

Our School Values:

RESPECT, RESILIENCE, TEAMWORK & COLLABORATION and COMMUNITY



Grandparents & Special Friends Day



25TH MAY, 2023

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PRINCIPAL **MR JASON LEE**

Dear Parents,

PUPIL-FREE DAY

Tomorrow, Friday the 26th May is a pupil free day. Students will therefore not be required to attend school on this day.

HUNTLY PRIMARY SCHOOL UPGRADE

It is incredibly pleasing that Huntly Primary School (as a result of the growing Huntly community) has been acknowledged in the Victorian State Budget for 2023/24. Four schools across the state were identified as major growth areas, Huntly being one of those areas. As a result, Huntly Primary School will receive just over \$13 million to upgrade the school to cater for our increasing student enrolments. I look forward to providing you regular updates on the timeline and progress of this significant capital works project.

CLUSTER ATHLETICS

Forty nine students have been selected to attend the cluster school athletics carnival and represent Huntly Primary School this Monday 29th May. The event will be held at the Bendigo Athletics Track on Retreat Road, Flora Hill. Congratulations to the students who made selection and we hope they enjoy their day. Parents/Carers are welcome to attend to watch and support their child/children.

MID-YEAR REPORTS & 3 WAY CONFERENCES

At this time of year staff will dedicate many hours to student reports in the lead up to the reports being available to families and the 3-Way Conference. Student reports can be assessed via Compass from Thursday 22nd June. A formal opportunity for parents to discuss the progress of their child/children will occur on Monday July 10th (first day of term 3).

Parents/carers will be able to book their meeting time from Friday 9th June. The booking portal will be open until Friday 23rd June.

If you are unable to book your meeting time for some reason or you are having difficulty booking online contact the school office for assistance.

Please Note: students only attend school on this day for their 3-way conference.

The Outside School Hours Care will run a full day program on this day subject to receiving enough bookings.

Further information regarding booking with OSHC will be published in newsletter closer to the date.

NATIONALLY CONSISTENT COLLECTION OF DATA ON SCHOOL STUDENTS WITH DISABILITY (NCCD)

Every year, all schools in Australia participate in the Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability (NCCD). The NCCD process requires schools to identify information already available in the school about supports provided to students with disability. These relate to legislative requirements under the Disability Discrimination Act 1992 and the Disability Standards for Education 2005, in line with the NCCD guidelines (2019).

Information provided about students to the Australian Government for the NCCD includes:

- *year of schooling*
- *category of disability: physical, cognitive, sensory or social/emotional*
- *level of adjustment provided: support provided within quality differentiated teaching practice, supplementary, substantial or extensive.*

This information assists schools to:

- *formally recognise the supports and adjustments provided to students with disability in schools*
- *consider how they can strengthen the support of students with disability in schools*
- *develop shared practices so that they can review their learning programs in order to improve educational outcomes for students with disability.*

The NCCD provides state and federal governments with the information they need to plan more broadly for the support of students with disability.

The NCCD will have no direct impact on your child and your child will not be involved in any testing process.

The school will provide data to the Australian Government in such a way that no individual student will be able to be identified – the privacy and confidentiality of all students is ensured. All information is protected by privacy laws that regulate the collection, storage and disclosure of personal information.

Further information about the NCCD can be found on the NCCD Portal (<https://www.nccd.edu.au>).

If you have any questions about the NCCD, please contact the school

Jason Lee, PRINCIPAL

DIARY DATES

Friday	26th	May	Curriculum Day - Students do not attend school on this day.
Monday	29th	May	Cluster Athletics - selected students from senior school.
Monday	29th	May	Nude Food Day (see newsletter article)
Tuesday	30th	May	Breakfast Program - 8.10am to 8.30am. All students welcome.
Wednesday	31st	May	Food Share Program - every Wednesday
Thursday	1st	June	Breakfast Program - 8.10am to 8.30am. All students welcome.
Thursday	1st	June	Cookie Dough Fundraiser orders close
Friday	2nd	June	School Lunch Order Day (orders close at 10am on Thursday 1st June)
Friday	2nd	June	Book Club Issue 4 orders close (see newsletter article)
Monday	5th	June	Dress Up Day - Junior School Council Fundraiser (see newsletter article)
Wednesday	7th	June	NSS Colouring Competition closes (see newsletter article)
Monday	12th	June	King's Birthday Public Holiday - school closed

NUDE FOOD DAY

JSC will be running a Nude Food Day on Monday 29th May.

Students are asked to bring a lunchbox containing no rubbish.

Each student with a Nude Food Lunchbox will receive 10 house points each! The house with the most points will receive a reward!

Our goal is to see less rubbish at our school and polluting our yard, so we hope to see nude food lunchboxes become a normal everyday thing.

There may even be a surprise Nude Food Day competition later in the term... ☺

Thank you, Mrs. Trahair & JSC.



COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

COOKIE DOUGH FUNDRAISER

Only ONE week to go to order through our cookie dough fundraiser with **orders close on Thursday 1st June.**

Ordering will be online and the portal is now open for orders. Please see information sheet further in today's newsletter.



