

## Principal's Message

### What's on at HPS?

ICAS Science Competition	3/6
SR Athletics Carnival	4/6
National Reconciliation Week Activities Multicultural Speeches	5/6
P & C Meeting SRC Disco	10/6
Riverina Cross Country	11/6

### Asthma Awareness

Yesterday Judy Wettenhall provided asthma awareness sessions for all students K-6 which included informative video clips. Judy recommended a website for students to view with their parents and teachers.

**Asthma  
Kids**

<http://asthmakids.org.au>

### Ngulagambilanha Art Excursion

Students in Years 5 & 6 travelled to the Wagga Art Gallery last Thursday and participated in the Ngulagambilanha project. This was an excellent opportunity to experience hands on print making. They also received an introduction to the Wiradjuri language, learning words and playing games. As a follow up, Year 5 and 6 students will be involved in a video conferencing session where they will view practices of the Gallery of NSW. They will also talk with Roy Kennedy, an artist the children have been studying in class.

### Multicultural Speeches

On Friday students selected from Years 3-6 will participate in the school multicultural speech final. Successful students will travel to Albury to participate in the regional finals on 24th June. Parents and interested community members are invited to attend the session at 12:10pm in the school hall.

### School App

The Henty Public School APP will be launched next Wednesday. Please join us at 3:45 pm or alternatively at the P & C meeting commencing at 6:30pm to find out more information related to the APP and it's many features. We value your feedback in relation to the school APP as features can be added to accommodate school needs.

Regards, Theresa



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# Class Notes

## Kindergarten / Year 1

Melanie Durnan

Our spelling focus this week for kinder is **f ff** as in fan and cuff; year one's sound is **ee** as in bee. Kindergartens sight words are **see, stop** and **go**; Year One's words are **list 15**.

Our maths topic the next two weeks is Fractions and Decimals, in fractions we are looking into halves and quarters. Our Space and Geometry focus this week is 2D shapes.

Yesterday Judy came to school to raise asthma awareness with children. We watched a short video informing students on what it is like to have asthma and what you can do if you see someone experiencing asthma.

A note went home yesterday informing you of the cultural day on Friday. There will be a free sausage sizzle for any children that would like one. At 2pm we will be breaking into groups and participating in activities in classrooms. It should be a really fun afternoon for all involved.

The majority of K/1 now have headphones for reading eggs! Thank you to those parents and children who have brought in headphones/earphones to the classroom to use when accessing reading eggs.

I understand that it is nearing the end of the term but please check with your children that they have what they need to complete their work at school. Many do not have lead pencils and rubbers which is making school work very difficult.

Our leaders this week are Ruby and Chanel.

## Year 1 / 2

Emma Byles, Jolonna Brand

Wow who can believe it is already week 7!!! I think this term is going even quicker than the last. Yesterday we had a session with an asthma educator. It was great to be reminded of how we support our friends who suffer asthma and review what asthma is.

### Week Ahead

Monday	PD/Health - Asthma Awareness Session
Tuesday	Art (Mrs Fraser)
Wednesday	Scripture
Thursday	Library (Mrs Eulenstein), Peer Support
Friday	Sport, Southern Riverina Athletics Carnival

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 **i\_e y igh i ie** in ice-cream fly night spider pie. In maths we will be working on identifying and continuing number patterns, using repeated addition to show multiplication, describe position and follow directions and measure area.

Just another reminder - every child needs to have grey lead pencils and glue to complete classroom learning tasks.

Congratulations Chayse and Jett who were our excellent classroom leaders last week.

# Class Notes

**Year 2/3**

**Joanne Malmo**

Most students have completed the writing of their Multicultural Perspective speeches and will be presenting them to the class during the course of this week. The presentation will form part of the speaking and listening assessment for this semester. Four students will be chosen to present their speech and an impromptu speech to the school on Friday.

We are continuing to have a lovely time reading and watching Dreamtime stories. The students will now be engaging in recounting their favourite story using the Photo story program.

Our science investigation is underway, we have been discussing the reasons for mass production of products such as bread. We are now learning about standardisation (all parts or ingredients being the same size or the same quantity), assembly line (production line) and specialisation (division of labour). Our unit of work will culminate in the students planning and creating their own assembly line in order to produce a food product for a class party.

Good luck to the students who are representing our school in the Southern Riverina Athletics carnival on Thursday.

Class leaders for this week are: Harry and Madi

**Year 4**

**Julie Clancy/ David Pickett**

Well done to all of the students on completing their Multicultural Perspective speeches. The speeches will given in class time during the week with the best performed speeches competing in the school final this Friday.

