

## Our School Values:

**RESPECT, RESILIENCE, TEAMWORK & COLLABORATION and COMMUNITY**



Dear Parents,

### **HUNTLY PRIMARY SCHOOL UPGRADE**

As communicated last week our school has been allocated \$13.18 million in the 2023/24 State budget. The funding will be used to expand the school and create space for 100 more local students.

We will work closely with the School Council and the Victorian School Building Authority (VSBA) to deliver an outcome that will benefit the entire community.

To prepare for the upgrade, we will complete an Asset Management Plan (two phases) over the next 11 weeks. The AMP is a long-term document that helps to plan for a school's future. The plan identifies, organises and prioritises the building works required at a school – ensuring students have access to educational facilities that prepare them to thrive in the 21st century. We will be sharing updates on this and will be running some sessions to gather input from our staff. We will also involve our students to listen to their unique and important perspective.

The parent survey completed for the school review (a few weeks ago) will also provide valuable information that can be used as part of the Asset Management Planning -phase 1. Phase 1 focuses on education direction and delivery.

I will also keep you informed through regular newsletter updates as the project progresses.

### **SCHOOL REVIEW**

Next Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> June the school will be involved in the first official day of the school review. It is known as Validation Day. During the day the review panel will hear about the successes and highlights over the period of the current Strategic Plan; undertake classroom observations; run student focus groups; review our performance against the goals and targets in the current Strategic Plan and finally develop focus questions and an agenda for the following review days, known as Fieldwork Days. These days will occur the following week. There will be an opportunity for parents to be part of a focus group during the Fieldwork Days. I will communicate the day and time through Compass early next week. Your input, if you are available on the day, will be greatly appreciated.

### **SICKNESS & COVID**

With the arrival of colder weather, cases of influenza (the flu) are increasing throughout Victoria. We are at risk of higher rates of students and staff affected by the flu or COVID-19 this season. To help keep your child and our school community safe, please take the following steps if your child has any cold or flu-like symptoms:

- take a COVID-19 test and follow the current Department of Health requirements if a positive result is shown
- common flu-like symptoms include a high fever, cough, runny nose, loss of appetite, body aches and feeling extremely weak and tired, please keep your child at home until their symptoms pass.
- encourage your child to wash their hands regularly and ask them to cover their nose and mouth when sneezing and coughing.

### **MID-YEAR REPORTS & 3 WAY CONFERENCES (REPEAT)**

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, please see newsletter article.

*Jason Lee, PRINCIPAL*

**2ND JUNE, 2023**

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## DIARY DATES

Monday	5th	June	<b>Dress Up Day</b> - Junior School Council Fundraiser ( <i>see newsletter article</i> )
Tuesday	6th	June	<b>Breakfast Program</b> - 8.10am to 8.30am. All students welcome.
Wednesday	7th	June	<b>Food Share Program</b> - every Wednesday
Wednesday	7th	June	<b>NSS Colouring Competition closes</b> ( <i>see newsletter article</i> )
Wednesday	7th	June	<b>REACH Incursion</b> - Grade 5/6 Students.
Thursday	8th	June	<b>Breakfast Program</b> - 8.10am to 8.30am. All students welcome.
Friday	9th	June	<b>School Lunch Order Day</b> - ( <i>orders close 10am Thursday 8th June</i> )
Friday	9th	June	<b>3 Way Conferences Bookings Open on Compass</b>
Monday	12th	June	<b>King's Birthday Public Holiday</b> - school closed.
Wednesday	14th	June	<b>Interschool Soccer Tournament</b> - selected senior school students.
Thursday	15th	June	<b>Cookie Dough Fundraiser orders estimated delivery date</b>
Monday	19th	June	<b>School Council Meeting 7.00pm</b>
Wednesday	21st	June	<b>Outside School Hours Care Bookings Close for 3 Way Conference Day 9.00am</b>
Thursday	22nd	June	<b>Student Reports available via Compass App</b>
Friday	23rd	June	<b>3 Way Conferences Bookings on Compass will Close</b>
Friday	23rd	June	<b>End of Term 2. Students dismissed at 2.30pm</b>

### Term 3

Monday	10th	July	<b>First Day of Term 3</b> - <i>Students only attend school on this day for their 3 Way Conference.</i>
Monday	10th	July	<b>3 Way Conferences</b> - whole school ( <i>please see newsletter article</i> )

### JSC FUNDRAISER - DRESS UP DAY

The JSC will be running a **Dress Up Day Fundraiser on:**

**Monday 5th June!**

**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*

**WHAT'S YOUR  
FAVORITE COLOR?**

### BOOK CLUB

Issue 4 of Book Club is now closed.  
Thank you to everyone for making a purchase.  
Issue 5 will be available early next Term.

