Term 1 Week 9 Monday 20 March 2023 MENSLETTER MENSLETTER MABIAC PUBLIC SCHOOL Mr. 554 1247 Email: nabiac-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au The best little school...anywhere" RESPECT RESPONSIBILITY CARE







Dear Parents and Carers,

Well done to our Year 3 and 5 students who participated in the NAPLAN assessment last week. NAPLAN is not about passing or failing, but about assessing learning progress. Here is some information about changes to the NAPLAN reporting which was taken from the ACARA media release:

* The numerical NAPLAN bands and the national minimum standard will be replaced by the following 4 levels of achievement:

- Exceeding
- Strong
- Developing
- Needs additional support.
- * The standard for proficiency is set at a challenging but reasonable level.

* If your child is in the Strong or Exceeding category, it means they have demonstrated proficiency and that their literacy or numeracy skills are where they should be at this stage of their schooling.

* If your child has not yet achieved proficiency, then they will either be in the Developing category or the Needs additional support category.

Tomorrow is Harmony Day. Students are invited to wear out of uniform and are encouraged to wear orange, yellow or red if they have it. Teachers will be explaining the importance of Harmony Day whilst completing some activities during the day.

At the end of this term teachers will be inviting you to attend three way interviews, which consists of you, your child and the teacher. This is an opportunity for you to hear how your child is progressing at an earlier time in the year, and allow your child and child's teacher to share their goals and work with you. You will be able to ask questions and see how your child is progressing at an earlier time in the year. Notes will be sent home shortly. We hope you will be able to make it, but understand not everyone can. If you are unable to attend the three way interview, you will have an option to request a phone call.

I hope you have a lovely week!

What's On

MARCH

21st - Harmony Day 22nd - Gold Assembly 4D @ 2.15pm 27th - School photos

APRIL

5th - ANZAC Day Assembly @ 9.30am 6th - Easter Hat Parade @ 1.45pm 7th - Good Friday

COMING UP

8th-10th May - Aussie Bush Camp (Yr 5 & Yr 6)

Harmony Day

Tomorrow Tuesday 21 March Non-uniform day Wear the colours red, yellow and/or orange

Lorelle O'Brien



stronger than you seem and smarter than you think." - Christopher Robin

Assembly

The next school gold assembly will be held on Wednesday 22 March at 2.15pm. Class 4D will be running the assembly and presenting an item

Parents, family and friends are welcome to attend

Core Value Respect

Responsibility

Care

Easter Hat Parade

We are excited to announce we will be holding our annual Easter Hat Parade on the last day of term, Thursday 6 April at 1.45pm under Brendan's Shelter. Kinder, Years 1 and 2 will be asked to make a hat or mask at home to parade on the day. Years 3-6 will be invited to participate in a colouring in competition to be judged by Miss Brace. The colouring in template will be sent home to complete for any students wishing to participate. Competition winners will be announced at the parade. Parents and Carers are welcome to watch the parade. Only K-2 will be parading. Years 3-6 will be in the audience.

School Photos

School photos will be held on Monday 27 March. If you would like sibling photos, envelopes are available to collect at the office. We ask all students to please wear the summer uniform. Please return all envelopes to the office by Monday 20 March.

Harmony Day

Harmony Day is tomorrow, Tuesday 21 March. We will be having a non-uniform day encouraging students to wear the colours red, orange and yellow if possible.







P&C Easter Raffle

We are very pleased to announce that we are holding our Easter Raffle again this year! Large tubs have been placed in all the

classrooms ready for Easter egg donations for our raffle.

We ask if parents and carers could send their child to school with a donation of an Easter egg/bunny/chocolate for the raffle.

The class who donates the most will win a prize!

Tickets cost \$1.00 each. Each book is worth \$10.00

Please ensure that tickets and money are returned to the office no later than Wednesday 5th April 2023.

The winners will be announced during the Easter Hat Parade.

We thank you for your support and good luck!

NPS P&C Association

POSITIVE BEHAVOUR LEARNING

Nabiac Public School uses the Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) Program. The school's code of behaviour is underpinned by the expectations of:

Respect

Responsibility

Care

These values are displayed in each classroom and various areas throughout the school. The expectations are explicitly taught to students across the different school settings to ensure children remain safe and supported at school.

This week, classes are discussing and practising the core value of care which, when followed, will make our school safe and happy.

Actions and behaviours underpinned by our core values have recently been updated. Students are encouraged to demonstrate care at Nabiac Public

School by: Get along with others Accept difference Be safe

Care	
I can	
≥ get along with others	
> get along with others > accept difference	
> be safe	

CROSS COUNTRY PLACE-GETTERS























PBL AWARD



PBL award Week 7 - For setting a good example (Respect) was class 4D Chosen by Miss Colbeck

Congratulations Wallamba Show Place-Getters

























Congratulations to the Incoming P&C Committee

President: Christal Pearce Vice President: Scott Thompson Treasurer: Stephanie Woolnough Secretary: Amanda Holden Uniforms: Sarah McIntyre Canteen: Michelle Thompson

Canteen Roster Term 1-2023

Week	Monday Milkshake Day	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9	20/3 Michelle Jade	21/3 Lee Chris	22/3 Leslee Jenny	23/3 Michelle Blake	24/3 Michelle Faye Volunteer Needed
10	27/3 Faye Kylie	28/3 Lee Chris	29/3 Leslee Kim	30/3 Michelle Emily	31/3 Michelle Hannah Volunteer Needed
11	3/4 Michelle Kylie	4/4 Lee Chris Michelle	5/4 Jenny Leslee	6/4 Scotty Blake Michelle	7/4 Good Friday