# **TOGETHER WE GROW**

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# Term 4 Week 6 Issue 34 15th November 2019

		ning Dates
NOV	Wednesday 20th	2020 Foundation class information session 7pm
	Thursday 21st	2020 School Captain speeches
	Friday 22nd	F/1/2 Naracoorte Caves excursion
	Friday 22nd	Pre-Foundation visit
	Friday 29th	"It does not match" SRC casual dress day
	Friday 29th	P & F Movie night
DEC	Wednesday 4th	Jump Rope for Heart Jump Off day

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## Golf Regional Final

Well done to Deegan, Chloe and Archie who competed in the Primary Schools Golf Regional Final at Horsham on Monday.



### Students of the Week

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

> Foundation: Oakley Year 1: Jackson Year 2/3: Tom Year 4/5/6: Chloe





#### Classes for 2020

The classes and teachers for 2020 are listed below.

- Year 5/6: Miss Isabel Lindsay
- Year 3/4: Miss Kelsie Attiwill
- Year 1/2: Miss Isabelle Shelton
- Year F/1: Miss Gorgia Sealey

Due to the number of students in the F-2 year levels it has been necessary to place the Year 1 students in two classes to balance class sizes. Parents of Year 1 students will be informed as to which class their child will be placed. Parents will be notified if there are any changes made before the beginning of the 2020 school year.

We feel this year level arrangement has many positives including alignment with curriculum, balanced class sizes, less disruption during camps for 3/4 and 5/6 classes, and more.

Mrs Erin Alexander will continue her specialist teaching roles 2 days per week and Mr Prenzler will also continue his teaching load. Mrs Mason and Mrs Woodward will continue as Integration Aides and we look forward to welcoming an additional Integration Aide next year which will positively contribute to student learning.

#### Year 5/6 Camp

From all accounts the Year 5 and 6 students have been having a wonderful time in Melbourne.

We look forward to seeing them back at school next week.





#### 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.

#### November/December

Nathan Wheeler, Moody Tu, Don Oliver, Aaron Cramer, Alexander Jupp, Hamish Merrett, Glenn Fraser, Tom Curtis





#### **Devotional Thought**

#### **Blind corners**

'One day a visitor arrived at the rich man's home. The rich man didn't want to kill one of his own animals to prepare a meal for him; instead, he took the poor man's lamb and cooked a meal for his guest.' David became very angry at the rich man and said, 'I swear by the living Lord that the man who did this ought to die! For having done such a cruel thing, he must pay back four times as much as he took.' 'You are that man,' Nathan said to David. (verses 4-7a)

#### Read <u>2 Samuel 12:1-14</u>

A young wife made this confession: 'I nagged my husband. At a particular junction of the road near our home (a blind corner) he always cuts the corner. I assured him that one day he'd meet a car coming from the other direction with dire results. Well today it happened to me. I cut the corner — not as much as my hubby does — but I cut the corner, and coming from the other direction was a big car. I hastily readjusted, not only the car to the right side of the road, but also my perspective. I realised I was condemning my hubby for something wrong that I was also guilty of.'

David had no trouble identifying the sin perpetrated by someone else. His trouble lay in recognising his contempt for the Lord through his own actions.

And from the cross, looking out over all humanity, Jesus said, 'Forgive them, Father! They don't know not what they are doing.'

Lord Jesus, I often fail to see the injustices in my own life, while I am quick to see the sins of others. Have mercy, Lord. Clothe me with the same compassion that led you to cry, 'Father, forgive them'. Amen.



#### Worship News

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

Nhill: 9 am

Woorak: 9 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.....

- Darcy Borgelt and his family
- Declan Carew and his family

#### Chapel

Chapel today was held in the Multi Purpose Room at 9am. It was run by the F Year 1 class. Parents and friends are always invited to join us and stay for morning tea and coffee.

#### **Chapel Offering**

At last week's Chapel \$139.75 was collected and will go to the Maw Per Koh orphanage school in Myanmar. So far this year, \$1,187.00 has been generously received from Chapel offerings. Thank you for blessing our sister school in Myanmar.



