Term 2, Week 7 Tuesday June 10 2025

Nabiac Public School



NEWSLETTER



"The best little school....anywhere"

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Message from the Principal...

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to Week 7! I hope you had a relaxing long weekend.

Last Friday we had our Silly hair and PJ day. We fundraised over \$400 for our local SES, RFS and Need for Feed. Thank you for supporting our fundraiser.

This term we are introducing updated school reports. The new format has been developed by the NSW Department of Education in response to feedback from parents and educators to make reports easier to read and understand. Your child's report will still show their progress across all subject areas. Teacher comments will appear in English, mathematics and the general comment section, in line with department policy. The general comment for Kindergarten also covers all other key learning areas including, creative arts, HSIE, PDHPE, and science and technology.

A new achievement scale and descriptions are included to provide a clearer picture of your child's progress. Parent–teacher interviews remain an important way to discuss your child's progress and achievement in more detail. Please contact your child's class teacher via the office after receiving reports in Week 10 this term if you would like to discuss the school report.

New report achievement scale.

| Description for parents and carers | Effort |
|---|--------------|
| Your child actively participates and engages in most learning activities. They always try to complete and present work to a high standard. | High |
| Your child actively participates and engages in most learning activities. They regularly try to complete and present work to the required standard. | Satisfactory |
| Your child sometimes participates and engages in learning activities. They occasionally try to complete and present work to the required standard. | Low |

Have a lovely week! Lorelle O'Brien

Coming up at the best little school, anywhere:



Dates for your Calendar:

Week 7:

 June 10: Premier's Spelling Bee begins

• June 11: Assembly

Week 8:

June 16: P&C Meeting 6pm

June 18: Stage 3 RYSTEM

Week 9:

 June 23: Premier Spelling Bee Stage Finals

June 25: Assembly

• Years K-2 Disco

• June 26: Years 3-6 Disco

Week 10:

 July 3: NAIDOC Celebrations and Assembly

• July 4: Last Day of Term

Assembly

Our next Assembly will be on this Wednesday 11 June at 2:15pm, which will be led by 3/4 Meerkats. Parents and families are welcome to attend.

Don't forget to hand in blue merit awards to the office to receive your gold award.

Krispy Kreme Donuts



Nabiac School P&C are offering Krispy Kreme Donuts! Delivered to Nabiac on 3rd July

Order forms have been sent home with families. Community members are welcome to order through the school office by June 20.

ICAS

Only 2 weeks left to register for ICAS. Notes were sent home with students, if you require a new copy please contact the front office.

RYSTEM

Stage 3 students have just been invited to participate in the RYSTEM Engagement day at Great Lakes College, Tuncurry Junior Campus.

The RYSTEM Engagement day is a day-long competition designed to provide Year 5 and 6 students with a positive experience of Science, Technology Engineering and Mathematics (STEM). Students work in teams to complete different challenge activities, against other local primary schools.

Please don't forget to give permission and pay the \$7 cost on School Bytes. If you have any questions, please contact the front office.

School Photos



School Photos will be distributed at the end of the term.

Unauthorised Entry to School Grounds

There has been a number of reports made to the school of people being on school grounds at night or over the weekends. Please understand that no one should be on grounds at these times. Nabiac PS is sometimes (when there is no contracted work occurring on the school grounds) a share our space school. This means that during school holidays within school hours, our school grounds are open for children to use, if accompanied by a parent/carer. The Department of Education has a list of schools participating in the share our space program which is made available to the public at the start of each holiday period. If you see people on school grounds at night or on weekends, please call the police.



close results in the overall sports champion!

Congratulations to all Place Receivers! Congratulations to Age Sports Champions! Congratulations Wallamba as the House Winner!

No champion records were broken.

Thank you to all Nabiac Staff for their dedication to their role, and a very big Thank you to our wonderful P&C subsidising costs for the buses and providing an excellent sausage sizzle and canteen service.

