



# TOGETHER WE GROW

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## Upcoming Dates

|     |               |  |
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| JUN | Tuesday 18th  | Lightning Premiership (Netball and Hockey) at Nhill College          |
|     | Thursday 20th | Performance: "My Son Pinocchio Jr." at Holy Trinity Lutheran College |
|     | Friday 21st   | Last day of term for NLS students                                    |
|     | 24 –28        | Professional Development Week for staff<br>Office closed 24-26th     |
| JUL | 15            | First day of Term 3  |
|     | 29            | CPR update—Nhill (see page 6)  |

## Birthdays

We wish the following students a very Happy Birthday:

Troye McBride: Friday 14th June

Robbie Muller: Monday 17th June

happy birthday

## International Donut Day

Thank you to all who helped make International Donut Day so tasty.



## From the Principal

### Reports – more than academic

Students will soon receive their mid-year progress reports. In the reports a variety of information will be provided about your child and their learning. I encourage parents and caregivers to not just focus on academic progress, although this is of course important. How is your child growing and developing socially and emotionally? What effort does my child show when learning?

*Effort and growth mindset* are closely aligned. A talented violinist doesn't just happen to become talented – they need to put in the effort. They need to practise, focus, prioritise their time. A talented tennis player doesn't just happen to become talented – they need to put in the effort. A talented learner doesn't just happen to grow in their learning unless appropriate effort is applied.

I sometimes refer to students needing a toolkit of skills and habits to help with their learning. Applying appropriate effort is certainly part of that toolkit. Having a growth mindset is also an invaluable part of a learner's toolkit. A growth mindset means having a belief that effort and attitude determine ability, that growth occurs through challenges.

### And finally . . .

Next week Nhill Lutheran students again have the opportunity to participate in off-site learning experiences. We wish our hockey and netball teams well as they represent the school at Lightning Premierships on Tuesday, and on Thursday we are blessed to attend our sister school, Holy Trinity in Horsham, to see their performance. Every blessing for your week.

Damon Prenzler

## P & F Fundraising at Jeparit

Thank you once again to our tireless P & F volunteers who gave up time over the long weekend to make and sell donuts at the Jeparit Museum.

A special mention goes to Bron and Alana. We received a message that they had to do extra shifts and were still happy to help, with smiles on their faces. Their kindness is noted and appreciated.



## Maintenance Roster

The purpose of this roster is to have a group of people available to fix any small maintenance issues that arise. If they occur in your month, you may be called upon to help.

### May/June

**Steve Zanker**, Peter Hedt, Andrew Hiscock, Adam Clark, Ben Crouch, Matthew Fritsch, Brendan Moylan, Andrew McBride, Rod Pohlner



## Devotional Thought

### The oldest birthday party in the world

**'I have told you this while I am still with you. The Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and make you remember all that I have told you. 'Peace is what I leave with you; it is my own peace that I give you. I do not give it as the world does. Do not be worried or upset; do not be afraid.'** (verses 25-27)

Read [John 14:8-17, 25-27](#)

Did you have a birthday party on Sunday? No, I don't mean for your birthday—unless, of course, Sunday was your birthday. I mean a party in celebration of the coming of the Holy Spirit, in celebration of Pentecost, the church's birthday. On Sunday the church turned approximately [1993] years old.

And because a small group of ordinary people received the gift of the Holy Spirit, and three thousand people were baptised on that first Pentecost day, and those people shared the good news with their friends, we celebrate the day again today.

In this reading Jesus shows us the benefits of being part of the church. Through the Son we have access to the Father. Because of what Jesus did the day after he discussed these things with his disciples, we have peace—real peace, not just the absence of hostility, which is all human peace tends to be. It is peace that comes only through forgiveness and reconciliation.

And we have the Holy Spirit. The Spirit points us to Jesus and his teachings, gives us faith to believe in Jesus and to claim his promises, and helps us understand, confess and proclaim the good news of the grace of God.

Hope you had a good party.

**Father, Son and Holy Spirit, I thank you for all you did for me, and for the whole church, on that first Pentecost. Amen.**



## Worship News

Please see below for this week's church service times;

Nhill: 9 am

Woorak: 11 am

Jeparit: 11 am

Church Office: 5391 1223



## Prayer of the Week

Each week we pray for someone in our School Community. This week we pray for.....

