Dear Parents and Friends,

I write this as we come to the end of a very big year for our college. We have achieved so much in a comparatively short time that we should feel very pleased. Many told me that we could not be at this stage at the end of the first year as a college and I want to thank everybody for proving that comment was not a correct one and we have shown just how good we are.

Things are not perfect in our college and we need to continue to develop through 2017 and beyond if we are going to ensure the education of our young people at Nambour State College is the very best that can be provided. Of recent times this term I have seen a range of things being developed in a P-12 manner and that is one of the beauties of a college like ours in being able to link all year levels together in the best manner we can possibly do for the best experiences of all. If we all work together on all aspects for 2017 then we will succeed.

I have been collating documents like our Strategic Plan for the next four years based on the 2020 Vision that was collaboratively developed earlier this year and our college Annual Improvement Plan for 2017. These documents excite me as they clearly show the way we intend to develop in coming years. These show we are going very well towards the future for our students and their careers.

I would like to thank everybody for their support for this year. Enrolments are very strong for the start of 2107 showing the community support for our college is excellent. I could not be more pleased with those developments. As I finish for the year I would like to wish everybody all the best for the holiday period and I look forward to working with you in a very positive way again in 2017.

If you have any questions at any time, please feel free to call me on 5450 4122 or email me on wtroy1@eq.edu.au.

College Principal Dr Wayne Troyahn

Previous issues of the school Newsletter can be found on the school website - go to www.nambourshs.eq.edu.au and go the ‘Newsletter’ link under ‘Calendar and News’.

If you no longer wish to receive this Newsletter - your child may have left the school - simply click on the ‘unsubscribe’ link on the cover email.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL PARENTS, CARERS AND VISITORS TO THE SCHOOL

All parents, carers and visitors to the school must report firstly to the school Administration to sign in and to make an appointment to see the person they need to see.

Please do not go directly to staff rooms or class rooms under any circumstances.

These processes are in place to help protect students and ensure that the school remains a safe and secure environment.

Student Absentee Line: Report all absentees to:
Senior Campus 5450 4160
Junior Campus 5459 0366
Dear students, parents and friends

The end of the year has arrived at long last and, by the look of the many tired faces on students and staff, it has arrived at just the right time!

Although report results are still being finalised, it looks very likely that our results will be some of the highest on record. This is a testament to the hard work and dedication of so many of our students and to the commitment, professionalism and quality of our staff.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank our wonderful staff who so often go above and beyond the call of duty to help our young people to learn and be the very best they can. We are very fortunate indeed to have such a high quality of staff in our school and I know the hours that they put in to support our students. I believe that teaching is the most important, enjoyable and rewarding work there is - what can be more important than preparing our young people for success in the real world? It is often, however, exceptionally complex and demanding - on behalf of us all, thank you staff of Nambour State College for all you do!

The other role in the world that is vitally important (and often even less appreciated and very badly paid) is parenting. All of us who are parents know the frustration and weariness that often accompanies the joy and delight that is parenting. As parents, we sometimes get things wrong. As a school, we also sometimes get things wrong. We get the best results, however, when we are understanding of our limitations and work together and support each other to achieve a common goal - the best possible for our children!

2017 promises to be an exciting year indeed for Nambour State College. We are now very settled in to being a P-12 campus with most of the ‘bugs’ ironed out. I am very keen in particular to see our new uniform being worn in the College.

One change for next year - as you will have seen elsewhere in the newsletter, students arriving by bus in 2017 must enter and remain within the school grounds unless they have a special ‘Before School Pass’ that has been applied for by their parents and had been approved and issued by the school. I would very much appreciate your support with this initiative that is designed to ensure that our students are safe and cared for on arrival at school.

To finish, I would like to sincerely wish everyone a safe, relaxing and enjoyable Christmas break and very much look forward to seeing you all in the new year.

**Thought of the week**

Happy are those who dream dreams and are ready to pay the price to make them come true.

Leon J. Suenes

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**Principal of Senior Campus**

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continuing and strengthening this change in teaching practices in 2017.

