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### PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

### Dear Parents and Carers,

### School uniform

Lowes, our school uniform supplier, is located in Stocklands, Nowra and they have informed us that they will be hosting a special promotion (20 % off the price) on 12 November for all customers who have a Zero card or a Reward card. You can sign up for these cards on the promotion day if you like. This will be a wonderful opportunity for our families to prepare for the 2021 school year at a great price. It gives me great pride to see our students wearing the Nowra High uniform in the community and looking so well presented.

### Evacuation on Wednesday

On Wednesday students and staff at our school were evacuated as a precaution. This was done in consultation with police after the school received certain information from an anonymous source. I was extremely proud of the way that the evacuation proceeded in an orderly fashion and without incident. At no time was any student or staff member in danger. To ensure the wellbeing of students and staff, all NSW public schools have such procedures, which are practised regularly.

After police attended the site and gave approval, students and staff returned to the school in the early afternoon.

An HSC exam was disrupted by this incident, and the school is dealing separately with those students, in consultation with the NSW Education Standards Authority, which conducts the exams. If you have any concerns, please contact the school and request to speak to the Principal or the Deputy Principal who is responsible for your child's year group.

### HSC Exams continuing

I would like to thank the staff and students for their flexibility as the school routine continues to adapt around the HSC examinations. The remaining examinations will be held between A block and the library. Staff and students have been working hard to give the students a quiet and calm space in which to complete their exams.

### Chewing gum

Please note that chewing gum is banned at Nowra High School. This is due to the unnecessary and unhygienic manner that some students have chosen to dispose of it in the school environment. Hygiene is always a matter for public health. Particularly this year excellent standards of hygiene are essential.

### **Nowra Show**

Nowra Show Management Committee have contacted us to say "thank you for being teachers in what has to have been one of the most challenging years". The Nowra Show Society Management Committee is still planning to present the 2021 Nowra Show on the 5 and 6 February. The show might be in a slightly different format to ensure it is a COVID Safe Event. The theme for the Celebrating the Shoalhaven art competition will be "Shoalhaven Icons".

### Kind regards

Mr Glen Kingsley Principal

### Calendar - 2020

### Coming Events for Term 4 - Weeks 4 & 5

### Week 4 - BETA

### Monday 2 November:

- HSC written exams
- Year 12 VET Hospitality work placement Ms Pollock
- Year 9 English yearly exam Period 3 Ms Wall
- Year 9 Dance task 4 H3 Periods 1 & 2
- VALID 2020 Mr Evans (from 26.10.20 6.11.20)

### Tuesday 3 November:

- HSC written exams
- Year 12 VET Hospitality work placement Ms Pollock
- Year 9 Marine Studies fishing excursion (in class time)
- · Commerce field trip Ms Chapuis

### Wednesday 4 November:

- HSC written exams
- Year 12 VET Hospitality work placement Ms Pollock
- Duty of care work placement visit 11VH Ms Pollock
- Year 7 Science yearly assessment task Ms Dunk
- Royal Lifesaving swimming program special ed. Ms Dart
- Stockland field trip Periods 3 & 4 Mr Tagliabue

### Thursday 5 November:

- HSC written exams
- Year 12 VET Hospitality work placement Ms Pollock Friday 6 November:

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- Year 12 VET Hospitality work placement Ms Pollock
- Year 8 Enrichment Dance task

### Week 5 - ALPHA

### Monday 9 November:

- HSC written exams
- Animal Husbandry demonstration Mr Wong, Ms Fuz Tuesday 10 November:
- HSC written exams
- SRC Burrill Pines 9am 3pm Ms Clerke

### Wednesday 11 November:

- HSC written exams
- SRC Burrill Pines 9am 3pm Ms Clerke
- Year 7 vaccinations
- 7V Drama task 2 F7 Period 1
- Royal Lifesaving swimming program special ed. J Dart Thursday 12 November:
- · HSC written exams
- Year 10 Marine Studies boat day Mr Orange's class Friday 13 November:
- · HSC written exams

# **Congratulations Asha**

Read about Asha Phillips' basketball achievements in the South Coast Register article linked below.



SOUTHCOASTREGISTER.COM.AU

Phillips' star continues to rise after trio of NSW Country selections

### SENIOR STUDY & SUPPORT



EVERY THURSDAY PERIODS 5 & 6 SCHOOL LIBRARY

PROVIDING ACADEMIC ASSISTANCE, VOCATIONAL ADVICE AND WELLBEING SUPPORT FOR STUDENTS IN YEARS 11 AND 12

TEACHING & WELLBEING STAFF WILL BE PRESENT AT EVERY SESSION

LET US HELP YOU REACH YOUR FULL POTENTIAL

# CARE FOR OTHERS FOR OUR SCHOOL

# A note from our P&C President

From the President of the P&C, Nadia Verrucci.

