

# NEMARLUK SCHOOL

SAFE RESPECTFUL LEARNERS WORKING TOGETHER TO ACHIEVE THEIR BEST

## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



**VIRG  
HUGHES**

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## CALENDAR

STEAM Science Show: 5 June  
40<sup>th</sup> Bday Celebration: 11 June  
Whole School Assembly: 18 June  
School Holidays: 20 June - 13 July  
Students Return for Term 2 - 14 July  
Darwin Show Public Holiday - 24 July  
Sports Day - 3 August  
School Survey Opens - 4 August  
UP Assembly - 6 August  
EC Assembly - 20 August  
Book Week - 22 to 28 August  
BEAT Festival - 2 to 4 September  
Whole School Assembly & Book Week Parade - 17 September  
Last Day of School - 18 September  
School Holidays - 19 Sep to 4 Oct

Dear Families,

We are just over halfway through this term, sadly yesterday we had to cancel our Early Childhood assembly due to a power outage. This week we had approximately 78 students attend the All-Abilities Sports Day on Monday where students had the opportunity to try a range of sports see pg 2 for pictures.

### Visit from Suneden Specialist School

On Wednesday the Principal and 3 teachers from Suneden Special School in South Australia visited our school. This school is an independent special school for students Preschool to Year 12 with approximately 75 students. The staff enjoyed visiting our classes, including our Wulagi Satellite class. The team were very appreciative of the time to visit our classes, see and hear about our whole school approaches, programs and how we collect data and report. It was a great opportunity to develop connections with another interstate specialist school.



### Professional Learning:

On our pupil free day at the beginning of the term, we had a refresh of Structured Teaching – we did this learning with Henbury School staff. It was great to refresh our knowledge about the four elements and also have new learning around Pathological Demand Avoidance (PDA) and strategies that can be used in the classroom to support students who present with PDA.

Gail also provided 2 days of professional learning for new staff at our school and our project schools (Humpty Doo, Jabiru) as well as Henbury staff. The rest of Gail's time was then doing classroom observations, talking with staff about problems of practice and supporting with strategies.

Staff have also had professional learning about communication with a focus on supporting students with echolalia, we learnt about echolalia and possible classroom strategies to support students who are echolalic.

### Upcoming events:

We are in the last stages of organisation for our 40th anniversary- the coordinator and committee have been doing a great job with the organisation; classes have been practicing their performances too. It is now only a few weeks away, we are looking forward to this celebration of the work of our school over many years.

## ALL ABILITIES SPORTS DAY



## WEEK 4 ASSEMBLY



## MM ENRICHMENT DAY

On the 7th of May, a group of our students attended the 2026 Meaningful Maths Enrichment Day, and what a fantastic experience it was! Students enthusiastically participated in a range of engaging, hands-on activities that encouraged learning, creativity, and teamwork. The day provided valuable opportunities to explore new ideas, build confidence, and have fun while learning together



## ROOM 13



In Week 1, Room 13 students began their learning about Nemarluk School's 40th Anniversary celebrations by embracing themselves as Nemarluk students. Students drew self-portraits using the Book Creator app, then selected, cut and pasted pictographs of what they like and their favourite things to do at Nemarluk School. We also started our performance rehearsals with Karama and Room 7 classes and had our first visit to Henbury School, with a guided tour by Henbury NTLC students. Students enjoyed exploring the different spaces and look forward to starting their activities there on Fridays

## ROOM 13

This term in Room 13 students have dived into their learning, working collaboratively and continuing to grow their independent work and life skills. Students are enjoying our Unit of Work Celebrations topic especially, making timelines sequencing photos of themselves throughout their time at Nemarluk School and making a whole class story about our school using the Book Creator app. Students are enjoying our Let's Talk and Play sessions, playing games together and going swimming. We are having fun during our Friday Henbury School transitions, including playing on the playground, cooking, bike riding and visiting other spaces such as the library and sensory room



## NIGHTCLIFF

Our Nightcliff Satellite Class has had a fantastic start to the term, with students enthusiastically taking part in rehearsals for the upcoming performance celebrating Nemarluk School's 40th Anniversary. In Mathematics, students have begun exploring the Measurement strand through a range of engaging and hands-on learning activities that are building confidence and understanding. As part of the class focus on student wellbeing, a calming transition routine has also been introduced after playtime. Students use beeswax kneading and the "Gentle Candle Flicker" breathing exercise to help settle their minds, refocus, and support mindfulness and positive wellbeing in the classroom



## KARAMA



The boys at Karama have been continuing to work hard this term! They have been enjoying their transitions to Henbury school and learning about the timeline of Nemarluk School's history.



