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THE JOURNAL OF HUNTERS HILL HIGH SCHOOL

The Figtree

November 2016



Introducing the Hunters Hill High School Captains and Vice Captains for 2017 From L-R: Brigitte Villasmill Rivas (C), Tom Brennan (VC), Caitlin Nash (VC) and Matthew Gray (C)

DATES TO REMEMBER

November 21	November 23 - 25		
P&C Meeting	Achievers Camp		
November 29	November 30 & December 1		
Grade Summer Sport Finals	Year 10 Peer Support		
December 1	December 2		
P&C Christmas Drinks	Year 10 Picnic		
December 5	December 6		
Year 10 Formal	Year 6 Orientation Day		
December 7	December 9		
HHHS Presentation Day	HHHS Sports Presentation Day		
December 12	December 13		
Year 10 Graduation Day Assembly	Year 10 Finalisation Day		
December 16	December 19 - 20		
Last Day for Students	School Development Days		

Don't Be Late!

Hunters Hill High School Bell Times

Morning Warning Bells - 8.30am & 8.44am

Assembly/Roll Call Bell - 8.48am

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Whilst we send our Christmas wishes and a reminder of our commencement dates for the coming school year in December, our November *Figtree* is our last newsletter for the school year. As such, it's timely for me to thank and celebrate our wonderful 2016 contributors as well as those who manage the publication, printing and distribution of our newsletter each month with significant skill and commitment. Throughout the year, our school community has a very full calendar and our monthly newsletter captures events, achievements and issues and communicates them to those within and beyond our school community.

This term, especially its closing weeks, are very busy weeks in our school calendar. We conclude our academic, sporting and cultural commitments. Also, during this time, we celebrate our outstanding achievements and achievers of 2016; have a very full schedule refining our 2017 priorities as well as work to ensure that the school is fully staffed and our timetable for the 2017 school year is finalised. Despite this frenetic pace and eventful period, it's crucial to remind all students that their learning continues - after all, Hunters Hill High students are safe, respectful, active learners!

It's clear from this newsletter, that staff, students and parents are integral to the delivery of our programs for our students, their engagement and achievement. Congratulations to Ms Austin and the team of dedicated teachers and students who ensured the success of 'Top of the Hill'. Our school community is committed to the success of our transition programs, including Top of the Hill, as these programs not only open vistas but ensure a smooth transition for students as they move from primary to high school. And what a great leadership opportunity these programs provide for our students – opportunities to lead and guide young charges!

Congratulations and thanks to Year 12 Advisor Mr Pickles, who has led Year 12 over the past six years with dedication, commitment and care, Deputy Principal Mr Gane and all the teachers who attended and supervised the recent Year 12 Formal. Everyone looked stunning including Mr Pickles in his very fetching pink jacket; and were well-behaved whilst enjoying a great evening and significant milestone. My thanks to those Year 12 students who have completed their 'sign-out', returned all school resources and paid all outstanding accounts; for those who haven't, the current HSC students are waiting on those texts!

Please note the dates for the Year 10 Formal, picnic day and Graduation Assembly which mark this cohort's transition from junior to senior school with its increased workload and rigour. These milestones will be very significant for this cohort as they also bid farewell to Year 10 Advisor Mr Wade, who has been enticed to leave teaching for another career path, and welcome Mr Habbouchi, who assumes the role of Year 11 Advisor in 2017. Apart from his service to teaching, Mr Wade leaves a memorable legacy with this impressive group of students.

This month's P&C meeting promises to be a very interesting one as the school will outline the school's priorities for 2017 and the data that has been used to inform these priorities. I look forward to seeing you at this meeting - the last for the year - as well as the various school events and celebrations in the coming weeks.

Judith M. Felton

Deputy Principal Report

I was honoured to accompany Ms Lenard and our student volunteers to the Lane Cove RSL Remembrance Day Service on Friday 11th November. Our students were wonderful ambassadors for the school throughout the service in the Lane Cove Plaza. I'd particularly like to recognise School Captain Matthew Gray, who read the Ode as part of this ceremony.