Secondly, I would like to congratulate the P&C and school staff on a brilliant College Fair in Term 3. This was an exciting event not only for our school community, but also the wider community. Our P & C do amazing work in many aspects of our school life from operating the tuckshop and uniform shop to fundraising activities. We are truly grateful for their time, effort and commitment to our students and College.

In the Performing Arts area, our School Musical and Dance Presentation were a real success with large numbers of Junior Campus students keen to demonstrate their courage and willingness to perform on stage.

Finally, I would like to make mention of the many academic competitions and sporting events that our students competed in successfully over the year. Our children always represent themselves and the school with pride and their performances in the following was exceptional in 2016:

Billy Moore Shield (2nd overall), District Swimming, District Cross Country (Age Champions), District Athletics and Girls Rugby League (Under 10 1st overall). We also saw an increase in the number of students making it to district and regional titles. Well done to all students who made it into representative sides. Students were also involved in Under 8’s Day, GRIP Leadership, Sunshine Coast Maths and Chess Competitions, along with many other school based activities.

Congratulations to everyone associated with the school on what has been another fantastic year! I wish you all a restful summer break with your children. They are a joyful group of kids to work with and learn with and we look forward to seeing you all in 2017.

Year 6 Graduation

On Thursday 8 December our Year 6 students and their families attended their graduation ceremony. This year’s graduating students have been a wonderful group of children to work with, and personally I have really enjoyed watching them grow and develop as young adults over the past year. I thank Aiden, Aleksia, Dini, Ela, Lizzie, Nissa and Paul for guiding them through their final year of primary school.

As a school, we wish all of our graduating students the very best for their future and trust that they will have happy memories of their time at Nambour State College Junior Campus.

School Leaders Election Process

This week we had the pleasant duty of listening to, and scoring the speeches prepared and delivered by Year 5 students nominating for either School Leader, Music Leader or House Leader Positions in 2017. I was thrilled at the quality of presentations and congratulated all nominees on a fine effort. Clearly, there is much to look forward to with these young people as they grow into the roles next year. Leaders will be inducted at a ceremony in February 2017.

2017 Staffing Update

As I have already mentioned the school is very fortunate to have such a great team of teachers working at the school. Unfortunately, at this time of the year we must say farewell to some of the staff who will not be returning in 2017 at this stage. Please join me in thanking the following teachers for their dedication and passion for the profession. We wish them every success in the future and thank them for all of their work at Nambour State College during their time with us.

Best wishes and farewell to Deb Holmnas and Kay MacKellar. John Mayes has also accepted a Regional Office position for 6 months.

2017 Class Groupings

Student class allocations will be posted out to all students on Friday 9 December 2016. Each child’s class allocation will not be changed once the classes have been announced. Your understanding in relation to this matter is appreciated. No changes until after Day 8.

2017 Booklists

The booklists order forms and accompanying letter outlining the ordering process for 2017 booklists have been sent home with your child. The order forms have been developed to give parents an easy method of obtaining your child’s stationery requirements for 2017. As well as providing a great deal for parents and supporting a local business, the school receives support from Nambour Plaza Nextra Newsagency with every book pack purchased.

The following outlines important information for order placement, payment and collection if choosing to use this process for book pack purchasing:

- orders need to be completed for each child by filling the appropriate areas on the booklist order form
- order forms can be returned with full payment to Nambour Plaza Nextra Newsagency by credit card or cheque.

http://www.nambourplazanextra.booklists.com.au

Enter the school code: Nambour17

An order must be completed for each child.

Alternatively, lists can also be handed in to the school office until 10am on Friday the 9th of December.

If you have not received a booklist for your child for next year, please contact the school. In addition to this, they can also be accessed through the school website and Nambour Plaza Nextra Newsagency. The school would also like to thank Nambour Plaza Nextra Newsagency for their assistance in organising the booklists.

Uniform Shop

Our new uniforms look sensational!

Congratulations and thank you to the hard working uniform committee who have spent days and days looking at uniform colours, materials, designs etc. to ensure the best for our students and value for money.
Our Senior Campus Uniform Shop will be open from 8am – 3pm from Monday 16 January to Friday 20 January 2017 which will allow new uniforms to be purchased prior to the school year starting. All Junior campus uniforms can be purchased here.

