

Newsletter Term 3 Edition 1 Thursday 21st July



Welcome back to Term 3. It has been wonderful returning to school after the holidays to see our students and families enjoying the wonderful winter weather we have been experiencing. We are so fortunate to have such fantastic outdoor facilities to utilise.

Thank you to everyone who was able to attend our Student Led Conferences. Our students have proudly shown their learning and discussed their goals with parents/carers and teachers and are now ready to embark on another term full of learning.

As usual term 3 is action packed with many learning experiences and opportunities. On the horizon we have; meal deals, monthly markets, Equine Therapy, Real School parent session, Whole school Athletics, Angling camp, Father's Day, I Sea I Care, PJ Day Melbourne Star cricket visit and literacy week.



Disabled parking Reminder

We would like to remind everyone that we have two parking spaces at our school designated for disabled parking. These are clearly marked with both a painted symbol and sign.

A disabled parking space can only be used by someone who has been issued with a blue / white disabled parking permit displayed prominently in the vehicle.

Parking in these spaces without a permit is illegal and can lead to an on the spot fine. We appreciate that parking spots are limited but need to ask that you be considerate of our parents and visitors with disabilities that limit their access in to our school.

School Photos

School photos have been received and distributed \blacklozenge to families who have purchased.

It is never too late to order through our website. The Online Ordering Code for Hastings Primary

School is X3140PER48H

On the school photographers home page -<u>www.theschoolphotographer.com.au</u> in the "I'm a Parent' section click on "Order Photos".

The next page is our Secure Online Ordering Portal where you will need to enter the ordering code for your school & press next.

On the next page fill in your child's details and choose which pack you would like to order & then press the "next" button. Continue to follow the prompts to finalise your order.

After you pay online, you will receive an online receipt number you can keep for your own records.

All orders will be sent to the school for your child to bring home.

New Banking Details

Hastings Primary School has recently changed banks to Commonwealth Bank. New Bank Details: BSB: 063 093 ACC: 10000554

Equine Therapy

We are excited to have Equine Therapy running again this term for selected students.

Racing Hearts will be providing the program and students will attend on Friday afternoons. The program is designed around the Victorian Curriculum and the Personal and Social Capabilities framework and includes themes of:

- What are our like challenges and how do we deal with them?
- Awareness
- Boundaries

- Feelings
- Thoughts and thinking
- Relationships

Foundation 2023 Transition Sessions

We understand the importance of a smooth transition into primary school we are excited to be commencing our transition to school program next month.

If you still have a student or know of anyone who will be joining us next year please ensure they are enrolled so they can attend the sessions.

Transition Session Days and Times

Wednesday August 10th 2:15-3:00pm Wednesday September 14th 2:15-3:00pm Wednesday October 12th 2:15-3:00pm Wednesday November 16th 2:15-3:00pm

State Wide Transition Day

Tuesday 13th December 9:00am-10:30am

Face Masks Update

The Department of Education and Training has sent out the following updated advice regarding the wearing of face masks when indoors by students, staff and visitors:



The Victorian Department of Health strongly recommends that face masks are worn in indoor settings. As a result, we are asking all students aged 8 and over and all staff in all schools across Victoria to wear masks when in class (except where removing a mask is necessary for clear communication) from now to the end of winter. Students won't be required or expected to wear masks when outdoors, and this expectation won't stop student participation in the full range of school activities, including music, sport and performances.

We are asking for your support in explaining to your child or children the importance of this simple step that will help keep our school as safe as possible. We also ask that you make sure your child (or children) takes a mask to school (and wears it if they are travelling on public transport) or collects a mask when they arrive at school. We all appreciate how important it is for students Regards, Simone McDonald Principal to be back at school. This action will help make

sure as many students and staff as possible are protected from COVID and other winter illness. Thank for your help with this collective effort to keep our communities safe and healthy.

Tu Toa, Kia Kaha – Stand Strong, Have Strength



Jaxon Eldridge 12B End of Semester One Awards

English Award

Congratulations to the following students for the effort and commitment they have demonstrated in English this semester!

