Dear Parents,

The school was a hive of activity over the holidays, not just with staff members preparing for the new term but with our passionate fete committee who were gearing up for the 17th October. I hope too, that the students have been taking photos over the holidays, to enter into the photo competition and that the raffle tickets have been selling fast. Thank you for your support thus far, with what is sure to be a stellar day for our school community.

We finished the term with crowd pleasing performances by two of our dance groups at the State Dance Festival during the last week. The senior students, performing “Of Gauntlets and Gallantry,” were awless in delivering their dramatic and technically sophisticated piece. The Year 2 group performed “That Special Word” with an energy and sense of fun that really resonated with the crowd. It is a fantastic achievement to have 2 groups invited to perform at this level. All credit must go to the choreographers, Sandra Nicol, Sue Brandenberg and Emily Jeffrey, the team of parents, led by Wendy McLean, who help to bring the dances to life through costumes and of course, the talented students who truly shone on stage. Congratulations and thank you to all involved, for your commitment and achievement.

We also celebrated the achievements of a number of students who received banners at the Banner Assembly on Tuesday and Thursday. The award system seeks to recognise students who repeatedly make good choices that impact on themselves and those around them. It is also a way of recognising various student achievements across the school. In the following mix of recipients, you will recognise some of our quiet achievers as well as some of our more visible leaders. Congratulations to the students for their wonderful achievement – your parents and teachers are very proud of you.


Congratulations to our Year 6 students and parents for a fabulous cake stall held at the end of last term. Those beautiful signs were cleverly placed again, at the Kiss and Drop zones, to remind parents of the event and there were certainly some delicious treats to be devoured. Congratulations to Year 6 for a great team effort.

Holly Hunt recently had the opportunity to attend the Regional Debating Camp at Collaroy. Confidently representing Newport on her own, Holly reported that she had a wonderful time, learnt a lot and met some new friends – a very well-deserved opportunity. Congratulations Holly for a wonderful achievement.
It is important to review safety messages with students, every so often and this week, I have included the recommended advice from the School Safety and Security Directorate which the teachers revise with students on a regular basis during class time. Teaching children about safe practices is also a significant part of the K-6 Child Protection Program.

As you would be aware, our planning for the 2016 school year has started already and this will become all the more real next week, when we meet our 2016 Kindergarten cohort, who will be involved in the Orientation program. With our need to establish a clear picture of our student numbers for next year in mind, I am asking that you let us know in writing if your child is not returning to Newport in 2016.

We start the term with the K-6 Life Education program, which supports our teaching in the area of Personal Development/Health as well as having our Year 2 cohort head to Manly for Swimming School. In addition to the swimming and water safety knowledge acquired, swimming school is also a wonderful opportunity for our Year 2 students to develop their sense of responsibility and independence and we know they will be wonderful representatives of Newport.

We are back in our Summer School Uniforms this term and know they will be worn with pride, as the students begin another exciting and productive term of learning and opportunities.

Regards,
Natalie Baldi
Relieving Principal

Safe People Safe Places - Advice to share with the school community from School Safety and Security Directorate

- Make sure your parents or another adult you know is aware of where you are at all times.
- Always walk straight home or to the required destination.
- Walk near busier roads and streets, or use paths where there are a lot of other people.
- Know where safe places are – a shop, service station, police station, library or school.
- If you are frightened, you should go to one of these places and ask them to call the police.
- Learn about safe adults you can look for and talk to if you need help – police officers, teachers at school, adults you know and trust.
- Don’t talk to people you don’t know and never get into a car with someone you don’t know.
- If a car stops on the side of the road and you don’t know the person inside, do not stop.
- If you are scared and can use a phone, call Triple Zero (000) and tell them you are scared.
- If someone tries to grab you, yell out, ‘Go away, I don’t know you!’ This lets other people know you have been approached by someone you don’t know.

Choir News

Our lovely choirs have been invited to sing at the Newport Fete on 17th October. The Juniors at 10:40 am and the Seniors at 10:50 am. Each choir will sing 2 songs. Juniors will sing Happy Talk and Chi y Chi y Bang Bang. Seniors will sing Jungle Rhythm and Alone in the Universe/Oh, The Thinks You Can Think.

We will practice as much as we can in Weeks 1 and 2 but it would be great if the children could also run through these songs at home.

This will be a fun performance and we would love everyone to come, however, if you are unable to join in would you please return the note below to Mrs Gutherson.

Thank you again for supporting the choirs this year.

Welcome back for term 4. Please attach the up to date menu

Mon 12th: S Law, J Masters, E Moran, S Carter, L Tyndall
Tues 13th: K Ryan, E Wilson, P Hitchman, K Ginsburg, K Hulley
Wed 14th: N Johnson, M Lye
Thurs 15th: K McMahan, B Brown, J Mahewes
Fri 16th: J Parums, M Weber, M Dian, M Lindsay

B’Tutta
Performing Boom, Crash, Create
Presented by Musica Viva in Schools.

Musica Viva has been inspiring students throughout Australia for over thirty years. More than thirty groups from all genres of music tour to over 1,000 schools each year. This year there will be a performance at your child’s school by B’Tutta.