- ♦ Jackson and Maddison Page and their family
- ♦ Sean, Nathan and Aaron Pedie and their family

## Chapel

Chapel this week will be held in the Multi Purpose Room at 9am. It will be run by the Year 1 class, focussing on the Trinity. Parents and friends are always invited to join us and stay for morning tea and coffee.



## Chapel Offering

At last week's Chapel \$30.00 was collected and will go to the Maw Per Koh orphanage school in Myanmar. So far this year, \$726.90 has been generously received from Chapel offerings. Thank you for blessing our sister school in Myanmar.



## Crazy Hair Casual Dress Day



### earn & learn

If anyone happens to be shopping at Woolworths, please ask for the earn & learn stickers. They can be deposited in the box at Woolworths Horsham or brought to the school office.

Please get your stickers in **as soon as possible**, as we would like them by the end of next week.





## Kindness Award

Two Kindness Awards were presented at assembly last week. Congratulations to Nate Prenzler and Shelley Dickinson.



## Students of the week

Congratulations to the following students who were presented with Student of the Week awards at assembly last Friday:

Foundation: Lawson

Year 1: Sydney

Year 2/3: Annabella and Shilah

Year 4/5/6: Deegan



**Nhill parkrun, Jaypex Park**  
**Every Saturday morning, 8.00am**  
**5km walk or run or a bit of both**  
**No experience necessary**  
**Register at [www.parkrun.com.au](http://www.parkrun.com.au)**  
**Further details on [www.facebook.com/nhillparkrun](https://www.facebook.com/nhillparkrun)**

Be part of the fun

**TOTALLY  
FREE**



## Premier's Reading Challenge

A reminder to all parents to ensure that each book is added to the online list and marked as finished when completed.

If you have misplaced the username and password, please contact the school.



## Child Safety

Students across all year levels will be revising Cyber Safety and how to protect themselves online. Key messages that you can also reinforce at home include; Informing students that nothing ever disappears from cyberspace; online behaviour and comments become a digital imprint visible to potential friends, employers etc....At Nhill Lutheran School, we strongly encourage parents to develop appropriate on-line boundaries for their children. If you would like more information and advice, please visit the government Cyber Safety website at [www.cybersafetyhelp.gov.au](http://www.cybersafetyhelp.gov.au).



## Lunch Orders

A reminder that lunch orders are only available on Thursdays and Fridays.

**CHRISTIAN LIFE WEEK: A week-long camp for high school students where you'll encounter God, grow in your Faith, play awesome games and meet new and old friends**

**CLW 2019**

**ONE FLOCK ONE SHEPHERD**

Tandara Lutheran Camp-Halls Gap

**YEARS 7-12**

**COST: \$295**

Ewe herd it here first!

**CLW Purple 1-5 JULY**

**CLW Orange 30 SEP-4 OCT**

Contact Emilie-Rae 0428 561 809  
clw.lyv@gmail.com

 LYV's Christian Life Week

 **SP3**  
safer people • safer communities • safer churches

 **LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
OF AUSTRALIA  
VICTORIAN DISTRICT  
INCLUDING TASMANIA

# Giant Games at the Library

**Want something fun & free to do in the holidays?**

**Why not come to the Nhill Library to play a variety of Giant Games?**

**Where:** Nhill Library

5 Clarence St, Nhill

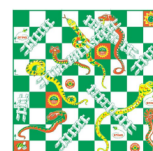
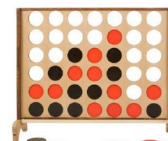
**When:** Wednesday 3rd July


**Time:** 10am to 12pm

**Cost:** Free


**Ages:** 6 to 15

 **WIMMERA REGIONAL LIBRARY CORPORATION**  
your local library



 **Nhill Learning Centre**  
Learning together

**FIRST AID & CPR TRAINING**



**Instructor:**  
Casey Kosch

**MONDAY 29TH JULY 2019**  
From 10am  
**NHILL LEARNING CENTRE**  
80 MacPherson St, Nhill

For more information:  
Call: 53879 800  
Email: kylee@nnhlc.org.au

HLTAID001 – Provide CPR  
HLTAID003 – Apply First Aid

 **TANDARA Camp**

**HOLIDAY CAMP**

**8-14 JULY 2019**

Stay at Tandara for a minimum of 2 nights or up to 7 nights (Hire your own room)

**\$435 per Family for 2 nights includes:**

Full ensuite accommodation, activities for kids, breakfast and dinner each day. Single and twin share rates also available upon request. Discounts available for stays of more than 2 nights



To book a great getaway, go to [www.tandara.org.au/app/register/form/3](http://www.tandara.org.au/app/register/form/3)



WANT TO LEARN HOW TO FIND SERVICES OR  
KNOW WHAT IS GOING ON IN YOUR  
COMMUNITY?