**Enrolments 2017**

To help manage and plan for the future we are asking our families for their support by keeping us informed if you are planning on changing schools in 2017 or letting relatives, neighbours and friends know that we have available spaces across all year levels. Nambour State College is not an enrolment management or catchment school, and as such, we welcome enrolments from Nambour and our across our neighbouring suburbs to our great College. For enrolment enquiries, please contact our friendly administrative staff.

Thank-you also to our 2016 School Leaders, Aidan Kerr, Ella Rose, Aleksia Hutton, Nissa Dovell, Paul Lynch and Elizabeth Marshall. You all represented our College with pride and demonstrated the best qualities of our College and community.

Kind regards,

Emma Marshall  
Deputy Principal Junior Campus  
Nambour State College

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**Bec Hutton**  
Principal - Junior Campus

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**A WORD FROM OUR DEPUTY PRINCIPAL JUNIOR CAMPUS**

**School Leaders 2017**

On Monday’s PBL Assembly, the School Leaders, House Leaders and Music Leader for 2017 were announced. This was the result of both student and teacher voting following 17 well executed student leader speeches, made by our exceptional Year 5 students who are all to be commended for their personal efforts and leadership qualities.

Our 2017 School Leaders are as followed:

- **School Leaders** – Marlee Croft & Charlotte Frost  
- **House Leaders**  
  - *Irwin* – Tyree Brown & Eva Burns  
  - *Rush* – Sophie Robinson & Jake Norton  
  - *Freeman* – Liam Catalini & Josie Powlesland  
  - *Watson* – Unity Dean & Kyann Hawkins  
- **Music Leader** – Sally Dawson

After spending some time with student leaders the past couple of weeks, I know how enthusiastic they are about leading their fellow students next year and the many opportunities they will have to contribute to Nambour State College in their final year of Primary Schooling. A big thank-you to our parents and staff for your wonderful encouragement and support throughout the process.

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**2016- 2017 SCHOOL CAPTAINS**

Departing 2016 Captains Emelie, Kiera, Bonnie and Jacob (Left) with incoming 2017 Captains Samantha, Jorja, Jake and Hamilton (Right)

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**COMMUNITY PATHWAYS**

What a wonderful sight, a visit from our junior students from Community Pathways.

The students have made these wonderful Walking Animals that they sell at their stall at Eumundi Markets for $15.00, we have such talented students in our College.
ROBOTICS LEGO LEAGUE

A group of our junior students competed at the First Lego League competition in Brisbane Saturday 3rd December, they won the Robot Performance Award (for best programming) and the Regional Champion’s Award (for best team overall).

As regional champions, we win a place at the Nationals in Sydney next week. Unfortunately, the short timeline means that our attendance is practically impossible. Nevertheless, these students have achieved a significant amount in a very short time, and deserve your praise.

Be sure to visit the trophy cabinet in the Senior Campus admin building: as befits a Lego competition, the trophies are made of Lego!

A special thank you to 2 parents that spent a lot of time helping the students after school and in lunch breaks. Thank you Shira and Shane Gingell for your commitment to the students and this event.

Congratulations to:

Billy Bartholemew, Alana Gardner, Hannah Geddes, Sage Gingell, Aidan Hamilton, Noah Hamilton, Scott Kirschоfer and Bayley Sheather for their fantastic effort and win on the weekend.

UNIFORM SHOP

OPEN – MONDAY 16th JANUARY TO FRIDAY 20th JANUARY 2017 FROM 8.00 AM TO 3.00 PM.

The Uniform Shop can be found in A Block (next to Student Services – Room A12). EFTPOS and cash are the only forms of payment – cheques are no longer accepted due to the actions of a few.

FEES/SUBJECT DETAILS/STATIONERY LISTS

Details will be available on our school website namboursc@eq.edu.au from 2nd January, 2017. Please note that subject details will only be available with the distribution of the new timetables on your student’s first day back. Following an introductory assembly, students will begin regular lessons.