*Thank you, Morgan Trahair.*



### OUTSIDE SCHOOL HOURS CARE

#### 3 WAY CONFERENCE DAY

*Students do not attend school on this day, except for their conference.*

#### MONDAY 10TH JULY - 7.00AM TO 6.00PM

**Outside School Hours Care will be operating a full day program of fun activities on Monday 10th July.**

If you wish to book your child/children into the program (they do not have to be attending the whole day) **please make booking online using OSHC booking system Xplor. Booking close 9.00am Wednesday 21st June**, so that staff and activities can be organised before the school holidays. If you have any questions please contact the school

***Please note that if we do not get enough bookings for the day the program will not run. Parents will be notified before hand so they can make other arrangements. Cancellations on the day will have to be charged.***

### NUDE FOOD DAY

Thank you to all parents and students who helped support our goal of reducing the rubbish in our school by having a nude food lunchbox.



There will be a surprise Nude Food Day in the final weeks of Term 2. So, keep up the amazing effort and your child may win one of 4 prizes!

Here are the house point results:

Campaspe – 295 points  
Eppalock – 350 points  
Laanecoorie – 365 points  
Loddon – 390 points

Loddon will receive an extra 10 minutes of playtime on Friday 9<sup>th</sup>. Well done, Loddon!

***Congratulations!!***



## **CHICKENS!!!!**

The new chickens have arrived.

You may have noticed the gradual arrival of 5 chickens this week in the garden.

We had a competition to name the chickens, with lots of interesting suggestions being made. The judging panel of students worked hard to choose names that they felt best suited each chicken. The names will be revealed at assembly next Friday.

We would like to thank Mrs Van Riet for chasing up some chooks, with a huge thanks to the Townsend family and Donny for their poultry. We can't wait until they start laying eggs.



## **STUDENTS OF THE WEEK (for past two weeks)**



## **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 on Friday morning at 9.05am.

F/1A - **Amelia A:** *for being inclusive of others when they are looking for someone to play with.*

F/1M - **Hamish C:** *for his willingness to listen to feedback to make improvements to his writing.*

F/1C - **Henley E:** *for persisting with her writing to make it more detailed.*

F/1Mac - **Evie D:** *for her amazing reading stamina during independent reading.*

2H - **Judd E:** *for making positive choices when completing his work independently*

2T - **Ashley H:** *for working hard to use the dotted-thirds to improve the quality of her handwriting.*

3/4 GT - **Sophie R:** *for always being on task and ready to learn in all class activities.*

3/4 D - **Pippa M:** *for her excellent work in solving division problems.*

3/4 L - **Sophie R:** *for always being on task and ready to learn in all class activities.*

5/6 BP - **James C:** *for consistently being our class times table champ!*

5/6 L - **Lara D:** *for always achieving great results and producing work of a high standard.*

5/6 M - **Amber M:** *for being a kind member of our classroom.*

ART - **Kelsey E:** *for showing a willingness to experiment with different tools.*

Chinese Language - **Kate B:** *for actively participating in class activities and contributing to discussions in Chinese class.*

## 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.

# Carlton Respect Program

In RRRR we learnt about the four types of bullying:

Physical- Touching and Hitting

Verbal- directly saying mean things

Psychological- saying mean things not to the victim

Cyber- all of the above online.

After that we sorted little cards about the behaviours in bullying, we then sorted the cards from the most hurtful to least hurtful. We went on a gallery walk and discussed how much it would affect us, and why.

For example: Saying nasty things to people about their family, and how that might affect some people more than others.

By Erin and Serenity





# ST CLEMENTS CHURCH, HUNTLY

## 50 year celebration

### Sunday 18 June 2023



2023 marks 50 years since the consecration of the brick church.

Everyone is welcome to celebrate the changing role the church has played in the Huntly community:

- A Variety of service styles
- Ladies Guild, Debutante Balls
- Op Shops, Youth Groups,
- Eco-Community Playground
- Community garden
- Craft Afternoons
- Initiated Local Landcare Group

**Celebrate with us** at St Clements, 629 Midland Highway Huntly

3.30pm-4.30pm – sandwiches, slices, hot drinks, informal tours of church,

Eco playground and community garden, tree planting

5pm-6pm – Church service of Evening Prayer and Praise

with Bishop Matthew Brain and Reverend Glenda Templer.



