

Our School Values:

RESPECT, RESILIENCE, TEAMWORK & COLLABORATION and COMMUNITY



Dear Parents,

MOBILE PHONES - NOT PERMITTED IN CLASSROOM

Parents are reminded that mobile phones are not permitted in the classroom. If your child needs to bring a mobile phone to school, it must be handed into the school office before school starts and remain at the office during school hours. Mobile phones can then be collected at the end of the school day. Please note that the Department of Education and Training does not hold insurance nor does it accept any responsibility for private property brought to school by students, staff and visitors.

SCHOOL REVIEW - VALIDATION DAY

Yesterday the school undertook the first part of our school review (known as Validation Day). The review panel undertook classroom observations and spoke to a group of grade 3 to 6 students about school life. The review panel came together a number of times and discussed the school's progress towards its strategic goals and highlights over the 4 year period.

The review panel will now return next week, Tuesday 13th June and Wednesday 14th June to undertake what is known as Fieldwork Days. The school looks forward to a rigorous review that will support the development of our new 4 year Strategic Plan.

MID-YEAR REPORTS & 3 WAY CONFERENCES

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 today 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.

DE&T: NEW STATE-WIDE PROCESS AND TIMELINE FOR SCHOOL ENROLMENT (REPEAT)

If your child is starting Foundation (Prep) in 2024, you will need to apply to enrol your child at Huntly Primary School. All documents and further information can be accessed from our school website <http://www.huntly-ps.vic.edu.au> or from the school office. Due to Huntly Primary School being required to adhere to the Department of Education's Enrolment Management Plan enrolment is restricted to: Students who live within the school zone, Students with a sibling attending the school at the same time or Students seeking enrolment on legitimate compassionate grounds. All parents/carers are required to complete an enrolment application prior to completing the enrolment form. The application form is short and only requires information related to enrolment eligibility and is in line with the department's privacy policy.

What you need to do:

1. Download the '[Foundation \(Prep\) Enrolment Information Pack for Parents/Carers.](#)'
2. Use [Find my School](#) to check that Huntly Primary School is your designated neighbourhood school (local school).
3. "[Application to Enrol in a Victorian Government School](#)" form for 2024 Foundation (Prep) must be submitted to the school. Enrolment applications submitted after 28 July 2023 will be processed by the school as we receive them, in accordance with the Department of Education's Placement Policy.
4. You will be notified of the outcome of your application as soon as possible after submission. If you receive an offer of placement, you should contact our school to accept the offer and complete a school enrolment form.

Jason Lee, PRINCIPAL

9TH JUNE, 2023

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PRINCIPAL **MR JASON LEE**

DIARY DATES

Friday	9th	June	3 Way Conferences Bookings Open on Compass
Monday	12th	June	King's Birthday Public Holiday - school closed.
Tuesday	13th	June	Breakfast Program - 8.10am to 8.30am. All students welcome.
Wednesday	14th	June	Food Share Program - every Wednesday
Wednesday	14th	June	Interschool Soccer Tournament - selected senior school students.
Thursday	15th	June	Breakfast Program - 8.10am to 8.30am. All students welcome.
Thursday	15th	June	Cookie Dough Fundraiser orders estimated delivery date
Friday	16th	June	School Lunch Order Day - (orders close 10am Thursday 15th June)
Monday	19th	June	School Council Meeting 7.00pm
Wednesday	21st	June	Outside School Hours Care Bookings Close for 3 Way Conference Day 9.00am
Thursday	22nd	June	Student Reports available via Compass App
Friday	23rd	June	Grade 5/6 Camp Deposit
Friday	23rd	June	3 Way Conferences Bookings on Compass will Close
Friday	23rd	June	End of Term 2. Students dismissed at 2.30pm
Term 3			
Monday	10th	July	First Day of Term 3 - Students only attend school on this day for their 3 Way Conference.
Monday	10th	July	3 Way Conferences - whole school (please see newsletter article)

REGIONAL CROSS COUNTRY

Congratulations to **Austin M** who qualified for and the Regional Cross Country event that was held on June 6th in St Arnaud. Austin represented the school extremely well and finished in 26th position. Well done on your efforts Austin we are very proud of you.