FACEBOOK PAGE!!!!

Did you know we have our own facebook page. This is a great place to get reminders, find out if we need volunteers to help or be involved in discussions about upcoming fundraising events. If you have a facebook account, please take the time to add our page to your favourites and be connected to our parent/carer fundraising community.

[Huntly PS 306 Community Connections](#)

BOOK CLUB

Issue 4 of Book Club was sent home last week. All orders must be placed via LOOP on their website.

Please have all orders placed no later than 3:30pm on Friday 2nd June.

If you have any questions, please feel free to ask.



Regards
Morgan Trahair

JSC FUNDRAISER - DRESS UP DAY

The JSC would like to run a **Dress Up Day Fundraiser on Monday 5th June!** The JSC are still deciding what they would like to put the money towards, but we promise to notify you next week in the newsletter!

**The theme of the dress up day is:
'YOUR FAVOURITE COLOUR!'**

Students are asked to wear their favourite colour to school. Everyone who dresses up will receive 10 house points!

Instead of a gold coin

donation, we will be running a silver coin trail competition!

Students are asked to bring in

as much silver coin as they can to add to their house line!

The amount raised in each line will reflect how many points their house wins, eg. \$123 is raised for Eppalock would mean they win 123 house points. The house with the longest coin trail will win a bonus 100 house points!

Thank you, Mrs. Trahair & JSC



NATIONAL SIMULTANEOUS STORYTIME

NSS was a success on Wednesday 24th May. All students who were present participated in reading 'The Speedy Sloth' at 11am. (Add in in the part about the colouring competition from last week).

The Library Leaders and Mrs. Trahair will be holding a colouring competition in celebration of this event. Colouring sheets were handed out by the classroom teachers on Wednesday 24th. Sheets are to be completed at home. Anyone who wants to enter the competition must have it submitted in the office trays by the following Wednesday, 7th June. The Library Leaders and Mrs Trahair will then vote on a junior and senior winner who



will receive their own copy of the Speedy Sloth book. All entries will receive 10 house points for participating.

*Thank you,
Mrs. Trahair*

RESILIENCE, RIGHTS AND RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIPS (RRRR)

The Resilience, Rights and Respectful Relationships (RRRR) learning materials have been designed for teachers to develop students' social, emotional and positive relationship skills.

Efforts to promote social and emotional skills and positive gender norms in children and young people has been shown to improve health related outcomes and subjective wellbeing. It also reduces antisocial behaviours including engagement in gender related violence.

Students will participate in weekly sessions throughout the year, covering 8 topics.

This term our first focus will be around Emotional Literacy.

To understand ourselves and other people. Express and manage our own emotions, build empathy and respond appropriately to the emotions of others. Building vocabulary for emotions to increase emotional literacy and build self-awareness and empathy for others.

Each week a class will share an activity via the newsletter.

In RRRR this week, 5/6 Magee explored coping strategies through an online platform created by the Carlton Football club.

Students listened to different situations that football players are faced with where they may experience feeling; worried, nervous and sometimes even scared.

We then created a Coping Strategies poster for students to take home which explored different types of coping (energizing, calming, shifting attention and getting organised) and then different strategies that are specific to each student to help them.

WEEKLY STUDENT AWARDS

*These awards reflect our school values of: **Respect, Resilience, Community and Collaboration.***

Congratulations to the following students, Mr Lee will present them with their Student Recognition Award at assembly, 9.05pm on Friday 2nd June, 2023.

F/1A - **Evie O'D:** *for showing care and empathy towards her friends.*

F/1M - **Katie A:** *for her willingness to always try new tasks.*

F/1C - **Alice H:** *for always using her manners and being respectful to others.*

F/1Mac - **Emmett H:** *for the resilient attitude he has brought into the class every day this week.*

2H - **Kahlee E:** *for showing confidence when choosing a strategy to solve multiplication problems*

2T - **Aveah M:** *for an excellent start at Huntly Primary School and for engaging positively within the classroom.*

3/4 GT - **Ollie W:** *for the focus and thoughtful comments he contributes during class discussions.*

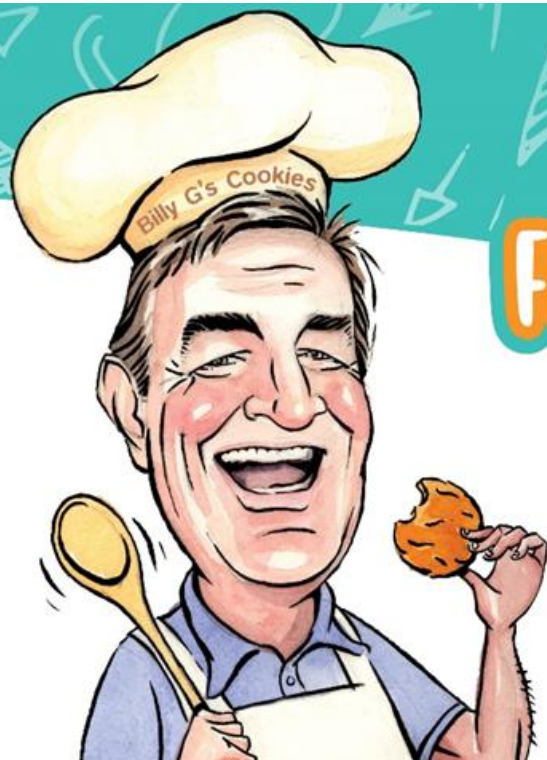
3/4 D - **Zander O:** *for trying his best in all learning areas*

