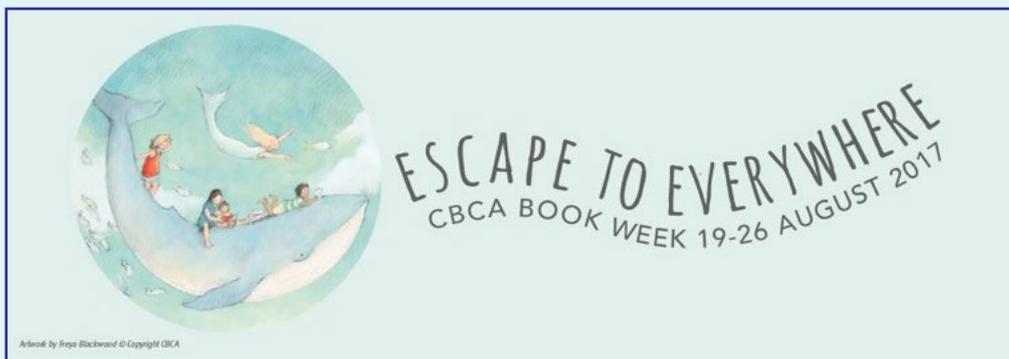




Book Week



Book Week is a national celebration of books written and illustrated for children by Australian authors and illustrators.

During Book Week the library will be open at recess times and there will be activities happening at lunchtime under the verandah. Students from Room 9 will be constructing bikes using recycled materials (based on the Picture Book, *The Patchwork Bike*).

The SRC are organising an origami session for buddy classes to enjoy on Monday 21 August 2.00-3.00pm (based on the Information Book, *A-Z of Endangered Animals*).

F-Year 3 classes will enjoy the performance of "Puss in Boots" on Wednesday 23 August and Year 4-7 classes will be participating in an Escape Room experience during the week in the library.

This year's theme 'Escape to everywhere' will encourage students at Nailsworth to have fun reading, being creative, performing and dressing-up! Our annual Parade will be on **Friday 25 August** at the start of the day to which all parents are invited. A whole school assembly will follow immediately after but due to our numbers, only parents of classes presenting an item can be accommodated in the hall.

Now is the time for students to start thinking about a costume that will allow them to be creative, to be a book character for the day or to escape to another time or place! Have fun!

Di Glouftsis, 2017 Book Week Coordinator



Diary Dates

Friday 18th August

Assembly
- Host Room 4



21/8 – 25/8

BOOK WEEK

Monday 21st August

SRC buddy class origami activity

Wednesday 23rd August

Puss in Boots, F-Year 3 classes

Friday 25th August

Book Week Parade and Assembly

Years 4 – 7 Escape Room activities during the week

Library open at recess each day

Room 9 students constructing a bike during the week

Monday 21st August

Governing Council, 7:30pm

Tuesday 29th August

North Adelaide District Athletics Day

Thursday 31st August

SRC Fundraiser

Friday 1st September

PFA Father's Day Stall

Thursday 7th September

NPS Sports Day

Upcoming School Closure

/Pupil Free dates:

Friday 8th September (SC)

Principal's Message

NOT ATTENDING NPS in 2018?

If your child or family will not be attending Nailsworth Primary School in 2018, it would be appreciated if you could please let us know as soon as you have made this decision.

The number of classes, the number of staff and room allocations all depend on this vital piece of information. To make good plans for 2018, we need accurate information and student numbers is the basic information required.

To inform the school you can either:

- Give the information personally at the Front Office
- Email the school on the generic address dl.0305_info@schools.sa.edu.au or you are most welcome to inform me personally via email sharron.ward616@schools.sa.edu.au

NUT AWARE SCHOOL

There are a number of children who are allergic to nuts.

In regard to student safety, we therefore ask that you do not include nuts or any nut related products in your child's lunch box.



DECD PROJECTS

As a school we are always keen to identify new approaches that will assist us in achieving / improving quality learning outcomes for the students at NPS.

Here are 4 current initiatives:

1. UK Phonic Test Trial This week each Foundation and Year 1 student will be tested on their phonic knowledge. This check will confirm if students are developing their phonic knowledge which is vital to be successful in their reading. This test has a mixture of real words and pseudo-words.

2. Brightpath This year we are trialling Brightpath as a writing assessment tool. In this trial each student from Year 1-7 has written a narrative and the Foundation students a recount.

Teachers have then matched the student's sample against collaborated samples to identify 'the level' and associated teaching points. Towards the end of the year, this process will be repeated and we are expecting to see great progress in the students' work.

3. University Project Two of our senior staff, Adriana Amodeo and Tony Crampsas, are participating in a university study with their classes on self-directed learning.

4. New Directions in Dyslexia Research Next Tuesday, one teacher from each of our teaching teams will be attending a training that aims to describe some of the most transformative studies in neuroscience-based research in dyslexia. We are looking forward to learning more about this significant learning difficulty.

