DIARY DATES

4th to 6th August
Beleza Uniform Sale

Friday, 5th August
Assembly at 9.00 a.m.
Commonwealth Bank representative to visit

Wednesday, 10th August
Last day for District Athletics Carnival payments

Thursday, 11th August
Commonwealth Bank Student Banking sign up day at 8.30 a.m. and 3.00 p.m.
Parent to bring your licence or passport to be able to sign up

Friday, 12th August
Assembly at 9.00 a.m.
Last day to vote for new logo

Wednesday, 17th August
District Athletics Carnival for selected students

Ladies Pamper Night

Monday, 29th August
Whole School & Graduation Photos

Tuesday, 30th August
Last day for Artopia payments

Thursday, 1st September
Fathers’ Day Stall

Friday, 9th September
School Disco

Friday, 16th September
End of Term 3 – 2.30 p.m. finish

Monday, 3rd October
Start of Term 4

Saturday, 15th October
Parents’ and Friends’ Club Shopping Tour Fundraiser
Flyer with details included.

Principal’s Pen

I would sincerely like to thank all the parents who completed the parent education (PE) and student family occupation (SFO) proforma that went out with the student reports at the end of last term. This information is very important to our school because the funding that we rely on for our school to pay for staffing, special programs and school resources is based on this data. We are required to update this information every couple of years as part of the August census for schools. Information needs to be as accurate as possible to ensure that we receive the right funding for our students.

Planning for 2017
Tomorrow is school census day. This means that schools are required to let the Education Department know numbers of students who will be attending Narre Warren North PS in 2017. If you know that you will be leaving at the end of this year and haven’t already informed us can you please let the office know. Also if you know of friends or neighbours who intend to enrol their children at our school, can you please encourage them to enrol? Enrolment forms are available at the office or on our website.

Young ICT Explorers Competition
Congratulations to the following students who have made it to the finals for the Young ICT Explorers Competition. Jessica B, Abbey M and Zoe P have created a website to raise awareness about children in third world countries; and Aaron E and Malachi C have produced a pivot animation about history.

The finals are being held on Saturday at Deakin University Burwood. Projects will be assessed by judges from industry and academia where each team will have 10 minutes to showcase and sell their project. During the presentation ceremony, the top three projects in each age category will be announced and first place trophies presented. We wish these students all the best on Saturday. We thank Mrs Darbyshire for organising this exciting activity and entering our students in this competition.

Connie vanderVoort,
Principal
School logo

Attached to the newsletter are two options for our new school logo. This logo design was inspired by the idea submitted by the Thomas family (Brody 56B) late last year.

Inspiration for logo:
- Nestled among the gently rolling hills of Narre Warren North stands a grand tree, striking in its simplicity and free form beauty.
- With arms outstretched, the young child stands before this beautiful tree of life, intelligently contemplating and marvelling at its grandeur, form and majesty.

Symbolism –
- The torso and outstretched arms of the young child obscure the trunk and lower branches of the tree, creating the effect that they are ‘as one’, a part of the same whole, they belong together.
- The circle represents new horizons, new opportunities, optimism and hope.
- The leaves/fruit of the tree vary in size – representing growth and progression as well as the collective of the school community.
- Through the use of the natural landscape, this logo communicates growth, belonging, opportunity, community, progression, inclusion, intelligence and aspiration.

We would love parents to vote on which logo you prefer from the two given options using the following link. The logo on the navy background will go on school uniforms. The reverse logo will be used on our school’s stationery.

Thank you to the School Council Logo Subcommittee for your work in organising this logo for our school and the Thomas family for your wonderful idea!!

Link:
The design options and the link to vote are on the next page. Please vote by Friday 12th August.

Uniform
Beleza is still selling our uniform with our current logo until the change is made. Next year, and in future years as the children go up the school, both the new logo (once it is ready) and the old logo on uniforms will be acceptable. Over time the old logo will be phased out. Preps in 2018 will be expected to wear our uniform with the new logo.
New School logo – which one do you prefer?

Click on the link to vote:  https://goo.gl/forms/DWSyuxgCxlhRqZge2

- The originals can be viewed at the office.
- The logo on the navy background will go on school uniforms. The reverse logo on the white background will be used on our school’s stationery.

Option 1

Option 2
Whole School and Graduation Photos
Please note: There has been a change of date for our Whole School and Graduation Photos – they will now be taken on Monday, 29th August. Envelopes for the Whole School Photo will be distributed this week. Please refer to the flyer for further details. All photo payments need to be submitted by Wednesday, 31st August.

