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HSC Best Wishes

Good luck to the 2016 School Captains, Vice Captains
and all of our Year 12 students for the HSC.

Best Wishes to you all!

DATES TO REMEMBER

September 17 (Saturday) P&C Working Bee (postponed from previous week)	September 19 P&C Meeting
September 20 Rehearsal - Year 12 Graduation Day Assembly	September 21 Year 12 Graduation Day Assembly
September 23 Last Day Term 3	October 10 Staff and Students Return for Term 4
October 13 HSC Exams – Day 1	

*Families and Friends of Year 12 Students
Please join us in celebrating the graduation of
Year 12, 2016
Wednesday, 21 September from 10:00 am
in the Phil Daniels Pavilion*

Don't Be Late!

Hunters Hill High School Bell Times

Morning Warning Bells - 8.30am & 8.44am

Assembly/Roll Call Bell - 8.48am

Principal's Report

Whilst Ms Felton is visiting family overseas, I am filling in for her as Relieving Principal. Ms Michelle Chiew-Meldrum will be the Relieving Deputy Principal during Ms Felton's leave period.

The school is proactively responding to planned HSC changes that have been proposed by the Minister where mandatory minimum standards will need to be achieved by students in literacy and numeracy before the awarding of the HSC in future years.

We are developing and will implement a new module for students whose literacy or numeracy skills require further enhancement in Year 9 in 2017. The school will nominate the participants based upon previously collected literacy and numeracy data. This class will take the place of one of the Year 9 elective lines for the nominated students. Through this strategy, we aim to assist all of our students in meeting these new and emerging HSC requirements.

To our Year 12 students as they are about to leave us, I wish you well in your future endeavours. To all of our student cohort, have a happy and safe Term 3 holiday.

Michael Murphy
Relieving Principal

P&C Report

At our last meeting we were given a demonstration of the use of the Touch Screens purchased by the P&C earlier this year. Those attending were very impressed by the capabilities of this technology and the way it can be used to enhance student learning. Consideration will now be given to funding a further four of these screens so if you would like to contribute to the discussion please come along to the next meeting.

A small group of P&C members led by our Fundraising and Marketing Co-ordinator Peter Russell, recently had another school "walk around" with Deputy Principal Josh Gane to identify potential areas for improvement with which the P&C could assist. A number of possibilities are being considered, including outdoor seating and landscaping among other ideas. We welcome input from any interested members of the school community either in person or by email to secretaryhhspsc@gmail.com.

I hope to see you at our next meeting on **Monday 19th September at 7pm** in the Staff Common room (tea and coffee from 6.30pm).

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

DEPUTY PRINCIPAL REPORT

It was a pleasure to attend the **Year 12 HSC Showcase** on Thursday evening, 1st September. Huge congratulations to all our staff and students who contributed to make this evening an outstanding success.

I'm pleased to announce, following a process of merit selection, Ms Martha Maroon was appointed to the position of **Permanent School Administrative Manager**. Martha has a long and valued history at HHHS. This promotion will see Martha manage our dedicated team of School Administrative Support Officers, as well as running many critical school functions and finance.

Relating to **school infrastructure projects and maintenance**, I can update the community on our most recent activities:

- The **School Hall and Movement Studio are now Wi-Fi enabled**. Cabling and WAPS (wireless access points) have been installed in both locations enabling connectivity for 120 devices in the main Hall and 60 in the Movement Studio (\$9,000)
- Extensive work has taken place in the **school carpark**. After preparation, the carpark was resurfaced with asphalt, providing much needed improvements for our visitors and staff. (\$17,500)
- **New computer desks** have been purchased for the library. These state-of-the-art desks will house the 50 student computers located in the library. (\$9,000)
- The school has contracted 'Techni-Clean' to complete a **major concrete clean** during the October School Holidays. This maintenance will focus on K Block and the Hall surrounds. The main goal of this project is to revitalise the look of concrete surfaces and remove chewing gum. (\$4,000)
- New **classroom blinds** have been installed in several Mathematics rooms in K Block. (\$3,000)
- Substantial **tree pruning** has occurred to enable the construction of our P&C funded \$56,000 **Shade Sail Structure**. (\$2,000)

Following on from the above 'project' news, I'd like to remind families that paying their **school contributions** is important in allowing HHHS to provide and improve infrastructure and learning opportunities to all students. If you haven't finalised your financial commitments for 2016, I encourage you to contact our office staff to make arrangements. As always, if financial difficulties make school contributions prohibitive, please contact the school.

Regarding one of the above projects, I'd like to remind all families that **chewing gum is banned** from school. Discarded chewing gum is both unhygienic and unsightly. With the upcoming expenditure on cleaning gum, I'd appreciate parental support in **prohibiting students from bringing gum to school**.

