There is a display of some of these products at the front office so you can see the quality of the items.

If you choose not to use your child's artwork and would prefer to use a favourite photo, you can do so by following the instructions on the order form.

All orders need to be returned to school by FRIDAY 4 NOVEMBER. In order to receive our orders back to school before the end of term we regret that no late orders can be accepted.

A GREAT CHRISTMAS GIFT IDEA!!

FAMILY PORTRAIT FUNDRAISER

Notes were sent home earlier this week regarding the Family Portrait Day to be held at school on **Sunday, 23 October**.



Each participating family will receive a 10"x13" framed family portrait for **\$15.00** (includes the frame and keyring, as shown on the brochure). The school receives the full \$15.00, so this is a great fundraising opportunity and we require a minimum of 30 families to participate for the session to go ahead. Neighbours, friends & grandparents are also invited to participate.

Some requirements of the offer are –

1. There must be a minimum of two generations in each portrait (children must be photographed with a parent/carer)
2. No person may appear in more than one fundraising portrait. The exception to this rule is for separated or divorced families
3. Three different poses will be taken of each family

If you are interested in participating, please return the note below, ensuring that you indicate your preferred time. We will confirm your appointment once we receive your reply. The \$15.00 must be paid for **BEFORE the day** and no refunds will be given if families fail to keep their appointment.

Appointments are given on a first in basis, so get in early to secure your preferred time slot. An appointment confirmation will be sent home with your child.

**FRAMED PHOTOS ARE A
GREAT GIFT IDEA FOR CHRISTMAS,
SO BOOK YOUR APPOINTMENT NOW!**

Any family interested in participating in the Portrait Day is asked to please return the note below by **Friday, 21 October**.



North Haven Public School
Family Portrait Day

Family Name : _____ Phone No : _____

Child's Name : _____ Class : _____

Preferred Time Slot : _____

Fancy Dress HALLOWEEN DISCO

Saturday, 29 October 6 pm-8.30 pm
Laurieton United Servicemen's Club

\$5 per child or \$12 per family
(family rate covers siblings, not cousins)

There will be lots of goodies for sale
such as lollies, novelties, glow products!

All parents are asked to please remain on the club premises
to assist with the supervision of their own children.

NO HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS
THIS ACTIVITY IS ALCOHOL FREE



ASSEMBLY AWARDS



	STUDENT OF THE WEEK	CLASS MERIT AWARDS		VALUES AWARDS	PLAYGROUND CITIZENSHIP AWARDS
KB	Willow Hanington	Savannah Single	Samantha	Aria Hunter	Noah Wise Christa Dale Toby Adams Oscar Spinks
K/1H	Noah Crabtree	Evie Dent	Riley Lewis	Ruby Luke	
1M	Lana Witcombe	Miley Hearne	Jacob Dalton	Liam Brown	
1/2D	Matilda Ray	Isaac Meyers	Bella Williams	Logan Asbury	
2F	Tama Yonon	Jasmine Avelin	Isla Wilkinson	Gibson Dalton	



BAND NOTES



IMPORTANT BAND DATES

WEEKLY BAND & TUTORIALS	Friday sessions will be as usual all term, unless otherwise advised.
TUES 25 OCT 6.30 pm	2017 Junior Band Information Night in the library
FRI 28 OCT	Grandparents Day Performance Junior & Senior Band
TUES 1 NOV	Year 6 Band Day
TUES 8 NOV	Forest High School Band visit (NHPS band not performing – audience only)
FRI 11 NOV	Remembrance Day ceremony Buglers
FRI 18 NOV	2017 Junior Band Expressions of Interest due
THUR 1 DEC	Gala Night Rehearsal (during school hours) Junior & Senior bands, choir Gala Night performance 6.30 pm
FRI 9 DEC	Presentation Day Junior Band – Infants Assembly Senior Band – Primary Assembly
SUN 11 DEC	Bonny Hills Carols on the Deck Time to be confirmed
WEEK 10	Instrument cleaning day

Junior Band 2017

**Information Night
Tuesday 25 October
6.30 pm in the Library**

Come along and find out why playing a musical instrument in a band is good for your child!

Mrs Skerritt and Mrs Bruggemann will be there to answer all your questions. See you there!

Good Reasons Why Your Child Should Study Music

- Children who study music from an early age can do better at a range of subjects.
- Children who play music learn that there are rewards from hard work, practice and discipline.
- Playing a musical instrument helps develop kids' creative thinking and motor skills.
- Music helps kids become more active listeners, which is beneficial in a range of things from taking part in conversations to building more satisfying friendships.
- It can also enhance their health and wellbeing and increase their stamina.
- Children learn to embrace other cultures through their music.
- It develops teamwork and shared goals.
- The overall experience of listening to music is dramatically enhanced.
- Children can explore emotions through music, which may help them better understand who they are.
- It's fun!

