



NEMARLUK

NEWSLETTER

Term 2 Week 1

Wednesday, 19 April 2023

UPCOMING EVENTS

ANZAC Day Public Holiday

Tuesday 25th April

Week 2 Assembly

Thursday 27th April - 8:45am Start

May Day Public Holiday

Monday 1st May

Week 5 Newsletter

Wednesday 17th May

Week 6 Assembly (Dress Up Day, Henbury Crewz n Brew)

Thursday 25th May - 8:45am Start

King's Birthday Public Holiday

Monday 12th June

Upper Primary Performance - Escape to Mystery Island

Thursday 15th June - 6pm to 7:30pm

Canteen day

Week 9, Day to be confirmed

Week 9 Newsletter

Wednesday 14th June

Week 10 Assembly (Coffee & Chat with Health Promoting School Nurse, Sue Debrueys)

Thursday 22nd June - 8:45am Start

Last Day of Term

Friday 23rd of June

School Holidays

Saturday 24th June - Monday 17th July

Term 3 Returns

Tuesday 18th July

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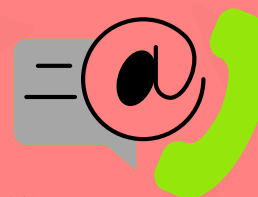
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WELCOME BACK

Hoping all staff, families and students had a great Easter break. Lots has happened since the last Newsletter. We had to cut down our gorgeous big tree over the holidays and it definitely hasn't gone unnoticed by our smart and curious students. We are still working out what will be filling the now empty space.

I had a look back at our term 1 attendance and 45% of our Primary students plus 58% of our Preschoolers attended more than 90% of the school term. These numbers are helping us hit our School Improvement goal of increasing the number of students attending school more than 90%.

Education Plan meetings are ongoing this term, so be expecting a call from Erin in the office to organise your child's meeting.

Happy Week 1 Everybody!!

We hope you had an amazing
Easter and Holidays



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Virg Hughes
Principal

Unfortunately, during the school holidays we said goodbye to our big and beautiful tree. The Department of Infrastructure Planning and Logistics have advised the big tree needed to be removed due to the damage the roots were causing and the continuous damage it was going to cause in the school in the future.

The students has definitely noticed the change since returning to school and have been quite curious of the area at recess and lunch. We are looking forward to seeing what the extra space might be used for at Nemarluk, and what will end up filling the area in the near future.



**you
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We are delighted to be welcoming back the Amazing Zoe Mathers. Zoe will be taking on the shared Teacher Role at Manunda Terrace 2 with Tania. She always has a smile on her face and is absolutely amazing with the kids.

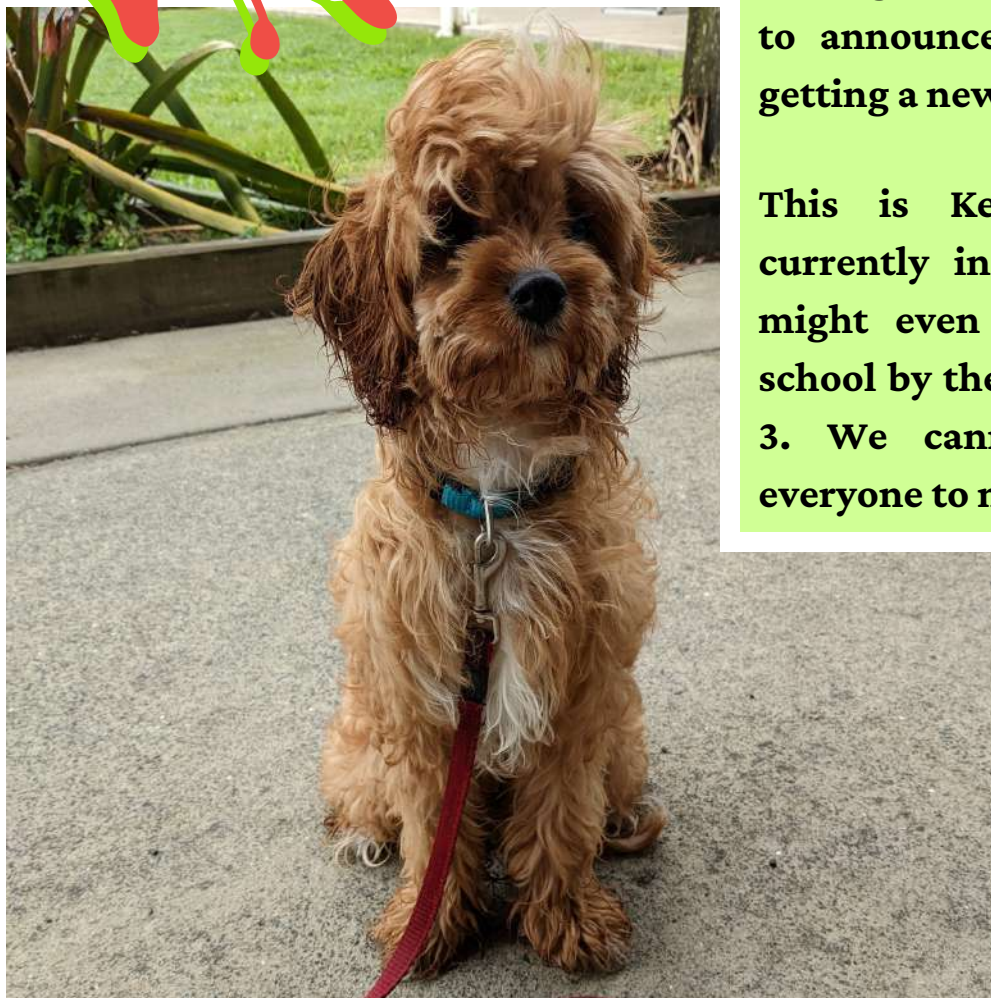
This Term, room 14 have a pre-service teacher in their classroom who is being mentored by Tonia. Joan Johnston is on placement at Nemarluk for the first 4 weeks of the term. We would like to give Joan a very warm welcome to Nemarluk School.