It was also a great pleasure to attend the Year 12 Formal on Wednesday 9th November. The night was a huge success and well attended by many HHHS staff members. Congratulations to our Events Captain Charlotte Bull and Year Advisor Mr Pickles for organising this wonderful celebration.

As detailed in recent Figtree articles, our journey to overhaul and improve our computer network continues. I'm very pleased with our progress and migration to eT4L thus far. As part of our improvements, we took delivery of 16 new desktop computers (\$9,600). These computers have been used to upgrade all Interactive Whiteboards throughout the school.

Most excitingly, our Shade Sail has now been finalised and providing much appreciated shade in our assembly area. Photos of the shade sail can be viewed over the page. The impressive Shade Sail was made possible by our P&C Association's fundraising and all those families who pay their P&C contributions each year.

On other infrastructure / maintenance news, I'm finalising our 'scheduled maintenance work' (funded by the Department of Education) this week. This year, HHHS received \$75,000 from the Department to spend on maintenance projects. This funding, on top of the substantial amount HHHS directly funds for projects, will be put towards two major areas. The work scheduled for this funding includes further repairs to K Block external surfaces and re-concreting several areas around the top of the school to eliminate unsightly surfaces and trip hazards. Remaining funds will be directed to drainage improvements and building cleaning.

Parents interested in receiving a video copy of our Music Soiree, Variety Night or Year 12 Showcase are asked to email the school with this request. Our office is happy to provide a link to the videos online. Parents are able to download a copy of these videos from the site provided.

As the second half of Term 4 approaches, I'm very much looking forward to attending many exciting activities aimed at rewarding our students who have tried their best throughout the year and made a worthy contribution to their school. Thank you to the wonderful teachers who have arranged these activities such as Achievers Camp, Wet and Wild Excursion, Luna Park Excursion and the Year 10 Formal.

I encourage all students to remember that your focus on learning must be maintained throughout the remainder of the year. Teachers will still be delivering meaningful and engaging lessons. Critical preparation for 2017 will occur in the next few weeks. I encourage all to follow our mantra of 'Safe, Respectful, Active Learners".

Josh Gane Deputy Principal New Shade Sails made possible by P&C fundraising



P&C Report

It is very pleasing to see the P&C funded Sail Shade over the assembly area in place at last. We hope that the students enjoy the shade and feel more comfortable, especially over the summer months.

Our wonderful gardening co-ordinator Neil Hopkins is leaving the school at the end of the year as his third child has just finished Year 12. Neil has done an amazing job over many years in maintaining the school grounds with a group of committed volunteers. He has worked very hard to improve many areas of the school on a shoestring budget and we extend our thanks and gratitude to him. We are very pleased that Simon Hirst has agreed to take over from Neil as gardening co-ordinator.

Christmas Drinks on the Balcony will be held on Thursday, December 1 at 6pm. Preceding this there will be a performance by music and dance groups from 5pm in the Music Block Theatrette. I hope that many of you can join us to enjoy a relaxing evening with parents, teachers and other members of the school community.

The last P&C meeting for 2016 will be held on Monday, 21 November - tea and coffee served from 6.30 prior to the meeting at 7pm in the Staff Common Room so please come along to hear about what is happening at the school and our plans for next year.

Margaret Schnitzler President, Hunters Hill High School P&C Association



HHHS P&C ASSOCIATION PRESENTS

CHRISTMAS DRINKS ON THE BALCONY

THURSDAY, 1 DECEMBER 2016 6.00PM

PRECEDED AT 5.00PM WITH PERFORMANCES BY THE DANCE AND MUSIC GROUPS IN THE MUSIC BLOCK THEATRETTE

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Racism Stops With Us.

WINNER - Sam Galati (Year 8)



RUNNER UP – Isabelle Shepherd (Year 7)



RUNNER UP – Alexander Galati (Year 10)

ANTI-RACISM CAMPAIGN - POSTER COMPETITION

Earlier in Term 4, the Student Representative Council (SRC) teamed up with the Anti-Racism Contact Officer (ARCO), Mr Skinner, to develop a way to publicly show Hunters Hill High School's unity in condemning racism.

