



## Principal's Report

### School Photo Day - Friday 9th March

We aim to have the annual school photo day as early as possible in a new year. As a school, it enables us to have images of every child on our internal school system which assists a wide range of administrative functions.

For parents it enables you to purchase a memory of your child in this 2018 school year.

Closer to the date you will receive an envelope that has a unique log in for your child, called a Shoot Key.

You can pay for photos on line by credit card direct to the company or you can provide cash on the day by including the correct money in the envelope provided.

The packs range from \$25 to \$47 with the details on the envelope.

There is also an opportunity to purchase a family photo from \$10 for siblings who attend the school.

To organise a family photo, an additional envelope can be collected from the Front Office.

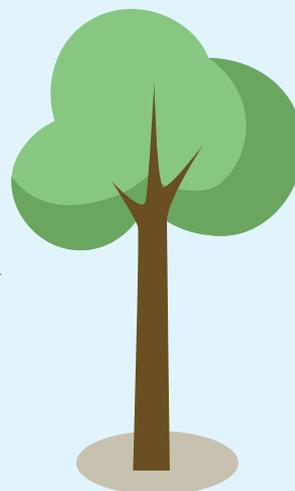
**Please note:** We start photographing the junior classes from the start of the school day, therefore, if your child is late they may miss their class photo.

### Tree Safety

As we have a number of large trees on the school grounds, we hire an arborist to conduct a tree audit of all trees on an annual basis.

We act on all recommendations within this audit and as a result a tree company has been on site this week, to trim branches that may provide a risk and to overall load lighten the larger trees. The aim of these actions is to ensure that students are kept as safe as possible while co-existing with our shady trees.

**Sharron Ward, NPS Principal**  
Sharron.Ward616@schools.sa.edu.au



## Diary Dates



### Friday 23rd February

Assembly host Room 8  
Festival of Music rehearsal

### Wednesday 28th February

School tour, 9am

### Friday 2nd March

Assembly host Room 15

### Friday 9th March

School Photo Day

### Monday 12th March

Adelaide Cup Day  
Public Holiday

### Tuesday 13th March

Pupil Free Day

### Wednesday 21st March

Harmony Day

### Friday 30th March

Good Friday Public Holiday

### Monday 2nd April

Easter Monday Public Holiday

### Friday 13th April

Last day of Term 1

### Upcoming School Closure

**/Pupil Free dates:**

**Tuesday 13th March (PF)**



## Nut Awareness

Parents would be aware that some children have an allergic reaction to certain foods. This allergy is often mild, requiring no special response from the school. However, a few children have had severe allergic reaction to foods, particularly peanuts, other nuts and foods containing these products. This severe allergic reaction is called anaphylactic shock (anaphylaxis) and can be life threatening.

Nailsworth Primary School is a Nut Aware School.



**OPEN**

**The Uniform Shop is open  
8:30-9:30am Monday to Friday**

Special Uniform Orders close on Friday 23rd February. The items included in a special order are: pinafores, rugby tops, vests and raincoats. Please ensure your order form has been sent to the Finance Office by this date as late orders will not be accepted.

*Mary Dunton, Business Manager*  
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## SRC Report

### Student Council Representatives for Semester 1 2018

Congratulations to our Semester 1 SRC representatives. They will work collaboratively, sharing students' ideas, interests and concerns with teachers and school leaders as well as raise funds for school-wide activities, including social events and community projects.

Room 6	Ben D and Piper C
Room 7	Hannah F and Timothy P
Room 7A	Olivia D-S and Edouard M
Room 8	Harrison S, William K and Tehya W
Room 9	Sam M and Aika R D
Room 10	Riad H and Amelia M
Room 13	Steven G and Luisa D
Room 14	George S and Zoe H
Room 15	Thomas S and Hana H
Room 16	Jemima S and Matthew W
Room 19	Skye M and Yushi L
Room 20	Grace F and Oliver W
Room 21	April P and Ashton B



**CONGRATULATIONS!**



## Community Notices

The school's two notice boards are located on the Front Office verandah and under the shelter by the volleyball court. This week the following notices are displayed:

