Term 3, Week 8 Monday 8 September 2025

Nabiac Public School



NEWSLETTER



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Message from the Principal...

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to Week 8!

I want to congratulate Chloe for her fantastic achievement in attending the Regional Athletics Carnival. We are very proud of her representing our school.

This week, I had the pleasure of meeting with our school leaders to hear about their ideas for a special school activity. They have been working hard through the Unleashing Personal Potential leadership program to organise a surprise day for all students. I am sure everyone will have a wonderful time participating in this fun and engaging event.

Over the next two weeks, we will be holding our 3-way interviews, starting on Tuesday. These meetings are a fantastic opportunity for families, students and teachers to connect and discuss progress and learning goals.

Mrs Dunning, Mrs Ashby, and I are attending a professional learning opportunity with Lyn Sharratt from Tuesday to Thursday. This professional learning builds on the great work we do, helping us to further strengthen our teaching practices and continue providing your children with excellent learning experiences.

The P&C meeting is on tonight at 6pm, we welcome all new members.

Have a lovely week.

Lorelle O'Brien

COMING UP:

Week 8:

- Monday, Sep 8: P&C Meeting 6pm in Miss Chapple's Classroom
- Tuesday, Sep 9: 3 Way Interviews
- Friday, Sep 12: Zone Girls Soccer Day

Week 9:

- Tuesday, Sep 16: 3 Way Interviews
- Wednesday, Sep 17: Assembly run by Leaders
- Thursday, Sep 18: 2026 Kinder Transition -

Canteen Visit

• Friday, Sep 19: Zone Netball Gala Day

Week 10:

- Thursday, Sep 25: Highschool HPGE Art Day
- Friday, Sep 26: Last day of Term 3

SCHOOL HAT REMINDER

Please ensure your child packs their school hat every day. Hats are required for playing in the sun at break times, as well as for daily PE and sport.

SCHOOL HATS CAN BE PURCHASED FROM THE FRONT OFFICE FOR \$7.



Coming up at the best little school, anywhere:



Assembly

Our next Gold Assembly will be on Wednesday, September 17 at 2:15 pm. Our leaders will be hosting, families are invited to attend.

Uniform Survey

The P&C is currently working in partnership with the school to review our school uniform. There has been a survey sent out to families through School Bytes and a paper copy supplied. Please complete one survey, either electronically or by paper by Monday, 22 September. Paper surveys can be handed in to the front office.

If you would like to complete the survey electronically, please click the link below:

Https://forms.office.com/r/QxAdh0ZQHe

Year 6 Farewell



Each year, we celebrate our Year 6 students' final year of primary school with a special farewell dinner and dance. With the help of a wonderful team of parents, our hall is transformed into a beautifully themed party space. In the past, we've dived "Under the Sea" and walked the red carpet in "Hollywood."

This year, students have chosen a Country Western theme, and we can't wait to bring it to life!

If you'd like to be part of the team helping to create this memorable night, please get in touch with Mrs Ashby via the front office.

We're so excited to give our Year 6 students a farewell they'll always remember!

FOUND

A special bangle has been handed into the Office, please provide a description to claim it.

Three-Way Interviews

Notes have been sent home with students to help organise three-way interviews between parents/caregivers, students, and teachers.

These notes include important information on available dates and times, allowing families to select a convenient slot for the meeting.

If you have any questions or need assistance with booking your interview, please don't hesitate to contact the school office.



Tickets for the 2025 Schools Spectacular are available through <u>Ticketek</u>.

This year's theme, Remarkable, celebrates the extraordinary talent and creativity of students from public schools across New South Wales.

Enjoy a dynamic program of music, dance and drama, featuring traditional and contemporary performances, original compositions and innovative choreography.

Before the show, explore SpecFest, an outdoor entertainment hub with food, activations and chill-out zones for the whole family. SpecFest is free and offers the perfect preshow experience to make your day unforgettable.

<u>Tickets</u> for this iconic event sell fast. Book early to secure your seats.

Join us in celebrating the incredible achievements of our students and be part of an event like no other.







EDUCATION FOR SUSTAINABILITY







K-2 students attended an incursion by the Environmentors last Wednesday. Over 3 sessions they learnt about different types of rubbish and which bins they should use. Students learnt about landfill, sustainability and even learnt about composting. Our K-2 students will now be able to use their expertise to sort out rubbish disposal at school and home.













2025



POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING

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

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PBL Week 8

I can keep my hands and feet to myself

- At school we play games that are safe and don't involve grabbing, kicking, hitting, or wrestling each other.
- If you have a problem, you can solve it by using your words, getting help from a friend, or finding a teacher in a bright pink vest.
- · We do not solve our problems by using our hands or feet.
- Playing safely is the right thing to do. It helps everyone have fun on the playground.





CONGRATULATIONS

516 Pelicans

You did well in Week 7, Term 3!
Your collective attendance rate was:

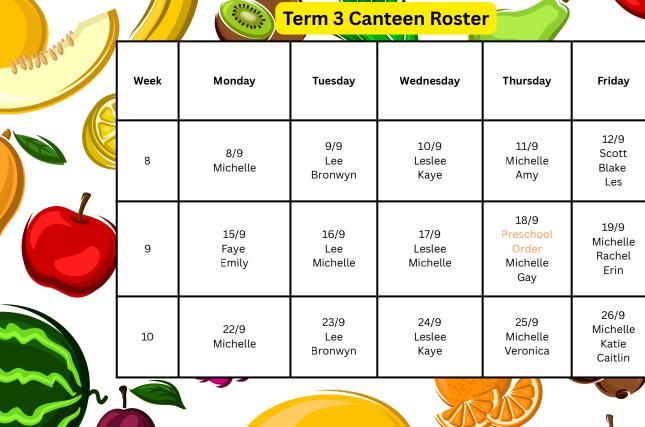
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Which class will have the highest attendance rate this week?