B’Tutta (bhi-lo-bhi) takes its name from the African phrase meaning ‘to strike’ and it has the action down to a very fine art. Among some of the first music ever created, percussion taps into the basic rhythms inside us all, and it’s one of the easiest ways to engage and involve your students through music. Students are encouraged to conduct, perform and improvise, so this performance will have exciting rhythms and drumming beats flowing through their veins. Influenced by percussive styles from all around the world, B’Tutta simply perform anything with percussion in it if it’s got a heart beat, you’ll enjoy this performance.

B’Tutta will be performing tomorrow Wednesday 7 Oct.

The students have been learning about B’Tutta throughout the year.
RAISING RESPONSIBLE DIGITAL CITIZENS

Narrabeen Sports High School proudly presents one of Australia’s leading cyber safety educators Loosie Smith. Known as the 'Cyber Safety Lady’ Loosie will share her expertise. In this adult only presentation, we invite you to learn about issues such as;

- Cyber bullying
- Smart phone safety
- Avoiding adult content
- Screen time balance
- Safe social media

DATE  Tuesday 27 October
TIME  6:45 for 7pm, concluding at 9pm
VENUE  School Library, Narrabeen Sports High School
        10 Ramsay St, Narrabeen
COST  Free—however seating is limited, bookings are essential
RSVP  narrabeen-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au or (02) 9913 7820. Please note that this presentation is for adults only. Please do not bring children to this event.
## Gourmet Sandwiches & Wraps

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<td>With Chicken, Ham or tuna $4.60</td>
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## Drinks

| finger Bun (Tues) | 300ml Oak carton $2.20 | 300ml plain milk carton $2.00 | 200ml juice $2.00 |
| Fingers & (Thurs) | 300ml Oak carton $2.20 | 600ml water $1.50 | Hot Chocolate $2.00 |
| Popcorn          | 300ml Oak carton $2.20 | 200ml juice $2.00 |                                      |
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## Extras

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**LUNCH ORDERS NEED TO BE HANDED IN BY 9.30AM**

Please write name & class clearly on bag

PSSA Sport ONLY please use a white bag

Separate bags for hot & cold food please.

Frozen items cannot be ordered

Online ordering: flexischools.com.au

Hot food is made on the canteen premises
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| **Week 1 ~ 5th Oct**
LABOUR DAY
Public Holiday | 6th Oct
Year 2 Swim School starts | 7th Oct
Musica Viva
Life Education Starts | 8th Oct | 9th Oct |
| **Week 2 ~ 12th Oct**
Year 2 swim School and Life Education continues all week | 13th Oct
School Parliament Meeting 10.40am in the Hall | 14th Oct
Kinder Orientation 9.30-11.00am
NSW PSSA Athletics | 15th Oct
Year 5 Girls Night in the Hall 6.30-8.00pm
NSW PSSA Athletics | 16th Oct
Yr 2 Swim School finishes
School Fete Saturday 17/10 |
| **Week 3 ~ 19th Oct**
Life Education continues all week
Year 5 Leadership Training begins (next 4 weeks) Day TBA | 20th Oct
P&C Meeting 7pm in the library | 21st Oct
Kinder Orientation 9.30-11.00am | 22nd Oct
Year 5 Boys Night in the Hall 6.30-8.00pm | 23rd Oct
Life Education finishes |
| **Week 4 ~ 26th Oct** | 27th Oct
Kinder Orientation 9.30-11.00am | 28th Oct
Yr 5 Leadership Workshops | 29th Oct | 30th Nov |
| **Week 5 ~ 2nd Nov**
Just Like You all week
Years 1-6 | 3rd Nov
Newport Kindergarten visit 10am | 4th Nov
Yr 5 PHS Experience Day | 5th Nov
School Tour for new families 10am. Meet outside the School Office | 6th Nov |
| **Week 6 ~ 9th Nov**
Just Like You all week
Years 1-6 | 10th Nov
Yr 5 Surf Lifesaving | 11th Nov
Yr 5 Leadership Workshops | 12th Nov | 13th Nov |
| **Week 7 ~ 16th Nov**
Year 6 Camp | 17th Nov
Scripture Xmas assembly | 18th Nov | 19th Nov
Year 6 Camp returns | 20th Nov
PSSA ends |
| **Week 8 ~ 23rd Nov**
Year 5 leadership voting process begins | 24th Nov
Last Scripture for the year
Helpers Morning Tea
P&C Meeting 7pm in the Library | 25th Nov | 26th Nov
School Tour for new families 10am. Meet outside the School Office | 27th Nov |
| **Week 9 ~ 30th Nov** | 1st Dec
Yr 6 Surf Life Saving
Year 1 Fairy Tale Celebration Day | 2nd Dec | 3rd Dec
Yr 6 Surf Life Saving | 4th Dec |
| **Week 10 ~ 7th Dec**
Kindergarten Presentation | 8th Dec
Yr 6 Surf Life Saving | 9th Dec
Presentation Day Yrs 1-6 @ Pittwater High School | 10th Dec
Yr 6 Surf Life Saving | 11th Dec |
| **Week 11 ~ 14th Dec**
Yr 6 Graduation Dinner 6pm | 15th Dec
K-6 Picnic Day | 16th Dec
Last day for students | 17th Dec | 18th Dec |