It is pleasing to see the NPS staff keen to be involved in ongoing learning.

Sharron Ward, NPS Principal

sharron.ward616@schools.sa.edu.au

OPEN

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

Someone will be able to assist you
with your uniform purchases
every day.



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:

- **North Adelaide Basketball Saturday competition is now open for Term 4 registrations:**
NABC.JOG@hotmail.com
- **YMCA SA Junior Parliament for 12 – 15 year olds, 9/10 – 11/10/17**
- **NIDA Drama classes, Years 4 – 7 from 14/10/17**

Thank You Nailsworth Primary School

Thank you to those families that have already purchased an Entertainment Book! This year with your support our school has **raised \$560.00** to contribute to the school's fundraising!

LAST CHANCE TO GET BOOKS*

We have **3 books left** to sell to reach our goal so if you would like to buy one or have family or friends that would like to purchase a Membership and support our fundraising they can:

Purchase online at: www.entbook.com.au/161a420 or they can purchase from the Finance Office. ***Free postage available from Wednesday 16th until the end of the month.**



Congratulations Siena

Congratulations to Siena for winning third prize in the 12 Years and Under Flute Solo at the Adelaide Eisteddfod on August 12.

Robert Brown, Recorder and Flute Private Music Instructor

WELL DONE!



SRC Report

Representatives for Semester 2 2017

Congratulations to our Semester 2 SRC representatives. They will work as a group using democratic processes to communicate and plan events, and will represent all students at Nailsworth for Terms 3 and 4.

- Room 6: Ryan G & Essa C
- Room 7: James H & Bryher F
- Room 7A: Samuel S & Charlotte T
- Room 8: Luke K & Anshu P
- Room 9: Ella O & Daniel B
- Room 13: Harry S & Carly H
- Room 14: Ava M & Neel M
- Room 15: Luke D & Anna S
- Room 16: Kavindu H & Anya L
- Room 19: Thomas H & Elle R
- Room 20: Hunter S & Sahibjot K
- Room 21: Kaylan N & Zoe H



Thank you to the Semester 1 SRC representatives for all your hard work. You demonstrated team work, responsibility and the ability to work under pressure.

A Walk in My Boots Fundraiser

On the **31st of August** the SRC will be running a fundraiser to raise awareness and funds in support of people facing homelessness in South Australia.

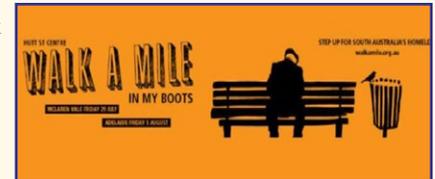
There are nearly 6000 people experiencing homelessness in South Australia and the Hutt Street Centre is just one organisation working towards decreasing that number.

'Walk a Mile in My Boots' is an annual event run by the Hutt Street Centre during National Homelessness Prevention Week to raise awareness and funds to support people doing it tough.

This year Nailsworth Primary School would like to support this cause by walking a mile at our school as well as giving a gold coin donation.

On the day of the walk you are able to come to school wearing a scarf or a beanie. For someone who is homeless a scarf and beanie makes a huge difference, especially in the winter months.

We also ask upper primary classes to think about giving up a luxury for the day, for example electronics, furniture, fidget spinners etc.



Buddy Class Activities during Book Week

The SRC has organised an activity for buddy classes during Book Week. 'Endangered Animals' by Jennifer Cossins is an information book about the world's endangered animals. On the Monday of Book Week buddy classes will recreate one of these endangered species into a paper origami. The origami will then be used for a much bigger art piece which will be presented at Friday's Book Week Assembly. The origami making will take place during the last lesson (2:15 – 3:05pm) on Monday 21st August.

Miss Iannucci, SRC Coordinator

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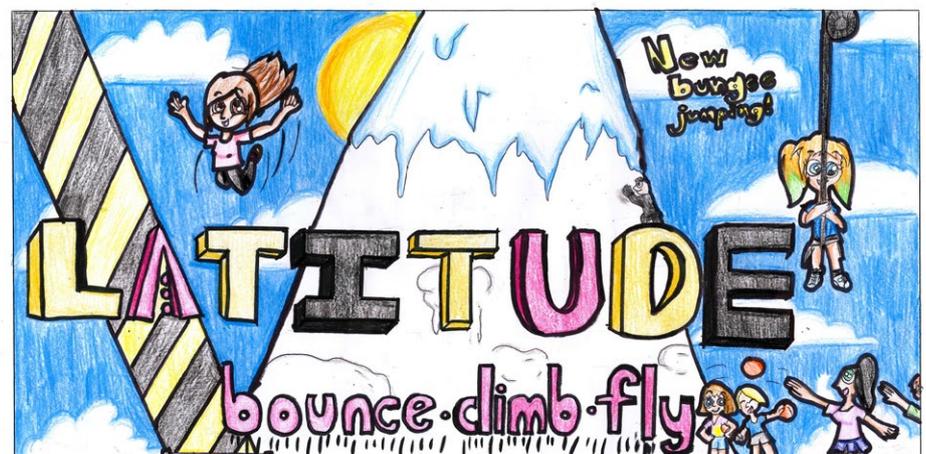
Latitude Competition

