

## Principal's Message

### What's on at HPS?

NAPLAN	12, 13 & 14 May
School Athletics Carnival	15/5
ICAS Competition Digital Technologies	19/5
SRC Mufti Day Nepal Fundraiser	20/5
BHS Early Transition	27/5

### Hand, Foot and Mouth Disease

Students within the community have been diagnosed with hand, foot and mouth disease and it is imperative that the outbreak is contained. Please refer to the living well fact sheet included with this Kalori and seek medical advice if necessary.

Thank You

### A Special Day for Special People



I hope all of the mothers, grandmothers and nans had a very special day on Sunday with their families.

This year the SRC elected not to hold Mother's Day and Father's Day stalls at school. I hope this decision has not disappointed our families and invite feedback around the decision.

In line with the theme of Education Week, *Celebrating Local Heroes*, our students will recognise and celebrate our mothers, fathers, grandparents and special people in their lives during education week. Please keep Week 3, Term 3 free to join us for this celebration.

**NAPLAN** NATIONAL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM  
Literacy and Numeracy

### NAPLAN ASSESSMENTS

The National Assessment Program - Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) is an annual national assessment for all students in Years 3 & 5. The tests provide parents and schools with an understanding of how individual students are performing at the time of the tests. All assessments will be conducted during the morning session according to the following timetable.

Tuesday - Language Conventions and Writing

Wednesday - Reading

Thursday - Numeracy

Regards, Theresa



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# Class Notes

## Kindergarten / Year 1

Melanie Durnan

Our spelling focus from now on differs between kinder and year one, kindergartens sound this week is on the focus of **k**, **c**, and **ck** in words such as kite, cat and kick. Year one are focusing on **ai** as in snail. Kindergartens sight words are **girl**, **boy** and **we**; Year One's words are **list 12**.

We started News Plans last week and it was great to see children filling out their news plans correctly and by themselves. Homework was started last week, the spelling consist of words from current and previous weeks sounds and the maths is work that they have previously learnt and completed at school, nothing should be new.

Apart from this week children's library day is Tuesday, it would be really great seeing more library books coming in for children to change.

I spoke to children last Friday about making sure their belongings are labelled, we have a lot of clothing in lost property and our classroom. Please make sure everything is labelled and children have all the equipment they require to do their school work.

Naplan is this week for children in years 3 and 5. We wish them all the very best and not to worry or stress because we all know that Naplan is not everything, you are much more than a test.

Happy Birthday to Eliza who celebrated her birthday yesterday on the 11<sup>th</sup> of May  
Our leaders this week are Ryder and Lacey.

## Year 1 / 2

Emma Byles, Jolonna Brand

As always it is another busy week in 1/2. This Friday the Year 2 children 8 years + will be going to Billabong High to participate in their first athletics carnival. I'm sure it will be a great day. Students from our class who are not attending the carnival will have a regular day at school.

### Week Ahead

Monday	PD/Health
Tuesday	Art (Mrs Fraser)
Wednesday	Scripture, Assembly (Even Weeks)
Thursday	Library (Mrs Eulenstein), Peer Support
Friday	Athletics Carnival - Billabong High School 8 Years +

Once again congratulations to those children who have been completing their home learning tasks and remembering to read every night and complete their news plan.

In spelling we are focusing on **l** **ll** in **lizard** **bell**. In maths we will be continuing to practice skip counting forwards and backwards, share items into equal groups, construct picture graphs and read o'clock, half past, quarter to/past times on an analog clock.

# Class Notes

## Year 2/3

Joanne Malmo

I am very proud of the manner in which the Year 3 students have been preparing for the NAPLAN testing this week. The Year 2 students have benefited from the preparation and are now writing some great persuasive and narrative texts. All students in Year 3 will be tested this week in the areas of language conventions, writing, reading and numeracy. If your child is absent on a day, we will arrange for them to catch up later in the week. Year 2 will have set work to complete during the testing sessions and will be supervised in Mrs Kane's room.

We have been engaged in some interesting conversations about prescription drugs and the safe use of these. The students are enjoying this PDHPE topic and are keen to learn more about the affects that drugs have on us and others.

We have begun some training for the athletics carnival this Friday. Thank you to the parents who have offered to help on the day, your assistance is valued. Thanks also to Mrs Liston and Mr Pickett who are organising the events.

This week we are studying the phoneme /and // as in lizard and bell. Our maths will continue as usual, our topics will include, multiplication, division, graphs, time, subtraction, fractions and capacity.

Leaders: Owen and Lucy

Scripture and assembly this week.

## Year 4

Julie Clancy/ David Pickett

This term is racing along very quickly. The students are very excited about the athletics carnival this Friday and aim to compete to the best of their abilities.

