



Bunmurra Byala



Here, there, everywhere. Blue Tongue Lizard talk

Dear Families,

Welcome to Term 3, Week 2.

We are looking forward to our athletics carnival this Friday. As much as we love and need the rain we are hoping the sun shines for us. As previously mentioned, for us to go be able to proceed with the carnival we must adhere to strict guidelines. Adhering to these guidelines will mean that we need to restrict parent and carer access. If you do choose to attend the carnival as spectators, there will be bunting to mark out the carnival area and we request that parents and carers responsibly social distance on the outside of the bunting.

Thank you to Mr Scott for all of the time and effort he went to preparing a full 30 minutes of fun and laughter for our Term 2 PBL winners last Friday. When I popped in to visit, there were huge smiles all around and they didn't want it to end.

School photos will still be on Friday August 21, and the purchase envelope will be sent home with students next Monday August 3.

We had a call from a community member last week expressing concern for some of our students. It was reported that was about 6 students in HPS uniform riding their scooters in the middle of Valley Rd. Two cars were approaching from either direction and the students stayed in the middle of the road forcing the cars to pull over. We regularly reinforce road and bike/scooter safety here at school and do not want an accident to occur with any of our students or anybody else. Please reinforce road safety rules at home and the dangers that this type of behaviour can lead to. Do not hesitate to contact the school if you would like to discuss this incident further.

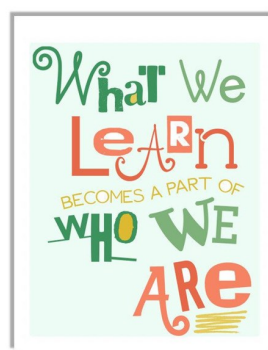
As a school, we have opted in to participate in a new literacy and numeracy assessment package to further complement the suite of short assessments available. These assessments are to assist schools in identifying what students can do and to inform further teaching and learning. This is a 'check-in' assessment and designed to supplement existing school practices to identify how students are performing and to help teachers tailor their teaching more specifically to student needs. This does not replace NAPLAN and there will not be a parent report as it for school based data practices only.

This week some of our executive staff will be participating in professional learning for the Leading Evaluation, Evidence and Data (LEED) capability building project. This project will support our school in the identification, refinement and implementation of evidence-informed practices for school improvement. Over three years, the project will support school executive in leading the implementation of evidence-informed practices, underpinned by evaluative thinking.

In regards to Covid-19, we will continue with all of the current procedures that were in place last term. This includes being vigilant around cleaning, good hygiene and sanitizing. If your child displays any symptoms of being unwell please keep them at home until the symptoms clear up. All non-essential visitors to the school are asked not to enter school grounds. We continue to be grateful for everyone's support during this time in assisting us to keep all of our students and staff as safe as we possibly can.

Warm regards,

Melinda



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2020 Term Dates



Term 3

School Development Day - Monday 20th July 2020

Term 3 commences—Tuesday 21st July 2020

Last day of Term 3—Friday 25th September 2020

Term 4

Staff and students return—Monday 12th October 2020

Last day of term 4— Wednesday 16th December 2020

Dates to Remember

July

Mon 27th—Fri 31st July: 3-6 Parent teacher interviews

Friday 31st July: Athletics Carnival

August

Tuesday 4th –Tues 25th August:

K-2 Gymnastics

Friday August 21st: School photo Day

September

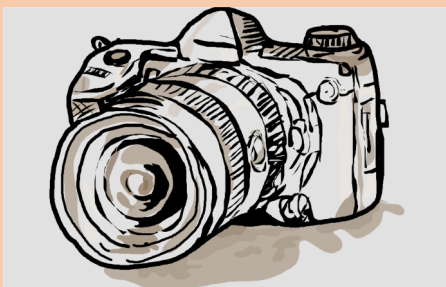
Tuesday 1st—Tues 22nd Sept: K-2 Gymnastics

Friday 4th Sept: Years 1-2 Riverside theatre

Friday 11th Sept: K-2 Sports carnival

School Photos

Photos will now be taking place on Friday 21st August. Please make sure students are wearing correct Winter uniform on the day. Order forms will be sent home next Monday.



