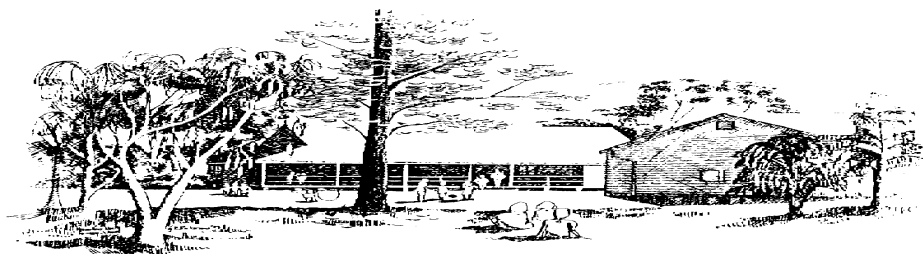




*Chalkboard – Term 2, Week 6, Wednesday, 1st June, 2016*



## Friday Assembly

Friday assembly this week will be held at 2.20pm.  
Class 5L will present an item.

## OFFICE NEWS

Due to the transition across to the new financial system,

**NO MONEY WILL BE RECEIPTED  
AFTER 9AM FRIDAY 3RD JUNE UNTIL  
MONDAY 20TH JUNE.**

**Thank you for your understanding.**

## Kindergarten Enrolment 2017

We are taking names of children now for enrolment in Kindergarten next year. If you have a child who will be starting school next year please call into our office to put your child's name on our list.

Key dates for Kindergarten Orientation are:

- Thursday 11th August - Parent/Carer Evening;
- Wednesday 2nd November - Orientation morning session for children and parents/carers;
- Classroom visits - dates to be confirmed.

Specific information about the enrolment process for in-zone and out-of-zone applications will be mailed out at the end of Term 2, once we have a clearer understanding of how many kindergarten children we can offer places for in 2017.

## SCHOOL PHOTOS

School photos are being held next Monday, 6th June. All students K-6 should wear their new T-shirt with navy shorts, totally black shoes (no other

colours please including trim and laces) and plain white socks.

Please see information further along in the Chalkboard from the photographers.

## LIBRARY NEWS

**A number of children are forgetting to return library books and also forgetting to bring their library bag.**

Please remind your child that WEDNESDAY is their library day.

The PRC book read to KB last week was "The Very Noisy Bear" by Nick Bland.  
ID number is 6291.

## FRIDAY SPORT – WALKING

On Friday, 17th June, walkers will be travelling by car to Nobby's Beach. We hope to explore the rock pools.

Everyone will need to bring a complete change of clothes including shoes and socks as I am sure we will all get wet. Please also bring a plastic bag for wet things.

If you want to collect any "treasures" please bring another bag for them.

We will eat our lunch on the beach, then walk around to explore. If you are able to help please let Mrs Evans know.

## SPORTS CARNIVAL – 22nd June

Very soon all students will begin practicing their athletics skill in preparation for our upcoming sports carnival at Smith Park. This is a great day and all parents and carers are invited to come along and enjoy the day with your child.

## **Premier's Sporting Challenge What is the NSW Premier's Primary School Sport Challenge?**

The NSW Premier's Primary School Sport Challenge aims to engage young people in sport and physical activity and encourages them to lead healthy, active lifestyles.

The Premier's Primary School Sport Challenge involves primary school classes participating in a 10 week sport and physical activity challenge. We are starting next week, week 7, and will track activity through to week 6 next term. A class may accumulate time spent in a broad range of sports and recreational pursuits during lunchtime, in school sport programs and class time. The class approach provides an opportunity for students to work together to achieve common goals and promotes values education within schools.

Students are challenged to increase their time engaged in moderate to vigorous physical activity to achieve Premier's Primary School Sport Challenge Awards for their class. The Awards recognise the amount of time spent by classes and schools in physical activity over the 10 weeks of the Challenge.

What do you need to do at home? **Keep Active.** The Sport's House Captains will be our PSC Student leaders and will collect information from each class during the challenge. Each class will have a tracking chart to record daily physical activity and our PSC Leaders will login and record each classes active minutes for each week.

## **SCHOLASTIC BOOKCLUB**

Issue 4 of Bookclub has been handed to the students today.

If you are interested in ordering any of the great books in the catalogue please have your orders in by next Friday, 10th June.

Don't forget that all orders are online via the LOOP method which is explained fully in the brochure and is easy to use.

The school receives 20% in bonus points of the total book orders and these bonus points are used to buy books for the library, supply a gift book for those who complete the Premiers Reading Challenge and also provide presentation books for the end of year Presentation.

## **P & C NEWS**

The P & C continues to support school events and to organise our own.