In literacy this week the students are looking at the a/a-e/ai/ay/ey graphemes. They will be asking and creating questions at the beginning, during and completion of reading sessions. They will ask questions to help establish the text type and purpose, and to help develop meaning. The students are developing their writing skills, using mood and tone when writing to entertain.

Addition and subtraction will be the focus for the next two weeks. The students will be using a number of strategies to help working with large sets of numbers, decimal numbers and fractional numbers.

It has been great to see most of the students decked out in their full winter uniform on these very chilly mornings. Keeping fit and healthy is very important during this flu season.

As part of our storytelling unit, as a class, we have decided to build a speaking stand or small stage. If anyone at home has some spare timber, that is not needed at all, can you please contact me if you would like to donate the timber.

# Class Notes

## Year 5

Mary Liston

We welcome a new student to our class this week, Wade Bain, and hope he will feel very welcomed and part of our school. Thank you to all the students who have ensured his first few days were smooth and enjoyable.

Naplan takes place this week with Language Conventions and Writing on Tuesday, with Reading on Wednesday and Numeracy on Thursday. We have completed quite a few practice papers and hope we are very prepared. Please remind your child to take their time and to try their best without worrying too much. Again if parents and students have any concerns or questions please come and see me about them. We do not want this to be a reason for undue stress on anyone involved.

Our history unit is called Australia is My Home and is a study of migration in Australia's history. We will be looking at who were the people who came to Australia?" and "Why did they come?" Last week we look at what is migration and viewed some personal stories of people who had come here from the 1950s to the 1990's.

Multicultural speeches will be next on the agenda with our school final on Friday 12th June and region final in Albury on June 24th. Students will receive their topics following Naplan and will be working on them as part of their homework. We will have discussion on the topics and look at some previous samples prior to that.

## Year 6

Theresa Kane & Claire Ross

Kalori Notes Week 4

The Week Ahead:

Tuesday- No Band due to NAPLAN assessments

Wednesday- Library, Scripture & Assembly

Thursday-Peer Support

Friday- Athletics Carnival at Billabong High School

Thank you to all the parents who have volunteered to assist at the Athletics Carnival on Friday. We look forward to a good day. Please remember to pack lots of warm clothes, food and water as there is **no canteen** on the day.

A reminder that all students are expected to be in full Winter uniform everyday with exception to Friday where students wear sport uniform. This includes correct school jumpers and black shoes.

Please contact us if you are unsure about the uniform requirements.

Congratulations to all students who are showing organisational skills by completing homework tasks on time. This week involves spelling, maths and home reading.

Have an enjoyable week.

## Community Notices

### **BORDER MUSIC CAMP**

Applications are now open for the 41st Border Music Camp which is being held in Albury from Sunday 28th June to Saturday 4th July. The camp is a week long residential camp for around 240 musicians of all ages, from beginners to advanced students. Musicians play in one of six large ensembles, experiencing rehearsals and tutorials each morning under the guidance of the camps skilled Conductors and Tutors. In the afternoon students can choose from a number of small groups in the 'elective sessions' where they will experience a wide variety of music which can include jazz, choir, big band, celtic music, string ensemble, experimental music and more. Musicians travel from across Australia to take part in Border Music Camp's unique opportunity in music education.

Children have a choice of living in the camp or attending for mornings only or for short or long day sessions. The camp will conclude with public concerts on Friday 3rd and Saturday 4th July.

The closing date for applications is Friday 5th June. More information is available from [www.bordermusiccamp.org.au](http://www.bordermusiccamp.org.au) or contact Ms Margie Gleeson after 6pm (0412 711 819).

There is also an information sheet available from the school office.

### **KITTENS FOR SALE**

Laura Murphy has 3 kittens for sale. Please contact her on 0418 285 985 for more information.

### **HENTY NETBALL CLUB**

Last chance for Net-Set-Go registrations. Registrations close Wednesday 20th May so please contact Tania Wettern if you wish to register (0428 634 727).

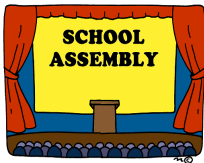
## **SRC NEWS OUT OF UNIFORM DAY NEPAL FUNDRAISER**

### **STUDENT COUNCIL**



The SRC are supporting an appeal for the Nepal earthquake on **Wednesday 20th May 2015**. We will be having a mufti day (out of uniform day) for a gold coin donation. We will be raising money for the Meg's Children Home Appeal. Please remember to wear casual clothes this day.