Hi to you all, I hope that you are all keeping safe and managing well in this Covid space that we are all forced to operate in. I am writing to let you know that currently Department of Education ruling is that face to face P&C meetings are still not able to happen. I have been in touch with Mr Kingsley and he has told me that there might be some new information released by the Department on Monday the 2nd Nov.

If the guidelines allow we can then organise a meeting in Term 4, but we will not know until we get the latest update from the Department. I will let you know what we can manage for Term 4 as soon as I am made aware of the guidelines that the Department releases.

I am sure you are understanding of the logistical details that all schools Nowra High included are having to manage with Covid19. Thank you for your ongoing support of the school community and I will be in touch with an update as soon as I am informed of the latest guidelines.

In the meantime can I encourage all parents and carers to consider how they can get involved with the P&C, all positions will be available and it would be great if a whole new team of people want to get involved for a new year of 2021.

# Homework centre

The homework centre at Nowra High runs in the library every Wednesday afternoon from 3.30 - 5.00 pm.

Snacks and drinks are provided.

All students in years 7-12 are encouraged to take advantage of this great opportunity to study, with staff present to assist.

Computer access is also possible during the sessions.

### More from the Australian Indoor Rowing Championships















The kids at Nowra High School were lucky enough to compete in an early Australian Indoor Rowing Championships event thanks to support from Coles and Sport Australia.

Without this financial support our kids could not have participate.

The main competition was held over the weekend - both virtually and at event centres!

#AIRC20 #IndoorRowing #physicalliteracy #rowing #sportingschools #GRow Nowra High School AIRC Results 23/10/2020

127 entries

Over all 1st Mr Brent Oeding-Erdel 1:33:7 2nd Nash Connell 1:35:7 3rd Mr Tim Orange 1:37:0

<u>Staff Results Female 1st Hanna Lucas 2nd Julie Dart</u>
<u>Staff Results Male 1st Mr Oeding-Erdel</u> 2nd Mr Orange

3rd Mr Cowley 4th Mr Perry

Age Groups Top 3 in each age group

12 year girls

1st Shakayla Hunt 2:31:8

12 year boys

1st Zac Richter 2:14:5

2nd Will Dowd 2:35:1

3rd Sye Uhr 2:35:2

13 year girls

1st Tinika Vincenzi 2:09:3

2nd Tamzyn Archbold 2:26:9

3rd Lucy Boundy 2:29:3

13 year boys

1st Chase Smith 1:47:5

2nd Denzil Atkinson 1:51:7

3rd Casey McCarthy 1:53.2

## **Congratulations Summer**



Congratulations to Year 9 student Summer Meurer, who recently entered the Young Writer's Awards 2020, sponsored by Shoalhaven Suicide Prevention and Awareness Network (SSPAN).

Summer won the Encouragement prize for Junior Prose. She received a medal, framed certificate and the anthology of past winning entries.

Well done Summer!

## **Congratulations Sarah and Liberty**



Congratulations to Year 11 students Liberty Thompson (right) and Sarah Cameron (left), who entered the Young Writers Awards 2020 (sponsored by SSPAN).

The girls placed 1st and 2nd in the Senior Prose section and were awarded medals and framed certificates.

A fantastic achievement Sarah and Liberty!

## Exciting news - the 145th Nowra Show 2021 is on! Start planning entries!



**Nowra Show** 5th - 6th February 2021 A selection of Junior & Youth Pavilion Sections

A point score competition will be conducted and all entries from School children will go towards a special trophy for the

"Most Successful School"

Please make sure when entering that children indicate what School they are attending

Entry into Junior Section Free

NOTE:

For Junior Cattle and Poultry Classes please refer to main Pavilion section of Schedule

### JUNIOR PAVILION SECTION

### VEGETABLES

Henry Sufficik
To be in by no later than 5.00pm Wednesday 3" February
To be in by no later than 10.00am Thursday 4" February
All potatoes to be exhibited in boxes with name of each variety attached.
Pumpiken: The Judge has advised that pumpikens will all not be cut for judging.
Note: Leave bottoms on Silver Beet and Rhubard.

