

Term 4, Week 3
30th October 2018



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Dear Parents and Community Members

WHATS ON AT HPS...

Tuesday	30 th October	No Kinder Transition Year 7 Transition
Wednesday	31 st October	Hot Lunch- Tuna Bake
Thursday	1 st November	Student Banking
Friday	2 nd November	Wagga Civic Theatre- The Big Bad Wolf Production
Tuesday	6 th November	Kinder Transition Year 7 Transition Video Conference-Parliament House
Wednesday	7 th November	Hot Lunch- Jacket Potatoes Mobile Library Student Banking
Thursday	8 th November	Visit to REEC- Wagga
Tuesday	13 th November	Kinder Transition Year 6 Transition P&C Meeting-9am
Wednesday	14 th November	Hot Lunch
Monday-Friday	19 th -23 rd November	ALPSS South Coast/Canberra Excursion
Wednesday	21 st November	Hot Lunch K-2 Mobile Library
Wednesday	19 th December	Last Day of term 4 Presentation Evening

OUR VISION

Humula Public School aims to provide a safe and varied learning environment that creates independent, confident and resilient individuals working towards academic success.

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

Our proof for the 2018 school photo has been received from MSP, the school photographers. Craig did a marvellous job and was able to capture the best.



FITNESS AND COORDINATION PROGRAM

Last week Ty began his fitness and coordination program with the children. It was great to see the majority of children motivated and eager to participate in this program. Ty will be back this week to continue the program.

COOKING CLASS

Cooking class has been a real success with each class cooking up a storm. Last week Year 2 cooked a fabulous silver beet and carrot frittata, primary boys rustled up a delicious broccolini and cauliflower salad, the primary girls worked as a team to create some scrumptious garlic, rosemary and parmesan biscuits, K/1 were excited to learn that orange juice does not in fact come from a bottle from the supermarket, but can be squeezed from real oranges. This was a very well-coordinated feast that was enjoyed not only by the children and staff but also the film crew.



FILMING FOR LIVE LIFE WELL @ SCHOOL

What a week we had last week with the film crew taking over the school in the production of our two and a half minute clip that will be used for publicity for the program with both the Department of Education and the Department of Health.

Monday was spent with the film crew getting a feel of the school and surrounds, discussions with staff, a chat with the children and a talk with some of the parents. They then went away and roughed out a script for the following two days of filming. Filming on Tuesday and Wednesday caused some disruption to lessons; however most of the footage was in real time. We can't wait to see how they will portray our program, however they did go away full of enthusiasm and in high spirits for what they had captured.



HOT LUNCH PROGRAM

Last week Leiam and April worked as a team to present a wonderful 'ploughman's lunch' for the children, staff and film crew. This dish always promotes conversation and food trading takes place.

This week Wendy has kindly offered to step up again and I think Tuna Bake is on the menu.

ABORIGINAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

Shane Herrington and Talea Bulger from the National Parks and Gardens visited the school on Friday to educate us about the 'bush tucker' we have growing in our backyard. Shane and Talea were also very excited by our 'backyard' and are planning a return visit in the near future. They believe that we have a great area that could be utilised by children from surrounding schools and they are willing to run aboriginal cultural days using our wonderful environment.



TRANSITION TO HIGH SCHOOL

Brayden had a great time at his first transition to high school, where he travelled to Tumbarumba HS. Brayden reported that they participated in some STEM challenges of which his group were very successful. Brayden finished off his school day by visiting Tumbarumba PS and making friends with children that will be his peers next year. Brayden will return to Tumbarumba HS today for another visit.

KINDERGARTEN TRANSITION



Annabeth will return to school next Tuesday to resume her transition program. She has been participating in the transition program all term three and is showing a healthy enthusiasm for school.

COAST AND CANBERRA MAJOR EXCURSION

The long awaited major excursion is almost upon us. This is a great opportunity for the children to explore the south coast of NSW and visit the countries national capital - Canberra. All outstanding fees for this excursion need to be payed to the school as soon as practicable, before we depart on Monday 19th November.

WAGGA CIVIC THEATRE EXCURSION



This Friday we will be heading to Wagga to watch the production of 'The Big Bad Wolf'. The big bad wolf has no friends. No one likes him. Luckily, for him a little girl is brave enough to strike up a friendship. This should be a great experience for the children. Please have notes back ASAP.

REEC VISIT



We will be travelling to the Riverina Environmental Education Centre in Wagga to visit their environment and continue our liaison with all things scientific. The children are excited to see where Darron and Dani work, after all the time that they have spent at Humula PS.

We are now taking enrolments for 2019!



The mobile library will be visiting our village next Wednesday. A reminder that all items borrowed will need to be returned, there is a Mobile Library tray on the bench outside the classroom for this purpose.

