What’s On?
Week 8
Monday, 31st August

Tuesday, 1st September
Boys Touch Football - Narrabri
Stage 3 PD Evenings 6pm- Boys and 7pm Girls
P&C Uniform Shop open 2.45-3.30 pm

Wednesday, 2nd September
Silver Badge Assembly – 11.25am
Fruit Day
Father’s Day Wrapping
Assembly 6M
Student Banking

Thursday, 3rd September
Stage 3 PD – Boys 9:30 am and girls 10:30 am
Boys Softball - Tamworth
P&C Uniform Shop open 2.45-3.30 pm

Friday, 4th September
P&C Raffles at the Crossroads at 5pm

Monday, 7th September
K-6 Assembly 2.45pm

Tuesday, 8th September
Ronald McDonald Bike Ride Visiting School at 1.30pm
P&C Uniform Shop open 2.45-3.30 pm

Wednesday, 9th September
Gala Sports Day Stage 3
Assembly 1-2H
School Banking – REDEMPTION DAY

Thursday, 10th September
P&C Uniform Shop open 2.45-3.30 pm

Friday, 11th September
P&C Raffles at the Crossroads at 5pm

Innovative Students
In Week 3 of this term when we I asked students if they could contribute an idea in response to my question- ‘What can books do for you?’

Two students Charlotte Penberthy and Brianna Walton have done more than that. They have carefully crafted a “Readathon” for all students to celebrate books and Book Week.

This week in the school library Brianna and Charlotte have organised with the senior students and their teachers to read books to younger students during the lunch time. Anybody can come and listen to the stories. As a book has been read Brianna and Charlotte will write down the name of the book so they have a log of how many books are read during the week.

I am wondering how many books they estimate will be read? Any ideas? I plan to take the girls up on this experience as I do enjoy someone reading a story to me.

Planning a Holiday
This year there have been changes to the requirements related to taking a holiday during the school term. In previous newsletters, Department of Education information has been presented explaining the procedures. I am including these again so you are aware of the current procedures.
Families are encouraged to travel during school holidays. If travel during school term is necessary, discuss this with your child’s school principal. An **Application for Extended Leave** may need to be completed. Absences relating to travel will be marked as leave on the roll and therefore contribute to your child’s total absences for the year. In some circumstances students may be eligible to enrol in distance education for travel periods over 50 school days. This should be discussed with your child’s school principal.

**Ronald McDonald Ride for Sick Kids**

Every year a group of riders do a 5 day ride through Northern NSW to raise money for the Ronald McDonald Houses and Family Rooms within Northern NSW and this year they are beginning their ride in Moree to ride to Narrabri, Tamworth, Scone, Singleton and back to Ronald McDonald House Newcastle. This year they are celebrating our 11th anniversary of the ride which is very exciting.

Along the ride they like to visit schools to speak to the children about the Ronald McDonald House Programs, Bike Riding and being safe on a bike, and generally have a bit of fun with the kids after all their houses are there to help children get better.

This year they will stop in at Narrabri Public School on Tuesday 8th September at approximately 1:30pm. We will participate in a colouring in competition to support this event.

**White Cards**

1st
Danny Kelly, Mia Wilson

**Bronze Awards**

Kayden Lamb, Jayden Rose, Tom Wheeler, Emilio Almagro, Kaden Harvey, Josh Soper, Ellie Keeley, Haylee Finn, Seth Van Bommel, Lane Shoobert, Jacob Sampson, Chelsea Lysaght, Campbell Bulmer

**Silver Badge**


**Dad You’re #1**

Father's Day Stall

**this**

Friday 4th September

School Hall

from 9.30am

Lots of great gifts to choose from

Gifts are priced from $1 to $15

**Something for everyone!**

Also volunteers are needed to help run the stall on the day from 9.20am your help would be greatly appreciated

Thank you for your support

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Canteen News

A HUGE thank you to everyone who helped while Nikki was away. Your thoughtfulness and kindness in giving up precious day off time for some and precious at home time for others to make sure the children of our school received their orders is very much appreciated. While the canteen does have paid staff we would not survive without the volunteers, even those who can just give an hour or two of their time. We need you all and everyone is welcome.

There are some Lasagnas left @ $4.00 and we always carry Fried Rice – also $4.00. Apart from the Fried Rice other gluten free options are GF Chicken Nuggets .75c each, hashbrowns, and sandwiches made on gluten free bread and salads.

If you have other ideas come and let us know.

We are on our last box of “Frozen” Olaf icecreams so come and get one soon.

Canteen Roster

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| Tuesday, 1st September | HELP!!!
|            | Yr 6 Danielle Sunderland, Ashlyn Ritchie  |
| Wednesday, 2nd September | HELP!!!
|            | Yr 6 Phoenix Watt, Fynlay Dams            |
| Thursday, 3rd September | Cassie Webster
|            | Yr 6 Ewan McFarland, Molly Michell-Smith  |
| Friday, 4th September | HELP!!!
|            | Yr 6 Sofia Fawcett, Candice Wright        |
| Monday, 7th September | Cathy Coleman
|            | Yr 6 Paige Dean, Amelia Jones             |

Thank you
Kim Owens
Supervisor

Congratulations to these students who will be representing NPS at the State Athletics Championships in Sydney
(Back) Joc Ford, Sam Soper, Alistair Gourley, Ashton Smith
(Front) Declan Rooney, Annalise Woodham, Claudia Penberthy, Amelie Johnson, Georgia Stuart & Mile Campbell
(absent Cooper Hall)

What is Namoi Toy Library?
The Namoi Toy Library is a place where parents or carers can go to borrow a large variety of educational toys, puzzles and games on a regular basis.

We aim to support families and encourage them to spend time playing with their children. Quality toys are expensive and children quickly become bored with a toy once its play value has been exhausted.

By providing new play materials every fortnight, parents can save money and significantly contribute towards the development and education of their children.

A small membership & hire fee is charged for the toys. Come and see what we have to offer!

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