PAYING ACCOUNTS

- To save time please have your Resource Form completed at time of paying your fees. This form is available on the school website or at the office.
- To have deductions from your Centrelink payment, please see our friendly staff at the Finance Counter for form and details.

STUDENT START DATES, TIME AND LOCATIONS

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STUDENTS ARRIVING AT SCHOOL BY BUS
– A CHANGE TO PROCEDURES

Dear parents

We are concerned about the possibility of students arriving at school by bus and then proceeding downtown without parents being aware that this is happening and are expecting that they are at school. We are naturally unable to supervise activity that happened outside our grounds – we cannot and do not provide any supervision at Quota Park or anywhere else outside our grounds.

Our very strong preference as a school is for students to arrive by bus and then remain in our grounds. We do understand that some parents may have valid reasons for their children to arrive by bus and then leave the grounds (ensuring of course that they return before the start of school). For this reason, the school will establish a pass system for students in Years 7 -12. Parents can sign a form requesting that their students be given a pass that enables them to leave the grounds prior to school. This pass will be revoked by the school if the student’s conduct is unacceptable or if they are failing to arrive back at school for the start of the school day. From the start of 2017, students arriving at school by bus will not be permitted to leave the grounds without a pass.

It should be noted again, however, that our very strong preference is for students to remain at school when arriving by bus and we will stress again that no supervision is provided outside the school ground.

Applications for before school passes can be collected from A12 or downloaded from the College website, and then handed in at A12. Passes will be available for collection from A12 within a week from the submission date.

Thank you

Sean Maher
Principal – Senior Campus

THE BEAUTIFUL EMELYNE

Emelyne Sezeramoriyimana has been an inspiration to all who have met her. She is a member of a large family, but most significantly, she is the first member of her family to complete their secondary education. This is an impressive achievement by Emelyne. The staff of the Intensive English Unit at Nambour State College are very proud of her. She has been a committed and focussed student as she has a definite career objective which is to become a social worker. In this field Emelyne’s past experiences will endow her with the empathy and understanding required for people who are in critical need of assistance or support.

For Emelyne’s family the nation of Burundi was their home; however, in 1993 due to the civil war in their country her mother made an epic trek with her children and those of friends to Tanzania. Some years later Emelyne was born in a Tanzanian refugee camp. Emelyne arrived in Australia with her family in 2009 and they first settled in Toowomba.

Emelyne’s contribution to the cultural life of Nambour State College has been significant. She has always been ready to participate and perform at special events and in Harmony Day festivities to celebrate her nationality as well as educate the school’s cohort about her cultural background. Her infectious enthusiasm has motivated many within the EAL/D community. Emelyne was presented with the EAL/D Award for 2016. This award acknowledged the fact that Emelyne is a highly motivated person, with a vivacious personality, prepared to contribute in every respect of school life, she is an effective communicator, a great singer and a fabulous dancer! We are sad to say goodbye to her, but extremely proud of her achievements and wish her success for her future.

We all wish you all the best in your future.

GIRLS EQUINE PROGRAM

A group of female students that attended our girls Equine Program included: Tegan Dickson, Renee Shanks, Chloe Wellington, Tahnee Gillett, Krystelle Mckillop-Shirley and Kayla Parker.

They attended an 8-week program where they worked with horses every Wednesday.

Throughout the program the students work on finding solutions which can create accelerated and long term social change.

The activities that are run are ground-based and reflect real life situations.

On the last day they performed a dance with their horses that reflected what they had learnt and their connection with their horse.

This worthwhile program was funded by Community Pathways and Circles of Support – Youth (COSY). It was run and supported by Nurse Carol and Sian Williams from COSY.
NEWS FROM OUR TRAINEESHIP AND JOB PLACEMENT OFFICER

Apprenticeships and Traineeships

Congratulations to the following student for enrolling in a school based Apprenticeship / Traineeship

- Caroline Maher – Certificate II Hospitality – The Nook & Cranny
- Chanelle Fox – Certificate III Hospitality – The Nook & Cranny
- Ben Borthwick – Certificate II Warehousing – Reece Plumbing
- Caite Hunt – Certificate III Hospitality – Harvest Breads & Café
- Katie Symmons – Certificate III Hospitality – Subway, Maroochydore
- Tayla O’Neill – Certificate III Hospitality – Muffin Break, Maroochydore
- Sarah Truss – Certificate III Business – Nambour State College P & C

Sarah Truss (Trainee) and Shelley Keightley (P & C Operations Manager) – our own Trainee at NSC – what a great opportunity to undertake a Business Traineeship in a familiar environment – Well Done Sarah and Thank you Shelley.