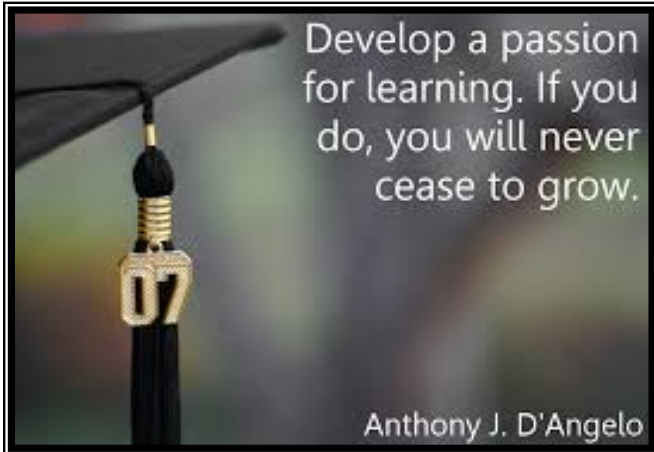




### ASSEMBLY

There will be **AN** assembly tomorrow

**SCHOOL CHOIR** has commenced and will continue every Tuesday for the remainder of the term.



### Canteen Roster



**Canteen**  
Co-Ordinators are  
**Alison Baldock &  
Mary-Anne Scott.**

### Term 2

18/5: Julie White  
25/5: Michelle Lieschke  
1/6: Debbie Klemke  
15/6: Teneal Jones  
22/6: Susan Kilo

**\* Please note that there will be NO canteen on Tuesday 9th June after the long weekend.**



### ANZAC DAY BOOKS FOR SALE

Please remember that there are ANZAC Day books available for sale at the office for \$20 each. These books were compiled by the students of Henty Public School, St Pauls School and Pleasant Hills Public School. The book is a war service record of the personnel who served in World War 1 from the Henty and Pleasant Hills honour rolls.

**National  
Reconciliation  
Week 2015**  
27 May to 3 June

**it's time to  
change it up!**

### What is National Reconciliation Week?

National Reconciliation Week (NRW) is celebrated across Australia each year between 27 May and 3 June. The dates commemorate two significant milestones in the reconciliation journey—the anniversaries of the successful 1967 referendum and the High Court Mabo decision.

The week is a time for all Australians to learn about our shared histories, cultures and achievements and to explore how each of us can join the national reconciliation effort. The Henty Public School will join in the celebrations for this week. Watch this space for more details in the coming weeks!



# Sport



**Basketball:** Well done to Imogen Jones who last week attended the state basketball in Sydney, as part of the Riverina team. Imogen was selected as captain of the team and we congratulate her on her role. The team were placed 11th overall this year and while they did not make finals, enjoyed the competition and the high standard of basketball.



**Soccer:** We would like to congratulate Zaid Al-Musawy on his selection to the Riverina Soccer Trials last Friday in Cootamundra. Unfortunately Zaid sustained an injury prior to the day and could not attend. We look forward to Zaid having the opportunity to participate next year in soccer trials.



**Athletics Carnival:** Thank you all students for the prompt return of notes and money for the athletics carnival and to the parent and family helpers. We really do appreciate your ongoing support. We are looking forward to the day and hope it will not be as hot as last year. Please remember to pack lots of warm clothes, food and water as there is **no canteen** on the day.

Date	Event	Location
15th May	School Athletics Carnival	Culcairn
22nd May	Riverina Netball	Wagga Wagga
29th May	Netball Knock Out	Henty
4th June	SR Athletics Carnival	Albury
11th June	Riverina Cross Country	Gundagai

# 2015 Athletics Carnival Helpers

Thank you for volunteering your time to assist us with our Athletics Carnival on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May 2015

**Marshall-** Natalie Martin

**Starter-** Jim Brennan

**Recorder-** Kellie Penfold/Claire Ross

**Announcer & Time Collector-** Mary Liston

## **Timekeepers-**

Lane	Timers
1	Jenny Zweck
2	Julie White
3	Saja Redha
4	Susan Kilo
5	Kirsty Brennan
6	Michelle Lieschke
Back up Track	Leah Campbell

## **Place Judges-**

Cindy Scott
Cathy Coe

**High Jump** Allie Murray and Sandy Newton

**Shot Put** Nicole Edwards and Rochelle Roulston

**Discus** Lauren Coe and Joanne Hutchesson

**Bring shade shelters & high jump to carnival** Stephen Zweck

**Return shade shelters & high jump to school** Peter Murray



Thank you to all those who have volunteered their time and assistance on the day, it is greatly appreciated and makes for a very successful carnival. We hope to have some Billabong High School students supporting parents on the events. If you are attending the carnival and haven't put your name down to help, please come and see us as you may be able to help relieve some of the other helpers.

If circumstances change and you are unable to assist us, could you please contact me at school ASAP.

Sports Coordinators