

Term 4, Week 1  
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Dear Parents and Community Members

## What's on at HPS...

Monday	14th October	Little Kinder
Wednesday	16th October	Hot Lunch Instructional Leader Visit
Thursday	17th October	Student Banking Community Storytime- 9am
Monday	21st October	No Little Kinder School Photo's StemSHARE- Rosewood
Wednesday	23rd October	Hot Lunch Mobile Library
Wednesday- Friday	23-25th October	Small School's Conference- Lynne
Thursday	24th October	Student Banking Community Storytime- 9am
Friday	25th October	Red Day for Daniel Morcombe
Monday	28th October	Little Kinder
Tuesday	29th October	Finance Training-Lynne and Janelle
Wednesday	30th October	Hot Lunch
Thursday	31st October	Student Banking Community Storytime- 9am P&C Meeting- 9am
Friday	1st November	ALPSS Athletics Carnival- Rosewood
Monday	4th November	No Little Kinder CPL- Lynne
Wednesday	6th November	Hot Lunch Mobile Library
Tuesday-Thursday	5-7th November	State Athletics Carnival- Lynne
Friday	8th November	REEC Visit
Monday	11th November	Little Kinder

The Term Four calendar is attached. This is for you to keep in a prominent position at your home to keep track of our comings and goings.

### 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.

### TERM THREE ASSEMBLY

Our Term Three assembly was held in the last week of term and was hosted confidently by our Year 4 students - Blake, Nathan, Dakota, Makayla and Tori-Lee. Congratulations to these children on the way in which they carried out this very important event.

During the assembly the primary class reported on some of the learning that they had been exposed to during the term. Betty-Rose, Kurtis and Sid shared with the school community some limericks from their poetry unit. Chloe displayed confidence in reading a narrative that she had written that used descriptive language and complex sentences. Chloe's story, 'The Road', also showed complexity as it intertwined two stories that were drawn together in the final paragraph. The children also regaled to the audience their learning from a Roald Dahl unit of learning in English. Evan and Makayla shared their newspaper articles and the class showed their interpretations of Pablo Picasso's art work on witches. After a science day earlier in the week, the class was keen to show one of the experiments to the audience. This experiment was conducted successfully and to the amazement of their captive audience.

The K-2 class were keen to show their knowledge of Australia which was a unit of learning from the term. After reading a lot of picture books on Australia they became quite knowledgeable on some of the wonderful features that Australia has. They shared their new knowledge on Sydney, The Great Barrier Reef, The Little Penguins from Phillip Island and Uluru. They also showed the artworks that they created on each of these wonderful places.

Our award winners for Term Three were:

Beau Ellis - fantastic effort in literacy and numeracy

Maggie Sumpter - improved application in story writing

Annabeth Sumpter - confidence and improvement in working with words

Isla Dent - fantastic effort with reading and writing of sight words

Izabell Pendrick - displaying increasing maturity

Blake Pendrick - becoming more responsible

Dakota Sumpter - wonderful contributions to the class

Tori-Lee Hincksman - being a valuable class member

Jayden Pendrick - for being an excellent school leader

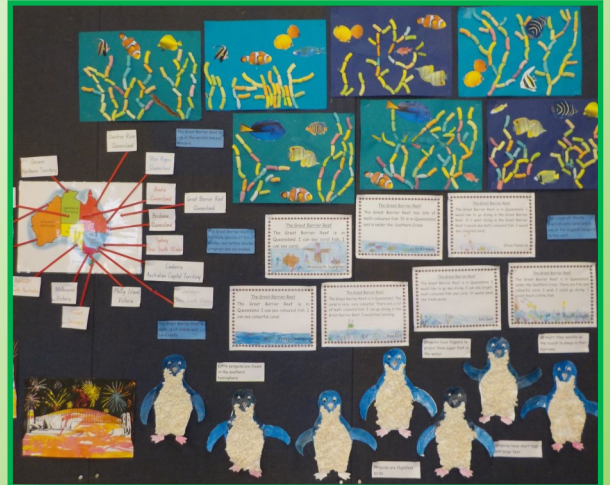




## CLASS ART

Creative arts are used to enhance our learning across the key learning areas of the curriculum. During the term the K-2 class used different techniques to create art works to assist with their learning.

Fireworks across the night sky of Sydney, Uluru in the centre of Australia and an underwater scene from the Great Barrier Reef are just some of the artworks completed. The primary class looked at a Pablo Picasso art piece and created their own witch portraits. These artworks can be seen, proudly displayed in the classrooms.



## TERM THREE SPORTS PROGRAM

Our sports program for Term Three has been completed. Learning to ski on the slopes of Mount Selwyn, to the other extreme of learning how to play the individual sport of bowls provided some great experiences for the children. We are very lucky to have received a Sporting Schools grant that covered the cost of the bowls program, including the equipment, which is now ours to keep. This means that the children now have a new set of equipment to use during play times.





### CHAPLAIN

We would like to welcome Mrs Phillis Willis to our school family. She will be our Chaplain for the remainder of 2019. Please introduce yourself and make her feel welcome.

### COMMUNITY STORYTIME

This term we will be introducing Community Storytime at the school. Our new Chaplain, Phillis, will be running this session. If your toddler/s would like to visit the school and join Phillis for storytime we would love to see you. Storytime will be held on Thursday's from 9.00am for the first hour of our school day.

We look forward to seeing our toddlers at this session.

### LIBRARY UPDATE

As you may be aware we are updating our library/K-2 learning space. We are eagerly awaiting the delivery of more library book cubes to finish off the process. The library books have been culled and all these books (which are quite old) have been removed. We can't wait for the new furniture to arrive so that we can complete this space.

### CLAIM THE DATE

Humula Public School presentation night will take place on Wednesday 18th December. Please save this date on your calendar so that you can join in this annual celebration of our education!



### MAKE AN OFFER

We still have our 2 piano stools available. Come in and make an offer. Need them gone ASAP, they are taking up space.

### MAJOR EXCURSION

A reminder that all Major Excursion fees must be paid in full prior to the excursion taking place. Frequent payments are advisable.

If you are experiencing financial difficulties, please come in and see Lynne.

6 weeks to go...





# Community Noticeboard

Publishing comes at a cost...

Contributions for the Newsletter are welcome from all community organisations.

Advertisements for items for sale, committee newsletters, community notices etc. are welcome for a donation.

Next

Newsletter

**29th October**

Please have articles to school by Monday 9am

## Humula Rural Transfer Station

Open: Sunday 9am-12pm

White goods- Free

Recycling - Free

General waste- \$13-\$26

(ute or single axle trailer 1.8m X 1.2m)

Toilet now available



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Wagga Wagga

## Humula P&C

Christmas raffle

Your support is needed:

- Fishing and camping gear
- Beauty products
- Health and wellbeing
- Kids toys
- Wine and chocolates
- Kitchen accessories

All donations can be left in the front office



The Mobile  
Library visits  
Humula on  
alternate  
Wednesdays.

Next visit:

**23rd October**

## Humula Progress Association

**AGM**

**Date: 25th October 2019**

**Time: 7pm**

**Venue: Humula Club**

**ALL WELCOME!**

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