Our School Values:

RESPECT, RESILIENCE, TEAMWORK & COLLABORATION and COMMUNITY

HUNTLY
PRIMARY SCHOOL 306

3-6 Gymnastics.

27TH MARCH, 2025

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Dear Parents,

School Council AGM

The 2026 School Council AGM was held on Monday 23rd March and our new executive committee was elected to the following positions:

President: Jackie Mountjoy
Vice President: Amy Lawry
Treasurer: Maria Willman

I would like to thank all outgoing school council members for their contributions during their time on the school council.

School Council Representatives

Parent representatives: ***Jackie Mountjoy, Maria Willman, Amy Lawry, Tannah Anthony, Allyson Shelton, Ebony Collin, Jenna Wheelhouse, Amanda Hodge***
Staff representatives: ***Amy McMillan, Courtney Trelfall***
Executive officer: ***Jason Lee***

School Council March General Meeting

At our School Council meeting key items from the agenda discussed included:

- Approval for the term 2 curriculum day (pupil free), which is Thursday 28th May.
- The Annual Report was tabled for endorsement. This document needs to be submitted to the Department by the end of April as part of our accountability processes, prior to being released to the broader school community.
- Upcoming school review to take place in June & July .
- 2026 Child Safety School Council induction.

All school councillors undertook the annual Child Safety school council training. The training provided an overview of the 11 Child Safety Standards and the role of school council. Our school council ensures we have the policies and processes in place to meet the minimum standards and in doing so keeping our students safe.

Note: we still have one vacant parent position for school council, if you are interested in knowing more about the role of a school councillor, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Statewide timeline to manage Prep/Foundation enrolments for the 2027 school year

The statewide enrolment timeline provides Victorian government primary schools with clear timeframes for enrolling students who will commence Foundation in the 2027 school year.
This will be the third time that schools will use a statewide timeline for enrolments into the Foundation year. The timeline seeks to support schools and families by making the Foundation enrolment process simpler, clearer and fairer.
The timeline includes key dates, activity descriptions and an overview of responsibilities to help schools to plan for their Foundation enrolments. Key dates and activities for schools in the 2026–27 timeline include the following:
Schools can receive enrolment applications from parents and carers from the start of Term 2, 2026. This follows the release of 2027 zones on the department's Find my School website and the publication of Foundation enrolment information packs

SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

Congratulations to all the students who participated in the school cross country this morning. It was great to see everyone trying their best and supporting each other to get to the finish line. Thank you to all the families who came along to cheer on our runners. Check out the schools Facebook page for photos of the morning.

EARLY SCHOOL FINISH - END OF TERM 1

Term 1 concludes on Thursday, 2nd April. Students will be dismissed at 2:30pm. Term 2 commences on Monday, 20th April.

Jason Lee, **PRINCIPAL**

FOCUS EXPECTATION NEXT WEEK:

"Asking Questions and Accepting Feedback."

What's on for week 10:

Monday 30th	• Epilepsy Awareness Day - See flyer attached.
Tuesday 31st	• Gymnastics for grade 3-6 • Breakfast Club
Wednesday 1st April	• Food Share Program - every Wednesday. • Gymnastics for grade 3-6
Thursday 2nd	• Easter hat Parade. • Easter Raffle will be drawn. • Last Day Of term 1 - 2:30pm dismissal
Friday 3rd	

BOOK CLUB:

Thank you to everyone who ordered from Issue 2 of Book Club. All orders were sent home on Thursday 26th March. If you have any questions regarding your order, please do not hesitate to reach out.

BOOK FAIR:

The Scholastic Book Fair will be running from Monday 27th – Wednesday 29th April.

Students will have the opportunity to explore the Book Fair beforehand to write their wish lists.
Location and times will be announced closer to the end of term.
Thank you,
Morgan.

AFTER THE BELL

We are pleased to advise that our **April 2026** vacation care program will be operating on all days – **7.30am – 6.00pm**

Please see confirmed operational hours -

Tuesday 07/04/2026 – Friday 10/04/2026
7.30am – 6.00pm

Monday 13/04/2026 – Friday 17/04/2026
7.30am – 6.00pm

PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU HAVE RETURNED YOUR EXCURSION CONSENT FORM IF YOU HAVE BOOKED EXCURSION DAYS. IF YOU HAVE NOT RETURNED YOUR EXCURSION COSNENT FORM, EXCURSION BOOKINGS WILL BE REMOVED AT 1.30PM TODAY, AND UPON REBOOKING WILL GO IN AT THE CASUAL RATE.

Could all parents/guardians please remember that ATB is a nut free zone, and we follow healthy eating guideline which parents must follow when packing lunch boxes – i.e. – no soft drinks, lollies, or high sugar foods**. PEANUT BUTTER AND NUTELLA ARE NOT ALLOWED INTO THE PROGRAM.**
Please remember to bring a refillable water bottle.

PLEASE NOTE: CHILDREN'S LUNCH BOXES CANNOT BE STORED IN THE PROGRAM REFRIGERATOR. – PLEASE DO NOT PACK FOOD ITEMS THAT NEED REFRIGERATION.

Please ensure that your CCS is active and current in your MyGov account, as this is not the responsibility of After The Bell Aus to maintain.
Also, please note: If an absence is recorded on your 1st day, or the last day of your vacation care booking, and you have no ongoing bookings with After The Bell Aus, Centrelink will remove any CCS that has been paid, and this will then reflect as owing to After The Bell Aus.

Refunds and Medical Certificates do not apply to Vacation Care Bookings.

As the above days have been confirmed as operating, should you wish to cancel a confirmed booking, the day is still payable, no swapping of days can be made.