The SRC year representatives ran information sessions with their peers explaining how important it is to stand together for equality. They and also released details of a poster design competition –the objective being to come up with a simple visual way for Hunters Hill High School to show their solidarity.

The competition was open to all year groups and we received a number of creative and thoughtful entries. The winner was Year 8 student Sam Galati and he received a \$50 Westfield Gift Card. There were two worthy runners up: Isabelle Shepherd of Year 7 and Alexander Galati of Year 10.

The SRC now hopes to use the winning design on posters, stickers and badges to use for its ongoing campaign.

Thank you to all the participants and congratulations to Sam!

Ms Austin



ENTRY – William Mabbutt (Year 9)



Congratulations to the Anti-Racism Campaign poster competition winners!

SCHOOL NEWS

Volunteering News!

Hunters Hill Council celebrating their Annual Volunteers Morning Tea for 2016

A group of 10 students were invited to participate in Hunters Hill Council Annual Volunteers Morning Tea on Wednesday, 9 November 2016 at the Hunters Hill Town Hall.

The students enjoyed all the festivities. Hunters Hill Council Mayor, Richard Quinn gave an address to all of Hunters Hill Volunteers and thanked them for what they do for Hunters Hill.

We would like to thank Hunters Hill Council for its hospitality and invitation to be part of the festivities.

Sacha Thomas, Charisse Cain, Ben Murray, Marko Pavlovic, Alec Stacy, Ben Hurworth, Iko Daniel, Cameron Zirn and Karla Redden-Tuitjer represented Hunters Hill High School.

Ria Lenard Volunteer Co-ordinator









Remembrance Day Service - Friday, 11 November 2016

Remembrance Day commemorates those who were killed during World War 1 and World War 11.

Hunters Hill High Students were invited to participate in the Remembrance Day Service at Lane Cove Plaza, with our school captains in particular performing important roles. Matthew Gray was invited to read The Ode and Brigitte Villasmil performed the flag orderlies. Vice Captains Tom Brennan and Caitlin Nash, along with Marko Pavlovic, Ben Murray, Iko Daniel, Cassandra Reich, Kayla Hayden-Moraes and Fiona Schnitzler, assisted with the wreath laying by the Official Party and in handing out rosemary.

Ria Lenard















Poppy Day 2016

Hunters Hill High School has once again sold merchandise for Remembrance Day 2016. Remembrance Day commemorates Australians who have suffered or died in war. Our students enjoyed selling the different merchandise, including pens, red poppies, badges and purple poppies (to commemorate dogs that died in war).

All the students enjoyed interacting with shoppers and shopkeepers of Lane Cove.

They appreciated the generosity of Lane Cove residents and visitors. Students recalled conversations with people whose fathers and sons were in the war and they explained to the students some of their experiences. It was a very educational experience for our international students who had never heard of Remembrance Day.

Thank you to Lane Cove RSL for providing lunch which everyone enjoyed.

Ria Lenard Volunteer co-ordinator







2016 YEAR 12 FORMAL













































Top of the Hill 2016

On Monday 7th and Wednesday 9th November, Hunters Hill High School opened its gates to over 80 local primary students. The annual Top of the Hill transition program was established in 2011 to address not only the nerves and worries arising upon the end of Year 6, but to encourage the local community of students to get to know Hunters Hill High School and the rich curriculum it has to offer.

The students were divided into five groups and spent the two days immersed in enriching sessions of: music composition, drama, food technology, science, metal work and dance. Expert teachers and Head Teachers led these sessions and provided the primary students with hands on experience of the quality facilities and resources available to them when they enrol in the coming years.

Hunters Hill High School's Student Representative Council students were guides to the primary student groups and demonstrated maturity, respect and kindness in their support of their younger peers. Additionally, the student helpers for each session modelled the high expectations for behaviour and cooperation in assisting the teachers in their sessions.

Top of the Hill culminated in a presentation by the younger students to their parents – showing off all they had learned and experienced in the jam packed two days: hilarious drama performances, messy demonstrations of science experiments and an amazing dance composition. As always, everyone involved came out smiling and many a little too keen to don their Hunters Hill High School uniform early and skip Year 6 altogether.