Please RSVP by Tuesday 13 June

by contacting

Leonie Strauch on 0400 143 995

Or emailing the Parish:

[bendigonorth@gmail.com](mailto:bendigonorth@gmail.com)







**KELLY  
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*Futsal*

**FRENZY**

*Holiday Program*

## **PROGRAM INFORMATION**

Learn new skills in the Futsal Frenzy skill clinic, play with friends & score goals in our match play round robin. Our Futsal Holiday Clinic is designed to increase each child's confidence, focus on teamwork & team building aspects of sport, as well as give each child the skills & knowledge to continue playing Futsal well into the future.

## **FUTSAL HOLIDAY PROGRAM DETAILS**

**COST:** \$35

**DAY:** THURSDAY

**TIME:** 10AM - 1PM

**PROGRAM DATES:**  
29TH JUNE, 2023

**VENUE:** VICTORY  
CHRISTIAN  
COLLEGE

**AGE GROUPS:** 6 - 12  
YEARS

- **ROUND ROBIN  
MATCH PLAY**
- **FUN GAMES &  
SKILL  
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**Who can attend:**  
Boys & Girls aged 4-12 years old.

**General Information:**  
We believe in giving children opportunities to do the things they love and enjoy in a supportive and encouraging environment. Our friendly staff are passionate about working with children. They are provided with training on behaviour management techniques, first aid and activity planning/delivery.

**What do you need to bring:** Appropriate clothing, jacket or sweatshirt, hat, drink bottle and food for morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea.

**Food:**  
Please bring plenty of packed food and drink for morning tea/lunch/afternoon tea. Lunch will be from approximately 12:30pm to 1:30pm each day.

**Programme activities:**  
Programme activities are adapted to suit children of all ages and children may be grouped by age depending on numbers. Programme activities may vary without notice dependent on weather conditions and programme numbers.

**Payment details:**  
Payment is required up-front within 2 hours of your booking. A receipt will be issued when a completed booking is received. All details will be included on the receipt.

**Please note:**  
Every care will be taken to ensure the safety of your child/ren and their property. However, organisers of Kelly Sports accept no liability for any injury sustained to your child/ren or any loss or damage to his/her property whilst on the programme.



PLEASE NOTE: THE THEME LISTED IS THE MAIN ACTIVITY FOR THE DAY. EACH DAY WILL ALSO INCLUDE OTHER SPORTS & GAMES THE KIDS WILL LOVE. OUR FULL DAILY SCHEDULE & ADDITIONAL PROGRAM INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND ON THE BOOKING WEBSITE

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# WINTER 2023 HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

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## WEEK 1

Mon 26th June



### KIDS VS COACHES

Bragging rights are on offer today! The kids & coaches will go head-to-head in a variety of team battles. Who will come out on top in this clash for the ages? You can smell the anticipation in the air already!

Tues 27th June



### FUTSAL FRENZY

Come prepared to show off your fast feet & scoring prowess at today's Futsal Frenzy! The kids will get a taste of what our local indoor soccer/Futsal competition entails, with Kelly Sports & Futsal Australia running a morning Futsal competition.

Wed 28th June



### BASKETBALL BONANZA

Kick start your day with our Basketball Bonanza! Jump, shoot and dribble your way through the day and show off your skills in our basketball challenge activities & tournament!

Thurs 29th June



### MINI OLYMPICS

Our little superstars will show off their skills in the Kelly Sports Olympics today. The kids will be split into teams and work together to try & top the medal tally in many running, jumping, throwing & team-based events.

Fri 30th June



### AMAZING RACE

Come along today and show off your team work & problem solving skills. How quickly can we weave your way through our challenges? Hidden prizes will also be included in today's Amazing Race!

## WEEK 2

Mon 3rd July



### MINI GOLF MADNESS

Can you conquer the almighty challenge that the Kelly Sports Mini Golf Madness challenge presents? Get yourself ready for 18 holes of crazy, mini golf fun & entertainment with prizes & challenge games also included in today's activities!

Tues 4th July



### NINJA WARRIOR

Come along today and channel your inner ninja in our giant obstacle courses. Show off your flexibility, speed & agility in what is sure to be an action packed day. Who will become the ultimate ninja?

