

Hamilton North Public School

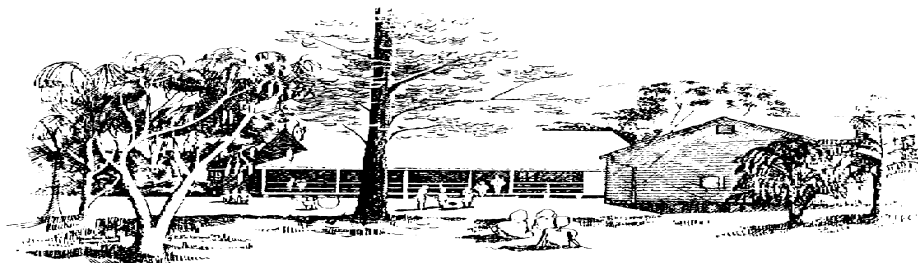
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Chalkboard - Term 4 Week 7 Wednesday 20th November 2013



Friday Assembly – Assembly will commence at 2.00pm – **IDOL FINALS**

Grace White – Neale (Singing and dancing)

Kiana Anderson – Singing

Snatcha and Snitzel (Ash and Mitch) – Comedy Act

Year 2 Girls Group Comedy Act

Angus Nolan – Singing

Alex Cochrane – Singing

Charlie Lewis – Piano

Tommy and Jack Chaplin – Comedy

Idol Children Finale – Singing.

Library News

Borrowing of books from the school library has finished for the year. All books with a Hamilton North School barcode must be returned to school to enable us to complete an audited stocktake for the year.

If you are unable to find a book, please see the library regarding replacement cost. Overdue notices will be sent out next week.

Year 6 Fundraising

The sale of Super Doopers had to be postponed last Friday, however, they will be on sale this Friday after assembly. Super Doopers will be 50c each.

Office News

Due to the end of year school financial rollover on Monday, 2nd December:

- ♦ Student payments will be collected and receipted until 9.00am on Wednesday, 27th November.
- ♦ After 9.00am on Wednesday 27th November, student payments will be collected but not receipted until after rollover on Monday, 2nd December.
- ♦ The office will be closed on Monday morning, 2nd December from 8.30am – 10.30am.

Volunteers Thank You Morning Tea

It's no secret that our school is amazing and one very important reason why we are so amazing is because of the wonderful support we get from our families and friends.

The staff would like to thank all our wonderful volunteers by hosting a thankyou morning tea on Wednesday, 4th December. Keep an eye out for your invitation, and the RSVP date. We are looking forward to spoiling all of you.



P & C OUT OF UNIFORM DAY

We are holding a student out of uniform day on Friday, 6th December. The P & C would appreciate each student bringing in on the day a donation towards our Christmas Hamper raffle. Donated items could be non perishable food, Christmas decorations, gifts, etc. Baskets to pack hamper items into would also be appreciated.

Students are to bring in their hamper donation on the out of uniform day. Collection boxes will be available in children's classrooms on the day.

Tickets will be on sale on the night (6th December, (Carols by Candlelight) and the raffle will also be drawn on this night.



Carols by Torchlight – Friday 6th December

A family occasion that you don't want to miss. Each class will be performing a special Christmas themed song. Families can sing along to carols that all students have been practising and a great way to buy and enjoy a spit roast dinner organised by our hard working P&C.



Mark it on your calendars!!

Friday Banking

Our last banking day for this year will be Friday, 13th December. Thank you all for your support throughout the year. Don't forget to cash in your silver dollars. I need them by next Friday so I can order your prizes. Thanks, Terrie

CLASS REMINDERS

CLASS KB

KB has a case of headlice. Please be vigilant in checking your child's hair and treat appropriately, if headlice detected.

Year 1 / 2

Assembly Performance

Friday 6th December

DON'T MISS OUT on seeing our last assembly performance for the year.

Year 1/2 Homework

For the remainder of the year, homework activities will be utilised through our Class Blog and Mathematics. Reading is also encouraged as we lead up to the end of the year, so if you have not updated your child's Reading Log, this is the time to do so. Reading has been a big focus in the class, where students should be reading nightly. I know that many students of 1/2 have been practising but their logs have not been filled out.

As we like to say:

Practise Practise Practise Makes Perfect

2013 BUDDIES

Production is underway!!!!

Thank you to our family and local businesses for advertising in our school yearbook.

Buddies should arrive within 3-4 weeks.

Mrs Brock



Swim School 2013

At Arnolds Swim Centre, The Junction

Swim school starts this Monday , 25th November and continues every day until Friday 6th December.

We will leave school at 11.45 and return by 1.35pm

Please remember to bring:

swimmers, towel
goggles and swim cap (optional).

All gear must be in a separate bag, not in school bag. Please remember plastic bags all look the same and children get them mixed up and they also rip easily. A strong bag is recommended.

Names on every piece of clothing including socks will help them to be returned to the right owner. Red shirts and blue shorts look the same so please remember to put names on them.



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**Hamilton North
OOSH – December
Vacation Care
Phone: 0448 739 789**

Hamilton North OOSH is currently arranging their operating hours for the Christmas break period. As you may or may not be aware there are two pupil free days at the end of this term (Thursday 19th and Friday 20th of December). Hamilton North OOSH will be operating these days. **We will be closed from Monday the 23rd of December and re-open on Monday 6th of January 2014.** We would greatly appreciate if you book your child/children in ASAP, as we know that it is viable for us to open.

Thurs 19th December
**'Let's get out of the
centre and head to the
MOVIES!'**

**...MOVIES
EXCURSION...**

Come along and enjoy a movie at Newcastle Greater Union, Movie 'Cloudy with a chance of Meatballs 2'. We will travel to the Movies by bus.

Cost: 15.00 per child

When we return to the centre, we will be doing lots of Christmas craft and activities.

Fri 20th December
**'It's Beginning to Look a lot
Like Christmas'!!**

**Off to the Pool & Christmas
Craft.**

Children will travel by Bus and spend the day at Stockton Pool. We are leaving for the pool at 9:30 and returning to the centre at 2:30pm.

When we return to the centre we will be continuing on with our Christmas craft and activities.

**(Please note- we need
numbers for pool day for
staff ratios so please book in
ASAP)**

Cost: \$10.00



CANTEEN ROSTER

25th November	26th November	27th November	29th November
Gillian Donn Tammy Wolfenden	Xanthe Roxburgh Terrie Newell	Marilyn Donn Robyn White	Shelley Brandon Frances Guest
2nd December	3rd December	4th December	6th December
Gill Squires Jenny Nicholas	Xanthe Roxburgh Rachel Welsh	Gina Mills Xanthe Roxburgh	Kim sweetnam Gillian Donn

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Mon – Fri (2 weeks)	25th November – 6th December	Swim School
Friday	29th November	P & C Mum's Night Out
Week 9	From 2/12/13	2014 Leaders speeches commence
Wednesday	4th December	Volunteer's Morning Tea 10.30am
Friday	6th December	Out of Uniform Day- P & C hamper donation
Friday	6th December	Carols by Candlelight 6.30pm
Wednesday	11th December	Presentation Day 9.45 am at Waratah High School Hall
Thursday	12th December	Year 6 Farewell Disco 6.30pm
Friday	13th December	Christmas Scripture Service
Monday	16th December	K-2 Pirate Day (at school)
Monday	16th December	Year 3 Glenrock Excursion
Tuesday	17th December	Pool Party
Wednesday	18th December	Last day for students for 2013