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Performance:

NOSSAL
High School



Acknowledgement of Country

We acknowledge the Traditional Owners of the land where we learn, work and live, the Bunurong people of the South-Eastern Kulin Nation, and pay our respects to Elders past and present. We celebrate the stories, culture and traditions of the First Nations people of all communities who also work and live on this land.



Welcome:
Ms Tracey Mackin (Principal)



Methuki

- *History of the School*
- *Facilities*
- *How to get to Nossal*



Vihaan and Thanmay

- *Year 9 Curriculum at Nossal*
- *Growth Mindset*
- *Learning at Nossal: Adult learning environment*
- *IT at Nossal*



Advika

- *Houses at Nossal*
- *House events*

Hunter

- *Leadership Opportunities*



Sam

- *Student Wellbeing*



Evangeline

- *Transitioning to Nossal*
- *iWeek program*



Shania

- *9Time*
- *Nossal Extended Research and Discovery Project*
- *City Experience*

Music at Nossal



Ms Clare Budd
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Instrumental Music Program

Woodwind

Flute

Clarinet

Saxophone(s)

Oboe

Bassoon

Brass

Trumpet

Trombone

French Horn

Euphonium

Tuba

Strings

Violin

Viola

Cello

Double Bass

Percussion

Drums

Orchestral

Percussion

Guitar

Acoustic

Electric

Bass

Piano

Voice

Information Technology



Mr Stuart Fankhauser

*Director of Digital
Development and
Innovation*



Mr Anthony Keen

*IT Systems and Project
Manager*

Laptop Purchase Portal

Portal Demo

*<https://nossalhs.technologyportal.com.au>
CODE: NHSBYOD*



Questions about the program or IT at NHS?

*Contact Anthony on
notebook@nossalhs.vic.edu.au*

*NHS Technicians will do everything they can to help ALL
students: BYOD or Managed devices*



Financial matters...



Here to help!

- We are here for you!
- Come and talk to us



Ms Shantal Crow
Finance Manager



Ms Sheren Hawking
Accounts Receivable Officer

Financial Matters

- Compass
- School Saving Bonus
- Parent Contributions
- Extra-curricular Activities
- Payment Plans



All problems can be solved!

Please contact

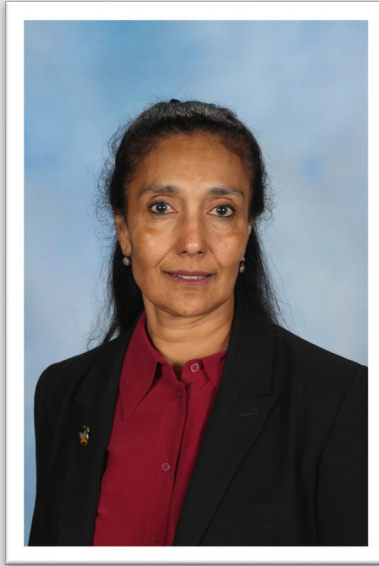
- Shantal Crow
- Sheren Hawking

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- Email: finance@nossalhs.vic.edu.au



Wellbeing at Nossal



*Ms Fiona De Zylva
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Medical Information

Please remember to provide Nossal with import medical information about your child prior to the first day of the 2025 school year.

This information includes:

- **Anaphylaxis Management Plan** - signed by medical practitioner, with a named adrenalin auto injector sent to the school
- **Asthma Management Plan** - signed by medical practitioner, with required preventer/reliever medication at the school
- **Administration of Medication Form** - signed by medical practitioner

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Please remember to provide Nossal with import medical information about your child prior to the first day of the 2025 school year.

This information includes:

- **Allergies** - Information about any other type of allergy, intolerance or medical condition
- We encourage parents to ***share any medical and wellbeing information*** with us, it really helps us understand your student and best support them while at school.

Director of Year 9&10



Mr Rian LaBrooy

Orientation Day

Wednesday December 11th

New Year 9 students are invited to a whole day Orientation on Wednesday December 11th, commencing at 8.45am and concluding at 2.30pm.

