From the Principal

Welcome back to Nairne School for term 4, we look forward to all students continuing to work hard and achieving success with their learning.

Thank you to everyone who assisted with our school musical, Annie Jr late last term. The production was a sell out on both nights at the Soldiers Memorial Hall and an absolute highlight of 2015. It was fantastic to see all the hours of rehearsals come to fruition and watch the excitement as students sung and danced their hearts out to very appreciative audiences. A special congratulation to Penny Stanforth and Helen Arbery-Smith for their outstanding commitment, creativity and enthusiasm in producing such a delightful musical and providing such a wonderful opportunity for our students!

Facilities have continued to be upgraded during the holidays with all student toilet areas resurfaced, plumbing and drainage work, OSHC building works (including paving) and our creek bed nature play space completed.

Parents please do not drive vehicles down the gravel track beside the Preschool / Junior Primary playground next to the paddock as this is a safety issue for children in this area.

Our annual walk-a-thon fundraiser will be held on Wednesday 18th November; further information to come and the Book Fair is next week so come and buy some early Christmas presents!

Kind Regards,
Derek

Enrolling now for 2016

“Emotions are the key to the intellect.”
Robyn Fogerty
Notices

It’s hat-time!
Nairne School is a sun-safe school and requires that all students wear a hat outside in Terms 1 and 4. Please ensure that your child has their hat with them every day.

School Absence Notification
If your child is going to be absent, notify the school by:
Phone: Call the Front Office on 8388 6116
SMS: If your child is absent and you have not notified us, you will receive an SMS from 0427025088 around 10:30. You can reply to this SMS - but do not send an SMS to this number if you have not received an SMS on the day of absense.

New Enrolments or Families Moving
Having accurate information about numbers of students in 2016 is very helpful for a smooth start to the school year.
1. Please contact us for enrolment forms if you have a child who will be starting school or preschool next year.
2. If you know of a family who would like a school tour please ring us on 8388 6116.
3. If you know you will be leaving Nairne School please let us know as soon as possible as we currently only have limited spaces available for students enrolling from other schools.

You’re invited to OUR BOOK FAIR!
As usual in Term 4, we are hosting a Book Fair, just in time for Christmas shopping. Each year level in the school will be invited to preview the books during their library session or at another organised time. The preview sessions are an ideal opportunity for children to share and discuss the books with their teachers and friends. The selection of books at our Book Fair will include a wide range of quality books from the best Australian and overseas authors and illustrators. If stock runs out we can reorder daily, so there shouldn’t be too much of a wait. If you have reordered something and you wish your purchase to be kept as Christmas presents, please let us know and we won’t give them to the children.

Our school benefits by receiving a generous commission (up to 35%) in the form of books or cash, to add to the resources of the school. This year we are taking the commission in cash, which will be put towards new library bookshelves for the Preschool books.

Nairne Playgroup
Mondays & Fridays
9 – 11am ~ Room 5

TERM 4 – DINOSAUR THEME
Week 1 – Paper Dinosaur Hats
Week 2 – Dinosaur Eggs
Week 3 – Paper Plate Dinosaurs
Week 4 – Egg Carton Dinosaurs
Week 5 – Dinosaur Masks and Feet
Week 6 – Frozen Dinosaurs
Week 7 – Christmas Craft
Week 8 – Christmas Craft
Week 9 – End of Year Celebration
(Details to be confirmed)

The Book Fair will be set up in the DeKhang room next to the library. Selling of books will commence on Tuesday 20th of October, up to and including Thursday 22nd October – before school, from 8:30 to 9:00, and after school from 3:00 to 3:30. We will also sell books on Friday morning from 8:30 to 9:00.

We are hoping that parents will take the opportunity to browse the Book Fair and maybe buy a book for their child.

School Walk-a-thon
Major Fundraiser Term 4

Wednesday Week 6 - November 18th
This year’s major fundraiser for the school is a Walk-a-thon and due to a scheduling conflict, will now be held on Wednesday of Week 6. Information and sponsorship sheets will be sent home shortly so that students can collect sponsors. We have some great prizes lined up. Stay tuned for details!
Pyjama Science with Max

Back to the Future

My dad made me watch a vintage film called BACK TO THE FUTURE. It's a lot about a modified car going forward and backward in time, and there are three movies and it's all about Marty McFly, a teenager, minding his own business until his friend Doc invited him to see the time machine he had built. The second movie takes place in October 2015, RIGHT NOW! BACK TO THE FUTURE predicted at least 5 big things:

**Hover boards**
In the movie hover boards are like skate boards that hover. In reality, there are now 3 hover boards, the first hover board I know of in real life is the one that can fly over anything but stops working after about 10 sec. The second I know of is so heavy it's more like a hover platform. And the third can only fly over copper.