- Sarah Cacek PA
- **Zoey Hermanek P1B**
- Heidi Moore 12A
- Archie Hine 12B
- William Wright 34A
- **Isabelle Damman 34B**
- Abigail Mogford Jellett 34C
- Levi Burns 56A
- Sara Northern 56B
- Scarlett Matthews 56C

Art Award

- **Colton Symonds P1B**
- Charlie Dang 12B
- Ivy Clifford 34B
- Summer Moore 56C

Sports Award

Lacey Sweetnham PA

- Alex Walmsley 34C
- Lilly Mulheron 56A

Maths Award

Congratulations to our recipients, they have demonstrated tremendous commitment and a positive approach to all maths challenges this semester.

- Andy Cao 56C
- Myniah Grooby 56B
- Lily Mulheron 56A
- Abby Mogford Jellett 34C
- Acacia Wyatt 34B
- Stephanie Breeze Masters 34A
- Craig Blackney 12B
- **Chase Waddington 12A**
- Peyton Fitzpatrick P1B
- **Polly Hand PA**

Auslan Award

- Landen Munro-Batson P1B
- Mia Jose 12A
- Rhythm Wyatt 34C
- Bella Barrett 56C

From the Assistant Principal

<u>F.O.H.P.S</u>

Our fantastic group of parents met on Monday in the staffroom to plan the events for Term 3. There are lots of fun activities on the horizon for our students!



To start, we have 3 meal deals coming up with term, starting with a hot dog meal deal next Thursday. All notes and money is due to the pelican box by Monday morning.

If you would like to be part of this team and can help with the meal deals or any other events, please pop into our next meeting in the staffroom at 2:30pm on Monday 25th July for a cuppa and a chat!

Monthly Market

The monthly market is back next Friday afternoon at 3:15 (29th July). It is held under the breezeway next to the office. Thanks to everyone came along and supported these 'markets' in term 2.

This term, amongst other things we will have second hand uniform at very cheap prices, canned plants, dream catchers hand made cards, our very own garden produce and party pies if you are hungry!

<u>S.R.C</u>

This week our Student Representative Council planned their next 'event' – pyjama day on Friday 5th August. All proceeds raised will go towards the pyjama foundation -

<u>https://thepyjamafoundation.com</u> which raises money for children living in care.

Your money will help fund educational resources and help provide stable, positive relationships.

Please see the poster on Facebook and further in the newsletter created by Ruby-Rose. All of the SRC designed posters for their area and they voted on hers to be the one published. Well done Ruby-Rose!

<u>Cancer Council – Daffodil Day in memory</u> <u>of Mrs Gillard</u>

On August 23rd we will be hosting a gold coin donation afternoon tea in memory of Julie Gillard for Daffodil Day. This will be a chance for the community to remember, share stories and celebrate Mrs Gillard. This will also become an annual community event to raise funds for cancer. More information to come in the next newsletter.

It is very cold outside, If you need any assistance with winter uniforms, please come and see me.

Have a great week.