Our major project for Term 4 is the school's change from our self-managed computer network to an **eT4L Network Environment**. As detailed in previous Figtree newsletters, this change is designed to simplify our network, allowing more cost effective management and remote access, as well as improving connectivity and speed to all staff and students. Further information will be provided in upcoming notifications and newsletters. I've very excited about this huge improvement to our school network. **Changeover is scheduled for Day 1 Term 4 - 10th October**. The school network will be non-operational all day on both Monday and Tuesday, with gradual releasing of other devices throughout the remainder of the week. We appreciate everyone's patience during Week 1 Term 4. This short-term interruption is required to facilitate our major network improvements.

Achievers Camp is fast approaching - **23rd to 25th November**. This year, Achievers Camp will be held at Vision Valley, Arcadia. As always the criteria for Achievers Camp is 'Thinkers, Triers and Doers'. Congratulations to all those students receiving invitations. Please remember to inform the school if you are unable to attend camp, as 2nd round offers can be made.

I wish everyone an enjoyable and safe October School Holidays.

Josh Gane
Deputy Principal

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR YEAR 12 STUDENTS AND FAMILIES

By now, all families should have received a letter detailing end of year activities and expectations. This information is also available on the school website and App.

I'd like to remind all students of the following critical information from Ms Felton:

*Whilst this time is an emotional one for all HSC candidates, I urge students and their families to maintain focus on the examinations and remember that **end-of-year activities**, such as, "muck-ups" do not have the approval of the school and should not take precedence over students' revision and access to their teachers. **High standards of behaviour must be demonstrated by all Hunters Hill High students at all times. Breaches of these standards, anti-social or illegal actions will have immediate and severe consequences.***

The current Year 12 cohort has established themselves as a dynamic and highly valued group of young people. It's important that all Year 12 students complete their secondary schooling in an honourable fashion, which will allow fond reflections throughout the future. Please heed the above information; it would be regrettable for any Year 12 student to jeopardise their HSC progress or tarnish the reputation of their year group.

Please be aware that the **Year 12 Graduation Assembly** will take place in the Phil Daniels Pavilion (School Hall) on **Wednesday 21st September 2016. Strict uniform standards apply.** Any student not wearing full school uniform will not be permitted to be recognised on stage receiving their portfolios. A full dress rehearsal for Year 12 will be held in the Theatrette from **9am on Tuesday 20th** September. Attendance in full school uniform is compulsory.

This time of the year is **highly critical for Year 12 students**. I'm very aware that students can easily lose focus as they see the 'light at the end of the tunnel' or start making 'schoolies' or travel arrangements. I encourage all students to utilise the October school holidays and days prior to the HSC examinations to knuckle down, focus and make all attempts to prepare for the **HSC Examinations**. Remember that your dedication for the next 3 weeks can make all the difference to your HSC performance. As always, teachers will be offering '**study workshops**' and **tuition** during these 3 weeks; please take-up these opportunities.

Importantly, if any student becomes unwell or experiences any situation that would cause them to miss a HSC exam or inhibit their HSC performance, please ensure you garner a medical certificate on or before the day of any examination and any other supporting documentation. **HSC misadventure appeals** are handled externally. The HHHS HSC Presiding Officer is Ms Louise Morgan. Students wishing to apply for misadventure should contact Louise directly in the School Hall or by phoning school reception. Please remember, any HSC misadventure appeal must be submitted prior to 9th November, or it will not be considered.

Josh Gane
Deputy Principal

Major Changes to School Network - eT4L Migration

eT4L Migration at Hunters Hill High School will take place on **Monday 10th October 2016**, Day 1 Term 4. Hunters Hill High School will be migrating to the Department of Education (DoE) technology management program called **eT4L (Enhanced Technology for Learning)**. It has been developed by DoE to provide schools with a stronger and more flexible, standardised ICT foundation that improves both the school's capacity for self-support and the Department's ability to deliver services.

The benefits of migrating to eT4L are that it gives our school the chance to explore greater learning opportunities in today's digital world. When a school migrates to eT4L, the DER (Digital Education Revolution) wireless setup will be aligned to the eT4L wireless standard and will then provide connectivity for all wireless devices at the school, including DER, discretionary purchase and BYOD devices.

Students will be provided with more information following our migration on 10/10/16. Students and staff will experience a **lack of network connectivity during Week 1 Term 4**. Parents should also be aware that the school will not be able to transmit any information on Monday or Tuesday of Week 1 Term 4 as the entire **network will be off-line**. Gradual re-establishment of our network will occur throughout the week, with the expectation of full network availability on Friday 14th October.

