Dear Parents and Caregivers,

This Friday, students are invited to colour their hair or have crazy hair as part of the Colour for a Cure Day for the Leukaemia Foundation. Each student is asked to donate a gold coin. Please colour your child’s hair at home so that you are aware of the products being used. Students may also come out of uniform in colourful clothing, but no singlet tops or thongs should be worn.

FRESH FRUIT FRIDAY
Fresh Fruit Friday will be provided this Friday at recess time. We encourage all students to try different fruits. Thank you again to Mrs Stephanie Radburn for buying and preparing the fruit each month on behalf of the P & C.

MORNING SUPERVISION OF STUDENTS
Families are reminded that children should not be at school before 8.30am as there are no teachers rostered on duty before this time.

P & C AGM - Tuesday, 10th March 2015
The P & C Annual General Meeting will be held tonight, Tuesday, 10th March in the school library commencing at 6.30pm. Nominations are now required for all executive positions: President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary, Uniform Co-Ordinator and Canteen. To be eligible to vote at the AGM you must be a financial member of the P & C. Cost is 50c.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
Happy Birthday and best wishes to Tahlia Stain and Jai Coates who celebrate their birthday this week.

EASTER RAFFLE
Easter is just around the corner. The school P&C are looking for donations again for this years Easter Raffle. Donations of chocolate Easter eggs, baskets, ribbons or cellophane etc are to be handed into the front office. Easter Raffle tickets will be attached to next weeks newsletter. The raffle will be drawn in the last week of school.
CANTEEN
On Wednesdays, students who order recess from the canteen will now have their recess order taken to the classroom. Please remind children to hand in their order to the canteen before the school bell and remember to put their name and class on their order. Kindergarten parents need to make sure that their children know what is being ordered for their lunch and recess.

SWIMMING SUCCESS
Great news from the Shoalhaven PSSA Swimming Carnival, Nowra Hill Public School was first in the Percentage Shield and fifth place on points over all. A wonderful result.

Matthew Higham was Junior Boy Champion, following first place in 9yrs Freestyle, Butterfly and Junior Individual Medley and 3rd in the open 100m Freestyle. Denzel Atkinson was 2nd in 8 years boys 50m freestyle. Both boys were selected to represent the PSSA at the South Coast PSSA Swimming Carnival at Dapto last Friday. However, Denzel was unable to attend due to an illness. Matthew again did very well finishing first in Freestyle and Butterfly and will be going to the NSW PSSA State Swimming titles held at Homebush.

CONGRATULATIONS
Congratulations to Yasmin Willis on the selection for the Shoalhaven PSSA soccer team. Well done.

YEAR 1/2
I would appreciate it if all children in Mrs Rowe’s 1/2 class could please bring in 5 photos of either themselves and their families or any extended family photos that they may have. This is to use for our Me/Our Families HSIE Unit. Your photos will be returned intact at the culmination of our work. Please have the children bring them in a protective plastic sleeve if you are worried. Thanks Mrs Rowe.

MERIT AWARDS
Kindergarten
Tristan Reay - Working hard to complete classroom tasks
Skye DeBrett - Applying herself to all classroom tasks
Charlie Salway - Working hard to stay on task
Cala Stubbs - Being an active learner in class

Year 1/2
Jai Coates - Enthusiastic attitude towards set tasks
Kayla Stain - Great attitude towards classwork
Mick Nolan - Displaying commitment to home reading
Addison Radburn - Thinking of others and lending a helping hand

Year 2/3
Austyn Cornelius - A consistent home reader. Well done
Lauren Whitfield - Trying to do her best in class
Brooke Pearson - A fabulous effort with her home reading

Year 3/4
Beau Crealy - Consistently achieving 100% accuracy in spelling and times tables test each week
Halle Shipton - Excellent spelling and times tables test results
Tia Renomeron - Consistently completing all of her homework
Year 5/6
Olivia Wilson - Excellent results in spelling
Charley Shipton - Outstanding knowledge of multiplication tables

UNIVERSITY OF NSW AUSTRALIAN SCHOOLS COMPETITIONS YEARS 3-6
One way of challenging students academically is to encourage students in Years 3-6 to participate in the University of NSW competitions. Some of these subjects are subsidised by the school, which is not done by other schools. If you are interested, money for ALL competitions MUST be paid by Friday, 20th March.

DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES  Tuesday 19th May
SCIENCE          Wednesday, 3rd June
WRITING          Monday, 15th June
SPELLING         Tuesday, 16th June
ENGLISH          Tuesday, 28th July
MATHS            Tuesday, 11th August

Please fill out the slip below and return it, together with your money to the front office.

NOWRA HILL PUBLIC SCHOOL
UNIVERSITY OF NSW COMPETITIONS Years 3-6

I would like my child to sit for the following competitions (pls circle)

DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES - $4.00  MATHS - $4.00  WRITING - $17.00

SPELLING - $11.00  ENGLISH - $4.00  SCIENCE - $4.00

Child’s Name: ____________________________   Class: _________________

I have enclosed $ ____________ Signed: _________________ Dated: ______

NOWRA HILL PUBLIC SCHOOL
WORKBOOK FEES 2015

There are still a lot of outstanding text book fees. If there is a problem with payment please see Mrs Jones in the office.

MISS BARRY - KINDERGARTEN $54.00
MRS ROWE - YEAR 1 $83.00
MRS ROWE - YEAR 2 $79.00
MRS BELLAMY - YEAR 2/3 $65.00
MR VUCIC - YEAR 3/4 $40.00
MR McCANN - YEAR 5/6 $70.00

Children’s names: ____________________________
Classes: ____________________________

Please find enclosed $_________ for payment of workbooks
Signed: ____________________________   Date: ____________________________

Thank you to all the families who have paid their school fees so promptly.