## STUART PARK 1



Stuart Park 1 has had a wonderful start to Term 2. Students were excited to be back at school with their teachers and friends. We started our new unit of work, Celebrations and Commemorations, by pretending it was a classmate's birthday, and students thoroughly enjoyed role-playing the celebrations. Students have also been busy commemorating ANZAC Day. As a class, we created suncatcher poppies and proudly participated in the ANZAC assembly alongside our Stuart Park peers. Five of our students have commenced PE and ICT integration sessions with Stuart Park students, which has been a fantastic opportunity. Each day, we continue to strive to be safe, respectful learners

## ROOM 1



This term, our unit of work is all about celebrations, and Room 1 had a big celebration in Week 1. This was Julie's last week at Nemarluk School before starting maternity leave, and the students had the opportunity for a smooth transition between teachers, so they were ready to hop straight into learning with their new teacher, Faye. Through our theme work, the students will be exploring their own abilities, their character, their achievements and their 'superpowers', all of which will be celebrated, no matter how big or small. Already, the students have demonstrated resilience, kindness and a strong sense of belonging to their class, school and community. We are looking forward to celebrating each other this term

## MILLNER 1

Millner 1 have had so much fun over the last couple weeks of school, it has been jam packed with Healthy Harold, cooking at Millner Campus and Performance Rehearsals!



## WULAGI



On Thursday 30 April, our Wulagi Satellite class proudly contributed to the Wulagi School Night at the Museum fundraiser by creating their own “polka dot” paintings for auction. Inspired by famous artist Yayoi Kusama and the wonderful book *The Dot*, students explored colour, patterns, and creativity while learning that every little mark can lead to something amazing. Through this activity, students built fine motor skills, expressed their individuality, and most importantly, grew confidence in their own creativity. We are so proud of the effort, imagination, and unique artworks created by every student

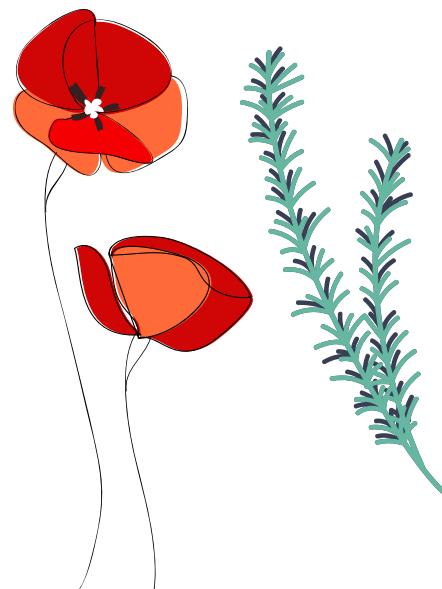
## MANUNDA 1

Manunda 1 students spend Monday to Thursday at Manunda Terrace Primary School, and Fridays at Nemarluk. On their day at Nemarluk they have lots of fun at participating in swimming, music and art lessons. This term, we are fortunate to be spending time every Wednesday morning at Nemarluk to practise our item for Nemarluk's 40th Birthday Celebrations. Some of our students were also asked to help raise the flags at Nemarluk's ANZAC Commemoration Ceremony last Friday.



## MANUNDA 2

Manunda 2 made a wreath and laid a red poppy each to show their respect at Manunda Terrace Primary School's ANZAC Day assembly last Friday.



## NAME PUZZLES

Handmade Name Puzzles for Sale. We have handmade name puzzles available to purchase at the front office for \$10 each! There are plenty of names to choose from! Images below. All proceeds go towards our 40th Birthday Celebrations next year. Donated by former staff member. Crafted by RALPH the PUZZLEMAN. Send an email to the admin email with the name/s you'd like then pop into the front office to collect!