Class: <u>Junior Section – 18 Yrs and Under</u> 10001 Beans – twenty

beans – twenty
Carrots, with tops – three
Pumpkin – any variety
Rhubarb – three stalks
Zucchini – three (not more than 180 mm long)
Potatoes – three

Any vegetable not previously mentioned

MOST OUTSTANDING EXHIBIT - Ribbon

### CUT FLOWERS

Steward: Entry Forms: Exhibits: Neville Foord
To be in by no later than 5.00pm Tuesday 2<sup>-rt</sup> February
To be in by no later than 10pm Tuesday February
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7am - 10pm Tuesday 4<sup>-rt</sup> Ephragay
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All flowers to be grown by the exhibitor.

### Prizemoney: 1#\$5, 2rd \$2 unless otherwise specified

Juniors 12yrs and Under Cut Blooms Contains

MOST OUTSTANDING EXHIBIT - Ribbon - (Classes 10054-10056)

### JUNIOR DECORATIVE FLOWERS

Steward: Hon. Stewards: Theresa McKinnon Wendy Miller, Dawn Shoesmith, Linda Page

To be in by no later than 10am Thursday 4n February.

Exhibits will be accepted from 6pm-7pm Wednesday 3 en and from 7am -10am Thursday 4n February

- Fresh rowers unless otherwise stated. Embelishments/accessories allowed. Exhibitor may use natural and/or artificial embellishments/accessories. Natural embelishments are living plant parts other than flowers; the flower heads or seed heads of the grass family are permissible.

Artificial embellishments: Anything made by man e.g. figurine/s, ribbon, painted/dyed plant material, etc.

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12 Yrs and Under
Animal, bird or human made only from fruit, vegetables or any garden material

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### JUNIOR POT PLANTS (16yrs and Under)

To be in by no later than 5.00pm Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> February To be in by no later than 10.00am Thursday 4<sup>nd</sup> February Limit of 5 pots in any one Class Exhibits to be grown by Exhibitor. No oiling of plants No late entries accepted - Maximum size of pots 30cm.

1#\$5, 21d \$2 unless otherwise stated

Collection of plants grown in one container Miniature garden in container depicting Nursery Rhyme/Story

### JUNIOR JAMS AND JELLIES

Steward: Nerida Ryan
Entry Forms: To be in by no later than 5.00pm, Tuesday 2º February
Exhibits: To be in by no later than 10.00am Thursday 4º February
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250g or not more than 500g.
Bottles in collections are to be of uniform size
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Jam other than specified - to be named Jelly, any variety - to be named

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 contents to be not less than 250g and not more than 500g
 Sauces in sauce bottles
 Preserved fruits and vegetables to be judged unopened

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For competition it is advisable to check that the bottle is clean around the top and the inside of the lid is clean. The jar should be full jabove the shoulder of the jar).

Sauces (except pasta) need to be strained for competition purposes.

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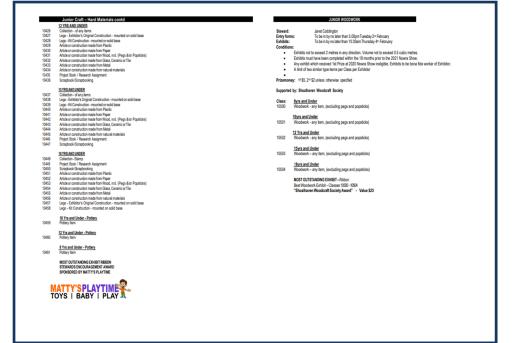
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### Junior Art

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No embellishments allowed Oversized entries cannot be judged 1#\$5, 2rd \$2 unless otherwise specified

Conditions Classes 10551-10556

- Maximum size 30cm x 42cm (A3 including optional cardboard mount) on paper and NOT prepared for hanging UNLESS STATED IN SEPARATE CLASS
- Limit of one (1) exhibit per artist in each class. Exhibitor's name, age and school attending to be written on back of exhibit

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Classes 10557 – 10564

Maximum size lincluding frame) 60cm x 100cm

\*All work must be framed or mounted and prepared for hanging by single wire or mylon cord placed 1/3<sup>rd</sup> from the top and must be able to support its own weight. 15\*TEARS AND UNDER

18 YEARS AND UNDER 10561 10562

Graphic Art

Special Art Competition – "Celebrating the Shoalhaven" See separate details at end of Schedule

Intermediate Section: 13-18 years of Age: First Prize: \$300

12 years and under:

BEST EXHIBIT RIBBONS - 8YRS/UNDER, 12YRS/UNDER, 15YRS/UNDER, 18YRS/UNDER

### JUNIOR PHOTOGRAPHY



Chief Steward:

Entry forms and Exhibits can be delivered to the Committee Room, Nowra Showground from Monday 25th January 2021. Entries close 5pm Friday 29th January 2021.