3/4 L - **Gianni D:** *for his enthusiasm and application to his writing.*

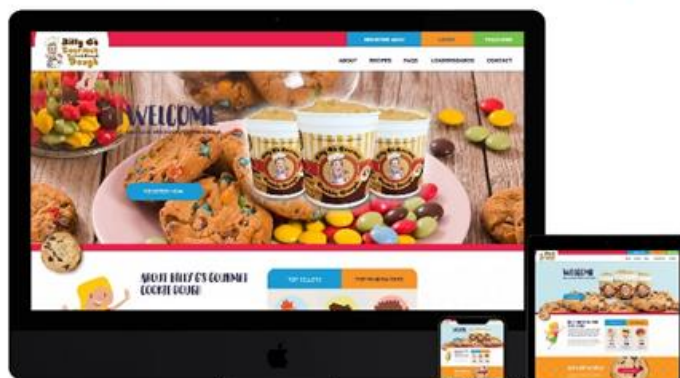
5/6 BP - **Hunter C:** *for approaching his learning with a positive attitude*

5/6 L - **Evan T:** *for his outstanding and creative work in creating his Music Project and his confidence when presenting the project.*

5/6 M - **Lochlan P:** *for taking feedback onboard to improve his Biography report.*



START FUNDRAISING TODAY



Dear Parent/Guardians,

Thank you so much for continuously supporting our **HUNTLY PS COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS**, especially through fundraising. We are excited to announce we are holding a **Billy G's Gourmet Cookie Dough** drive as a major fundraiser this term.

Billy G's Gourmet Cookie Dough is an exciting fundraiser, made by an Australian, family owned and operated business. There are ten (10) dough-licious flavours to choose from, including the most popular **Choc Chunk** and **Caramel White Choc**. You can also create your own cookie magic with the Golden Classic flavour – the base of the Billy G's secret family recipe. Billy G's Gourmet Cookie Dough is exclusive to fundraising, so stock up!

How Do We Fundraise?

Families/Students will need to create their own Fundraising Page (as detailed below). No paper order forms will be sent home only online ordering is available. Follow the instruction below and if you have any questions please contact Kate Ruedin at school or leave message at the school office.

Start Date: 01/05/2023

Final Orders Due: 01/06/2023

Estimated Delivery Date: 15/06/2023

How do we create a Fundraising Page? Creating a fundraising page is easy!

Visit www.australianfundraising.com.au and click the "Cookie Dough Login" button on the home page.

Then click the register button to fundraise on the cybersafe, Billy G's Cookie Dough platform.

Choose your goals and create a unique avatar!

Place your order using the "Order Now" button and share your fundraising page with your family and friends via the "Share" section so they can start buying some yummy cookie dough. Easy!

How do prizes work? Every student who sells a tub will receive an incentive prize for their efforts! But why not aim higher? The more tubs you sell the more prizes you will receive! There are 12 prizes available, so set your own fundraising goal and aim for them all! Prizes are automatically ordered at the end of our fundraiser based on the number of tubs you have sold.

You can win BIG! Our highest tub seller will go into a draw to win a \$10,000 JB Hi-Fi Shopping Spree OR Play Station 5 Gaming Bundle. Plus, every student that achieves all online virtual badges will win a Billy G's Cookie Scented Plush Toy.

Want to aim even higher? Australia's highest tub seller will scoot away with a Razor Prize Pack valued at \$3,000. How exciting!

Thank you in advance for your participation. Happy fundraising!

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS - HUNTLY PRIMARY SCHOOL





AWESOME AUTUMN SPORTS!

LEARN NEW SPORTS SKILL **IN TERM 2**



BOOK ONLINE NOW AT

 **KELLYSPORTS.COM.AU**

Programmes run weekly on one day a week for one hour.

This term we will focus on the following sports:

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| ✓ Soccer | ✓ AFL | ✓ Basketball | ✓ Golf |
| ✓ Rugby | ✓ Tennis | ✓ Netball | ✓ Athletics |

This weekly programme gives children skills and confidence in a fun and enjoyable environment. It also encourages their enthusiasm for sport and the life skills that such involvement brings – giving them confidence to join sports clubs and teams in the future.

For Prep – Year 6 students.

4 WEEKS REMAINING - \$64!

Sign up anytime, and only pay for the weeks remaining in the term

School: Huntly Primary School

Day: Monday's

Start Date: 29th May

End Date: 19th June

Time: 3:30pm - 4:30pm



LOOKING FOR MORE KELLY SPORTS ACTION?

All upcoming holiday program details are now available online, with booking discounts available until June 11.

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