We are focusing on the m—mm—mb sound in literacy this week. The students are continuing to produce their written text, designed to entertain whilst teaching a moral or value. In reading, the focus will be on visualising, using the information from the text to help build a deeper understanding of what is read.

In maths, the focus will be on multiplying and dividing, using whole numbers, fractional numbers and decimal numbers.

Good luck to all the students competing in Southern Riverina sports carnival this Friday.

Class leaders: Heidi and Hugh

# Class Notes

## Year 5

Mary Liston

On Thursday a number of students from our class will be attending the Southern Riverina Athletics in Albury. The remaining students will combine with Year 6 for the day and will follow regular class activities. Good luck to all the students participating.

The school Multicultural Speaking Final will commence at 12pm this Friday in the hall. We look forward to hearing the finalists as the standard in the classroom has been very high. We hope to complete the classroom speeches today.

Library and Art this Tuesday, Assembly is on Wednesday and there will be no Peer Support this week due to so many students away at Athletics.

We had an asthma workshop yesterday with Mrs Judy Wettenhall and it targeting children and their understanding of asthma as well as how they can support peers who may have asthma. This forms part of our PDHPE curriculum. It was a timely reminder as we approach the cooler months of the year.

We had an excellent excursion to Wagga last week as part of the Ngulagambilanah Project and as a follow up, we will be participating in a video conference session on Wednesday morning at 11am. The conference will provide students with the opportunity to view practices of the Gallery of NSW and interact with the artist, Roy Kennedy, whose works students have been examining in class. A big thanks to Mrs Fraser for her role in accessing these great opportunities and allowing us to be proactive in National Reconciliation Week

## Year 6

Theresa Kane & Claire Ross

**Tuesday-** Band

**Wednesday-** Scripture & Library

**Thursday-** Southern Riverina athletics (selected students), homework due

**Friday-** Art with Mrs Fraser, Reconciliation Week Activities & Free BBQ, Multicultural Speech School Finals

Yesterday, Mrs Wettenhall presented an asthma awareness presentation to each class. This was an informative session which discussed the signs and symptoms of asthma.

Last Thursday, Year 6 enjoyed an art excursion to Wagga. They all returned with some new knowledge and appreciation for the Wirradjuri language. Thank you to Mrs Fraser and Mrs Liston for organising and taking the students.

We have completed a footy tipping results tally for the completed rounds so far. Once again, the class and teachers are very enthusiastic and competitive footy tippers.

Current leader board: 1st Mrs Kane (58), 2nd Ky Lieschke (52), 3rd Toby Murray & Charlie Doig (51), 4th Miss Ross (50)

Our Creative Catchment team has begun the task of writing the book for this year's project. This year we are writing about Dung Beetles and how the Scott family are using Dung Beetles as a pest management device. Thank you to the Scott family for allowing us to use their experiences and knowledge.

Homework this week involves home reading, spelling and students are able to work on their design projects for Science & Don't forget Reading Eggs is accessible from home and is a great way to practice reading and comprehension strategies.

Enjoy a well- deserved long weekend.



## Community Notices

### Billabong High School

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**At Billabong High School...**  
We provide a quality education for all students in a very caring environment while offering a broad range of academic, sporting, cultural, community and extra-curricular activities.

**Junior Curriculum and Electives on Offer:**

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- Industrial Technology • Information and Communication Technology • Japanese • Maths
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Pleasant Hills Pre School

# WALK-A-THON

Henty to Pleasant Hills 25km  
**NEW** Or  
Figtree Rd intersection to Pleasant Hills 10km

## SUNDAY 23RD AUGUST 2015

Starting from Henty at 8.30am  
Starting from Figtree Rd at 10.30am

Followed by BBQ lunch from 1pm  
at the Pleasant Hills Community Hotel

Friends, Family & Supporters  
are welcome to the BBQ



**WE ARE SEEKING WALKERS, SPONSORS & VOLUNTEERS**

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT  
NICOLE BECKETT 0412 467912 or EMILY TURNER 0427 296401

### HENTY LIFESTYLE CENTRE

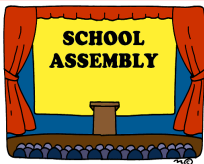
Want something for the kids (big and small) to do on a Sunday afternoon?, then come along to the Henty Lifestyle Centre Allan Street, from 1 - 3 pm to play table tennis, air hockey, fuse ball and mini pool.