Bell Music



This week's bell song:
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Survivor is an American rock band, formed in Chicago in 1978. The band achieved its greatest success in the 1980s, producing many charting singles, especially in the United States. The band is best-known for its double-platinum-certified hit "Eye of the Tiger". The band continued to chart in the mid-1980s with 6 top 10 hits in the US. To date, the band has recorded 8 studio albums and has gone through various line-up changes.

Eye of the Tiger was released in 1982. It was the theme song for the motion picture *Rocky III*. It sold over 2 million copies in the US alone and held the number 1 position there for 6 weeks. It also held the number 1 position in countries such as the UK, Australia, Canada, Finland, Japan and South Africa.

The reason why this song was chosen to be this week's bell song:

The HPS Athletics Carnival (Friday July 31): On again, off again, let's hope the sun dries up the wet start to the week and the students of HPS can hit the various track and field events at Tom Hunter this Friday. 'Eye of the Tiger' was chosen as a song of inspiration for each student to aim to participate in a range of events and strive to do their personal best.

I hope you enjoy the song.
Yours in music appreciation,
Mr Dewhurst

P&C

Due to the Athletics Carnival the Canteen will be closed on Friday 31st July.

Due to this ever changing climate, there will be NO Canteen at the Athletics carnival. The P&C would like to gift each student attending the carnival a small bag of lollies and juice.

A note has been sent home to opt out if you DO NOT want your child to receive this.



Athletics Carnival

If weather permits, the Athletics Carnival will take place this Friday the 31st July!

Our athletics carnival is open for all students from 2-6. The carnival will be at Tom Hunter Park in Faulconbridge with students travelling by bus to and from the oval.

Due to social distancing measures, parents or carers who do wish to attend must remain behind the bunting erected at the oval for the safety of our students..

THERE WILL BE NO CANTEEN SERVICE AT THE CARNIVAL SO PLEASE PACK SNACKS AND LUNCH FOR YOUR CHILD.

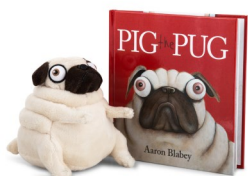
In the interest in health, we ask for all students to please bring their own water bottle.

Library



The Challenge is quickly drawing to a close, with a little over a month left before all student entries are to be finalised. The closing date for the 2020 Challenge is **Friday August 28**.

Congratulations to last weeks winners of Pig the Pug and Bluey! Bluey is spending the week with KR while Pig the Pug will be with 2BG. Due to the Student free day on Monday, Stage 2 and Stage 3 did not have their usual class times.



BOOK FAIR

Our Term 3 Book Fair has been rescheduled for Term 4.

Book Club will now be in Term 3.

Order forms will be sent home this Term with orders due back by August 10th.

PBL

Week 2 Winners

ES1	Laycee B	KR
S1	Luca S	2D
S2	Tully C	3/4M
S3	Olivia H	MAC M

PBL Rule

I am responsible if I take care of my own actions.



Pyjama Day 2020

The last term of Term 2 was one to remember. It was Pyjama Day, and everyone was dressed to impress....their pillows.

Everywhere you looked there were onesies, dressing gowns, slippers and an occasional blanket. I personally enjoyed myself. Most of the classes watched a movie in honour of the activity and as a celebration of the last day of term. But the day wasn't just all about fun. If you were to wear your pyjamas, you had to bring a gold coin donation to school. The aim was to raise money to purchase new scooter racks we need. The school has previously purchased scooter racks, but since installing them, more and more students are riding their scooters to school and we are quickly running out of room. With the initiative of the SRC Team 2020, we have raised over \$400.00 to buy new scooter racks. I can't think of a better way to end Term 2. Congratulations to everyone and looking forward to another SRC project for Term 3.