# MY COMMUNITY DIRECTORY WORKSHOP

COME AND JOIN US FOR FREE!

- Where: Nhill Learning Centre
- When: Tuesday, 25 June at 11am

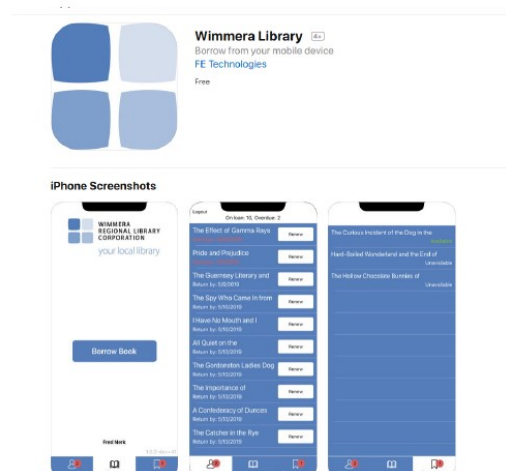
Bring along a tablet or a smart phone if you have one!



To book please contact Anabel:  
5362 1223 / [anabel.ce@wimmerapcp.org.au](mailto:anabel.ce@wimmerapcp.org.au)

## Borrow using your Phone!

Download our new App today—  
available for Apple & Android



Use your phone's camera to scan the item  
barcode—you can also renew your loans (if  
eligible) & check for reservations.



# Fine Amnesty

Monday 17th—Sunday 30th June

From 1st July 2019—the Library will no longer  
charge overdue fines.

Return any overdue items during the Amnesty,  
or call into the library and update your contact  
details and get any existing fines waived.

When fines stop Bills for lost/missing items will still be charged and  
existing fines will remain on cards



# QUIZ NIGHT

Saturday 15th June 2019

Yanac Hall

- 6pm For Tea -  
Baked Potatoes/ Basic BBQ
- 7pm For Quiz

Prices:

\$20 Adults Tea & Quiz  
\$10 Child Tea & Quiz  
\$5 Quiz Only



BYO drinks & nibbles - soft drink available for purchase



## 2020 Three-year-old Kindergarten Information Sessions

The State Government has announced subsidised funding for up to 15 hours of 3-year-old kindergarten commencing in the Hindmarsh Shire as of 1 January 2020.

This State Government subsidised funding means the cost of 3-year-old kindergarten will be significantly reduced for all families and children of families with an eligible concession card will have access up to 15 hours of free kindergarten in 2020.

In order for HDKA to determine how many days, hours and what programs they will offer for both 3 and 4-year-old Kindergarten in 2020 we require kindergarten registrations for next year by **Friday 28 June 2019**.

There will be limited places available in 2020 and it imperative that we receive your kindergarten registration early in order for you to secure your kindergarten place.

HDKA will be hosting an information evening to answer any questions families may have in regard to the rollout of subsidised 3-year-old kindergarten in 2020 and provide information on both 3 & 4 year old kindergarten programs for next year. We encourage families to come along to the information evening as we hope to have more information and details to share with you all.

### NHILL INFORMATION EVENING

**When: Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June**

**Where: Nhill Kindergarten**

**Time: 7.00pm**

### DIMBOOLA INFORMATION EVENING

**When: Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June**

**Where: Dimboola Kindergarten**

**Time: 7.00pm**

**Registrations for 3 & 4-year-old Kindergarten in 2020 are now open and will close on Friday, 28<sup>th</sup> June 2019.**

Registration forms can be obtained from the HDKA office by phoning 5382 7997, emailing [enrol@hdka.com.au](mailto:enrol@hdka.com.au) the HDKA website [www.hdka.com.au](http://www.hdka.com.au) or picking one up from the kindergarten sites.

Do you need firewood?

Contact Alana on 0409 367 128

