



HUMULA PUBLIC SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Community Members

WHATS ON AT HPS...

Tuesday-Thursday	14 th -16 th May	NAPLAN
Wednesday	15 th May	'Walk to School Safely Day'- 8:30am Hot Lunch-Lamb Gravy Rolls
Thursday	16 th May	Student banking
Thursday-Friday	16 th May-17 th May	Curiosity and Powerful Learning Training-Lynne
Friday	17 th May	Music Outreach Program Cake Stall-Tumbarumba
Wednesday	22 nd May	Mobile Library
Thursday	23 rd May	Student Banking
Friday	24 th May	Music Outreach Program
Monday	27 th May	GRIP Leadership
Wednesday	29 th May	ALPSS Athletics-Rosewood
Thursday	30 th May	Directors Meeting- Lynne Student Banking
Friday	31 st May	Music Outreach Program Highlands Cross Country-Tumbarumba Principal Training-Lynne
Monday	3 rd June	CPR/Anaphylaxis Train the Trainer-Lynne
Wednesday	5 th June	ALPSS Principal Meeting-Lynne
Thursday	6 th June	REEC Visit
Friday	7 th June	Music Outreach Program Highlands Athletics

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.

MOTHERS DAY

I am hoping that all our mothers had a great day on Sunday, being spoilt and opening up their hand made gifts. We hope that you enjoyed your sugar scrub and that you use your tokens wisely that were part of your pop up card. I am sure that your children will fulfil their token obligations and assist you around the house in the coming weeks.

CROSS COUNTRY AT ROSEWOOD

Due to the postponement of the ALPSS athletics carnival it was decided to run our cross country with Rosewood instead. Even though it was a bit chilly and at times a little wet, the cross country event was run with enthusiasm. Humula PS students performed very well bringing home a multitude of ribbons. Results were:

5 year girls - 1st - Freyja Harrison

5 year boys - 1st - Morgan Harris

6 year girls - 1st - Isla Dent, 3rd - Annabeth Sumpter

6 year boys - 1st - Beau Ellis

7 year girls - 1st - Bella Kennedy

7 year boys - 1st - Oliver Pendrick

8/9 year girls - 1st - Layla Harris, 2nd - Tori-Lee Hincksman, 3rd - Maggie Sumpter, 4th - Betty-Rose Rowe

8/9 year boys - 1st - Charlie Harris, 2nd - Evan Dent, 3rd - Sid Thomas

10 year girls - 1st - Makayla Ellis, 3rd - Dakota Sumpter

10 year boys - 1st - Blake Pendrick, 2nd - Nathan Hardy, 4th - Kurtis Rowe

11 year girls - 1st - Chloe Thomas, 2nd - Izabell Pendrick

11 year boys - 1st - Jayden Pendrick



AFRICAN DRUMMING

Last Friday we were introduced to African Drumming with Felix and Maryanne. This term we have been offered an outreach music program through a grant received by Wagga council. We are the pilot school and Ms Victoria Lowe, from the council, is expecting big things. If last Friday is any indication, we are in for a real treat!



WALK SAFELY TO SCHOOL DAY

This Friday is National Walk Safely to School Day. This is an annual event that encourages all primary school children to walk and commute to school safely. Due to other commitments, we have brought this event forward. This year we will walk to school on Wednesday (tomorrow) morning. This year we are encouraging any community member to join with us in our walk to school. As is our custom, we will meet at the park at 8:30am and walk to school as a group. Once again we will hold 'Breakfast at School' following our walk. Good nutrition is essential for good health and a good breakfast is vitally important to start the day well. Breakfast gets the metabolism going and helps prevent a slump in concentration during the morning hours. All walkers are welcome to join us. If we could have an indication of numbers attending breakfast it would be appreciated. The P&C will be providing egg and
bacon rolls at school on Wednesday morning.





MORTIMER SHIELD RUGBY LEAGUE

Jayden has been asked to join a group of small school year 5 and 6 boys to participate in the Mortimer Shield event to be held in Tumut at the end of the month. This invitation comes after his efforts at the Highland and Riverina rugby league trials. Well done Jayden!

NAPLAN

Beginning today, our Year 3 and Year 5 students will be sitting the NAPLAN assessments along with all students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 across Australia. NAPLAN is carried out on the same days and at the same time all over Australia. The pen and paper tests run for three consecutive days. All students will participate in tests in reading, writing, language conventions and numeracy. We all wish Kurtis, Evan, Betty-Rose, Sid, Layla, Chloe and Izabell all the best when they sit these tests.



SCHOOL BUS

Did anyone see us driving around last week? We took the bus out for a quick ride around the block and everyone enjoyed the comfort of the larger bus. We can't wait for our first 'real' outing.