Next visit: Wednesday 7th November

SCHOOL BANKING



Just a reminder that this weeks school banking day is THURSDAY, however students may bring their deposits any day of the week and we will keep it safe until banking day.

P&C BLOG

Wow, we are into our last term for 2018! How fast has this year gone?

Hot Lunch's: There are a few spots left on our roster. If you would like to come in and cook for the children please come and put your name down.

Tea towel Fundraiser: This Friday we must have all orders in for our tea towel fundraiser. To make this a success, we ask that all families purchase at least one tea towel. We are not only fundraising for our P&C but also creating ever-lasting memories. We are lucky enough to have Violet, Ewan and Mrs Soding added to our tea towel. Expressions have been fantastic to deal with and have made the process very simple. The final proof looks great! Please find the attached order form. Get your order in to avoid disappointment.

Christmas Raffle: We have purchased a 100lt wheelbarrow. Any donation of goods are welcome to help fill it up. Raffle tickets are now available. Sell, Sell, Sell..... Tickets are \$2 each or 3 for \$5. Come in and see what goodies have been filling up the wheelbarrow. If you run out of tickets, more are available in the office.

Next P&C Meeting: Tuesday 13th November 2018 at 9am

Minutes from the previous meeting are available on request at the office.

Presentation Evening: Will be held on the evening of our last day of school, 19th December 2018. Our P&C will be hosting a BBQ before the presentation commences, so please come along and celebrate our children's learning and have a final catch-up before the years end.

All money raised through the Humula P&C goes back to our school and kids. To protect the main entrance of the school, our P&C contributed the full cost of the awning construction. Thank you Ian Ferguson for completing our awning and for doing this during the school holidays.

A big thankyou to Sonia for coming to help at the Campdraft on the Sunday morning. Extra help is always greatly appreciated.

If any family has outstanding money owing to the P&C, can this please be finalised before the end of year. This may include hot lunches or uniforms, please see Janelle for an account.

Thank you for your continued support!
Humula P&C Committee

Christmas Raffle





Creating Lasting Memories!

Our limited edition tea towel design will be made up of self-portraits drawn by all our children and staff.

The pictures and names will be arranged all together as a commemorative design for the whole Humula Public School then screen printed in royal blue onto premium 100% natural cotton tea towels.

Don't forget to order a few extras for family members and your keepsake box. Tea towels can be ordered by completing the form below and returning with payment to Janelle in an envelope clearly marked "TEA TOWEL ORDER".

Thank you for your continued support!

Contact: Janelle O'Brien

Only \$15 each
OR SAVE by ordering more...
Get 3 for \$40
Or 5 for \$70

Orders are due back
with payment by:

31st October



TEA TOWEL ORDER FORM

Student Name: _____ Class: _____

Contact Name _____ Phone Number: _____

Number of Tea Towels Ordered: 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ or more → _____

Please enclose payment with your order:

TOTAL enclosed \$ _____

☐ Cash

☐ Cheque: (made payable to Humula Parents & Citizens Association)

☐ Direct Deposit: Account Name: Humula Parents & Citizens Association

BSB: 062614 Acc. No.: 00901101

Please put child's name or your name as the reference Lodgement receipt No. _____

COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD



Next Newsletter:

12th November 2018

Please have articles to school by Monday
9 am.

The Mobile Library visits Humula on
alternate Wednesdays.
The next visit will be on the
7th November 2018.



NSW Rural Fire Service RIVERINA ZONE

(Wagga, Junee, Lockart and Coolamon LGA's)

Wishes to advise the

Bush Fire Danger Period begins 1st October 2018- 31st March 2019

It is a legal requirement to have a Permit to
burn between these dates. Persons using and
maintaining fire legally must give written or
oral notice 24hrs prior, to all adjoining
landowners.

For information please call the
Riverina Fire Control Centre (02)69714500

Sal's books & gifts

Glitter Greeting Cards -Set of 30 \$20
Back & Seat Gel Cushion Memory Foam \$20
Kids Play Mat \$20
Magic Phone Holder \$8
Flying Helicopter \$10
Where's the Unicorn-book \$6
Grasp Buddy- Set of 10 \$7
LED Torch \$5
Pasta Cookbook \$7
LED Decorative String Lights \$12

Payment Opt: Cash, Cheque, Credit Card

Delivery: Thursday 8th November

Check the website for more deals!

Items are on display and order forms are available in the office.

Proudly supporting The Children's Hospital at Westmead

POLICY STATEMENT

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Excepting grammar and minor editing adjustments, articles in this newsletter are published as they were submitted. Sometimes articles will be condensed due to space constraints. The views and opinions expressed in this newsletter are not necessarily the views of the Principal or Staff of Humula Public School.

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