Narromine High School Works Notification | 28 March 2024

Dear staff and parents/carers,

The NSW Department of Education undertook an electrical switchboard upgrade at Narromine High School on the weekend of Saturday 16 March to Sunday 17 March 2024.

Switchboards in the ag plot machine workshop, the pump shed and the verandah of The Hub contain bonded asbestos, as per school's asbestos register. This means it is attached to other materials such as cement or vinyl and cannot be crumbled by light pressure. All asbestos was contained within locked cabinets and were undisturbed prior to the works occurring.

During the upgrade work, the areas containing the switchboards were cordoned off and air monitoring was installed. All work took place outside of school hours. An independent hygienist issued the school with a clearance certificate before the areas were reopened.

All work was done in accordance with work, health and safety laws and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan. All work was completed by licensed and accredited asbestos contractors and monitored by independent hygienists in strict accordance with all applicable legislation, regulations, policies and guidelines.

The health, safety, and wellbeing of the school and the local community is our highest priority. Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

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