



TOGETHER WE GROW

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Upcoming Dates

SEP	Wednesday 11th	Premiers' Reading Challenge party
	Thursday 12th	Little Desert Athletics—Horsham
	Thursday 19th	School Concert
	Friday 20th	Last day of Term 3
OCT	Monday 7th	First day of Term 4
	Thursday 10th	Year 2 Sleepover

Birthdays

We wish the following students a very Happy Birthday:

Oakley Moylan: Saturday 7th September

Barrett Clark: Monday 9th September

happy birthday

Father's Day Footy



From the Principal

Father's Day

Thank you to everyone, especially the Dads, who came to our special Father's Day Chapel and Footy Game. I hope the footy players have had an opportunity to recover. I'm still consulting with official scorers for the day, but I think the scores were pretty close. I thank God for the gift of Fathers and wish every Dad in our community every blessing.

Thank you, also, to the P&F for the yummy hot dog lunch – these were just the thing after a strenuous footy game.

The X Factory

Students and staff have been busily rehearsing for the upcoming concert, The X Factory. We look forward to the students sharing their talents at the Nhill Memorial Community Centre on Thursday September 19 at 7pm. Entry is a gold coin donation.

Associate Professor Lisa Schmidt

On Tuesday we welcomed Associate Professor Lisa Schmidt to Nhill Lutheran School. Lisa commenced her role as Executive Director of Lutheran Education Australia at the beginning of the year. On this particular road trip she is visiting Lutheran schools in Nhill, Dimboola, Horsham, Tarrington, Hamilton, Portland and Mount Gambier. Lisa commented on the lovely feel of Nhill Lutheran School and was appreciative of the opportunity to visit.

Contemporary Learning

How do we prepare our students so they are future ready? We live in a world where change is happening at a rapid rate – just look at current mobile phones and compare them to mobiles of 5 or 10 years ago. It wasn't that long ago we hadn't heard of iPads. Think about your own schooling – did touch screens, Netflix, YouTube, Uber, AirBnB, Twitter, 4G, 5G exist? We do not know exactly what the future will look like, however based on current trends

in industries (including education) we know that we need to develop students with the skills required for a future where flexibility and adaptability are needed. To help students be future-ready, we need to foster within them grit, adaptability, leadership skills, an ability to solve complex problems, creating, communicating, collaborating, and more. Some of our learning spaces have been designed to enable greater flexibility for the students, and to promote opportunities for our students to develop essential skills. If you wish to know more about contemporary learning you are welcome to speak with a staff member or myself.

Winter to Summer Uniform

Spring is here and the weather is (slowly) warming up. From the beginning of Term 4 students are to wear their Summer uniform. However, for the remainder of Term 3 students may wear Summer uniform if the weather is on the warmish side.

With the daily UV rating on the rise we are also encouraging students to wear hats.

Every blessing for your week,

Damon Prenzler

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.

September/October

Matthew Zanker, Toelwee Htoo, Michael Hall, Canny Johnney Htoo, Chris Rethus, Brad Blackwood, Will Lynch, Aaron McCartney



Devotional Thought

One body, many parts

So we are to use our different gifts in accordance with the grace that God has given us. If our gift is to speak God's message, we should do it according to the faith that we have; if it is to serve, we should serve; if it is to teach, we should teach; if it is to encourage others, we should do so. Whoever shares with others should do it generously; whoever has authority should work hard; whoever shows kindness to others should do it cheerfully. (verses 6-8)

Read [Romans 12:1-8](#)

A woman I visited once was losing her sight gradually as a result of ongoing medical treatment for cancer. She remarked that people take a healthy body and mind for granted. Only in the process of losing her sight did she realise the importance of something she'd taken for granted for most of her life.

Paul likens God's people to one body with many different parts. God has made you with unique gifts as one part in the body of his people. Whatever your gifts are, God has designed you to use them to serve the whole body and in accord with his word. The woman's eyes had been a blessing to her whole body. Let God use you in whatever way he chooses, small or great, to be a blessing to others in his church. And you can be sure that they will be a blessing to you.

Thank you, Father, for making me unique. Help me not to seek my own glory but to serve others for the benefit of the whole body. Amen.



*You are the body of Christ!
Each one of you is a part of it.*

Worship News

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

Nhill: 11 am

Woorak: 9 am

Jeparit: 9 am

Church Office: 5391 1223



Prayer of the Week

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

- ♦ Mrs Mason and her family
- ♦ Mr Prenzler and his family

Chapel

Chapel this week will be held in the Multi Purpose Room at 9am. It will be run by the Year 2/3 class. Parents and friends are always invited to join us for chapel and stay for morning tea and coffee.