As the program has now been confirmed, all bookings placed from today will be at the casual rate

We look forward to seeing your there !!

EASTER HAT PARADE & FUNDRAISER

On Thursday 2rd April, the JSC is running an Easter Hat Parade to raise money for the Good Friday Appeal. The parade will be from
9:10am – 9:30am and family members are welcome to stay and watch.
Students are encouraged to bring a gold coin to donate to the cause.
* Please note this is not an out of uniform day.

Thank you, Miss Magee & JSC

WEEKLY STUDENT AWARDS

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

Congratulations to the following students:

F/1C	**Marsden G** **Lylah D**	*For showing great sportsmanship by congratulating others in the cross country.* *For listening to feedback about her writing and making those changes to make her writing better.*
F/1B	**Levi B**	*For putting in the work and showing determination to achieve his personal goal in cross country.*
F/1M		
F/1D	**Hazel M**	*For making good choices.*
F/1L	**Patrick W**	*For always being ready to lend a hand when Miss Laffy needs a job done. He consistently shows responsibility and a willingness to help others. Well done Patrick.*
2H		
2G	**Ava P**	*For creating an amazing lead sentence that immediately draw the reader's attention.*
2R	**Paddy S**	*For always asking clarifying questions about his learning when he is unsure or needs further information to complete his tasks.*
3/4L		
3/4G	**Jaime L**	*For his considerate approach to class and ensuring all tasks are completed on time.*
3/4M	**Nevaeh G**	*For demonstrating courage and perseverance while taking on a challenge that pushed her beyond her comfort zone.*
3/4T		
5/6K		
5/6D	**Dakota Y**	*For her resilience in overcoming her nerves during cross country and continuing to give her best effort throughout the event.*
5/6M	**Ava J**	*For being kind and supportive classmate.*

EASTER

Raffle

DRAWN 2ND APRIL

Any Easter related donations would be greatly appreciated and can be dropped off at the school office

Thank You

Easter Raffle tickets will be coming home soon. Tickets are $1 each and will be drawn on 2nd April.
Please return tickets by Wednesday 1st of April. Any Easter related donations for the raffle will be greatly appreciated e.g Easter eggs, baskets, Easter themed items ect.
Donation can be left at the school office.
Thank You

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EASTER HOLIDAY PROGRAM

MERCY JUNORTOUN SPORTING PRECINCT APRIL 7 - 17

ST LIBORIUS PRIMARY SCHOOL APRIL 7 - 17

GIRTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL APRIL 7 - 17

CELEBRATING 30 YEARS

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CHECK OUT OUR DAILY SPORTS SCHEDULES AND PROGRAM INFORMATION ONLINE!

JUNORTOUN EASTER HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

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	MONDAY 6TH APRIL	TUESDAY 7TH APRIL	WEDNESDAY 8TH APRIL	THURSDAY 9TH APRIL	FRIDAY 10TH APRIL
7:30 - 9:00	Easter Monday - No Session	Intro & challenge zone	Intro & challenge zone	Intro & challenge zone	Intro & challenge zone
9:00 - 10:00		AFL Skills Clinic	Basketball	Soccer	Coach vs Kids
	MORNING SNACK	COACH LED ACTIVITIES			INDOOR PLAY
10:30 - 11:30		AFL Grid Games	NERF WARS	Mini Olympics	Amazing Race
11:30 - 12:00		Tug of War	T-Ball	Parachute Games	Cricket
LUNCH TIME & STRUCTURED ACTIVITIES		LEGO COMPETITION	FREE THROW CHALLENGE	PENALTY SHOOTOUT	MYSTERY MOVIE & KIDS CHOICE
1:30 - 2:30		Pickleball Tournament	Tennis	AFL	Badminton
2:30 - 3:30		Ultimate Frisbee	Inflatable Soccer	Touch Rugby	NERF WARS
	AFTERNOON SNACK	STAR POINT AWARDS			CHALLENGE ZONE
4:00 - 5:00		Team Building Games	Parachute Games	Kids Choice	Scavenger Hunt

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	MONDAY 13TH APRIL	TUESDAY 14TH APRIL	WEDNESDAY 15TH APRIL	THURSDAY 16TH APRIL	FRIDAY 17TH APRIL
7:30 - 9:00	Intro & challenge zone	Intro & challenge zone	Intro & challenge zone	Intro & challenge zone	Intro & challenge zone
9:00 - 10:00	Crazy Inflatable Games	Soccer OR Dance	Hockey	Basketball Bonanza	Soccer
	MORNING SNACK	COACH LED ACTIVITIES			INDOOR PLAY
10:30 - 11:30	Inflatable Volleyball	NERF WARS OR Gymnastics	Soccer Showdown	Mini Bat Tennis Tournament	Mini Golf Madness
11:30 - 12:00	Inflatable Soccer	Scavenger Hunt OR Netball	T-Ball	Kelly Sports Dance Off	Crazy Games
LUNCH TIME & STRUCTURED ACTIVITIES	LEGO COMPETITION	NETBALL SHOOTOUT	DANCE OFF OR SOCCER SHOOTOUT	RACE AN OLYMPIAN SPRINT CHALLENGE	MYSTERY MOVIE & KIDS CHOICE
1:30 - 2:30	Dodgeball Showdown	Netball OR AFL	Kids Choice	Netball	AFL
2:30 - 3:30	Team Building Games	Crazy Games OR Cricket	NERF WARS	Tug of War	Parachute Games
	AFTERNOON SNACK	STAR POINT AWARDS			CHALLENGE ZONE
4:00 - 5:00	Parachute Games	Kids Choice	Capture the Flag	Cricket Smash	Dodgeball Showdown

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