Our thanks to:

Mr Pickles - Head Teacher of Technical and Applied Sciences
Mr Aubusson - Science Teacher
Mr Bruce - Science Teacher
Ms Ng - Food Technology Teacher
Ms Simpson - Head Teacher of Student Engagement and Achievement
Ms Deagle - Head Teacher of Creative and Performing Arts
Ms Cullen - Music Teacher
and
Kate - our amazing dance teacher

Without their dedication and passion, programs like Top of the Hill would not be possible.

See you next year!

Ms Austin





Welcome to our Year 12, 2017

As we farewell our graduating class of 2016, we welcome our new HSC cohort. Our new senior students face a rollercoaster 365 days ahead, full of excitement and trepidation for families, friends and even the pets!

Many of our students have chosen to change their study patterns to include fewer units and gain additional study time for their other subjects. Some have commenced Major Works; others are promising their teachers that this year will be the year they keep books tidy for their final exams.

Parents, what can you do?

Help your child get organised

If you missed our Year 12 Parent Information evening then make sure your child brings home, and discusses their assessment schedule with you. As a family stick up the relevant pages in a public space, on the fridge or in the hallway, so you can check them and talk about upcoming tasks. If you can, break up big tasks into small manageable goals to 'tick off' as you go. Don't forget to celebrate the work that has been done in a timely manner. The HSC is all about little wins.

Study patterns

Other than setting aside time to study, we encourage parents to talk about different methods of study. No one knows your child like you do; if he or she enjoys drawing, then ask them to illustrate mind maps that demonstrate their understanding of the core concepts. If your child learns better by ear, encourage them to record themselves reading essential content, then listen to it later. Negotiate goals or tasks to achieve during study time - let your child lead this process by asking what they need to get done urgently, soon and in the long term. Test their understanding; if your son or daughter has been in their room 'studying for hours' then ask for the notes to quiz them. If all else fails, help them create flash-cards or discussion questions for the next study session.

Encourage balance

You don't always have to be the bad cop. When success is evident, make time to celebrate with your son or daughter, even if it is as simple as them choosing what to eat for dinner. Encourage work-life balance and embrace positive friendships within your child's life. We know that peers are significant influences during adolescence. Set goals for the future, but not just educational goals, talk about travel, employment, sport and lifestyle choices. Even if your child doesn't know what he/she wants to do, then talk about keeping options open and creating lifelong skills.

Get out of jail free card

Finally, set up an HSC free day. Create a safe zone, your kids will love it! Pick a day that no one can ask about school, future study plans, assignments or exams. If your child brings it up then game on, but let them know that there is an escape and life is so much bigger than school!

Points of Contact

If you have questions or need support, please contact your child's teacher, the Head Teacher of the subject, Year Advisor (Ben Neilsen for Year 12 2017) or myself.

I look forward to hearing from you,

Ruth Simpson

HT Student Engagement and Achievement

NEW EQUIPMENT IN HOSPITALITY BENEFITS STUDENT LEARNING

Hospitality and Food Technology students have benefited from the transformation of the Hospitality Kitchen to a well equipped kitchen for 21st Century teaching and learning.

This year at Hunters Hill High School, the Commercial Kitchen has gained an additional two new shelves to store essential equipment which students use in every practical class.

New colour coded chopping boards which comply with the Work Health and Safety 2011 NSW legislation are now being used by students.

For the first time since the department was established, brand new electric beaters were purchased enabling students to make a variety of recipes including muffins and biscuits.

Hospitality students have also been using the new stainless steel digital scales and commercial grade cast iron grills. They have made Greek lamb kebabs and seared steak for Thai beef salad. Pancakes have also been made perfectly with the new non-stick fry pans. Students are embracing their opportunities to create food to industry standards.

A new chest freezer and fridge were purchased to cater for school functions. Year 11 and 12 Hospitality, along with Year 8 students, have been involved in catering for whole school events this year. Students have catered for the Swimming and Athletics Carnivals, Open Day, the Principal's Morning Tea, Soiree night and Year 12 Graduation.