> Age Sports Champions: Junior Boy Champion (Tie) Khoda Phegan Junior Boy Champion (Tie) Bronx Edwards Junior Girl Champion Zara Farnell 11yr Boy Champion Izaac Buttel 11yr Girl Champion Evie Hill Senior Boy Champion Kaleb Woolnough Senior Girl Champion Chloe Brady

> > The Athletics Carnival Team







Nabiac Public School uses the Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) Program. The school's code of behaviour is underpinned by the expectations of:

Respect

Responsibility

Care

Week 7

Respect: I can listen and follow instructions





Listening and following instructions is very important!

- Listen to ALL teachers and adults
- Listen to your friends if they are trying to help you
- Follow instructions in the classroom
- Follow instructions on the playground

By listening and following instructions, we are showing respect. We are also making sure our learning environments are safe and responsible.









PREMIER'S SPELLING BEE

The Premier's Spelling Bee is a fun and educational way for primary school students to engage with and improve their spelling. The program includes activities that encourage students to become more confident users of language through broadening their vocabulary.

We are participating in the Premier's Spelling Bee again this year. All students will be involved in class competitions in Week 7 and 8 of next term. Stage 2 and Stage 3 finalists of their class competition will compete in a Stage Final in Week 9. Our top 2 spellers (one from Stage 2 and one from Stage 3) will be invited to attend the Regional Final next term (online competition). Kindergarten, Year 1 and Year 2 students will participate in modified class Spelling Bees.

If you would like further information, please google 'Premier's Spelling Bee' or use the following link: https://artsunit.nsw.edu.au/program/nsw-premiers-spelling-bee

The word lists are available on the website. The password has recently changed so please see the new note or contact the school.

Good luck to all our students for our Spelling Bee competitions!!!

Karlie Brock and Brian Dawson (co-ordinators)



Canteen & P&C News



Canteen Roster Term 2- 2025



| Week | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
|------|-----------------|---------|-----------|------------------|----------------|
| | | | | Slushie Thursday | Slushie Friday |
| 7 | 9/6 | 10/6 | 11/6 | 12/6 | 13/6 |
| | King's | Lee | Leslee | Scott | Michelle |
| | Birthday | Bronwyn | Kaye | Blake | Rachel |
| | Long Weekend | | , | | Erin |
| 8 | 16/6 | 17/6 | 18/6 | 19/6 | 20/6 |
| | Faye | Lee | Scott | Michelle | Michelle |
| | Emily | Chris | Les | Gay | Caitlin |
| | - | | | | Amy |
| 9 | 23/6 | 24/6 | 25/6 | 26/6 | 27/6 |
| | Michelle | Lee | Leslee | Scott | Michelle |
| | | Bronwyn | Kaye | Blake | Rachel |
| | | | | | Erin |
| 10 | 30/6 | 1/7 | 2/7 | 3/7 | 4/7 |
| | Faye | Lee | Scott | Michelle | Last Day |
| | Emily | Chris | Les | Gay | Michelle |
| | _ | | | | Katie |
| | | | | | Caitlin |





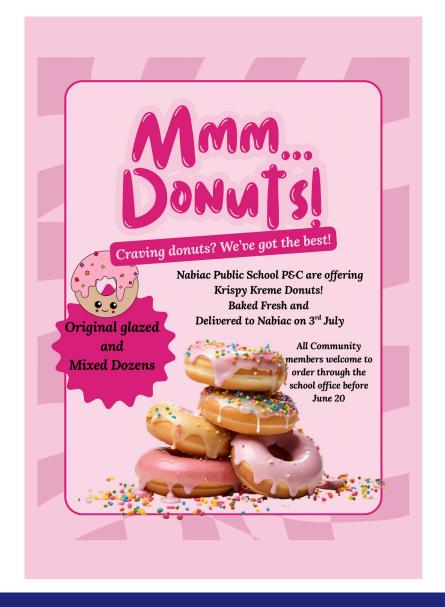


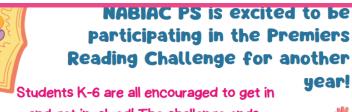
P&C Meeting

The next P&C Meeting will be next Monday 16th June at 6pm, held in Miss Chapple's classroom. All welcome, it would be great to welcome some new members!



Thank you to everyone who supported the P&C Athletics Carnival BBQ.





and get involved! The challenge ends
Friday 22 August!

