



# HintonPublic School



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*"Every little one counts"*

**Term 3**

**Week 9**

**Newsletter 29**

**21st September 2018**

## **PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE**

It was a very rural end to Week 8 with our Farmer Dress Up and Shear the Principal Day yet again proving why Hinton is such a special community. Our students looked amazing in all their dress ups and I was particularly impressed with some of the boots that sauntered through the gates. Again our parents were amazing with an incredible amount of delicious treats coming in for the cake stall. Special thanks also to the senior boys who gave up their time to man the stall. The shearing went off despite Mr Hieke's complaints that I didn't make sheep noises and congratulations to Bella the lucky shearer. In total our little school of 86 students raised \$660 which will go directly to Tottenham Public School to subsidise excursions for their students in 2019.

This week we also held our Koala Fundraiser. This initiative was raised through our Student Parliament with all funds raised going to Port Stephens Koalas and benefit our local koala populations.

On the last day of term (Friday September 28<sup>th</sup>) our Yr4-6 students are organising a market day. There will be lots of activities, treats and gifts to buy. The funds raised will go to the Year 6 gift and Year 6 farewell costs.

We had a call this week from the people building in Market Street. They wanted to let us know that over the next few weeks there will be quite a few large trucks coming and going with the laying of slabs and delivery of frames etc and to give us a heads up about parking there.

As you will know our Chaplain, Miss Findlay left us at the end of last term. This week we welcomed our 2 new Chaplains, Tom Collison and Robynne Watts. They will be with us for the remainder of the year and work on a number of projects with a number of students.

NAPLAN results have gone home this week and we will soon be going through them as a staff to take a closer look at our trends over the last few years. If you have any questions about the results or the information that comes with them please feel free to speak with your child's teacher.

Have a great week

Mark Cridland  
Principal

## FAIR PLAYER TERM 3 - WEEK 8



Cooper Morris

## Student of the Week : Alyssa Carter

### Class of the Week : 5/6R



## CLASS AWARDS TERM 3: WEEK 8

<u>K</u>	<u>1/2</u>	<u>5/6</u>
Charlotte Cripps	Isaiah Monk	Tahlia Hughes
Layla Hirst	Xavier Hopkins	Caelan Munro
Hugo Minett	Travis Carter	Tully Manhood
April Robson		Bonnie Walterback
		Monica Dives



## DATES TO REMEMBER

<b>Event</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Details</b>
<b>SCHOOL ASSEMBLY</b>	<b>Every Friday</b>	<b>Begins at 2:50pm in 3/4 &amp; 5/6 classrooms.</b>
<b>STUDENT BANKING</b>	<b>Every Monday</b>	<b>Bank as little as 5c. Contact office for details.</b>
<b>SAUSAGE SIZZLE</b>	<b>Every Wednesday</b>	<b>Every Wednesday Cost \$2.00 each</b>
<b>SCHOOL SWIMMING SCHOOL</b>	<b>15th October - 26th October</b>	<b>Cost is \$50 per student. Notes have been sent home to students who are taking part in these lessons.</b>
<b>Year 5/6 Excursion</b>	<b>Wednesday 17th October - Friday 19th October</b>	<b>Balance of Excursion to be paid in full by Friday 21st September.</b>
<b>Mango Fundraiser</b>	<b>Orders due by Friday 19th October</b>	<b>Please return order forms and payment to office. Order forms have been sent home and in this newsletter also.  \$25 per 7kg tray.</b>

## LIBRARY NEWS

All of our new books are covered (Thanks Mrs Jordan and Ms Creek) in the library and ready for borrowing. Those people with over due books, get them in so you can borrow some of our new ones!

Don't forget to get your Home Reading cards in by the end of term.

If you are looking for something 'sciencey' to do in the holidays, check out the information on the HMRI Open Day later in the newsletter! Speaking of holidays, I am heading off early (next week) so I will see you all in Week 3 next term. In the meantime, Mrs Kavanagh will be looking after the library and other duties for me. Have a safe and happy holiday!

Mr H



## Year K– 2 Tocal Excursion





## **P&C NEWS**

### **Canteen**

Please return all Fresh for Kids coupons (filled in) by this Friday so our school can be in the running for loads of great prizes!



### **Mango Fundraiser**

Order forms have been sent home and are due back by Friday 19th October.

Mangoes are \$25 per 7kg tray. Contact Holly on 0407 899 379 if you have any questions.

A huge thankyou to Lakeside Leisure Centre at Raymond Terrace for donating prizes for our top selling families!



### **Bunnings BBQ**

The P&C are holding a Bunnings BBQ on October 28 and are looking for helpers to fill the cooking and serving roster. Please text Holly on 0407 899 379 if you can help out for an hour or two.

## **BUNNY ROSTER**

Carer needed for over the holiday period. Please contact the school if you can help out with the care of the Bunnies at this time.



Thank you for your assistance with this.

<b>Weekend Date</b>	<b>Name of Volunteer</b>
<b>TERM 3</b>	
<b>Saturday 22nd September / Sunday 23rd September</b>	<b>Allott Family</b>
<b>Term 3 Holidays 29th September—14th October</b>	<b>Carer Needed</b>