It is with great sadness that we are saying goodbye to Karen, who has decided to retire as of the start of this term.

Nemarluk School would like to acknowledge the work she has done at Nemarluk over the last 20 years (working in office at the old school while studying to be a teacher and then teaching). Karen has taught on campus - including year 6 for number of years and then in satellite, where she helped establish the satellite that we have at Manunda School.

We would like to thank Karen for her work as a teacher - always having students at the centre of everything she did, being a reflective teacher, mentoring pre-service teachers and new teachers and supporting many families on their journeys. We wish Karen all the best for the future





smartpups

Meet Kellie

Nemarluk used to have a smart pup named Laddie, who has now been retired since the end of 2019.

Laddie provided emotional support, comfort and helped many student over the years he was here.

After keeping it a secret for so long, we are finally able to announce that we are getting a new smart pup.

This is Kellie, who is currently in training and might even be ready for school by the start of Term 3. We cannot wait for everyone to meet her.



TERM 1 ATTENDANCE ANALYSIS

ATTENDANCE SEE OUR CURRENT DATA

TERM 1

PRE-SCHOOL

Average - 84.35%

PRIMARY SCHOOL

Average - 81.4%

One of our 2023 School Improvement goals is to increase the number of students attending school to more than 90%.



2023 PRESCHOOL SUMMARY

THANK YOU TOO ALL OF OUR PUNCTUAL STUDENTS

We had 5 out of our 12 Preschoolers finished Term 1 on 100% attendance. Incredible Job!!

Our preschoolers averaged an overall attendance of 85% and 7 out of the 12 students attended more than 90% of Term 1.

2023 PRIMARY SUMMARY

THANK YOU TOO ALL OF OUR PUNCTUAL STUDENTS

We had 10 amazing students who did not miss a single day in Term 1. Well done!!

45% of Nemarluk Primary Students had an attendance rate of 90% plus throughout term 1. That means out of our 163 primary students, 74 attended an average of 47 days out of 49 for the whole term.

22% had an attendance rate between 80%-90%
10% had an attendance rate between 70%-80%.

76% of our students had an attendance rate greater than 70% for the first term of 2023

Well done to our Satellite Bucket Drum Band who did a great job at drumming to 'Rolling in the Deep' by Adele, they got everyone dancing and singing!

Lawrence from room 11, got up in front of everyone and sung 'Firework' by Katy Perry. He didn't miss a beat, and the rest of us couldn't wipe the smiles off of our faces. Well done Lawrence.

A special shout out and congratulations to Adelino Coelho Da Silva, for winning our termly Green Ant Award. This award goes to the student who continuously demonstrates and follows our school values of 'I am a learner, I am safe and I am respectful'. Amazing work Adelino!



The Lions Club of Nightcliff Proudly Presents... DARWIN CHILDREN'S FILM FESTIVAL 2023

This FREE event allows local children of all abilities and backgrounds to enjoy the cinema experience in an inclusive, accessible and safe environment where they feel welcomed and free to be themselves without restriction or judgement, particularly those who have faced difficulties or disadvantages in recent times. The Darwin Business Community has generously sponsored all tickets.

BCC Cinemas, Casuarina Shopping Centre

Saturday 6th May 2023

Shazam! Fury of the Gods (PG) @ 10.00 AM & 1.00 PM

Mavka: The Forest Song (PG) @ 10.15 AM & 12.45 PM

Saturday 13th May 2023

Ant-Man and the Wasp: Quantumania (M) @ 10.00 AM & 1.00 PM

The Super Mario Bros. Movie (PG) @ 10.15 AM & 12.45 PM

We have received tickets to the Darwin Children's Film Festival again this year. If you would like some extra info please contact the front office. If you would like tickets please call, text or email us with the following information:

Student Name:

Movie(s) and Screening Time(s):

Number of tickets (for each movie requested):

You can get tickets to more than one movie! Once all the tickets are gone, they are gone, so get in early.



- Download the school stream app
App Store Google Play
- Search 'Nemarluk School' in the search bar
Nemarluk School
- Create an account
You'll need to use your phone number or email address to link this account.
- Wait for us to validate your account
We will also link you to your child's class group to receive updates and photos from teachers!

If you have any problems, just give us a call on 8985 0400, and we'll be happy to help.

Nemarluk School is using a new communication tool, an app called School Stream. This app is used for:

- Messages
- Forms
- Surveys
- Event notifications
- Newsletters
- Sharing student achievements
- Program advertisements
- Absence reports

It will also be used in case of whole school emergency messages, if necessary, such as:

- COVID-19 contact tracing
- School updates regarding extreme weather.

Please download School Stream from the App store using the instructions provided.

School Stream Information