Help Nailsworth Primary School win a free day at Latitude for ALL of our students

Simply vote for **Ellena (Essa) Cordon's** shortlisted entry in the Think, Design and Win Competition at:

<https://latitudeair.com/thinkdesignwin-vote/> before the 28th of August.

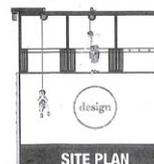
CONGRATULATIONS ESSA!!



SUBMISSIONS
CLOSE 5PM,
FRIDAY 30 JUNE 2017

More details at
latitudeair.com.au

13-15 Fosters Road, Greenacres



Name: Ellena (Essa) Cordon

School: Nailsworth Primary

Age: 11

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OSHC News



Before School Care Bookings

If you need care for your child/ren in Before School Care it is very important that you book your child/ren in prior to the day. Under the National Education and Care Law and Regulations we have very strict ratios of staff: children which need to be adhered to. If we, as a service, do not adhere to these regulations we run the risk of large fines. If we are at our capacity and you have not booked your child/ren in for Before School Care we may have to turn you away. If you notify the service before 6pm via a phone call to the service landline the day before we will be able to organise more staff to work. If families are unable to book casual care, the service will have to look at raising the fee for casual walk ins to the service.

Sports Day

OSHC will be operating on Sports Day with our hours as per normal. Please let us know if you require care before and/or after Sports Day. Regular bookings **will not** be carried over for this day. It is essential that you let us know to ensure that your child has a seat on the bus organised to transport children to and from Broadview Oval.

Pupil Free Day

Friday 8th September is a School Closure Day. OSHC will be open from 6.45am - 6.15pm on this day. Please book your child/ren in if you require care.

Staffing Update

I will be on leave from Weeks 5 to 10 of this term. Michelle will be Acting Director and Mitch and Matt will co-share the Acting Assistant Director's role. Please see Michelle, Mitch or Matt if you have any bookings/cancellations, payments, questions, concerns or suggestions for the rest of this term. All bookings/cancellations can still be made via email and Michelle will respond accordingly.

Lauren Ryder, NPS OSHC Director
Lauren.Ryder852@schools.sa.edu.au

Term 3 PE News

SAPSASA Soccer

Unfortunately the Nailsworth Girls' Soccer Team was defeated by Blair Athol North Primary 2-1 in their quarter final match in the SAPSASA Knockout Competition. Well done to all the girls for reaching the quarter final stage.

Mini League

On Saturday 26th August our girls will be playing during half time of the North Adelaide V Port Adelaide SANFL football game. Before the game they will be given a tour of the NAFC facilities.

District Athletics Day

Forty students are training to participate in the North Adelaide District Athletics Day at Santos Stadium on Tuesday 29th August. Winners from each event will have the opportunity to participate at State Day later this term.

Sports Day

This year Sports Day will be held on Thursday 7th September at Broadview Oval. The students are looking forward to the event.

George Koulianos, Sports Coordinator
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2017 Sports Day

The 2017 Sports Day will be held at Broadview Oval on Thursday 7th September 2017. All students have been placed into one of four teams: **Balfour**, **Emilie**, **Horrocks** and **Thomas**

The students will compete in sprints and tabloid/circuit events throughout the day. Parents/Guardians are most welcome to attend.

Students are to arrive at Broadview Oval from 8:30am. The day formally begins at 8:45am. At 9am teams will begin the day with a Health Hustle. Sprints for Foundation - Year 2 students will then follow. Year 3 - 7 students will then run in sprint heats followed by finals. This will mean all sprints will be concluded prior to the recess break at 10:35am. Tabloid/Circuit events will be held over the rest of the day. The day will conclude at 3:05pm.

Please note that normal school procedures apply on the day in regard to late arrivals and early dismissals. The Sports Day office will be located under the clubroom's verandah.

We are hoping that most parents/guardians can transport their child/ren to the oval and collect them at the day's conclusion from the oval. However, if this is not possible there will be bus transport from the school to the oval and then the return trip back to the school. All students booked into OSHC in their Before and After School Care programs will be transported by bus. If your child/ren require bus transport, and not attending OSHC, please email dl.0305.admin@schools.sa.edu.au to book a seat on the bus.

Students are most welcome to dress in their team's colour for the day. There will be the opportunity to pre-order a Subway lunch for students and family to enjoy on the day.

Further information about this exciting day will be distributed next week.