Parents’ and Friends’ Club
Ladies Night
Come and support our Ladies Night on Wednesday, 17th August. Great opportunity to mingle with friends, have a massage or a clairvoyant reading or maybe just come to shop. Enjoy a night away from the children and enjoy some refreshments. Tickets can be purchased on Qkr! or pay by cash or credit card at the office. See flyer for further details.

Shopping Tour
Our Shopping Tour is on Saturday, 15th October. To secure your seat on the bus, please make your payment soon. Please refer to the flyer for details.

Next Meeting
Our next meeting will be held in the staff room at 9.00 a.m. on Tuesday, 23rd August. All welcome!

Entertainment Books
Only two books left if anyone is interested – cost is $65.00.

Other Fundraisers coming up this Term:
1st September – Fathers’ Day Stall
9th September – School Disco
15th September – Footy Dress Up and Special Lunch Day

Parents’ and Friends’ Club

HOUSE ATHLETICS
On the 19th of July, Years 3 to 6 participated in our House Athletics. Everyone who participated in an event got a number of points for their house, and the lowest number of points was the best score to get. If you came 1st you got one point, if you came 2nd you got two points, 3rd was three points and 4th four points. If you did not place you got five points. The events that were run on the day were: the 100 metre, 200 metre, hurdles, triple jump, high jump, long jump, discus, shot put and the last event that was optional was the 800 metre. The overall winners were Robinson in 1st, Rae in 2nd, Kerr in 3rd and Troup in 4th. It was a great day for everyone!

By James C and Jessica B (Robinson House Captains)

Beleza School Uniforms – Sale
Our uniform supplier – Beleza in Hallam is having a 15% off sale.
NO FURTHER DISCOUNTS APPLY. NO LAYBY. SALE EXCLUDES SALE ITEMS
NO EXCHANGE OR REFUND WILL BE GIVEN IF YOU SIMPLY CHANGE YOUR MIND.
The sale will continue on:
Thursday, 4th August and Friday, 5th August – 9.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m.
Saturday, 6th August – 9.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m.

COMMONWEALTH BANK - STUDENT BANKING
A Commonwealth Bank representative and Pat the dog will visit our school during assembly on Friday, 5th August and parents will have the opportunity to sign up their children for student banking at 8.30 a.m. and 3.00 p.m. on Thursday, 11th August. Please bring your driver’s licence or passport.
Grade 5/6 designs for a bid for the 2028 Olympics.

Rachel C and Laylah B designed this emblem based on the Olympics held in New Delhi, 2028. The arch inside the square represents a building in New Delhi. The hand represents the people in India. There are Olympic rings inside the arched building, as well as the Olympic ring colours patterned in the background. Our motto that we have chosen is ‘We can do it as one.’ Laylah and I have enjoyed this activity.

By Rachel C

In our emblem we have chosen the temple to represent all the religious people that go and pray in the temples. We also chose the big red dot to represent the Japanese flag. The torches represent not that much but can be useful. The scroll represents Kung fu in Japan and all other religious things. We chose the motto ‘Stand High Above’ so everyone can try their best and reach their goal.

By Filip M and Jayse C
The sun represents a starting to a new hard working day at the Olympics. The birds represent teamwork and friendship. The boat represents persistence as it never stops until it lands on the shore.

By Dante and Noah

Emma Z and Caitlin F designed this emblem for our bid for the 2028 Olympics held in Cairo. We thought that a unique thing about Cairo is that it is the only city in the world with pyramids. Camels are their native animal and they represent Cairo in many ways. Camels are a vision that people think of when they hear the word Cairo.
Just like the athletes in the Rio Olympics and Paralympics, the children at Narre Warren North Primary School are going to be practising and developing their skills in **persistence** this term.

**Persistence** is the quality of being determined to achieve something and it means never giving up, even when things seem hard.

It means learning from our mistakes and keeping positive.

We need to practise **persistence** when we are learning new things and change the way we talk when things get challenging.

Instead of saying “I don’t get it”....you could say “I don’t get it YET.”

Instead of saying “I can’t do it”.....say “I can’t do it YET.”

Raina Rydberg – Student Wellbeing Coordinator

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**Participate**

**Encourage yourself**

**Resilience**

**Start and end something**

**Independence**

**Success**

**Trying doesn’t hurt**

**Enter with a positive attitude**

**Never give up**

**Courage**

**Enter competitions**

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Poem about Persistence

by Jemma, Shalisa and Lulu

Junior School Council

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The Parents’ and Friends’ Club have organized a fundraising shopping tour.

Join us and get a head start on your Christmas shopping, have some fun and raise funds for our school.