AVAILABLE Apprenticeship and Traineeship Opportunities for NEXT YEAR’S 10, 11 & 12 students

- Apprenticeship Certificate III Solid Plasterer (Renderer) – Nambour
- Apprenticeship Certificate III Painter & Decorator – Rosemount
- Apprenticeship Certificate III Landscaping Construction - Palmwoods
- Certificate II Tyre Fitter – Maroochydore
- Certificate II Productions Engineering – Kunda Park
- Certificate II Telecommunications – Woombye
- Certificate II Kitchen Operations – Milford Lodge Child Care, Buderim
- Certificate III Hospitality – Wendy’s, Sunshine Plaza

Students if you are interested in undertaking a School Based Traineeship or Apprenticeship or additional courses to your current education – PLEASE CHECK YOUR SCHOOL EMAILS

NEW AND EXISTING COURSES – Senior Students

Certificate II Courses being delivered at the school next year are:

- Certificate II Electro technology
- Certificate II Automotive (Under body)
- Certificate II Rural Op’s (Equine)
- NEW Certificate II Health
- NEW Certificate II Salon Assistant & Retail Cosmetics

If you are interested in completing one of these courses, please see myself or Mrs Haig in A Block ASAP Term 1 2017

Have a wonderful Christmas Break and a very Happy New Year, current students please work on your theory modules over the school holidays – Be Safe and Be Good

To make an appointment to see me please call on 5450 4116 or call reception on 5450 4111 to make an appointment or to discuss your students Traineeship / Apprenticeship etc.

Kindest Regards

Andrea Peacock – Traineeship & Job Placement Officer

DATES – UPCOMING EVENTS: November 2016

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WHATS HAPPENING IN MUSIC

Creative Generations – Auditions

Over the last two weeks, students from Years 7-12 have been working hard on performances to audition to be in Creative Generations in 2017. Well done to all students involved - we are very proud of your efforts. Our fingers are crossed for next year!
Kirsten Drinnen
Music Teacher - Senior Campus
Nambour State College

P&C, TUCKSHOP AND UNIFORM SHOP

P & C

NEXT MEETING:
The next P&C meeting will be held on Wednesday 15th February 2017.
The meeting will be held in the senior campus library at 6.00pm for a 6.30pm start.

Please pop in at 6.00pm to catch up, have a chat and a cuppa before proceedings.

We welcome all parents, carers and community members – old and new, and invite you to come along to one – or all – of our P & C meetings. Our meetings are relatively casual and give you the opportunity to speak with like-minded parents and to be involved with the direction that the P & C and the school takes into the coming year and beyond.

Thanks to those parents and interested community members who continue to take the time to attend our meetings. Without you, we would not be able to operate. Thanks to our committee who have worked so well together to accomplish what we have these last 12 months and we look forward to another interesting year.

Our meetings are held usually on the third Wednesday of each month in the school Library, commencing now at 6.30pm. We encourage getting together at 6.00pm for a cuppa and a chat before the start of our meetings.

If you would like any information regarding the school P & C, please call the P & C office on 5450 4121 or email on pandc@namboursc.eq.edu.au

Please get involved with your child’s schooling and come along to a P & C meeting.

WHAT'S HAPPENING WITH OUR P&C?

Welcome to Sarah our new trainee for the P&C you will see her smiling face in the uniform shop and P&C office each Tuesday for the next 2 years. Please make her very welcome.

Thank you to the beautiful Aniva who has helped in our Tuckshop all year but jumped in to help with our end of year uniform sales. You were a breath of fresh air and a life saver.