READING can be fun for EVERYONE

How to access at home:

Students can access the student experience at the below link

https://online.education.nsw. gov.au/prc/studentExperienc e.html#/

They use their DoE login details to enter. From here students can look up book lists, create their own wish list and also log books they read.



For Book Week 2025 we will be hosting a preloved book sale. This sale will take place in Term 3, and will be open to students, as well as the broader community. All money raised will go directly towards keeping our school library stocked with quality texts.

If you would like to donate some preloved children's books please have a look at the checklist below. All books can be dropped to Mrs Ashby via the front office.

Please check that the books you are donating:

- Have all their pages
- Are free of rips, scribbles and tears
- Are appropriate for children







INGREDIENTS

- 2 cups wholemeal selfraising flour
- 1/2 teaspoon ground nutmeg
- 60g unsalted butter, chilled and cubed
- 1/2 cup reduced fat milk, plus extra for brushing
- 1/2 teaspoon lemon juice
- 2/3 cup mashed, cooked pumpkin

DIRECTIONS

- 1. Preheat oven to 220°C.
- 2. Line baking tray with baking paper.
- Sift flour and nutmeg into a bowl. Using fingertips, rub butter into flour mixture until it resembles breadcrumbs.
- 4. Add milk, lemon juice and pumpkin. Stir until a sticky dough forms.
- 5. Turn out dough onto a lightly floured surface.

 Knead until just smooth.
- 6. Using a lightly floured rolling pin, gently roll dough until 2cm thick.
- 7. Using a 6cm round cutter, cut out scones. Press leftover dough together and repeat until no dough remains.
- 8. Place scones on prepared tray and brush with milk.
- 9. Bake for 12-15 minutes.







INGREDIENTS

- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 1 onion, finely diced
- 1 clove garlic, crushed
- 1 stick celery, finely diced1kg pumpkin, peeled, de-
- seeded and chopped
- 1 large potato, peeled and chopped
- 1 large carrot, finely diced
- 2 litres reduced salt chicken or vegetable stock
- 1/2 teaspoon pepper

DIRECTIONS

- 1. Heat oil in a large saucepan over medium heat.
- Add onion and garlic and cook for 2 minutes or until softened.
- 3. Add celery, pumpkin, potato, carrot and stock and bring to the boil.
- 4. Turn heat to low, cover and simmer for 30 minutes or until all vegetables are soft.
- Allow to cool slightly before using a stick blender to puree the soup until all vegetables are soft.
- 6. Add pepper.
- 7. Pour into leak proof containers such as thermos and store in the fridge ready to be added to the lunchbox.









Enrol online through our school website - https://nabiac-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/ or visit our office to collect an enrolment form.

Keep an eye out for information on our wonderful Kindergarten transition program.

We look forward to seeing you at "the best little school...anywhere"
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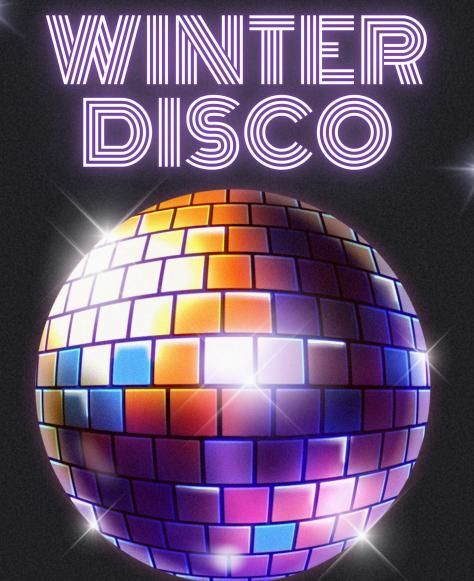
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K-2 WEDNESDAY 25 JUNE 3-6 THURSDAY 26 JUNE

4:30PM-5:30PM

THE CANTEEN WILL BE SELLING TREATS AND DRINKS

PARENTS CAN DROP OFF AT 4:30, AND PICK UP AT 5:30PM. PLEASE NOTE: ONLY K-2 STUDENTS ATTEND WEDNESDAY AND ONLY 3-6 STUDENTS ATTEND THURSDAY.