#### P & F Association News

On the 2<sup>nd</sup> November, 2019 the P & F Association held a donut and drinks stall at the Nhill Air Show. It was a wet start to the day with a heavy shower of rain as we set up. We started cooking donuts around 9.30 am and didn't stop till after 5.00 pm. We lost power a couple of times, but the crowds were patient and we soldiered on.

Our new marquee and donut flags looked great and will be used at many more events in the future. Mr Prenzler even made the comment at the last P & F Meeting that our marquee looked the best at the Nhill Air Show!

We raised approximately \$2,000.00 and funds will be used in the near future for the redevelopment of an area in the playground.

A huge 'Thank you' to all of those who volunteered on the day.

Also we would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who also helped in the kitchen at the Nhill Show and to all those that helped with food preparation at the school the day before, Thank you!

Your help and support is what makes these fundraising events successful.

#### Jump Rope for Heart

It's been great to see so many students getting involved in Jump Rope for Heart. It would be even better if their time could be registered online. Please see the instructions in this newsletter.



As you all know we have had a number of fundraising events over the year and the money that has been raised has gone towards the purchase of the new shade marquee, donut flags, house flags (Hindmarsh, Lowan & Mallee) and the purchase of 200 new books and the 2019 Subscription to the Literacy Pro Programme from Scholastics.



#### Melbourne Cup

Melbourne Cup at NLS saw some pretty snazzy hats and head ware being made by students.

















# 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



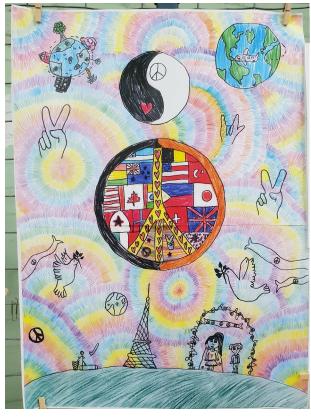


## Lions Peace Poster

Congratulations to Amaya Woodward for winning the Nhill Lions Club Peace Poster competition. Her poster will go on to the next level, to be judged in Adelaide in May next year.

Congratulations also to Chloe and Maci for Honourable Mention awards.

The posters are currently being exhibited at the Nhill Art Gallery.



Amaya



Chloe



Maci

## 2020 Term dates

29 January—27 March	
Staff PD days Jan 22-24, 28	
14 April—19 June	
Staff PD week June 22-26	
13 July—18 September	
5 October—11 December	

#### Integration Aide

Nhill Lutheran School is seeking to employ another Integration Aide to join our team and provide learning support for our students. This position will commence at the beginning of the 2020 school year. Advertisements will appear in the Wimmera Mail Times and Nhill Free Press with applications closing on November 27. Further information is available from the school.



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

Be part of the fun









# **Rhymetime at Nhill Library**

<sup>5</sup> Clarence Street—5391 1684 Wednesday mornings at 9.30am 6 week program starting on October 16th

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







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# Jump Rope for Heart



#### Jump Rope for Heart has kicked off at NLS!

Jump Rope for Heart is a fantastic physical activity and fundraising program that has been run by the Heart Foundation for over 35 years. It's a great way for your child to keep fit and learn new skills, but it also helps raise funds for vital heart research and education programs.

Since Jump Rope for Heart started in 1983, schools like ours have raised more than \$75 million for the Heart Foundation's lifesaving work.

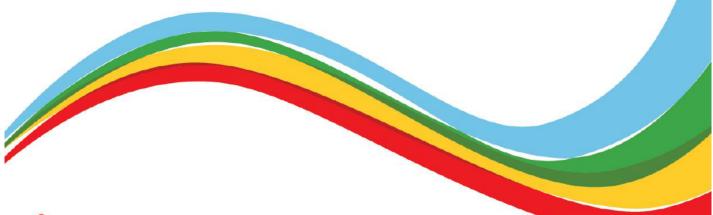


It's important you <u>register your child online</u>, so they can receive the full benefits of the program and participate in online fundraising, simply follow the link below to get started. <u>www.jumprope.org.au/parents</u>

Students will be skipping during recess and lunch breaks, during this time you can share their online fundraising page with family and friends to help raise money for this great cause. We will hold our school Jump Off Day on **Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December**, this will mark the end of the program and is a chance for everyone to come together to skip and show off their newly learned skills.

Thank you for supporting the Jump Rope for Heart program!

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