NSC UNIFORMS

All our new NSC Uniforms are now in with the exception of our Junior campus bucket hats, these will be available from Monday 16th January 2017.

Uniform Shop opening hours 2017

All uniforms can be purchased from the Senior campus uniform shop from Monday 16th January 2017.

This is the week prior to school.

We are open Monday – Friday 8 am to 3pm

TUCKSHOPS

THANK YOU THANK YOU to our wonderful Tuckshop ladies from across both campuses’.

Junior Campus: Nicky, Tracey, Tania and all the wonderful parents that have volunteered their precious time.

Thank you to the ladies in our senior campus: Tracey, Cheryl, Sue, Alison and Aniva, also to the lovely ladies that volunteer when they can, without you all we wouldn’t be able to supply the college with such a wonderful service for our students.

MERRY XMAS TO ALL AND SEE YOU ALL NEXT YEAR.
Students can wear items from either the legacy or the new college uniform until the end of 2019. From 2020 all uniform will be the new college uniform. Any special clothing requirements should be discussed with the administration of the college.

Junior Campus (P-6)
ROYAL BLUE-YELLOW POLO

Monday to Friday

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<td>Sports shirt – only to be worn when playing sport (Optional – available from uniform shop)</td>
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<td>Hair</td>
<td>Long hair must be tied back with school-coloured hair accessories (Blue/Yellow/White)</td>
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<td>One pair of small, plain studs or sleepers in the ear lobe</td>
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<td>Hat</td>
<td>Bucket hat (must be purchased from uniform shop). NO HAT – NO PLAY</td>
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<td>Religious headwear</td>
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**Not permitted:**
- Other facial piercings
- Jeans or tights
- Boots or shoes that extend above the ankle
### Example Shoes P-12

**Senior Campus (7-12)**

**YEAR 7-9 ROYAL BLUE-BLACK POLO**

**YEAR 10-12 ROYAL BLUE-WHITE POLO**

### Formal uniform

Compulsory on Fridays

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### Other formal options:

When required, blazers and formal hats are loaned to students representing the school on formal occasions.

### Non-formal uniform

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<td>Polo shirt (specific to school phase)</td>
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<td>Skirt</td>
<td>Plain black (no alterations in length)</td>
<td>X</td>
<td>Black college skirt (no alterations in length)</td>
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<td>Shorts</td>
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<td>Black college shorts, worn below mid-thigh</td>
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<td>Trousers</td>
<td>Plain black dress pants</td>
<td>Plain black dress pants</td>
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<td>Stockings</td>
<td>Skin-toned or black, no patterns</td>
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<td>Socks</td>
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<td>Shoes</td>
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Winter options

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<th>Item</th>
<th>Legacy uniform</th>
<th>New college uniform</th>
<th>Must have been purchased from the college</th>
<th>Must be purchased from the college</th>
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<td>Jumper</td>
<td>Navy blue, V-neck</td>
<td>Black college jumper (zip-up)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Jacket</td>
<td>Navy blue zip-up</td>
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<td>X</td>
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<tr>
<td>Senior Jersey</td>
<td>As provided – Year 12s only</td>
<td>As provided – Year 12s only</td>
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Not permitted:
- Boots or shoes that extend above the ankle
- Mixing of formal and non-formal uniform
- Jeans, tights or tracksuit pants
- Short shorts

Other items

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<tr>
<td>Thundershirt</td>
<td>Sports shirt – only to be worn when playing sport (Optional – available from uniform shop)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Rings</td>
<td>Plain and flat, no sharp edges</td>
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<td>Ear piercings</td>
<td>Small rings or studs</td>
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<td>Make up</td>
<td>Subtle only, no coloured lipstick</td>
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<td>Religious/medical pendants</td>
<td>Worn under shirt</td>
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<tr>
<td>Hat</td>
<td>Black bucket hat (available from uniform shop)</td>
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<td>Religious headwear</td>
<td>As determined by religious observance</td>
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2017 SCHOLARSHIPS

Looking to go to university in 2017? Need help with expenses? Life can be hard enough without having to worry about what tertiary scholarships, if any, are out there.

