Congratulations to Mrs Toni Petty and Mrs Trish Moore for being selected to be the parent representatives on the Nemingha PS School Council. Your contribution to our school will be greatly appreciated.

Thank you Year 6, Mrs Bowman, Mrs Sheppeard, Mrs Karlie Scott and Mrs Belinda Brennan for your wonderful work in our gardens this week. It was a very warm day! Our gardens should be looking fabulous by the time we return for another busy term at Nemingha PS.

Parent/teacher interviews have been very successful with most parents and carers taking the opportunity to meet with teachers to discuss the academic progress of students. Mrs Kemp will be holding her interviews early next term.

Please contact the school if you need assistance in organising before school care for your children. Supervision does not begin until 8.50 am each morning and it is crucial that our students remain safe from harm at all times.

Have a lovely holiday and stay safe. 😊

Kerrel

AWARDS

Congratulations to Rachel Smith who received her 1st Service Award certificate at our assembly last Friday 12th September.

As the Gold Coast Holiday draw was held at our last assembly The ‘You Can Do It’ awards were held over and will be presented at the first assembly next term (17th October).

What’s Cooking in the Canteen

Thank you to all the families who have supported the canteen during Term 3, either through purchasing food or volunteering your time to help.

The roster for next term has been completed and will be sent to the families involved. As always, if you would like to help us, please let me know and I can add you to our roster.

In 2011 DEC introduced a Nutrition in School Policy which states - "All schools should promote and model healthy eating and good nutrition in school programs and activities relating to or involving food and drink. School canteens are required to implement the Fresh Tastes @ School-NSW Healthy School Canteen Strategy"

Therefore at last week’s canteen meeting, it was decided that mini pies and hotdogs will be deleted from our school menu. This decision was a result of an extensive review by the Hunter New England Health department of our menu. These items are both RED, which means they contribute excess energy, saturated fat, sodium and/or sugar to the diet and should only be sold on Red Days.

We advertise 2 Red days per term. Please be assured we are following these guidelines well, and only want our children to be as healthy as possible and to learn to make good choices in life.....even when it comes to food and drink.

Enjoy your break.

Marion Woods 0414 766 131

SCHOOL PHOTOS

Parents wishing to purchase Sport, Captains, Debating or Chess photos may be ordered now. Proofs and order forms are available at the school office.
What a talented class Year 3 are. The students' effort throughout practice and the performance of our assembly item ‘FOX’ was excellent. It was great to see their connection not only to the story, but to each other. The students have enjoyed making connections between themselves, other texts and the world around them.

This term Aime McCluand returned to work with Year 3 for another 4 weeks. The students enjoyed and worked well completing a study of ‘Bridge to Terrabithia’ and “The Pro’s and Cons of being a frog”. The students also looked at the differences and similarities between Australia and Indonesia during HSIE.

Thank you to all the parents who requested interviews. If anyone would like to schedule an appointment please call the school office to arrange a time for next term.

Next term will be another busy one leading up to the end of another year and Christmas. Mrs Palmer will be continuing to work with Year 3 on Fridays for HSIE and will be completing a unit on Celebrations. This will tie in with our English Unit ‘Mirror’ by Jeanie Baker and ‘Little Refugees’ by Ahn Doh. It will focus on Australian and other cultures.

We will be using the new Science and Technology syllabus next term focusing on a unit ‘Change of State’ which looks at solids and liquids. This should be a lot of fun for the students to explore and engage in a range of activities and experiments.

I wish everyone a safe and happy holiday.

Kristine Sharkey

School Holiday Cricket Clinic

As a former Test cricketer and current leading coach, I will be conducting a coaching clinic for young cricketers in Tamworth again this year during the upcoming school holidays.

The clinic covers the basics of batting, bowling, fielding and running between wickets and includes a net session and a “skills” game.

All ages and skill levels are catered for.

Students who are not members of a club are welcome to attend.

Geoff Dymock

For further information: Please contact me - Phone 0414 255 193

Tamworth Milo in2CRICKET
4 to 8 years

No 1 Oval Kable Ave - 8.00am to 9.00am, New player rego fee $65.00 includes players Pack valued at $40.00
10 Week Season Starts SATURDAY 11th October 2014
For more information contact Tamworth Junior Cricket Committee
(M) 0427 656 342 or e-mail simon.hood@joblinkplus.com.au
Nemingha Public School P & C Association

Major raffle report for 2014

We have concluded our major fundraiser for the year with an exciting raffle draw at School Assembly, Friday 12th September by Mr Peter Graham our Nemingha P & C President. The raffle was won by a very excited year 1 student Robert Murphy.

Each person or family who sold an entire book of tickets earned an entry into the draw for each book sold. The prize for this was a 2GB iPod which was won by Rachel Smith, from Year 3.


Raffle Prize: 5 night’s accommodation at Sea World Resort on the Gold Coast for 2 adults and 2 children in a double resort room. Unlimited Entry to Sea World, Warner Bros Movie world and Wet 'n Wild water world. $100 food and beverage credit and $200 Caltex fuel card. Value of prize $2350.

Total cost of running the Raffle was $3700 for 280 raffle books containing 20 tickets.

Total books sold: 268
 Unsold books: 9
 Lost (Declaration received): 3
 Total: 280
 Total number of tickets sold: 5360
 Total income: $10,720.00
 Less cost of raffle: $3,700.00

TOTAL PROFIT $ 7,020.00

I would like to thank all of the familys who helped sell tickets and raise money for our wonderful school. A special thank you must go to Lynette Henderson and Sally Cronberger. Between the 3 of us we sold over 3200 tickets, a monumental feat.

Donna Murphy

An enjoyable holiday to all!
Please sort through your cupboards, as we would love some more donations.
Clothing Pool will next open on Tuesday 7th October when students return in summer uniform.

Karen Darling
Clothing Pool Coordinator

JUNIOR TENNIS IS BACK IN DUNGOWAN

MITCH POWER Tennis Academy
HotShots

Week 1 Term 4 2014

4-6 year olds 4.15-4.45
7-10 year olds 4.45-5.15pm
11 years plus 5.15-5.45pm

All participants receive a free HotShots T-shirt
HotShots group coaching $125 (10 weeks)
Competition $100 (10 weeks)
**WEEKEND HOCKEY**

Congratulations to Maya Olrich, Emelyn Haling, Millie Hawes and Evelyn Murdoch and their Coach James Haling who had a great season playing hockey with The Tudors U11’s team. This was their first time playing hockey. Well done.

*Renee Hawes*

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