ALPSS ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Our annual ALPSS Athletics carnival was postponed last week due to inclement weather. A new date has been set - Wednesday 29th May. Fingers crossed that we get a better day so that we can run this fun-filled carnival. Craig has offered to keep training the children in preparation for the carnival.

NSWPSSA TOUCH FOOTBALL KNOCKOUT

This year, with our increase in numbers, it was decided to enter a team in the NSWPSSA Division 1 Touch Football Knockout. The draw is out and we have drawn Ladysmith PS in round 1. As Ladysmith is the home team we will wait to hear from them regarding game day. The first round games must be played before 21st June. Ty has been sharing his knowledge of the game with the students. Now that the draw is out we will be ramping up our training program. Information will be distributed as soon as it becomes available.

FROM THE FIRE SHED

On Friday 3rd May we had our AGM at the Humula Club.

Our office bearers remain the same with Stephen Sykes as captain. He has done so for 18 years which is a bit of a record. Crews attended to 8 fires, all were from lightning strikes.

Donations to our brigade stay within our community and are always welcome.

The subs format from previous years of 3 cents per acre or \$5 for village or small holdings can still be applied. The issue seemed to cause some confusion so we will go back to it. This was not our decision but from higher above.

We have 46 members but new ones are always welcome.

Thank you to all our members for their continued voluntary support and keeping our brigade an important and much needed part of this community.

Regards

Jillian Ferguson

Secretary

HUMULA BUSHFIRE BRIGADE OFFICE BEARERS 2019/2020

CAPTAIN/PRESIDENT-STEPHEN SYKES

SN DEPUTY/ VILLAGE CAPTAIN-IAN FERGUSON

DEPUTY CAPTAINS- MIKE SLACK-SMITH, TY HARDY & ANDREW FORSYTH

EQUIPMENT-IAN FERGUSON

PERMITS- STEPHEN & IAN

CATERING- BERNICE DAVEY & SHARON HARDY

SECRETARY/TREASURER AND COMMUNICATIONS - JILLIAN FERGUSON



HOT SHOT TOURNAMENT

In TUMUT



WHEN: Sunday, 19th May, 2019

WHERE: Tumut Lawn Tennis Club

TIME: 10.00 – 12.00pm.

COST: \$10.00 – includes a certificate and a gift from ANZ Bank Tumut Branch.

FORMAT: Mini nets, Red balls, point scores and lots of fun.

This is a great opportunity for the Tumut Juniors under the age of 10 years, to enjoy a fun morning of tennis, in a round robin format.

The players will need to bring their racquet, snacks & water. There will be a canteen operating at the centre.

Registrations can be made at the club at 9.45am on the day or by calling Birdie on 69474968 or 0427 343 904.



NAME.....

ADDRESS.....

PHONE.....

AGE.....

EMERGENCY CONTACT & NUMBER.....

COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD

Next Newsletter:

28th May

2019

**Please have articles to
school by Monday 9am**

HUMULA P & C

Next meeting:

11th June 2019
9am

All welcome!



The Mobile Library visits
Humula on alternate
Wednesdays.
The next visit will be on the
22nd May 2019.

FOR SALE

2 x piano stools
\$20 each



CHAT WITH COUNCIL

Wagga City Council's
Community Engagement team
will be in Humula on
Wednesday at Humula Park.
They would love to hear your
ideas. Come have a coffee and
chat with them starting at
4.30pm.

Go to our FB page for more
info...

THE HUMULA PROGRAM ASSOCIATION
INVITES EVERYONE TO GATHER
FOR A COMMUNITY

LONG LUNCH

ON SAT 25th MAY AT 12 NOON
AT

THE HUMULA SOLDIERS MEMORIAL HALL

10 PER ADULT, 50 PER PRIMARY SCHOOL, LITTLE PEOPLE FREE

THIS IS TO COVER THE COST OF THE MEAT

EAT A SALAD OR DESERT TO SHARE

EAT DRINKS

RUPT ARE ESSENTIAL

JUDY

NEEDLE ORIENTED

PLEASE ASK YOUR NEIGHBOURS

WE HOPE YOU CAN JOIN US ALL FOR A GOOD DAY OUT

AND TO RE CONNECT OUR LITTLE COMMUNITY

POLICY STATEMENT

Humula Public School Newsletter seeks to serve the interests of Humula and the surrounding community by publishing the communities' news and views, while supporting local sporting, educational, recreational and charitable groups through publication of information relevant to their organisation.

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.

Contributions for the Newsletter are welcome from all community organisations. We endeavour to put out a Newsletter each fortnight so please send or fax items to the school by Monday of the Newsletter week and your item will be included. Advertisements for items for sale etc. are welcome for a donation.