The outlets include a selection of women's, men's and children's clothing; homewares; manchester; toys; shoes; handbags/luggage and confectionery.

Date:  
Saturday, 15th October, 2016
Departure:  
7:30 a.m. arrival at school for 7:45 a.m. sharp departure.
Return:  
6:00 p.m. approximately
Cost:  
$52.00 per person including lunch at the Olympic Hotel, Preston.
Included:  
Coach transport, a hostess, lots of shopping outlets and lunch.

Lunch will be at the Olympic Hotel in Preston and will include a main course, dessert, soft drink, tea and coffee. Please advise us of any special dietary requirements on the booking form below.

The outlets we are visiting are: Natio (skincare), Candy Stripes (children’s and teen fashion), The Linen Factory, Toyworx, Entertainment Town (licensed team apparel), Armina Books, Wittner, Siricco (leather bags, wallets, clothing and luggage), Bambis (kitchenware), Ross' Nuts (nuts, lollies, chocolates, piñatas).

Most of the outlets will give our school a gift to raffle on the coach, so please bring plenty of coins for your chance to win fabulous prizes!

Spread the word and please ask your friends and family! Payment by cash, cheque, credit card or Qkr! in full, must be made by Wednesday, 14th September, 2016 (don’t delay - seats filled quickly last year).

Name: 
Contact Name: 
Eldest Student’s Name: 
Number of Places @ $52.00 per person:  
Total: $  
Shopper’s Names/Dietary Requirements: 

Credit Card Details

Card No.  
Expiry Date  
Cardholder’s Name  

Visa  
Amount $  
Student’s Name  

Mastercard  

Cardholder’s Signature

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Ladies Night Out!
Join Us for Food, Fun, and Frivolity!

Come Join us...
Wednesday 17th of August 2016
7pm – 9pm
Narre Warren North Primary School
Multi-Purpose Room

Shop – Pamper – Eat – Drink – Laugh

Entry Fee: $10
Includes:
Glass of Champagne on Arrival
Drinks, Finger Food &
Entry into “Lucky Door” Raffle

Support!

Some stalls included on the night:

- Hand, Neck and Shoulder Massage
- Jamberry Nails
- Candles and Homewares
- Bags & Purses
- Jewellery
- Intimo
- Moodles & Scarves
- Make Overs
- Home Made Cakes
- Clairvoyant Readings
- Manicures/Nail Art
- Henna Artist

... and more!!!

PURCHASE YOUR TICKETS NOW!

I would like to purchase ................. tickets at $10 each.

Name: ___________________________ Child Name/Class: _______________________

Please put in envelope with your payment, marked “Ladies Night” and hand into the
School Office or Pay on QKR!

Contact: Emma 0430 350 074

Purchase before the night for an extra entry into the Lucky Door Raffle!!
First 20 Tickets purchased receives a Show Bag!
2016 Whole School Photo
Ordering Options

Dear parents and students,

Narre Warren North Primary School WHOLE SCHOOL PHOTO is being taken

PRE-ORDER USING AN ENVELOPE

ENVELOPES WILL BE AVAILABLE FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE FOR PAYMENT WITH CASH/CHEQUE/CREDIT CARD
PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU NOTE THE DUE DATE FOR ENVELOPES TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT

  Step 1: Student Details: Complete the student details section on the front of the order envelope. Please use black or blue pen.
  Step 2: Order Details: Complete the order details on the front of the envelope.
  Step 3: Payment Method: Select your payment method.
     Credit Card – Please ensure you include all required fields
     Cash – Please enclose correct money – no change is given under any circumstances
     Cheque – Make payable to Advancedlife Photography with your name & address on the back of cheque

Please allow 60 days for your cheque to be finalised - a $25 fee will apply to any dishonoured cheque payments.

AFTER PHOTO DAY - ONLINE ORDERING

Your school’s whole school photo will be available for secure online purchase as soon as the envelope orders have been printed and dispatched for delivery

4 EASY STEPS TO ONLINE WHOLE SCHOOL PHOTO ORDERING

  Step 1: Easy Access Link: Click on this link if you are using a supported device Click Here
  - OR - Go to www.advancedlife.com.au and enter your school code [8EH 11Z HPB]
  Step 2: Click on the Group Photos tab (top of the page)
  Step 3: Choose the groups you would like to order from the list
          (left side of the page, you can view them at this point)
  Step 4: Pay for the photos via the shopping cart (upper right corner of the page)

Please feel free to contact us via email or phone should you have any queries
in regards to your child’s special group photo order.
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