- **Mitcham Girls High School Open Day** on 2 May, 9 – 11am & 5 – 8pm
- **GifT Dance auditions for Year 7 girls** at Mitcham Girls High School on 15th May, 9:15am. Register: [www.mitchamgirlshs.sa.edu.au](http://www.mitchamgirlshs.sa.edu.au)
- **Universal Shotokan Karate** operates at NPS on Mondays. This is a non-profit and Olympic recognised organisation. Phone: 0413 011 510 or [www.adelaidekarate.com.au](http://www.adelaidekarate.com.au)
- **The Child & Adolescent Sleep Clinic** at Flinders University offers treatments for children and adolescents. Phone: 8201 7587 Phone: 0430 879 489

## Harmony Day 2018

Nailsworth Primary School will be celebrating Harmony Day in **Week 8, Wednesday the 21st March 2018**. Harmony Day is not a fundraiser; but rather an awareness-raising day, celebrating our multicultural school and country. It is a day for all Australians to embrace cultural diversity and to share what we have in common. The central message for Harmony Day is that 'everyone belongs', reinforcing the importance of inclusiveness to all Australians.

Planning is in progress and details will be given to classes soon.

*Miss Iannucci, SRC Coordinator, [Louise.Iannucci588@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:Louise.Iannucci588@schools.sa.edu.au)*



## Coles Sports for Schools

Nailsworth Primary School will be registering for the **Coles Sports for Schools** program so please start collecting the vouchers (and tell all your family). Stay tuned for more details!



## Nailsworth Primary School Governing Council

### AGM - Monday 19th March at 7:30pm in the School Staffroom

The school's Governing Council is a key committee within the school.

For those who like to be involved in overseeing the school's operations, this may be a group that interests you.

Governing Councils work with the principal and school leaders to set direction for the school.

This includes:

- *Involving the local community*
- *Developing and approving policies*
- *Setting the broad direction and vision of the site*
- *Monitoring and reviewing the Site Improvement Plan*
- *Being the employing authority for OSHC.*



The Governing Council usually meets on a Monday night, 7:30pm, twice a term.

At the upcoming AGM membership of the parent representatives will be determined. There are 14 positions for parent reps with 7 currently filled with parents with one year remaining on their tenure.

The ongoing parent reps are: *Cathy Chesson, Craig Godden, Emily Larson, Gavin Puddy, Danielle Rypstra, Darren Searson & Kiley Sibley.*

If you are interested in being on the Governing Council, please see the information below about how to nominate.

## Nailsworth Primary School Governing Council

### Call for Nominations

An election is to be conducted for parent members of the Nailsworth Primary School Governing Council Inc.

Nomination forms may be obtained from the school's Front Office or school website (our school/ governing council) and must be lodged or emailed with the Returning Officer (Principal, Sharron Ward) by **4.00pm on Wednesday 14th March, 2018.**

Following the closing of nominations a list of the nominations received will be posted on the school noticeboard by the school's Front Office.

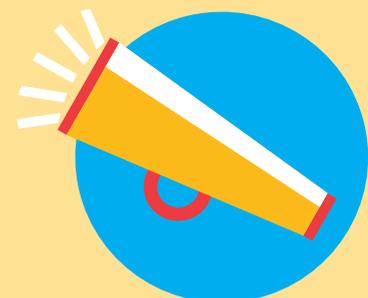
There are currently 7 vacancies for elected parents and also a parent nominated by the Aboriginal Community. The term of office is for a two year period.

If the number of nominations is **less than the number of vacancies**, further nominations will be called for from the floor at the 2018 Governing Council AGM, which will be held on Monday 19th March 7:30pm in the School Staffroom.

If there are **more nominations** than positions, then a secret ballot will be conducted at the AGM.

Any additional information or questions in relation to this process should be directed to the Principal as the Returning Officer:  
**[sharron.ward616@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:sharron.ward616@schools.sa.edu.au)**

All successful applicants will be required to complete an Appointment Form and all new councillors are required to undergo a criminal history screening.



## Netball News

Welcome back to the 2018 school year. At this time of the year I ask that coaches, players and parents be vigilant of the Hot Weather Policies that are applicable for both EDNA and NPS.