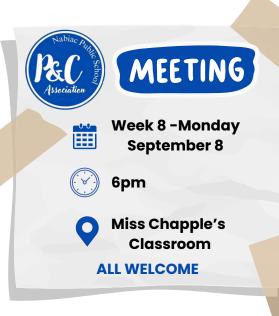
Canteen & P&C News







He felt crummy!







INGREDIENTS

- · 1 teaspoon vegetable oil
- · 1 carrot, grated
- · 1 zucchini, grated
- 150g brussel sprouts, finely sliced
- 1/4 purple cabbage, finely sliced
- · 1 red capsicum, finely sliced
- 440g hokkien noodles, prepare according to packet instructions
- 1/3 cup reduced salt soy sauce
- · 2 shallots, finely sliced
- 1 tablespoon sesame seeds
- 1/4 cup fresh coriander
 leaves

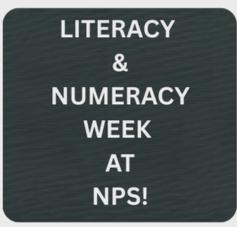
DIRECTIONS

- Heat the oil in a large fry pan over medium to high heat.
- Add carrot, zucchini, brussel sprouts, capsicum and cabbage to the pan and continually stir for 3 to 4 minutes or until the vegetables have softened.
- Add the noodles and soy sauce and stir to combine. Cook for 2 to 3 minutes or until heated through.
- 4. Add the shallots, sesame seeds and coriander.
- Transfer the rainbow noodles into containers and store in the fridge until they are ready to be added to the lunchbox.



For more recipes visit: www.swapit.net.au/resources/recipes-ideas/































Last Friday, Nabiac Public School hosted our annual Father's Day breakfast to celebrate all the dads and father figures in our community. Staff were in early, firing up the BBQ for bacon and egg rolls, while families enjoyed a morning together filled with lawn games and laughter. The celebrations continued with our Father's Day assembly, where students shared their writing, the choir performed, and Nabibeats put on a fantastic show. We hope everyone had a fantastic Father's Day!





Kinder Koalas Winner Lincoln Sun

K/1 Frogs Winner Jade Smart

1/2 Kookaburras Winner Briar Ashby

2/3 Sharks Winner Neve Karnaghan



3/4 Meerkats Winner Brax Packer

5/6 Pelicans Winner Noah Spychala

5/6 Turtles Winner Alex Allman

Lucky Door Prize Winners Thank you to the P&C













Stage 2 and staff had a fabulous day at the Hunter Valley Wildlife Park! Our students explored the various areas of the park and got to see lots of different animals and listen to the keepers talk about meerkats and monkeys, as well as see them feed the lions! We even got to feed some camels, goats, deer and kangaroos! Congratulations to all our students on their wonderful behaviour during the day... we all had a wonderful visit to the park!



What's On in the Community:





You could be eligible for Saver Plus.

For every dollar you save, you'll get a dollar from ANZ to spend on educational costs, up to \$500.

To join, you need to meet all of these requirements:

- Be 18 years or older
- ✓ Have a current Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card
- Have a child in school, starting school next year, or be studying yourself
- ✓ Get a regular income (can be you or your partner)
- ✓ Agree to join in free online financial education workshops



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IN THE CLASSROOM:



We are now over halfway through Term 3, and the K/1 Frogs have been working hard, building their knowledge and skills across all learning areas. Along the way, we've also made time for fun and creativity, celebrating Book Week and attending tennis lessons with Coach Ellise.

This term, we've been developing our writing skills through a range of text types, including persuasive writing, letter writing, and narratives. This week, we're enjoying the classic story Possum Magic.

In Maths, we've have been exploring patterns and early multiplication and division concepts by building and identifying arrays. This helps us understand grouping and repeated addition. We've also been learning about measurement, with a focus on length. Our Year 1 students even created their own rulers!







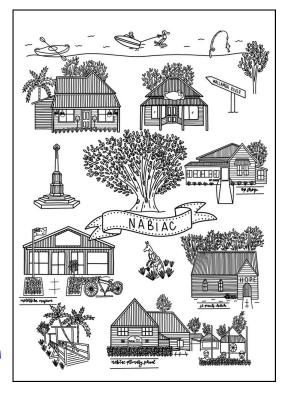
TEATOWEL FUNDRAISER

Get your very own Icons of Nabiac tea towel - a charming hand-drawn celebration of our town's attractions and landmarks, including NPS, the Wallamba River, our towns namesake - the fig tree, the Motorcycle Museum, and more! Perfect as a keepsake or Christmas gift and the best part? Every dollar supports the best little school... anywhere!

ONLY \$17

TEA TOWELS HAVE ARRIVED!

Order via Spriggy or purchase from Nabiac Public School Office.





100% Cotton





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" ph: 6554 1247



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