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MAC M

Last week, students who had paid a deposit for the Stage 3 camp were sent a note in regards to refund methods available. Could these notes please be returned to the Office ASAP so we can organise these for you.

A reminder to parents that if your child attends the office due to any cold/flu like symptoms, they will need to be collected by a parent or carer. Once the student has no symptoms, they are welcome to return to school as per Department guidelines.

Families wishing to enrol for Kindergarten 2021, please call in or contact the Office for an enrolment pack.

Dates to Remember

ASAP: Stage 3 camp refund note













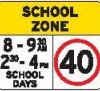



Monday 27th July: Payment and signed note for Athletics Carnival due


Monday 3rd August: Payment and signed note for K-2 Gymnastics program due



SCHOOL ZONE OFFENCES WHAT ARE YOU RISKING?*

FACT Children are small, harder to see, behave unpredictably and are extremely vulnerable. They need **YOU** to take extra care when driving and parking around school zones.

 <p>No Parking You have 2 minutes to drop-off or pick-up and must stay within 3 metres of your vehicle.</p>	 <p>PENALTY \$194 + 2 DEMERIT POINTS</p>	<p>Pedestrian Crossings Do not stop or park on or near a marked crossing.</p>	 <p>PENALTY \$464 + 2 DEMERIT POINTS</p>
 <p>No Stopping You are not permitted to stop on a length of road with a no stopping sign.</p>	 <p>PENALTY \$349 + 2 DEMERIT POINTS</p>	<p>Driveways Do not stop on or across a driveway.</p>	 <p>PENALTY \$349 + 2 DEMERIT POINTS</p>
 <p>Bus Zone You must not stop your vehicle in a Bus Zone unless you are driving a public bus.</p>	 <p>PENALTY \$349 + 2 DEMERIT POINTS</p>	<p>Intersections Do not stop on or within 20 metres of an intersection.</p>	 <p>PENALTY \$464 + 2 DEMERIT POINTS</p>
 <p>Mobile Phone Use Do not use a hand held mobile phone while driving.</p>	 <p>MAX. PENALTY \$2200 + 5 DEMERIT POINTS</p>	<p>Parallel Parking Must parallel park in direction of travel unless signpost states otherwise.</p>	 <p>PENALTY \$349 + 2 DEMERIT POINTS</p>
<p>School Zone Speeding Offences</p>  <p>40kmph is the speed limit. Children are vulnerable in school zones.</p>	 <p>MAX. PENALTY \$3821 + 7 DEMERIT POINTS</p>	<p>Double Parking Do not double park in a school zone.</p>	 <p>PENALTY \$349 + 2 DEMERIT POINTS</p>
		<p>Footpath and Nature Strip Do not stop on a footpath, nature strip or obstruct ramp or path access.</p>	 <p>PENALTY \$349 + 2 DEMERIT POINTS</p>



*Fines current as of July 2020. Fines and demerit points are subject to change.

School Zones are back in operation. As children return to school, let's make sure we remain vigilant when it comes to road safety around schools, take extra care when parking and driving.



Just a reminder that the speed limit in school zones is 40km/h between 8 and 9:30 am and 2:30-4pm. So keep our kids safe, stick to the school zone speed limit and slow down. They're counting on you.

Did you know?

Over the last 5 years the Hazelbrook Public School P&C have funded

- Aircon installation (In conjunction with Hazelbrook Public School)
- Blue Tongue Lizard and Aboriginal Food Trail learning space
 - Block out blinds on classrooms
 - Uniform Shop cupboards
 - Digital Sign
- Benchtop appliance upgrade in the canteen
- Green House upgrade (in conjunction with Bendigo Bank)
 - Home Reader purchase
 - 2018 Movie / Fete Night
 - Carnival Marquees