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

Just a reminder that in the coming weeks, there will be a surprise Nude Food Day! There are 4 prizes to be won!



Keep those wrapper free lunchboxes up!

Regards,

JSC & Mrs. Trahair

BOOK CLUB

All Book Club orders from Issue 4 have now been sent home with students. Issue 5 will be available early next Term.

Happy Reading, Morgan Trahair.



COLOURING COMPETITION

Congratulations to our two winners of 'The Speedy Sloth' colouring competition!

Sahri A and Bili A are your senior and junior winners! Enjoy your books!



DRESS UP DAY

We would like to thank you those who participated in the Dress Up Day and came dressed in their favourite colours. They have each earned their house 10 points!

We are excited to announce the results from the silver coin trail competition.

In total, we have raised \$683 as a whole school!

Loddon raised: \$135.25

Campaspe raised: \$154.05

Laanecoorie raised: \$195.80

Eppalock raised: \$197.90

The longest line was Laanecoorie! They have earned an extra 100 house points!

We are going to put the money raised from this event towards some house banners!

Stay tuned for more information.

*Thank you,
JSC & Mrs. Trahair*



STUDENTS OF THE WEEK (for past two weeks)



ART ROOM

TEMPORARY FENCING NEEDED!

We will be having an art show in term 3 and are hoping that a school community member might have access to temporary fencing and allow us to borrow about 6 to 10 panels to display the art work on. We would only need them for a few days. If you can or know someone who we could contact please contact the school office.

Mr O'Toole, Art Teacher.

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.

The Carlton respects website is a great way for kids to hear about wellbeing, bullying, emotions and respecting others. This website is a great idea so students aren't just hearing about these topics from their teachers. Carlton players are explaining each topic themselves with players from AFL and AFLW. This week we learnt about bullying and help seeking. There are 4 different types of bullying such as cyber, verbal, physical and physiological. We learnt that it is okay to ask for help when your being bullied and it's the best way to overcome that situation.

By Elle and Frankie 5/6BP



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 - **Seth P:** *for his resilience during writing activities.*

F/1M - **Areas G:** *for making a confident transition to Huntly Primary School.*

F/1C - **Jimmy A:** *for applying himself to learning tasks and taking pride in his work.*

F/1Mac - **Stevie H:** *for the dedication and hard work she has put into her reading.*

2H - **Helen S:** *for consistently displaying a positive attitude when attempting to solve multiplication problems.*

2T - **Zachary P:** *for using his time well in class to produce high quality handwriting.*

3/4 GT - **Hannah M:** *for being a positive, hardworking member of the class. You're always trying your best and asking for feedback to find out how you can improve.*

3/4 D - **Heidi M:** *for being a helpful classmate and sharing her maths strategies with her peers.*

3/4 L - **Skye M:** *for her willingness to listen to and follow any advice given to her.*

5/6 BP -

5/6 L - **Nash C:** *for showing outstanding leadership skills in sport and always including other students.*

5/6 M - **Khleo C:** *for using her time well when working on her Biography project.*

ART - **Katelyn W:** *for creating an outstanding fish using textured paints.*

Chinese Language - **Aveah M:** *for your passion and positive attitude in Chinese language activities.*

- **Mitchell F:** *for your passion and positive attitude in Chinese language activities.*

- **Lara D:** *for your persistent efforts and positive attitude in Chinese language activities*

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



JUNIOR GIRLS

FOOTY 4 FUN WITH AFLW STARS



Want to experience football with AFLW Players Kerryn Peterson & Kodi Jacques? This is your opportunity!

Footy 4 Fun includes football activities, photo and autograph opportunities, giveaways and a BBQ for all participants.

This FREE event is open to all girls aged 5 - 12 years old.

WHERE:

GOLDEN SQUARE FOOTBALL CLUB
WADE STREET, GOLDEN SQUARE

WHEN:

WEDNESDAY 21ST JUNE
4:30PM - 6:00PM



REGISTER HERE!

Sensory Sanctuary

JUNE 24 - JULY 6 CASTLEMAINE

Creative Workshops

Social Events

Sensory Market

Professional
Development

Parent Sessions

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Family Events

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70% Autistic and
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