- Peer mentors (current Year 9 students) will work with you to assist in your transition.*

Parents are invited to attend an information session on the day, starting at 9am.

Second hand uniform sale will also take place on this day

If students are not able to attend Orientation Day please let us know by emailing rian.labrooy@nossalhs.vic.edu.au



Key Year 9 Dates – Term 1 2025

- *Foundation Assembly: Wednesday 29/1*
- *iWeek: Thursday 30/1 to Thursday 6/2*
- *Y9 Parents Meet and Greet: Thursday 13/2, 6pm*
- *NAPLAN: Wednesday 12/3 to Friday 14/3*
- *Year 9 Camp: Tuesday 18/3 to Friday 21/3*



Traffic Safety

Nossal High School is accessed via Sir Gustav Nossal Boulevard, a gazetted public road with a speed limit of **20kph**. To ensure the safety of the Nossal Community and other groups within the precinct, please ensure that all traffic signage and speed limits are always obeyed. Failure to comply with road rules may result in penalties under the the Road Safety Act.



A **Shared Zone** is identified through signage and a raised paved area. There are 3 shared zones along Sir Gustav Nossal Boulevard with a speed limit of **10kph**. Please be aware that pedestrians have right of way.



Please remember when approaching the roundabout to reduce speed. You must give way to any vehicle already in the roundabout.



NOSSAL PARENTS & FRIENDS ASSOCIATION (NPFA)

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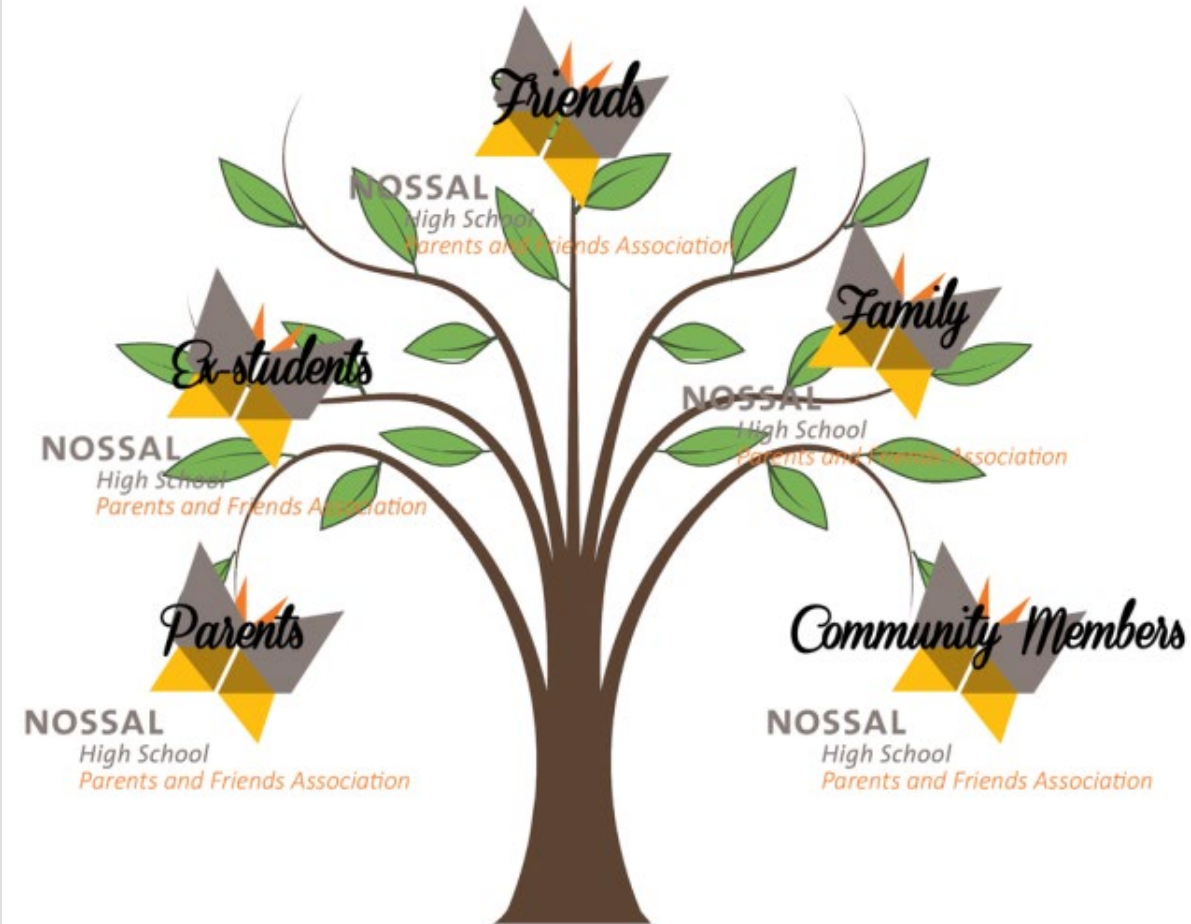
Demystifying PFA