# Great Job

## TERM 2 WEEK 4&6 CLASSROOM AWARDS

**ROOM 1**

ARIELLA

**ROOM 3**

MARIA  
SHAKTI

**ROOM 4**

CHELSEA

**ROOM 5**

AARAV

**ROOM 6**

OLIVIA

**ROOM 7**

ELISE

**ROOM 8**

GURFATEH

**ROOM 11**

TOBIAS

**ROOM 12**

HASON

**ROOM 13**

FAITH  
KEANU

**ROOM 14**

NO AWARD

**MANUNDA 1**

OCTAVIA  
NASIR

**MANUNDA 2**

KEELAN  
ZION

**STUART PARK 1**

KENZIE  
JACOB

**STUART PARK 2**

DANTAE  
ROZAYN

**MILLNER 1**

MATHIAS

**MILLNER 2**

JULQUARN

**WANGURI**

VIAAN  
LAWRENCE

**WULAGI**

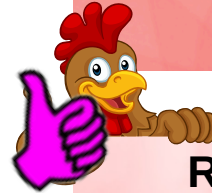
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**NIGHTCLIFF**

ELI  
ANTONIOS

**KARAMA**

KOTARO  
DIEUME



## NOTIFYING BUS ABSENCES

If your child travels to and/or from school by bus, please notify any absences (short-term, long-term or for the day) directly to the Special Needs Bus team.

Please email [specialneeds.nt@cdcbus.com.au](mailto:specialneeds.nt@cdcbus.com.au) and cc [elena.lee@education.nt.gov.au](mailto:elena.lee@education.nt.gov.au) with the following details:

- School
- Student name
- Bus run
- Period of absence (dates/times)
- Reason for absence

Providing this information helps ensure safe and efficient bus arrangements for all students.

## NOTIFYING STUDENT ABSENCES

If your child is away, can you please ensure that you notify the school of their absence every day, even if you have already notified that they are sick.

This is due to the Department of Education and Training requirements of schools being informed daily.

### You can do this by:

emailing: [admin.nemarluk@education.nt.gov.au](mailto:admin.nemarluk@education.nt.gov.au)

sending a text to 0488 906 885

calling 8985 0400

notifying via our website:

<https://www.nemarlukschool.com.au/contact-and-support>

## UNIFORMS

### Old Clothes and Towel Donations

We are always in need of old uniforms/clothes and towels for our laundry room.

If you have anything spare, we will happily take it. This will help our students, if they are ever in need for a spare change of clothes.

### Old Uniforms

We have all of our old uniforms, Polo's and T-Shirts, up for sale for only \$5. We are limited in sizes, and will not be ordering any more.

## UNIFORM PRICES

**Polo Shirts \$35**

**Y6 Polo Shirts \$35**

**Black Shorts \$20**

**Hats \$10**

**Swim Short \$50**

# Back to School Vouchers

# \$200





# REDBUBBLE

[WWW.REDBUBBLE.COM/PEOPLE/NEMGREENANT/SHOP](http://WWW.REDBUBBLE.COM/PEOPLE/NEMGREENANT/SHOP)



# Collaboration at Nemarluk

Working together with educators, families, carers, community and specialists respectfully, sharing ideas, knowledge and resources to provide opportunities for our students to reach their full potential.



## Where collaboration happens

Collaboration is woven through every part of school life. It occurs across:

- People & Partnerships
- Teaching & Learning Spaces
- School-Wide Events & Programs
- Communication Platforms





**NEMARLUK SCHOOL'S**

**40<sup>th</sup>**

**BIRTHDAY**  
*celebration*

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***Thursday, 11 June 2026***

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Please join us to celebrate this special milestone together.

**Nemarluk School - 30 Styles St, Alawa**  
**9:00am Official Proceedings Commence**  
**9:30am Student Performances**

***RSVP by 25 April via Nemarluk Website or email [admin.nemarluk@education.nt.gov.au](mailto:admin.nemarluk@education.nt.gov.au)***

**CDC** NORTHERN TERRITORY

**BUSSY'S CORNER**

# BE A BUS SUPERSTAR!

 **DO NOT THROW STUFF AT EACH OTHER ON THE SCHOOL BUS.**

**BE KIND  
BE RESPECTFUL  
BE SAFE**

**⚡ PARENTS/GUARDIANS, ⚡**  
Please ensure that students understand their responsibilities as outlined in the **Code of Conduct for School Bus Travel.**

 **GOOD CHOICES MAKE OUR BUS A GREAT PLACE!**

**THE CODE OF CONDUCT HELPS US ALL:**

- ★ Be Respectful
- ★ Be Responsible
- ★ Be Safe

You can read the full Code of Conduct for School Bus Travel here:

[https://nt.gov.au/\\_\\_\\_data/assets/pdf\\_file/0010/547624/code-of-conduct-for-school-bus-travel.pdf](https://nt.gov.au/___data/assets/pdf_file/0010/547624/code-of-conduct-for-school-bus-travel.pdf)

**SCHOOL BUS**

**TOGETHER, WE CAN KEEP OUR SCHOOL BUS SAFE AND FUN FOR EVERYONE!** ❤️



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# Look Down & Mind the Gap!