This week we're supporting the Year 6 State of Origin event (or as Edie advised me "we have to go to school one night for steak and oranges") - so please support their fundraising efforts on Wednesday night and get your raffle tickets for the chance to win some great merchandise.

We will also work with the Year leaders in term 3 to plan this year's toy drive after its popularity and wonderful results in 2015.

The sports/athletics carnival will be on Wednesday, 22nd June and the P & C is busy organising itself to make another fun and exciting day for the kids. More news to come on this as we get closer to the date.

The P & C will also run a sausage sizzle and cake stall at the school on Saturday 2nd July as we'll be hosting election booths in the school hall. So bring as many family and friends down to HNPS to vote and reward yourself with some snacks—and support your P & C which supports your school.

Finally we're canvassing P & C members for whether they're available for the next scheduled P & C meeting, on the Monday night of the next long weekend. We'll advertise if there's a change of date ASAP.

If there's anything you can do to help support the P & C—especially at any of these events, please let us know.

Have a great week and keep warm!

Rich Ley  
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HNPS P & C Assoc  
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# say cheese

School Photo Day is  
6 June 2016

*Have your child's school memories captured forever*

Please take time to read the relevant information on the MSP Photography payment envelopes and remember these helpful points:



Don't seal envelopes inside each other. You can pay for all children in one envelope however each child needs to have their own envelope on photoday

Family envelopes are available at the school office upon *request*

Please enclose correct money as no change is given. Cash and money orders only (sorry no credit card accepted)

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# NOMINATE A GREAT TEACHER TODAY.

Do you know a teacher you'd like to thank? A Day Made Better gives you the opportunity to thank a primary or secondary school teacher who is making a difference. If chosen as one of 10 winners, they'll receive \$5,000 worth of supplies and an Apple iPad for their classroom. Help us recognise these inspiring people by nominating them today.

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## Entertainment Books

Last year's entertainment books expire today, so purchase the new 2016/2017 book or digital membership now to continue using thousands of offers. A sample book is in the office or jump online [https://issuu.com/epaau/docs/newcastle\\_2016-2017?e=16038615/33205729](https://issuu.com/epaau/docs/newcastle_2016-2017?e=16038615/33205729) to see all the great offers available.

The books and digital memberships sell for \$60 with \$12 from every book sold contributing to P&C fundraising. They can be ordered online at <https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/3426j1> or you can pay by cash – just put the money in an envelope and place it in the P&C Dropbox (next to the canteen). If you have any questions, please call Gillian Donn on 0431 223381.

## **Good for Kids** good for life

### HEALTHY LUNCHBOX INSPIRATION

When packing lunch boxes it's easy to fall into a routine. It can be difficult to think of new, interesting and healthy options to include. Why not try some of the following healthy ideas in your child's lunchbox?

- Pita pockets with tuna/corn/mayo mix
- Sushi rolls
- Rice cakes with low fat cheese and tomato
- Savoury muffins packed with vegetables
- Vegetable fried rice
- Mini pizzas from dinner leftovers
- Triple decker sandwich fingers
- Cheesy tomato vegetable pasta



For more healthy lunchbox ideas visit the 'Packing Healthy Lunchboxes' section of the Good for Kids website:

[www.goodforkids.nsw.gov.au](http://www.goodforkids.nsw.gov.au)



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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Monday	6th June	Whole School Photos
Friday	10th June	AFL Gala Day
Monday	13th June	Queens Birthday Public Holiday
Monday	13th June	P & C Meeting 6.00pm Hamilton North Bowling Club
Tuesday	14th June	ICAS— Writing Exam
Wednesday	15th June	ICAS— Spelling Exam
Tue/Wed/Thur/Friday/ Saturday	14/15/16/17th/18th June	Starstruck
Wednesday	22nd June	Athletics Carnival
Saturday	25th June	Pivotal Cup – Yr 3-6 Basketball Team
Tuesday	28th June	Semester Celebration
Friday	1st July	Public Speaking Finals
Saturday	2nd July	Election Day sausage sizzle/cake stall
Thursday	11th August	Kinder 2017 Parent/Carer Evening
Thursday	18th August	Yr5 & Yr6 Cluster Choir 1st rehearsal at Callaghan College
Thursday	8th September	Yr 5 & Yr 6 Cluster Choir dress rehearsal and evening performance at Callaghan College
Wednesday	2nd November	Kinder Orientation – Children and Parents/Carers
Tuesday	6th December	Presentation Night, 6pm – 7.15pm Callaghan College, Waratah

## CANTEEN ROSTER

Friday 3rd June	Monday 6th June	Wednesday 8th June	Friday 10th June
Tammy Wolfenden Jodie Cooper	Xanthe Roxburgh Jenny Nicolas	Danae Norrish Jenny Nicholas	Charlie Pfeiffer Bridgette Oakes