Mrs Rebecca Legge Assistant Principal



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Student of The Week

Class	Week Ending	Friday 17th June	
PA	Josh Wilson	Wow Josh! This week you've made the most of your learning time in maths. You persisted with learning the days of the week and thought hard about the months in the year. The clock you created when telling the time to the hour was impressive. Keep it up!	
P1B	Kaydance Healey	The kind and caring Kaydence! This week you have continued to be an amazing friend to your classmates. You've also demonstrated outstanding persistence with your handwriting. Your focus on the formation of your letters has bought you great success.	
1/2A	Rosie Lemon	You have made some great contributions to our class discussions this week Rosie. We have appreciated your growing confidence in being able to put your hand up to answer and share in nearly all lessons. You have also been a great friend and support to class members during our playtimes. Keep brining the effort Rosie.	
1/2B	Alice Clifford	You have shown such persistence to improve your reading and writing this week. Also your LEAP results have been fantastic. Keep up the wonderful "CON DO" attitude. GO GIRL!	
3/4A	Alexander Ralston	Congratulations Alex, your hard work and great attitude to learning has not gone unnoticed this week. I have been impressed by your consistent approach across all of our lessons, but especially in our reading lessons where you have quietly and quickly completed class or group activities. Alex, you are showing the amazing independent learner you can be- keep it up!!	
3/4B	Liam Crawley	Congratulations Liam! Your information report on the Silverback Gorilla was excellent. We were all so well informed with what you told us and your pictures on your slides kept us smiling the whole way through. Thank you Liam once again for such an outstanding presentation.	
3/4C	Chase Peart	Chase, you have been impressing me no end with your application to improve your reading. Your fluency and word recognition is going ahead in leaps and bounds and you lead the way in reading group. Keep that great attitude going Chase and you'll be reading the roof off!	
5/6A	Amelia Jackson	Amelia you participate in all school activities with enthusiasm and strive to achieve each task to the best of your ability. You have displayed excellent student leadership in and out of the classroom. Fantastic effort, keep up the great work!	
5/6B	Max Hansen	Max you have been a jack of all trades this week. We have seen great work in writing, awesome citizenship with how you treat others and a scintillating effort on during our school sports. Way to go Max!	
5/6C	Allison White	Allison your participation in our netball team this week highlighted your teamwork, flexibility and resilience. Your willingness to learn and give things a go shone through! Well done!	
		Auslan Signer of the Week	
	Lachlan Matherson	What an amazing efford this week Lachlan! You were on fire with your fingerspelling and using signs correctly in conversions this week. Well done Lachlan, keep up the amazing work!	
		Art Award	
	Amelia Jackson	Amelia, you have been an amazing and inspiring artist this year! Keep on drawing and practicing your skills. Well done on a fantastic effort!	

Student of The Week

Class	Week Ending	Friday 15th July	
PA	Kaiden James	King Kaiden! You have ruled our maths lessons this week. When exploring ordinal number you demonstrated first class learning, successfully ordering different objects from 1 st to 10 th . Keep it up!	
P1B	Blake Sedgman	Wow Blake! You have come back to school in Term 3 with enthusiasm and a willingness to continue to improve. In our writing component you are taking great care with your letter formation and finger spacing. It has been wonderful to see the smile on your face when you produce work that you are proud of. Well done Blake!	
1/2A	Agatha Ruderman	Welcome to Hastings Primary School and 1/2A Agatha. You have been a great addition to our class and our school. We have appreciated how you have joined in with all our activities, started making friends, and sharing your experiences. Keep up the amazing efforts Agatha.	
1/2B	Eli Tauhore	Well done Eli for a fantastic start to Term 3! You always arrive to school with a big smile. You have worked hard in all learning areas and shown great pride in your hand writing. Keep it up superstar!	
3/4A	Willow Alexander	Congratulations Willow! You have hit the ground running in term three. I have been impressed by your attitude to learning this week and enjoyed your acrostic poem, which you put great effort into. Not only does it read well, it looks beautiful displayed on our classroom wall. Keep up the great work Willow!	
3/4B	Acacia Wyatt	Congratulations Acacia! This week you have shown great resilience in Math's, learning your nine times tables. Keep staying positive and happy during our Math's lessons Acacia, you are capable of accomplishing so much Acacia. Well done.	
3/4C	Lumen Carroll	Great start to the new term Lumen. You have returned to school keen to get on with your learning and applying yourself with all your tasks. By keeping this up you are providing yourself with a great platform for improvement for the rest of the year.	
5/6A	Hugh Thomas	Welcome to Hastings Primary School Hugh. It is great to see you making new friends and continuing to improve in your learning.	
5/6B	Jackson Denham	Jackson, your enthusiasm to discuss your learning is to be applauded. Your additions to our maths strategies discussions have multiplied over time and have certainly not subtracted from being a positive part of the lesson. Way to go Jackson!	
5/6C	Henry Staave- Fischer	Henry your participation in our learning sessions this week has highlighted your determination and resilience. Your positive mind-set means you are always willing to share your ideas and give things a go! Well done!	
		Auslan Signer of the Week	
	Kooper Harnden	Congratulations Kooper on your fantastic questions in Auslan this week! You demonstrated your sign knowledge and had fun working collaboratively with your peers. Keep up the great work Kooper!	
		Principals Award	
	Jayden Morrison	For demonstrating our school values of caring! It was wonderful to see you taking the tie to introduce your new sibling, "baby" Hunter and to demonstrate your "big-sibling" love. Keep being awesome!	





