

Nyngan Public School



Nyngan Public School provides – quality education for all children through dedicated teaching in a secure, caring country environment.

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Dear Parents and Community Members,

Congratulations to staff and students from Nyngan Public School who raised \$2011.75 for Relay for Life 2012. The school Relay for Life Team had at least 2 members walking around the oval for the entire duration of the event. Many thanks to Jane Jackson, Bill Pearce and Judy Richards who joined Nyngan Public in this fund raising event. Some staff braved the elements and stayed the night while others came and went when rostered. Thank you to the many families who supported this worthwhile fund raising event. A further \$75 was raised at the event by the sales of lollipops. These were popular amongst adults and children alike. Many adults commenting that their lollipop made the time pass quicker as they walked around and around and around...

On the 21st of March Nyngan Public will be celebrating Harmony Day. This is a day where staff and students celebrate the multi cultural population at Nyngan Public. The colour dedicated to this day is orange. The SRC will be actively supporting this celebration with the sales of orange biscuits and orange jelly cups at recess.

The 22nd of March is a day of celebration for Closing the Gap. Otitis Media is a health concern involving inflammation of the ear(s). This health condition often causes temporary or permanent hearing loss. Disruption to hearing often results in disruption to learning. Nyngan Public School is working on closing the gap with the installation of 4 sounds systems within the school. These systems assist in the projection of adult and peer voices giving greater clarity and improving the ability of the students to hear what is being said around them. The Speech, Language and Hearing Program implemented at school level is also aiding in the diagnosis of children who have a hearing difficulty.

Last Thursday, Peter Giles provided Nyngan Public gardening students with an informative look at, Green Cestrum, one of the noxious weeds that he has located in the Nyngan Area. He has given Nyngan Public a photo of this weed which we have displayed in the front office. If you think that you may have it growing in your garden please phone him on 0419 600 923 and he will put your concerns at ease.

Kylee Pearce, Acting Principal

Harmony Day - Harmony Day will be celebrated this Wednesday 21st March. It's a day when all Australians celebrate our cultural diversity. The day is also the United Nation's International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination.

Nyngan Public School will celebrate with the SRC selling orange jelly cups for \$1.00 and biscuits with orange icing for 50 cents at recess.

Compost Bins - We have been fortunate enough to gain funding from C.M.A. to establish compost bins at the school. The funding must be spent by May and we are looking for helpers to build the compost bins. If you are able to help Mrs Shone would appreciate it. If you are able to help please contact the school

Book Club order forms were sent home on Wednesday. Orders are due back to the school on Friday 23rd March. No late orders will be received after that date.

Football/Netball Notes were due last Friday 23rd March. If you have not sent your permission note, medical form and \$15.00 in, please do so tomorrow.

Rugby League Trials for 11 years and open primary rugby league players for 2012 will be held at Apex Oval in Dubbo on Friday 30th March. If you would like to discuss nominating your son or need further information for these trials please contact the school by this Wednesday 21st March, 2012. The cost to nominate is \$2.00.

School Photos will be taken the first week of term 2, Thursday 26th April. Envelopes will be sent home this week. Each child needs their own envelope and we ask that these be returned to the school by Tuesday 24th April (first day for students term 2). Please make sure the right money is put in the envelopes as we cannot give change.

Year 7 – 2013 - Forms were sent home with year 6 students for expression of interest for placement in Year 7 2013 in a NSW government school. These forms needed to be returned to school by Friday 16th March. If you have misplaced your form another one is available at the administration office.

Important Dates

Wednesday 21st March

Monday 2nd April

Friday 23rd March

Thursday 5th April

Tuesday 24th April

Thursday 26th April

Harmony Day

Year 2 Assembly – 12.30 pm

Book Club orders due

Last day of Term 1

First day of Term 2 for students

Photo envelopes due back

School Photos