### NPS

If the temperature in the Advertiser on the day of scheduled after school practice is 35 degrees or above, training will be cancelled.

### EDNA

If the forecasted temperature on BOM (Bureau of Meteorology) at 8am on the morning of the matches is 35 degrees or above all 5.45pm and 6.40pm matches are abandoned (cancelled).

7.30pm, 8.20pm and 9.10pm matches will still be played, however; quarters will be reduced by 2 minutes.

### Extreme Conditions

If the Executive deems that weather conditions are considered to be unsafe for players and/or officials, notification will be made to the club delegates via email 24 hours before commencement of games to declare that **ALL** matches will be abandoned (cancelled).

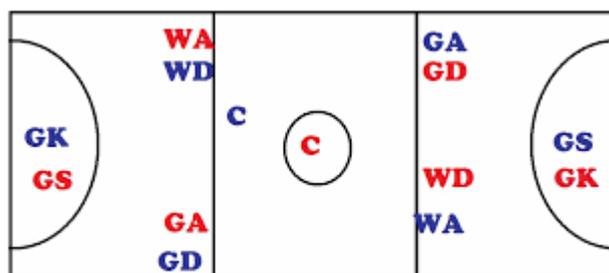
Nominations for the forthcoming Winter 2018 season are now being taken and will be submitted to EDNA by last mail on Friday 2nd March. Could current coaches please approach their players to see if they will be continuing on next season and pop a note in my pigeon hole.

**Players with outstanding fees will not be eligible to nominate for next season.** If your child is turning 8 this year and is interested in playing netball for the school, could you please indicate your interest to the Front Office or to me personally in the Library. There must be a **minimum of 8 players** to submit a new team and someone available to coach and manage them. Games are played on Saturdays at either Phillis Street (Maylands), Emery Road (Campbelltown) or Lothian Avenue (Holden Hill) netball courts. Fees for the Winter Season will be \$50.00 and \$40.00 for subsequent children and can be paid to Julie Chambers in the Finance Office.

Coaches please ensure that you have updated Medical Information Forms for continuing players. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any queries.

**Cheryle Woolford, Netball Coordinator**

**Cheryle.Woolford221@schools.sa.e.du.au**



= Blue Team.  
 = Red Team.

## Music and Drama News

### Choirs

Registration forms were given out to students for Junior and Senior Choir on Friday. As the Junior Choir numbers are quite high, I've decided to give priority to students in Year 4 first, then Year 3, and finally Year 2. For those students who are really keen to be in Junior Choir, please have them return their registration form to me as soon as possible so I know they are definitely interested.

### Bands

Both Junior and Senior Bands started last week and we would love to see a few more students in both bands. Anyone who is taking lessons on an instrument is welcome to come and try out for Senior Band. Students in Year 2 – 4 are welcome to come to Junior Band as they will be taught how to play the instruments. Also, I still have one or two spots for students interested in learning to play the violin. Junior Band is 8:15am on Wednesdays and Senior Band is 8:15am on Thursdays.

### 2017 Performing Arts Showcase Video and Photos

Please click on this link: [https://drive.google.com/open?id=1z13TCRR\\_3k0A-fyaNbAsIV3\\_QIH1hLft](https://drive.google.com/open?id=1z13TCRR_3k0A-fyaNbAsIV3_QIH1hLft)

to access the photos and video from the Nailsworth 2017 Performing Arts Showcase. Unfortunately we were unable to capture video of the 'Wizard of Oz' performance but all other items are available in the video.

### Festival of Music 2018

There are a number of performing opportunities for students in Years 5 – 7. Students can play an instrument, dance or sing solo or with a group. They can host the Festival or be part of the dance troupe. Students do not have to be in the choir to be a host or perform on stage. They are also desperately looking for a few more students for the festival's orchestra. Keyboard and guitar players as well as most other instruments are welcome to try out. For more information check out the festival website at [www.festivalofmusic.org.au](http://www.festivalofmusic.org.au)

For questions regarding any of the above information please check the Nailsworth Arts website: [www.nailswortharts.weebly.com](http://www.nailswortharts.weebly.com) or contact me at [Judy.Hanel823@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:Judy.Hanel823@schools.sa.edu.au).

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