Remember to look down and step carefully over the gap when hopping onto the bus!

Hop on safely!



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# Free Parent Program



ENVISAGE Families is a supportive peer program designed for **parents of young children who have developmental concerns, a disability or who are neurodivergent.**

The program is designed to help you:

- Feel more **confident and competent** in making decisions for your family.
- Discover **practical, evidence-based strategies** to help you better understand and advocate for your child's needs.
- **Connect with others** who may have similar experiences to your own, exchanging insights and perspectives.
- Facilitated by a qualified health professional and a parent peer.
- No cost to you. Your child does not need a NDIS plan or diagnosis to participate.

## HOW TO REGISTER

[Scan the QR Code](#)  
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## IN PERSON PROGRAM



### FRIDAY MORNINGS

3 Consecutive Weeks  
**Starting 29<sup>th</sup> May**  
9am-12:30pm



### Program Location:

1/10 Mel Road  
Berrimah, NT

Hosted by:



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Australia**

Northern Territory

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<https://envisage.community>

ENVISAGE Families Australia is funded by the Australian Government. Department of Social Services. Go to [dss.gov.au](https://dss.gov.au) for more information.

# TERRITORY TOGETHER

## Local disability support

Finding reliable support in the Northern Territory can be difficult. Staff turnover, limited specialist training, and gaps in understanding local needs often leave families worried. Territory Together exists to change that — small, dedicated, consistent, person-centred support you can rely on.

### Our Services

- Daily living support & personal care
- Community access and transport
- After-school support & social activities
- Respite care & overnight support
- One-on-one personalised assistance



Qualified and experienced support workers, trained in trauma-aware and person-centred practices.



Providing consistent, familiar support ensures families and participants feel safe, valued, and confident.



Every session is personalised to suit each participant's goals, abilities, and preferences.

### Contact Us

0486 161 286

[Admin@territorytogether.com.au](mailto:Admin@territorytogether.com.au)

[www.territorytogether.com.au](http://www.territorytogether.com.au)

Or scan the QR code to book your free Meet and greet!





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## All abilities program

Designed for people with disability to explore a range of sports in a supportive and inclusive environment.

Programs including athletics, boccia, swimming, wheelchair basketball and more are available during NT school terms.

### Information

For program details, registration and session times:



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**School Holidays**  
The NT Cartoon June / July programs are back!

Alice Springs Monday June 22<sup>nd</sup> - Friday June 26<sup>th</sup> / Darwin Monday June 29<sup>th</sup> - Friday July 3<sup>rd</sup>



The best fun your children will have!

**Early Bird Discounts**

**5 Day Holiday Programs**

Book 4 Long Days Monday to Thursday **NOT** Friday - don't select Friday by 4.30pm Friday June 12<sup>th</sup> & we'll give you for Friday FREE. Your child will be added to the Friday list.

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**Bookings**

• [www.illustrating-man.com.au](http://www.illustrating-man.com.au)

- Click the **Cartoon Workshops** button in the middle of our home page
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- For children aged 4 - 15 years
- Juniors, Intermediates & Seniors
- WWCC checks
- Snacks provided



<b>\$60</b> Short Day	9.30am - 3.30pm
<b>\$65</b> Long Day	8am - 6pm (or part thereof)
<b>\$30</b> Thursday night	6pm - 9pm

**Venues**

**Alice Springs**

Monday June 22<sup>nd</sup> - Friday June 26<sup>th</sup>  
Alice Springs Scout Group  
116 Larapinta Drive corner  
Scout Hall Lane, Alice Springs

**Darwin**

Monday June 29<sup>th</sup> - Friday July 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Monkani Guides Hall  
33 Greenwood Crescent,  
Moil



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Mail: Suite 2, 29 Newland St, Bondi Junction Sydney NSW 2022