The Parent and Friends Association at NHS was formed in 2013.

Our Goals;

- Promote **connection, friendship and support** within the Nossal Community through a broad range of **social activities**.
- Encourage **inclusive** opportunities for the participation of all NHS families in the life of the school.
(PFA monthly meetings also enable parents, an opportunity to receive meaningful insights and to practically engage in the education of their children.)
- Help raise funds to support **school programs** that will directly benefit and support NHS students and their exceptional teachers
 - Second-hand books & uniforms
 - Fundraising activities and social events.
- Liaise with the **school council and the Leadership Team**.
 - Organize special talk topics!
 - Have input into key conversation via our PFA meetings and provide feedback on important decisions in the life of your student's new school.

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Major PFA Events

TERM 1

- Valentine's Day

TERM 2

- Mother's Day
- Talks on topics of interest for NHS families, T2

TERM 3

- Father's Day Celebration
- Bunnings BBQ (Fundraising Event)

TERM 4

- Mango Fundraiser
- Secondhand Uniform and Book Sale
- Year End PFA Celebrations

How to get Involved

When : 1st Wednesday of the month from 7.00pm to 9.00pm

Where : Jean Russell Centre, Nossal High School.

2024 Committee Members:

- President – [Shankar Ramadas](#)
- Vice President – [Punita Udeshi](#)
- Communications Officer – [Sarath Purushothaman](#)
- Secretary – [Fu Lam](#)
- Treasurer – [Pavitra Atre](#)
- Second hand uniform shop – [Jodie Cole](#) / [Manikandan Gopalakrishnan](#)
- 100+ strong Members!!!

Registrations open during our first meeting on the 5th February 2025



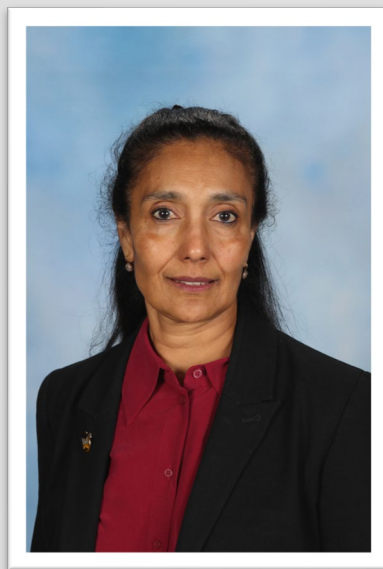
Just so that you know

- Secondhand Books and Uniform sale – Saturday Nov 30th @ 9 AM
- PFA Secondhand Uniform Shop is open on Orientation Day – Wednesday Dec 11th
- Mango Fundraiser is still ON: <https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing/1280349>



Mango Fundraiser QR Code

Final Words: Assistant Principals



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