Adapted from www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au

CANTEEN NEWS

A new two page canteen price list has been sent home today with all students.

The canteen menu has been revised under the Healthy Canteen Guidelines from information provided by the Healthy Kids Association and backed by the P&C Association.

VALUE OF THE WEEK

Respect

SLOP!

on some
sunscreen

SLIP!

on a
shirt

SLAP!

on a
hat

SEEK!

shade

SLIDE!

on some
sunglasses

Term 4 2016

Sun/Water/Road Safety Term

Term Four	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT SUN
1	10 October Students & staff return Y3-6 Boat Safety Talk 2:00pm	11 October	12 October WALK-A-THON	13 October	14 October BAND	15 16 Oct
2	17 October Year 5 Camp Year 6 CHHS PAT Test 9:30	18 October Out of Uniform Day - Light It Red FOR DYSLEXIA	19 October State Athletics	20 October	21 October BAND Sunday 23rd - Family Portrait Fundraiser	22 23 Oct
3	24 October	25 October 2017 Junior Band Info Evening ~6:30pm	26 October Kinder Orientation Day 9:30-11:30 AM 2:05pm Performance Practice	27 October Kinder Interviews	28 October BAND Grandparent Day Concert & Morning tea 9.30 – 11.30	29 30 Oct
4	31 October Kinder Drop in Day 9:30-11:30am Kinder Interviews Primary Assembly 3M	1 November Kinder Interviews Year 6 Band Day	2 November Letterland Fun Day	3 November Out of Uniform Day Crazy Hair Dental Care talk	4 November BAND	5 6 Nov
5	7 November	8 November Forest High Band Concert 9:30am	9 November	10 November Kinder Drop in Day 9:30-11:30am	11 November BAND Remembrance Day Ceremony	12 13 Nov
6	14 November Yr 6 Resilience Training 11.30-12:30pm	15 November Year 6 Sydney excursion	16 November	17 November	18 November BAND Expression of interest band 2017 due	19 20 Nov
7 Swimming School 10-11am	21 November Lake Cathie Cottage Visit 10-11am NSW Boys Cricket	22 November Year 6 Band Day	23 November	24 November Yr 6 Fundraising Day	25 November BAND	26 27 Nov
8 Swimming School 10-11am	28 November	29 November Band auditions Robotics Competition	30 November	1 December Gala Night rehearsal Performing Arts GALA Night 6:30pm	2 December BAND Kinder Drop in Day 9:30-2:05pm	3 4 Dec
9	5 December	6 December CHHS Orientation CHHS Parent info evening	7 December VITAL/Kids Hope morning tea	8 December	9 December PRESENTATION DAY Sunday 11 th – Bonny Hills Carols on the Deck	10 11 Dec
10	12 December Reports home BAND CLEANING DAY	13 December Year 6 FAREWELL	14 December Stage 2 Fun day	15 December Stage 3 Fun day K-2 Fun Day	16 December Last day for students	17 18 Dec
11	19 December School Development Day	20 December School Development Day	21 December	22 December	23 December	



PORT MACQUARIE AFL 9s MIXED COMPETITION

WHERE: Woods Street Oval, Port Macquarie 2444

WHEN: Wednesday evenings

COME AND TRY NIGHT: 19th October 2016

SEASON: Season starts on 26th October 2016

COST: \$30 per player

Register at afl9s.com.au

For more information please contact:
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Reclaim The Night March

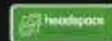


Friday 21 October, 6.30pm - 8pm
Town Green Port Macquarie

We, all (women, children, young people and men), have a right to feel safe in our community. Reclaim the Night is an opportunity for the people of Port Macquarie-Hastings to gather together on Birpai Lands and support each other's right to be safe in our homes, shared places and

spaces across our community. Women, children and men have been participating in Reclaim the Night marches since they started in Belgium then the UK in the 1970s and Port Macquarie has its own strong history marching through its streets on this important night.

**Put on your walking shoes and bring your friends and family
and join us. Together we can make a difference.**



Health
the North Coast
Local Health District



Kendall Community Preschool



sausage sizzle
face painting
garden gallery
pony rides
garage sale
plants
raffle

Spring Fete

19 Railway St
Kendall

SATURDAY
29TH OCT
9AM - 1PM