Chapel Offering

At last week's Chapel \$45.20 was collected and will go to the Maw Per Koh orphanage school in Myanmar. So far this year, \$866.05 has been generously received from Chapel offerings. Thank you for blessing our sister school in Myanmar.

Help needed

We are still looking for another 8 volunteers who can pick up the school lunches from the Wimmera Bakery in Nhill one Friday each Semester.

If you are able to help, please contact the front office.

Premier's Reading Challenge

Last chance to finish the Premier's Reading Challenge! Our party will be on Wednesday 11th September.



Get 'em Going Playgroup

Get 'Em Going Playgroup meets each Tuesday at 9.30 am. Each week children are given the opportunity to participate in physical, social and mental stimulating activities to assist in preparing them for their learning journey ahead.

Please bring along the following:

- A water bottle
- Fruit snack
- Gold coin donation



More footy photos



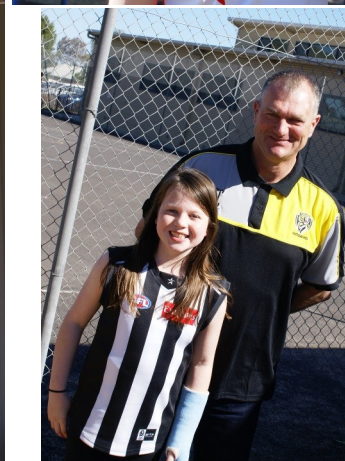
Nhill parkrun, Jaypex Park
Every Saturday morning, 8.00am
 5km walk or run or a bit of both
 No experience necessary
 Register at www.parkrun.com.au
 Further details on www.facebook.com/nhillparkrun

Be part of the fun

**TOTALLY
FREE**



Father's Day



Rhymetime at Nhill Library

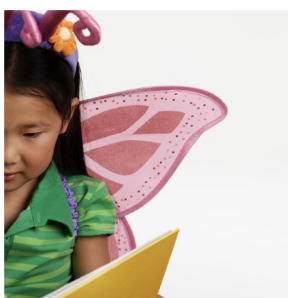
5 Clarence Street—5391 1684

Wednesday mornings at 9.30am

6 week program starting on

August 14th

- Enjoy rhymes, songs and stories
- For 0-3 years but all pre-schoolers are welcome
- Each session runs for approx. 30 minutes
- Join the Free 1000 Books before School Program



GO Tennis Academy

School Holiday Tennis

Thursday September 26th

Nhill Tennis Club

Tennis Programs

8.30 to 9.00am

Red Ball

5 to 6 year olds
Cost - \$10.00
6 Spots available only

9.00 to 9.45am

Orange Ball

7 to 8 year olds
Cost - \$15.00
6 Spots available only

9.45 to 10.30am

Green Ball

9 to 11 year olds
Cost - \$15.00
6 Spots available only

10.30 to
12.30am

Private Lessons

Any Age
group
Cost - \$35.00
30 minutes

For Bookings please contact Grant O'Callaghan on 0417528502

Cricket clinic this school holidays

Featuring Michael Beer of the Melbourne Stars

When: Wednesday 25th September

Where: Nhill & District Sporting Club

Time: 9am to 3pm

Who: girls and boys aged 10 – 16 years

Cost: \$30 including BBQ lunch

Register or more info to: Ashley Dickinson 0417 587 002



NHILL LIONS
COMMUNITY MARKET
Jaypex
Park
Nhill, Victoria
Sunday
15th September
2019
9 am – 1 pm

Contact Kerrie - 0401 246 811 or Lesley - 0419 135 132
Email: NhillLionsCommunityMarket@gmail.com
Facebook: www.facebook.com/NhillLionsCommunityMarket/

SEPTEMBER 16
LET'S DANCE!

FREE HIP HOP WORKSHOP

By Justin and the Dance Ministry

NHILL MEMORIAL
COMMUNITY CENTRE
5:30 P.M.

freestyle
dance
ministry

AM AUSTRALIA

Hindmarsh
Shire Council



Date: 26th September
Place: Jeparit Lutheran Church Hall
Time: 9.30am - 3.30pm

All Primary aged School children welcome.
 There is no cost for the day. Lunch & snacks provided.
 For more information or to register your child for the HBA Day
 Call. Michelle Pipkorn. **0408 018 202** or
 Jan Reichenbach. **0407 508 181.**

Presented
by:



Be there!

Nhill Lutheran School presents

THE X FACTORY

by Gawen Robinson



Nhill Memorial
Community Centre
Thursday 19th September
7 pm



Entry by gold coin donation