## Holiday Art Club & Cartooning Programs

### Monday

- **Theme:** Colourful, Hawaiian, Rainbow & Tropical. Prizes for best dressed.
- **Draw:** A volcanic island.
- **Build:** A tower with Lego™.
- **Draw:** Cute manga animals.
- **Play:** The game 'Charge'.
- **Draw:** Sea life in the tropics.
- **Enjoy:** Decorate & eat cakes.
- **Squishies:** Play the squishy game.
- **Play:** The paper mummy game.
- **Draw:** A frog, snake & a crocodile.
- **Competition:** Design candy. Win USA candy! (Long Day)
- **Play:** Gold coin treasure hunt. Bring a bag. (Long Day)
- **Enjoy:** Make milk shakes - chocolate, strawberry, etc... (Long Day)



### Tuesday

- **Theme:** Sporting & Olympic characters. Prizes for best dressed.
- **Kids on wheels:** Bring your scooters.
- **Draw:** Australian animals.
- **Expose:** The secret park.
- **Draw:** Kuromi™, Spongebob™.
- **Flour fight:** Join in the fun.
- **Slime:** Make oobleck slime!
- **Play:** Shaving cream battle.
- **Draw:** African animals.
- **Enjoy:** The Kit Kat™ challenge. Guess the flavours blind folded.
- **Make:** Edible art out of snacks then eat your creations. (Long Day)
- **Pokémon™:** Draw them & bring your cards to trade. (Long Day)
- **Play:** Capture the flag, Soccer, Red Rover Run Over & Murder Wink. (Long Day)



### Wednesday

- **Theme:** Korean & Japanese. Prizes for best dressed.
- **Draw:** Kawaii cute insects.
- **Draw:** Hello Kitty™.
- **Draw:** Anime & Manga.
- **Draw:** Sonic™ & Yoshi™.
- **Draw:** Animated fruit & veggies.
- **Pocky Sticks™:** Guess the flavours blind folded.
- **Crowning ceremony:** Everyone gets a crown.
- **Waterfight:** Bring in your waterguns if you want to.
- **Perform:** K-Pop™, Gangnam Style™ & APT™ for prizes.
- **Play:** Capture the 'squishy' in teams. (Long Day)
- **Old school competitions:** Best Dabber, Flosser, Orange Justice & 6-7 performers. (Long Day)
- **Secret Code:** Find the treasure & golden jackpot by working out the secret code. (Long Day)



### Thursday

- **Theme:** Secret Agents & Spies. Prizes for best dressed.
- **Competition:** Design & win a watch.
- **Make:** Clay mini food.
- **Draw:** Garfield™ & Odie.
- **Draw:** Mario™ & Toad™.
- **Play:** Human O's & X's.
- **Enjoy:** Hit & miss jelly.
- **Draw:** Farm animals.
- **Make:** Rainbow biscuits.
- **Draw:** Roblox™ & a 3D landscape.
- **Face painting:** Be creative. (Long Day)
- **Design:** T-Shirts - we'll provide. (Long Day)
- **Make-over:** Get your hair styled, coloured & nails painted. (Long Day)



### Thursday (night) 6pm - 9pm

- **Theme:** Black-dark clothes.
- **Enjoy:** Free 'Meal Deals' for dinner.
- **Nerf gun disco:** Bring your own kit.
- **Play:** The custard game.
- **Play:** Indiana Jones™ game.
- **Play:** Murder in the dark!
- **Play:** Sock wrestling Nerf gun style.
- **Draw:** Dragons, Among Us™, Minecraft™.



### Friday Market Day - BEST day of the week!

- **Theme:** PJ's & Super Heros. Dress for prizes. Bring a pillow & teddy bear.
- **Draw:** Cartoon birds.
- **Draw:** Hogwarts™ castle.
- **Draw:** Cinnamoroll™.
- **Draw:** Looney Tunes™.
- **Play:** The Singapore caterpilla game. An exciting fun team game!
- **Enjoy:** Cookies & cream, vanilla or mint choc chip icecream.
- **Play:** The Waterbattle - bring in your waterguns for a safe battle.
- **Kingdom Markets:** Everyone needs to prepare a shop for Market Day. Buy & sell using Kingdom money. We'll also give you \$100 Kingdom dollars.
- **Talent show:** Singing, dancing, comedy, etc... Perform for prizes. (Long Day)
- **Computer gaming:** Bring in your devices for a gaming session. (Long Day)



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# QUIZ NIGHT!

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**SATURDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2026**



**6:00 PM FOR 7:00 PM START**



**\$15 A PERSON | TABLES OF 6**



*Grab your friends, family or coworkers  
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*We can't wait to see you there!*