Students will notice the most difference when signing in and storing data. The following posters explain some of the changes as a result of our migration. Please also be aware of the following;

- Any student wishing to keep a copy of any data currently stored within the school network must **remove this by the end of term** - Friday 23rd September
- Following migration, students will have access to **5GB of storage on their individual U Drive**. This data will be monitored by the school and the school is not responsible for 'backing up' this data.
- When logging onto devices, students will no longer be required to enter @detnsw following their name. Students will login using their own **portal username and password**.
- Generic computer logons will no longer exist. Students must logon using their own credentials.

Due to these changes, it's critical that students know and use their **Student Portal**. If students have forgotten their student password or username, please see Mr Stewart in the Library or myself for a reset. **Students will not be able to use any device without their portal username and password.**

I encourage all students to utilise their student portal as the primary means for school based email communication, work creation and data storage. All students have access to a **Google Apps** account linked to their portal. I highly recommend that students utilise the cloud storage available in their Google Drive to store data and complete school based tasks.

Useful log on information has been attached to the following 2 pages of the newsletter for our students.

Josh Gane
Deputy Principal

Student files



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Under the eT4L system, student files saved to their home directory (U:) are not backed up. Each student will need to determine a backup strategy.

Cloud options

Office 365 utilises

OneDrive

Google Apps utilises

Google Drive



Other Options

Copy files to a USB stick

Copy files to a USB Hard
Disk Drive (HDD)

Burn files to a CD or DVD



**Note: all options rely on the student backing up
their work on a regular basis**



Logging on after eT4L Migration



Change to Logon:

All staff and students now use the same logon method as used when logging onto the DEC Portal, e.g. firstname.surname

**john.citizen OR
john.citizen1**

(There is no need to use the **@detnsw**, **@det** or **@edu** process)



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So the computers have been upgraded – now what?



DO THIS



Do Save Work to your U: drive

Do save class work to the P: drive

Do be careful where you save your work

DON'T DO THIS



Don't save your Work in "My Documents".

Don't save your work on the Dekstop.

Don't be afraid to ask for help.



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FOOD FOR THOUGHT

NSW SECONDARY PRINCIPALS' COUNCIL Inc.

MEDIA RELEASE

31 August 2016



School success is more than a NAPLAN score

The NSW Secondary Principals' Council (NSW SPC) is the professional body representing Principals of government schools and colleges in NSW that have secondary school enrolments. The Council works closely with senior officials from the NSW Department of Education and the NSW Education Minister and provides advice on matters relating to public secondary education in NSW.

It's time for a more serious discourse about what and how we measure school performance. The NSW SPC believes the focus on standardised testing such as NAPLAN and PISA rankings needs to be repositioned to consider broader definitions of school success. The NSW SPC President, Chris Presland, said investigating how other countries measure school success is crucial to this discussion.

"At the end of 2015 the *Every Student Succeeds Act* became law in the USA and this will be interesting to watch because part of the act requires states to incorporate non-academic factors, such as student engagement and school climate and safety, into their accountability systems. While it is important to recognise that the quality of measurements for these non-cognitive factors is still a developing area, this focus could provide a more nuanced understanding of school success which extends beyond traditional measures such as standardised test scores."

Mr Presland also said that the consistent performance of the Finnish education system in PISA rankings highlights the need for a more holistic understanding of educational success and school performance.

"Finnish children have the lightest homework load of any industrialised nation and shorter school hours than many Australian children, however there is strong value placed on the idea of human capital and a broad understanding of student and school success. We see Finnish schools working to cultivate an environment of innovation whereby student success is about creativity, flexibility and the ability to apply knowledge across a variety of situations. Most importantly these strategies promote an educational environment which prepares young people for an economy where entrepreneurship and innovation are key measures of progress."

While politicians suggest that it is evidence based best practice, rather than funding, that will see students achieve the best results, the NSW SPC maintains it is not an "either or" debate. Both are necessary. Equitable funding is intrinsically linked to international measures of educational success such as access and participation.

"As the Finnish educator and author Pasi Sahiberg explains, strong education performance in the Finnish context means more than high student academic achievement as measured by international comparative assessment studies. In Finland, measuring school success is also about the level of participation in and access to education and the even distribution of learning outcomes throughout different schools and learners", Mr Presland said.

The evidence shows that what really makes a difference to the quality of education is the interaction between high quality teachers, engaged students and a flexible curriculum. Therefore we need to move beyond seeing standardised test scores as the only means of quantifying the educational achievement of Australian students. The fact is that some of our most challenging school communities achieve extraordinary outcomes with their students, but these outcomes are rarely understood or publicly acknowledged by our politicians and general community.