\$2 children: 18 and Under, \$3 adults

Fully supervised



Please note that our activities for National Reconciliation Week will now be this **Friday 5th June**. All students from K-6 will participate in cultural activities which will culminate in a whole school dance. **There will be a free sausage sizzle lunch.**



## ASSEMBLY

There **WILL** be **NO** assembly tomorrow.

## CANTEEN REMINDER

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

## FRUIT BREAK REMINDER

There are many children coming to school each day without fruit for fruit break. Please make sure that your child has a piece of fruit in their lunch box every day.



## Canteen Roster

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

### Term 2

15/6: Teneal Jones

22/6: Susan Kilo

### Term 3

20/7: Kirsty Brennan

27/7: Cindy Scott

3/8: Saja Redha

10/8: Sandy Newton

17/8: Michelle Lieschke

24/8: Debbie Klemke

## BAND FEES REMINDER

Term 2 band fees are now overdue. If your child's band fees are not paid for they will not be permitted to take their instrument home to practice. There are also many children who have needs to pay for as well. The cost per reed is \$5.00. Please arrange payment to the office ASAP. Thank you.



Nutrition Snippet

## The simplest way

...to make healthy chicken nuggets + chips

Most kids love this fast food favourite – here's a healthy version that will satisfy even the fussiest eater!

### Ingredients

½ kilo chicken breast, breadcrumbs,  
1 egg - lightly beaten, ½ kg pumpkin,  
½ kg potatoes, 1 tablespoon olive oil.



### Method

- Peel + chop pumpkin and potato into wedges
- Coat the wedges in olive oil, place onto tray and bake at 180 degrees for 60 mins
- Meanwhile, cut the chicken into bite size pieces
- Dip the chicken pieces into the egg, then coat with breadcrumbs
- Place chicken nuggets onto tray and bake in the oven at 180 degrees for the remaining 20 mins
- Serve wedges and nuggets with a garden salad - delish!

Giving your kids fruit + veg every day will help them stay healthy and strong, and help protect against some diseases like cancer.

For more information visit

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or join us at [facebook.com/eatittobeatit](https://facebook.com/eatittobeatit)



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are proof  
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**TRYING**



# Sport



**Netball Knockout:** Our girls had a good day at netball on Friday; winning one game and losing the second game to Holbrook by just one goal. Thank you to Miss Ross for being our coach.



**SR Athletics Carnival:** Our carnival will take place at Alexandra Park in Albury this Thursday. We are taking 37 students to represent our school. If there are parents who could assist for a short time on shot put, that would be greatly appreciated. At this stage the weather is expected to be dry and the carnival will proceed.

**Riverina Cross Carnival:** Good Luck to Kyle, Nick and Angus who are competing in the Riverina Cross Country on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June at Gundagai.

**Thank you:** Thanks so much to Monique Doig for taking some wonderful photos of our inter house athletics carnival. There are many of these photos on display in the office foyer, as well as some fantastic photos of our junior athletics carnival. Please come in and have a look!

With so many carnivals happening lately a big thanks must go to our very capable sports house captains who have organised and assisted staff wherever needed. This certainly showed at the junior athletics carnival where the sports captains encouraged and helped the smaller students in all events.

Date	Event	Location
4th June	SR Athletics Carnival	Albury
11th June	Riverina Cross Country	Gundagai
25th June	Tony Lockett Shield	Holbrook





## SRC NEWS

The SRC will be holding a **disco** for Years 3-6.

When: Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> June, 2015

Time: 6.30pm to 8.30pm running in conjunction with the P & C meeting which commences at 6.30pm

Theme: 'What you want to be when you grow up'

Cost: Gold coin donation

Supper: Could all Year 5 & 6 please bring a plate of supper to share

**\*\*K-2 will hold a disco during class at another time\*\***



**VALUE  
AWARDS  
26/05/15**

## **PARTICIPATION**

KINDER/1: Jessica Hoskinson

YEAR 1/2: Katelyn Toogood

YEAR 2/3: Jonathon Coe

YEAR 4: Hugh Edwards

YEAR 5: Jessica Toogood

YEAR 6: Toby Murray

## **HONOURS AWARDS**

Congratulations to Blake Roulston and Henry Kilo who both received honours awards at assembly last week. In order to receive an honours award you must get 5 principals awards and for students so young this is a huge achievement. Well done to both boys!

## **SEMESTER ONE SCHOOL REPORTS & PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS**

School reports will be distributed on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June and parent teacher interviews will take place the last week of term, Monday 22<sup>nd</sup>, Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> & Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> June. More information and booking times will be sent out at a later date.