**Flying Cars**
In BACK TO THE FUTURE cars have these devices that allow them to fly, but I don't know, maybe use gravitons. In reality, flying cars have been around since the 1960's, but they’re really just planes with fold up wings or wheely helicopters.

**Self-lacing Shoes**
In BACK TO THE FUTURE Part Two, when they travel to 2015, Marty is given a pair of self lacing shoes that lace themselves up before trying to find his son to save him. In reality, Nike has made a limited edition of self lacing shoes. And they were a big hit.

**Fusion Power**
In the film, the time machine ran on three things, plutonium, lightning and Mr. Fusion, which runs on carbon and is the least dangerous.

**Big Screen TVs**
In October 2015 Marty and doc found future Marty having a conversation with his boss on a really wide big screen tv. In reality, most people have big screen TVs. But BACK TO THE FUTURE didn’t predict two things: mobile phones and the internet. Two important pieces of technology.

Before mobile phones, the only way to talk to someone from afar was to use a land line. Let’s say that my family went to the royal show and got lost, in the 50s we couldn’t call to say meet at the Ferris Wheel, that would be bad!

The internet is the connection of computers through phone lines. So let's say you want to play a game called Diggy, and it's not on your computer. You press play on the website and once it has found the information the phone line takes it back to your computer so you can play the game.

In conclusion, I like BACK TO THE FUTURE parts 1, 2 and 3 and so I think you will too. And so if you have the movie, I hope its adventures are for you.
School & Community

2015-16 Nairne School Community Business & Services Directory

The Community Business & Services Directory is an initiative of the Nairne School Governing council aimed at connecting families, staff and supporters of our school in a practical and mutually beneficial way. The new directory is now available on the school website - www.nairneps.sa.edu.au under the News page. For more info: dl.0306.info@schools.sa.edu.au

The directory will be included in new student packs and promoted through the Nairne School Facebook page.

School of Languages

Is your child interested in learning another language?

For more information contact Anne Reuter
School of Languages on 8301 4800
www.schooloflanguages.sa.edu.au

Nairne School

French, Japanese or Spanish

Brief Course Information:
- Students are involved in an engaging program developed around their knowledge and skills
- Weekly Teaching and Learning Plan, containing lesson content and homework activities, is given out to students on a weekly basis
- Each class has an e-learning space which supports students’ learning
- End of Term reports mailed to parents and home schools
- Cost in 2015: $75 for whole year

Woodside

Chinese

Modern Taekwondo: Traditional Training
www.worldtaekwondo.com.au

KIDS WORLD TAEKWONDO

Where: Nairne School Gym
When: New Term begins Week 1
Wednesday 5.00pm
Beginners Welcome!
Come along and watch a class

Classes are for boys & girls aged 5 to 12 yrs

Enquiries: 0417 802 186
Instructor: Margaret

External Services for Students and Families

Singing Lessons
Katya teaches singing on Wednesdays at Nairne School. Individual or paired, half hour lessons.
Phone 0409282835

Guitar Lessons
$26 per half hour lesson.
Enquire at the front desk for an application form.
Guy Phillips Ph: 0402 255 859 or guy.hap@hotmail.com

Violin and Cello Tuition
Heidi Thickins Tuition.
Phone 0433 413 996 or hthickins@yahoo.com

Family Day Care
Chloe’s Family Day Care
Located in Dawesley. Vacancies on Wed, Thurs, Fri for children from 6 weeks old to school age.
Phone 0438 880342

Family Day Care
Olivia’s Family Day Care
Located in Nairne. Vacancies on Monday and Tuesday
DECDHMO06
Phone: 0403 002 644 or fdc@live.com.au

Supportive Holistic Counselling for children & women
Jill Hardy
Specialising in Sandplay Therapy, Process Work
0431 686 039 or withgratitude@live.com