Important Dates Term 3 2022

Friday 29th July	Monthly Market 3:15pm
Friday 5th August	National Pyjama Day– Gold coin donation
Friday 23rd August	Daffodil Day– in memory of Julie Gillard
Wednesday 24th August – Friday 26th August	Year 5/6 City Camp
Friday 26th August	Monthly Market 3:15pm
Monday 29th August– Friday 2nd September	Literacy Week
Friday 2nd September	Book Parade
Thursday 15th September	Summer Lightening Premierships
Friday 16th September	Last Day of Term 2:30 Departure

HADDY BIRTHDAY



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WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING

Up to 30 children each day came to the Winter School Holiday Program. They enjoyed activities such as rock climbing, Maori dancing, African Drum beating, the movies, close encounters with Australian animals, and lots of inside and outside play together. The beauty of this time is that the children develop friendships and encounter opportunities they may not normally have a chance to be involved in.

The same thing at Before and After School Care (B & A). We are well resourced to provide many games and activities that support your child to grow and have fun. Just ask a parent of a child that comes. They usually beg to come for longer or more days.

So far this term we have played catch with balls and hoola hoops, Ten pin Bowling (with our own home made bowls), indigenous games, and many group games like Red Light, Green Light and Uno.

IMPORTANT DATES

- Friday is Pyjama Day so we are snuggling in with warm food and getting cosy with pillows and blankets and playing lots of home games with bedtime stories.
 DONT FORGET: Bring your most fun PJs.
 - Thursday is National LAMINGTON Day named in honour of Lord Lamington (not his real name) who dropped the cake...or did he? Expect to get messy with chocolate and coconut!







THURSDAY 21st -National Lamington Day

FRIDAY National Pyjama Day



10-20 Hodgins Road Hastings Vic 3915

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REAL SCHOOLS PARENT INFORMATION SESSION

real schools

School - Hastings Primary School Date & Time - Tuesday 2nd August 4.30 pm

- How do Schools and Parents get on the same page about the important stuff?
- How do we build a partnership around building fantastic young people for today and tomorrow?
 How can our Teachers AND our Parents use the same strategies to manage behaviour, encourage
- responsibility and improve the chances of success?

They seem like outrageously big questions, don't they? And they are ... but they do have answers. Unfortunately, too often Parents and Schools are not on the same page when it comes to answering them. Your school wants to do something about that and has commenced a partnership with Real Schools to make it happen. **But the school can't do it alone. We need you to know everything involved and to have your say.** That's why we need you at this critical event in the history of your school and the future of your children.

During the session, we will:

- Tell you all about the Restorative Practices Partnership that the school is embarking on.
- · Ask for your input.
- Provide you with strategies to use immediately in your Parenting ... and they're the same strategies your Teachers are now using.
- . Learn how to respond, rather than react, to your child's behaviour.
- · Share the best ways to build a meaningful Partnership with your school.

Child-minding will be available. Bookings must be made by Friday the 29th of July - Please call Mrs Legge on 59791517



Your Facilitator Sheila Bollard approaches her job as a vocation and for the past 11 years has led schools as a Principal in 3 diverse settings. This diversity has enabled Sheila to define her agility and depth of expertise when experiencing tactical situations. She finds great joy in sharing her deep knowledge and understanding with others. Her insights are based on chalk face experience and the complexities of modern school life. Her work has been recognised through a Primary Principals' Association leadership fellowship, which included an overseas study tour, and the Sydney South Network award for cultural and pedagogical change.



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