Below are photos of students involved in catering for Year 12 Graduation. Students made a variety of sandwiches, mini muffins, fruit platters and samosas.

The new equipment and transformation of the Hospitality facilities have also been complemented by new textbooks that can be digitally accessed.

The 21st Century state of the art Hunters Hill High School Commercial Kitchen enables students to make and create dishes that will transform their lives both now and in the future in our multicultural Australian society. Students in Hospitality and Food Technology learn to appreciate and work with food to become independent creators of healthy dishes throughout their lives.

Ms. J. Ng Hospitality Teacher







Students: Anida Ceric, Hannah Ottewill, Trinity Stace, Alex Manfield, Carlie Zhang, Peter Wobke, Isabella Perry, Ayana Minagawa

Year 7 Technology Mandatory Textiles and Design

Year 7 Textiles have made aprons this year that reflect their own food story. They have designed a pocket using Web 2.0 programs and also Photoshop to include elements of indigenous and multicultural foods.

Below are photos of their designs.





This term, Zack Jones finished his apron and designed a Star Wars cot quilt as a Christmas present for his baby cousin.





Year 7 students have worked hard this term and they are now on to sewing shorts for summer.

Ms J. Ng Textiles and Design Teacher

Careers Corner

Year 12: Congratulations to all of our Year 12 students on completing the Higher School Certificate. The final HSC Exam concluded on Friday, 4 November when our Design and Technology students were the lucky last subject on the calendar. I would like to wish all our students the best in their future endeavours.

Year 11: The entire Year 11 cohort will be attending the school 'Motivation Day'. This day will comprise of a number of speakers talking to our 'New Year 12" students about the HSC. I will be attending this day and talking about what options students will have before, during and after their HSC is completed. There will be lots of great information shared on the day.

Year 10: Our Year 10 cohort is completing the last few modules of All My Own Work, this has been a fluid transition with all Year 10 students completing these tasks on time. To finish off the year, all students will be reviewing the 2016 UAC Guide where there is information regarding all the courses from Universities across NSW. This will give our students a clearer understanding of what will be required of them when they get to their HSC years.

Year 9: Our wonderful Year 9 Work Education class is coming to the end of what has been a great first elective year. So far this term, the class has been learning about 'Workplace Communication' and 'Conflict Resolution'. After these units of work we hope to give our students the necessary skills needed to be effective members of the workforce. Many of our Year 9 cohort will be looking for employment in the next year, so I am sure they will be prepared.

Daniel Kovacic Careers

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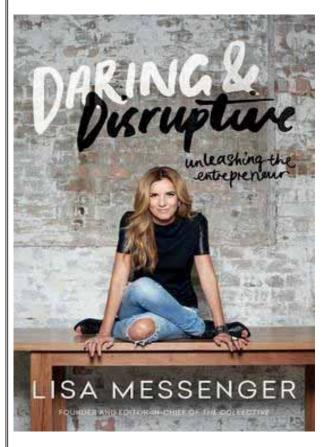
Girls Welfare - News in November

At Hunters Hill High School, we are committed to the social, emotional and physical well-being of all students. We are especially considerate of the development of our girls and their wellbeing throughout their time at school. With a number of whole school programs including mentorship initiatives, the newly introduced wellbeing space and many more - we aim to increase the level of awareness of support available to the girls of Hunters Hill High. Coupled with this, Hunters Hill High works to improve, motivate and establish a sense of belonging and self-identity to help establish themselves as a 'Woman in the Workforce.'

Below is a short biography on Lisa Messenger and her journey to success as a 'Woman in the Workforce.'

Julia Riviera Girls' Welfare Advisor

WOMEN IN THE WORKFORCE



Lisa Messenger is the founder and Editor-in-Chief of The Collective Magazine, best-selling author of multiple books including *Daring and Disruptive, Life & Love, Money + Mindfulness* and *Break-Up's & Breakthroughs*. A symbol for game changers, rule breakers and style makers, Lisa is truly disrupting her industry and walks her talk that "anything is possible."