If you’re a first time university student you’re looking in the right place. Bendigo Bank offers one of Australia’s leading scholarship programs. From agriculture based scholarships, to those connected to one of our many Community Bank branches, we have something to help you reach your university dreams.

The academic dreams of 89 students became a reality in 2016, thanks to the Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Scholarship for rural and regional students.

We were lucky enough to have a Nambour student Hirushi Kumarapperuma awarded one of the scholarships and she is now studying Pharmacy (Honours) at The University of Queensland.

Wouldn’t it be great if we could make it two in a row for Nambour State College?

Applications for 2017 places will open on 1 December 2016 and close at midnight (AEDT) on 27 January 2017.

You can also find out more information by visiting the Bendigo Bank at 58 Lowe St, Nambour.

WHATS HAPPENING ON THE JUNIOR CAMPUS

SWIMMING CARNIVAL
Nambour State College has been developing a 2020 vision that includes the following expectations:

“Students have 24/7 digital access to learning materials so that they can learn where and when they want” (every subject has an online “virtual classroom”).

“Every student has access to an individual learning device that connects them to these learning materials” (School and student owned devices).

“College is a learning hub that provides students with open connections to other educational providers” (College is a learning hub).

In 2017 Nambour State College will offer 3 options for access to computers in the senior campus (7-12):

1. **Option 1 – Bring Your Own Laptop (Windows or Apple Mac)** - $60 per year (includes secure connection to college wireless network, limited ICT support, Adobe software e.g. Photoshop, Flash, Premiere Pro etc.)

2. **Option 2 – Take Home Laptop (ACER tablet or laptop)** – ONLY IF ALREADY IN THE PROGRAM – NO NEW SIGNUPS - $120 per year (includes secure connection to college wireless network, ICT support, Adobe software e.g. Photoshop, Flash, Premiere Pro etc.)

3. **Option 3 – College based laptops or desktops** – available in classrooms or library.

“Bring Your Own Laptop” is optional in 2017 but the college plans to phase in for all students in Years 7-12 by 2020.

In 2018 all students in years 7 & 10 will be required to bring their own laptop for use in class. The BYO program may also be available to students in P-6 using iPads or laptops in the future.

http://www.namboursc.eq.edu.au

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**NAMBOUR STATE COLLEGE HAS SAVED 204 LIVES IN JUST 4 MONTHS!!!**

In July, I asked our Year 11 and 12 students if they would be interested in donating blood and their response was fantastic! Please read below the email sent to me from RED25, the organisation committed to achieve 25% of Australia’s blood donations.

Sincere thanks to all students, staff and family members who donated on behalf of our college.

Merry Christmas and safe holidays,

Shelly Ewin

Dear Shelly and the Nambour State College Team,

Thank you for your group’s recent lifesaving blood donations. You’ve made a huge difference to those Australians who need blood every day, including cancer patients, people undergoing surgery, pregnant women and many others.

In 2016, your team has saved 204 lives!!!

We very much look forward to seeing the NSC Team in 2017.

Kind Regards,

Colleen

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Call 13 14 95

http://donateblood.com.au

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

K3 COACHING CHRISTMAS CAMP

K3 coaching would like to invite ALL players of all ALL abilities to our Christmas soccer camp. Test your soccer skills, learn new ones and meet new friends all whilst having fun and playing the beautiful game! Also join us in welcoming one of our Co-founders Nyle Nix, ex-England schoolboy international and professional soccer player to Australia as he arrives over from the UK. He is bursting with knowledge and fun games and challenges for everyone to take part in!

Prices:
$75 per day
$65 for 2 days
$90 for 3 days
$165 for 6 days

Our dates are as follows:

When: 12th-14th December, 9am-12pm
Where: Anyone aged 5-15
Where: Maleny Kangaroos Soccer Club
Sheepwash McKinnon, 35 Canterbury Drive, Maleny, QLD 4552

When: 15th-17th December, 9am-12pm
Where: Anyone aged 5-15
Where: Narangba Yandina Soccer Club
& North Street, Yandina, QLD 4561

For booking and enquiries please contact karey
K3 karey_stew@k3coaching.com.au

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We look forward to seeing you there!