Free entry (Juniors)

Conditions

All prints to be mounted on RIGID Cardboard with Border and Unframed

- Augments to emborate controlled collections with ordered and the BACK of the photograph.

  Maximum size (including bodely 4 10mm x 5 10mm

  Minimum size (including bodely 4 10mm x 100mm

  No Cameses.

  Previous prize winning exhibits at the Nows Show will not be accepted.

  As many exhibits as possible will be displayed.

  All exhibits to be collected from the Panish on Sunday 7 February between 10,00am and 11,00am.

  Mailed exhibits to rick without nocessore.
  - Mailed exhibits to include return postage.
  - Prizemoney: 1st \$10, 2nd \$5

SHOALHAVEN PHOTOGRAPHIC CLUB Inc

Classes 10601 - 10604 Sponsored by the SHOALHAVEN PHOTOGRAPHIC CLUB Inc
NB: Juniors to state clearly on their Entry Form the name of the School they attend so as to gain points for the overall competition.

JUNIOR SECTION 12 YRS AND UNDER

JUNIOR SECTION 18 YRS AND UNDER Landscape/Seascape

SPONSORED BY SHOALHAVEN PHOTOGRAPHIC CLUB INC

MOST SUCCESSFUL EXHIBITOR 12YRS/UNDER RIBBON + \$10

Classes 10601-10602

MOST SUCCESSFUL EXHIBITOR 18YRS/ UNDER RIBBON + \$10

Classes 10603-10604

JUNIOR CHAMPION - CLASSES 10601 - 10604

(RIBBON + \$25)



### Garden in a Wheelbarrow Competition 2021 Entry Fo Contact Name Address: Suburb: Phone: Fmail:

Get a group of friends together and make a garden in a Wheelbarrow and at the same time gain points for your School.

Nowra Show Society is conducting a competition for all Schools/Schoolchildren and the Most Successful School will be awarded a Trophy at the conclusion of the Show

**Exhibit Details:** 

Class: 10701 Preschool Kinder 1st - 3rd years Class: 10703 4th - 6th years Class: 10705 High School

### CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

Entry forms and wheelbarrows to be delivered no later than 5pm Thursday 4th February 2021.

Wheelbarrows to have tyre inflated to allow movement.

Wheelbarrows to be prepared for display when delivered.

Wheelbarrows to be cofficeted on Sunday 7º February between 10am – 1:30am.

Contact: Email: <a href="mailto:info@nowrashow.org.au">info@nowrashow.org.au</a> for further information.



Celebrating the Shoalhaven 2021 Annual Art Prize Nowra Show 5th & 6th Feb 2021 Supported by RH Boyd & Son Pty

### **2021 Theme**

### "Shoalhaven Identities"

To celebrate the upcoming 150th Nowra Show in February 2026 we are holding an Annual Visual Arts Prize. The Nowra Show Art Prize invites entries from all art media. We envisage that come the 150th Show in February 2026 that there will be an Art Exhibition displaying all the winning (and other invited) entries open to the General Public at an Exhibition, Location to be advised Each year will feature a different theme that will reflect the ongoing and changing agricultural practices of the Shoalhaven region.

The winning entry in each section will be acquisitive.

ADULT SECTION: 19 years and above: First Prize: \$1000 13 – 18 years of age: First Prize: \$300 12 years and under: First Prize: \$100 INTERMEDIATE: JUNIOR SECTION:

- ted media includes: painting, drawing, mixed media, sculpture, ceramics, fibreltestil.

  All artwork and photography must be framed or mounted and
  prepared for hanging by single wire or nylon cord placed 1/3rd
  from the top and must be able to support its own weight.

  Exhibits must have been completed within the 18 months prior to
  the 2021 Novera Show.

- Size Dimensions:

   20 works NOT GREATER THAN 1000mm x 600mm
   30 works within a 600mm x 600mm x 600mm
   limit 1 artwork per person

An Artist's Statement of between 50-100 Words explaining the source of stimulus for the theme of "Shoalhaven Identities" will be required with

Entry forms to be in by 5 pm, Tuesday 2\*\* February.

Entries to be delivered to the Noural Showground on Wednesday 3\*\* February by 12 noon. Use Pavillon Entry forms which will be available in Nowar Show Schedule or at www.nowshow.org.au or please call 6451 128 500\*