



Hunters Hill High School Parents & Citizens' Association

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P&C Campaign: Calling on all Parents - Reiby Rd Footpath

The HHHS P&C has been lobbying Hunters Hill Council for 18 months for a footpath to be installed on the western side of Reiby Rd to ensure our students can safely walk to school from the Church St overpass.

Already this year a student has had an accident requiring surgery as a result of a fall on the rocky goat track that our kids are expected to traverse. The P&C is also deeply concerned about the safety of students crossing up and down the length of Reiby Rd.

Hunters Hill High School is the only school in the Hunters Hill Municipality that does not have a well made, safe footpath for our students to access their school. Every other school has safe pedestrian access via wide, properly maintained footpaths connecting to public transport.

Inadequate Council Proposal

Instead of a footpath, Hunters Hill Council has proposed that the "pram ramps" on Reiby Rd be re-oriented, and that the kerb at Church St is widened. This represents something of a backflip, as Council has previously indicated it would construct a footpath.

The P&C has made a detailed submission to Council outlining why we consider this a completely inadequate and ineffective solution to improving student safety. We will continue to lobby Council until the safety of our students matches that of students at every other school in this municipality.

Public Meeting - 7pm, Monday 2 September 2019, Staff Common Room

The P&C invites all interested parents to attend a special Public Meeting on Monday 2nd September to discuss the issue of pedestrian safety on Reiby Rd. Please show your support by attending!

The P&C is inviting *all* Hunters Hill Councillors to attend the meeting to observe and hopefully answer questions. We are also inviting representatives of Marist Sisters Woolwich, and our residential neighbours, who likewise are interested stakeholders.

We look forward to a fair, professional and constructive meeting. We hope to see you there!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Martin Brown'. The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a large initial 'M'.

Martin Brown
President, HHHS P&C