It hasn't always been that way; in fact, throughout her twenties Lisa battled with the depths of depression, suicidal thoughts and alcohol abuse for escape from the life she now remembers as a "train smash."

Lisa's is a journey of courage, self-discovery and hard work – emotionally and commercially. This, she explains, has been the key to unlocking her creative power and turning it into the empire she's built despite the odds.

Recently celebrating her ten-year anniversary of freedom from alcohol dependency. In the same year she hung out with Richard Branson on his home in Necker Island. Lisa has catapulted to the centre of her industry.

Her best-selling book *Daring and Disruptive* is described as "the entrepreneur's roller-coaster ride for those who want to succeed almost as much as they want to breathe" – which sums up Lisa's personal story in a nutshell.

TOP 5 TAKE AWAY POINTS

- The mental shifts and decisions that drove Lisa out of depression and into self-discovery
- The pivotal moment of finding her way and how you can too
- How Lisa found the courage and determination to go against the trend and launch a print magazine amongst 5000 competitors in Australia
- How Lisa uses social media to 'stalk' influencers (and how it leads to a partnership deal with one of Australia's largest corporations)
- Lisa's coolest once in a lifetime opportunities including an invitation to interview
 Martha Stewart in her New York office, attending an editorial meeting with media
 giants at *The New York Times* and hanging out with Richard Branson on his home turf
 Necker Island; and how she stays humble when her mind is being blown by
 extraordinary experiences

HHHS P&C UNIFORM SHOP

Tuesday 8.00am - 9.00am Thursday 8.00am - 9.00am during School Terms

2016 Additional Opening Hours

Thursday 8 December 8-9am Tuesday 13 December 8-9am Thursday 15 December 9-11am

2017 Additional Opening Hours

Friday 27 January 9-12noon
Monday 30 January 8-11am
Tuesday 31 January 8-9am
Wednesday 1 February 8-9am
Thursday 2 February 8-9am
(2017 opening hours will then return to Tuesday and Thursday 8am - 9am)

K Block First Floor - uniformshhhs@gmail.com

Please see the new Price List on the HHHS website (Updated as at 1 September, 2016)

"BEYOND THE BELL"

Mondays from 3:15pm – 4:30pm in the Library

"Beyond the Bell" provides a positive study environment for students and promotes effective time management and organisation.

AFTERNOON TEA PROVIDED!

All students are welcome to attend!

This homework club is run and supervised by Hunters Hill High School teachers... and is <u>FREE</u> to Hunters Hill High School students.

IMPORTANT: Please complete the necessary permission note and return to student administration.



School Travel Update

2017 Applications

School Student Transport Scheme Applications open 10 October 2016

From Monday 10 October 2016 parents, guardians and students over 16 years, will be able to apply for 2017 School Student Transport Scheme (SSTS) travel pass by visiting www.transportnsw.info/school-students

Information for parents and students

School travel passes only need to be updated when a student:

- · changes address, or
- changes school or campus.

A new application is required when:

- applying for an SSTS pass for the first time,
- enrolling in Kindergarten,
- progressing from Year 2 to Year 3,
- progressing from Year 6 to Year 7, or
- requesting an additional pass as a result of a new shared parental responsibility situation.

For more information on planning your school travel, visit <u>www.transportnsw.info</u> or contact your local operator.

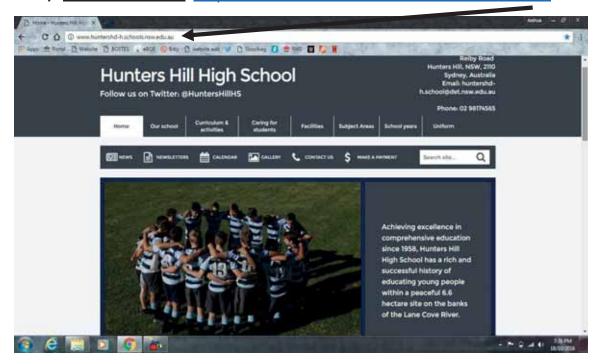
Passes for 2017 travel

Opal network: Please remind ALL your students to keep their School Opal cards for travel in 2017. These cards will be automatically deactivated for school holidays and then reactivated for school travel in term one. Current School Opal card can be updated with changes of school, home address or operator.