Wed 5th July



### FOOTY COLOURS DAY

Come along & show off your favourite team colours with pride! With prizes on offer, the kids will have the chance to test out their skills in our longest kick and goal kicking challenges, as well as our AFL X competition.

Thurs 6th July



### INFLATABLE SPORTS

A truck load of fun is awaiting each of our little legends today! With supersized inflatable games such as Giant Inflatable Soccer, Inflatable Volleyball, inflatable challenge games and more, this is one you won't want to miss!

Fri 7th July



### DYNAMIC DODGEBALL

Dodge, duck, dip, dive and... DODGE! Our Dodgeball Tournament is back. Our friendly competition will help improve your throwing and catching skills!

**FULL DAY: \$50**

Mon - Fri, 8:30am - 5:00pm

**KS SESSION: \$60**

8:00am - 5:30pm

\*early/late pick up option

**HALF DAY: \$35**

8:30am - 12:30pm OR

1pm - 5pm

**\*FULL WEEK DISCOUNTS ARE AVAILABLE**

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## FUN HOLIDAY PROGRAM DETAILS

The Golden Square Football Netball Club will be holding a Football based holiday program.

**THE PROGRAM WILL RUN ON JUNE 28, JUNE 29 AND JUNE 30.**

Time schedule from 8.30am to 5pm

The program is applicable to ages ranging from 5 to 15.

Separate programs will run for 5 – 11 year olds and 12 – 15 year olds

**WE ENCOURAGE BOTH BOYS AND GIRLS TO BE INVOLVED.**

### Day One (Wednesday, June 28)

Day one will be based at Fur Life Oval (Wade St) and will focus on a variety of Football based activities. These include various Australian Rules Football skill based clinics, healthy lifestyle and nutrition components, Footy based DVDs, Day 1 Draft and beginning of the Fitzpatrick Cup.

Morning and afternoon snacks as well as lunch will be provided for participants on this day. Structured round-robin football matches, with an emphasis on fun, will feature throughout the day.

### Day Two (Thursday, June 29)

Day two will be based at the Fur Life Oval (Wade St) and will focus on a variety of Football based activities. These include various Australian Rules Football skill based clinics, healthy eating components, Footy based DVDs, Day 2 Draft and trades plus the continuation of the famous Fitzpatrick Cup.

Morning and afternoon snacks as well as lunch will be provided for participants on this day.

### Day Three (Friday, June 30)

Day three will continue with a variety of skill acquisition sessions followed by the business end of the famous Fitzpatrick Cup culminating in the Grand Final and the prestigious vote count of the Fitzpatrick Medal.

Morning and afternoon snacks as well as lunch will be provided for participants on this day.

The program will be co-ordinated by experienced teachers and incorporates male and female accredited personnel (Working With Children Certified).

We encourage both boys and girls to be involved in the program.

The program will run regardless of the weather conditions (with modified activities).

The program incorporating Wednesday, June 28; Thursday, June 29 and Friday, June 30 is priced at \$230 (or \$80 per day).

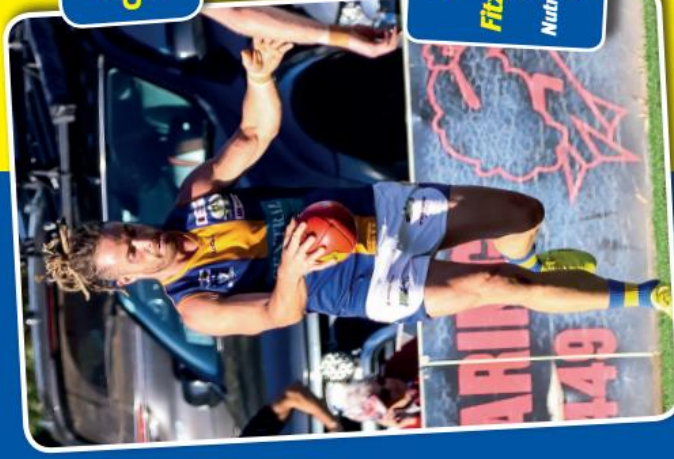
Family discount applies - \$215 per family member if more than one member family registers.

**All enquiries phone 0420 938 138 (Shawn)**

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## JUNIOR FOOTY FUN HOLIDAY PROGRAM

### A TWO DAY PROGRAM FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28  
THURSDAY, JUNE 29  
FRIDAY, JUNE 30  
8.30am - 5.00pm  
Venue: Fur Life Oval  
(Wade Street)**



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