## Nemingha Public School



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Term 4, Week 5 10 November 2016

#### Calendar - 2016

#### November

Friday 11 November Bunnings BBQ - P&C Fundraiser

Orders and payments due for Gingerbread

**House Night** 

Tuesday 15 November Year 3 and 4 at-school camp info night

5.30pm

Friday 18 November Kinder Orientation

9.20am-3.15pm

Assembly - Kinder Red item

Friday 25 November P&C Gingerbread House night

Tuesday 29 November Christmas Scripture Service

2pm - everyone welcome

December

Friday 2 December Captains' speeches

Year 5 students standing for positions as captains for 2016 will present their cases.

11.30am in the hall. Parents are welcome to

come and listen.

Tuesday 6 December Creative & Performing Arts concert

9.30 start - for students who are learning music

to show us what they have learnt.

Friday 9 December Presentation Day

9.45am in the hall - everyone welcome

Tuesday 13 December Year 6 Farewell

Wed 14 December Stage 2 (Years 3 and 4) School Camp

Watch out for notes

**P&C and School Council meetings**School Council at 6pm in the staff room

P&C at 7pm in the staff room

Friday 16 December Nemingha's Got Talent

Last day of Term 4

19 and 20 December Staff Development Days

2017

January

Monday 30 January Start of Term 1

For Years 1-6

February

Thursday 2 February Start of Term 1

For Kindergarten

Clothing Pool - open each Monday, 9.30-10.30am and on assembly days at 1.30pm

# Charity Day a great afternoon of fun

Our 2016 Charity Day was a huge success, with a big crowd of parents, grandparents and even preschoolers enjoying an afternoon of fun.

We raised \$1,882.35. Half of this will go to Ronald McDonald House this year, and the other half towards resources for the school.

The children organised and ran the stalls with enthusiasm and all the students were extremely well behaved, contributing to a great day.

More photos on page 2 and on the school web site:

www.nemingha-p.schools.nsw.edu.au





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#### Charity Day fun ...













# Not coming back next year?

We need to know if any of our students will not be back with us next year.

This doesn't include Year 6, of course, who we know will be starting their exciting years at high school.

If you know your circumstances are changing - perhaps you are changing your work or moving out of the district - please send a note in to the school office.

We understand that things don't always go to plan, but an indication of your intentions would be helpful.

This would be of assistance for planning our classes and activities for next year.

Thank you

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#### **School Student Transport Scheme**

Transport for NSW have advised that any student with a bus pass that will expire at the end of 2016 should update their details prior to 31 December 2016.

This applies to all students who

- ➤ are currently in Year 2 and Year 6
- ➤ have changed address
- have approval on special circumstances.

The link to update student details is:

https://apps.transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts/updateDetails

## BE BUS AWARE

Buses can't stop quickly





bebusaware.com.au





#### **GROUP PHOTOS AVAILABLE TO ORDER**

The group photos taken last term by Advancedlife Photography can now be ordered.

Order forms and information are available at the school office, along with samples for viewing.

# What's cooking in the Cantina

#### Tex Mex Tacos are a hit!

Canteen-made taco mince, cheese, lettuce. Salsa and sour cream optional.

One taco \$3, two tacos \$5.

#### Milkshakes

Flavours are strawberry, lime and possibly caramel. Nice and refreshing, only \$2.50.

Please order these as you would a normal order, and they will be collected from the canteen window at lunch time. Your empty brown bag will be sent in your class basket, so bring this with you upon collection.

Gracias,

#### **Marion Woods**,

Canteen Manager, 0414 766 131

#### Nemingha P&C Gingerbread House Night

Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November at 6:30pm in the School Hall.



\$30 per house

Friends and relatives are all welcome.

The gingerbread house kit includes everything you need for complete construction and will be gift-wrapped upon completion.

A large selection of appropriate lollies will be available but we suggest that you bring some of your own for a truly unique creation!

Please bring along a small chopping board, knife and scissors.

All gingerbread is egg free, and gluten free houses are also available.

Take home kits are available for \$25 (no lollies included).

If you wish to join us, please send a zip lock bag with your name, your order (specify if you want traditional, gluten free, or take home), and the correct money to the school office by Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November.

Late orders cannot be accommodated.

All enquiries to neminghapandc@outlook.com

#### **ORDERS CLOSE TOMORROW**

All orders and payments *must be finalised by tomorrow*,
Friday 11 November. We will not be able to place late
orders. Thank you.

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Sport News

# Kinder team impressive

Our Mini Oztaggers have improved out of sight in the past three weeks, tagging well and scoring tries in every match.

The team has scored a win over Calrossy, with Beau Williams named player of the match.

#### Cricket

The Year 6 team has had a win and a bye over the past two weeks.

The Year 5 team has had a win over St Edwards and a loss to St Nicholas and our Year 3/4 team has had two wins.

Congratulations to all our cricketers.

#### Orchestra's first practice

Our newly formed school orchestra had its first practice on Tuesday.

They are looking forward to performing at the Creative and Performing Arts concert on 6 December - add the date to your diaries!

### Good for Kids good for life

#### START THE DAY THE FRUIT & VEGIE WAY

Research shows that kids who eat breakfast have higher levels of alertness, energy and concentration. Also, kids need to increase their intake of fruit and vegetables throughout the day.

It can be easy to sneak fruit & vegies in at breakfast time!

Here are a few ideas:

- Wholegrain toast topped with cooked mushroom, fresh tomato, baked beans or creamed corn
- Chop and add left over veggies to an omelette or pancake
- Porridge mixed with mashed banana and frozen blueberries

Eating fruit and vegetables at breakfast will help your kids get their 2 & 5 serves every day!



Sourced from the cancer council, www.eatittobeatit.com.au



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#### FARRER MEMORIAL AGRICULTURAL HIGH SCHOOL

## Registering for the 2017 Selective Schools Test

If you have a son in Year 5 who would like to attend Farrer in 2018, you **MUST** register with the Selective Schools Unit mid October through to mid November.

Log onto the Farrer website: <a href="www.farrer.nsw.edu.au">www.farrer.nsw.edu.au</a> and follow the Selective Schools link.

For more information contact:

Enrolments officer Kerry Hussey 6764 8607 or email: kerry.hussey@det.nsw.edu.au