Rural and regional travel: Student's travelling with operator issued passes will receive a new pass in the new school year.

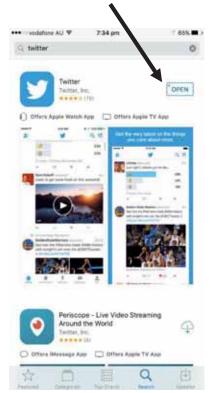
How we communicate with Families – stay in touch with HHHS

1) School Website http://www.huntershd-h.schools.nsw.edu.au/



2) Twitter

Download Twitter from your App Store (search Twitter)



Create an account, search and follow @HuntersHillHS



Open Twitter and read all our updates and notifications



3) Skoolbag App (phone & tablet)

Search 'Hunters Hill High School' at your App store (iphone, android, windows) Download to your phone



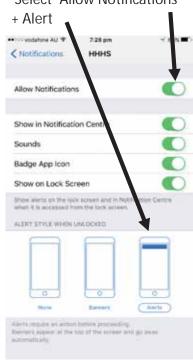
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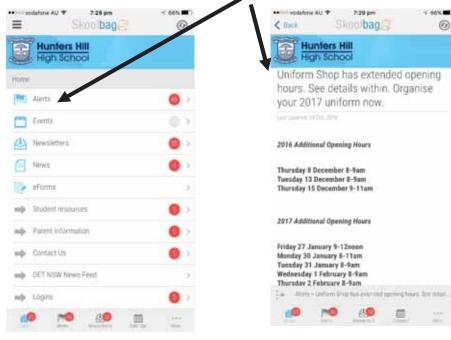
Select HHHS from App list



Select 'Allow Notifications'



Never miss an alert/event, view our calendar, explain student absences, access student timetables + much more



4) Email

Email are distributed to all families. Daily attendance notifications are emailed each day approx. 10am.

Make sure your details are up-to-date with school reception. Phone, email or use our App to update any contact details.



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Month	Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
October	1A	10 Staff & Students Return	11 Year 11 Academic Reviews	12	13 HSC Exam commence	P&C Working Bee Saturday 15/10/16
October	2B	17 HSC Exams	18 Grade Summer Sport Begins	19	20	21 Literacy/ Numeracy ROSA Tests
October	3A	24 HSC Exams P & C Meeting	25	26	27	>
October/ November	4B	31 HSC Exams Yr. 7 & 8 Yearly Assessment Week	1	2 HSC 2017 Information Evening Vaccinations Visit 3	3	Final HSC Exam Poppy Day YR12 Sign out
November	5 A	7 Top of the Hill Year 9 Yearly Assessment Week	8	9 Top of the Hill Year 12 Formal	10	11 Remembrance Day
November	6B	14 Year 10 Exams Year 11 Hospitality Work Placement	15	16	17	P&C Working Bee Saturday 19/11/16
November	7A	21 P & C Meeting	22	23 Achievers Camp —	24	25
November December	8B	28 Year 10 RYDA Excursion	29 Grade Summer Sport Finals	30 Peer Support Yr10	1 P&C Christmas Drinks Peer Support Yr10	2 Year 10 Picnic
December	9A	5 Year 10 Formal	6 Year 6 → 7 Orientation Day	7 HHHS Presentation Day	8	9 HHHS Sports Presentation Day
December	10B	12 Year 10 Graduation Day Assembly	13 Year 10 School Finalisation Day	14	15	16 LAST DAY FOR STUDENTS
December	11A	19 School Development Day	20 School Development Day	Holidays	Holidays	Holidays

IMPORTANT DATES FOR 2017

Staff Return - Friday 27 Januray, 2017 Year 7, 11 and 12 Students Return - Monday 30 January, 2017 Year 8, 9 and 10 Students Return - Tuesday 31 January, 2017