Drawing on the experiences and ideas of our international education colleagues provides a potential starting point for beginning to redefine educational success as more than a NAPLAN score.

Chris Presland
President, NSW Secondary Principals' Council



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YEAR 12 NEWS



Year 12 Year Adviser Report

Hello parents, it's happening! Your baby is about to finish school. However before we reach the final day there are a few things that may be of interest to you as a parent to help your child further:

Scholarships: The CAS HAWKER SCHOLARSHIP is available to all students who under take further studies at university. If you are interested, please access details via their web site at: www.hawkersscholarship.org

School Recommendation Scheme: A reminder that SRS applications and changes close at midnight Friday, 30 September 2016. If you would like more information on the School Recommendation Scheme please visit the web site at www.uac.edu.au/srs/schools

Educational Access Scheme: If you child has suffered some form of set back during their HSC year which may have affected their results, they may be eligible for EAS. For more information please visit their web site at www.uac.edu.au/eas or contact the Year Adviser through the school.

I look forward to seeing you all on **Wednesday 21st September** at the Year 12 Graduation Assembly.

Warren Pickles
Year 12 Year Adviser

TAS REPORT

The staff of Hunters Hill High School and especially the TAS Department would like to congratulate all Year 12 students for completing their Major Works. The quality of craftsmanship in Industrial Technology Furniture was outstanding with all students extending themselves well beyond what they believed was possible.

To the Design and Technology students, well done on displaying outstanding problem solving skills and enhancing innovative solutions to problems that society faces in everyday living.

Warren Pickles
Head Teacher

Soirée and L'Art Visuels

Hunters Hill High School is so full to the brim with talent that the CAPA department had no choice but to expand Soirée to include not just music but art too. Wednesday the 17th August saw family and friends front up to Phil Daniels Pavilion to enjoy an evening of fine art, enchanting music and Hunters Hill High hospitality.

The crowd was met with fine refreshments, catered for by our Hospitality students, whilst enjoying the exhibition. Students' work from Years 7 to 11 were on display, showing a clear progression in talent and artistic ability. Jay Gosselin, Jolie Che and Natalia Benc's talent found their works photographed for the Northern District Times with the catch phrase "cracking young artists".

The Concert Band opened the night, followed by the Percussion Ensemble, Stage Band and String Ensemble. These musical groups played captivating items that showcased their sensational talent. Alex Manefield and Boyd Kirkman stunned audiences with their mastery of J.S. Bach's First Movement from Concerto for Two Violins and Huon Kirkman and Stephan Schafer executed 'Act Your Age' by Gordon Goodwin to perfection.

Finally, special mention must go to The Mamas & The Mamas, led by Jenny Nylund, who amazed audiences with their vocal talent. A fabulous evening was had by all.

Congratulations to all our talented students who have worked so hard to achieve excellence in their fields.

Ruth Simpson
R/Head Teacher CAPA



2016 NSW VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR AWARDS: SYDNEY INNER WEST REGIONAL CEREMONY

Two Hunters Hill High School students were invited to attend the Regional Ceremony for the Student Volunteer of the Year Awards, 2016 in Lakemba.

Sacha Thomas and Charlotte Wilshire received certificates for being finalists in Student Volunteer of the Year Awards, 2016. They were chosen from over 7500 nominations for 5 different categories.

We would like to congratulate these students for the wonderful volunteering work they do, including for: our school, Legacy Day, the library, Head Space, Theatre on Chester, School Band, Variety Night, helping less fortunate citizens than ourselves, Riding for the Disabled and the Save Sight Institute.

Ria Lenard
Volunteer Co-Ordinator



Legacy Day 2016

The rain on Legacy Day did not hamper the enthusiasm of our Hunters Hill Students. The students arrived at 8am in the morning at the Lane Cove Anglican Church foyer to be allocated a tray of merchandise to sell for Legacy.

The money raised goes toward the welfare of the dependants of deceased or incapacitated veterans. This worthy cause is supported by Hunters Hill High every year.

Students started selling with great eagerness. One student sold two \$50 badges within a short amount of time and that started the ball rolling and the competition going. The race was then on to see who could sell the most merchandise.



The happy volunteers caught up with past students who work in Lane Cove. A few past students made an effort to come and speak to us and were happy to see Hunters Hill Students again.





By mid-morning the students were exhausted and sat down for a couple of minutes to catch their breaths.

A couple of boys received free coffees from one coffee shop. Another shop owner brought a heater out onto the pavement to keep the students warm. Two other students received Chocolate Caramello Bears for their efforts. Thanks goes to Lane Cove Shopping Precinct for your generous support for Legacy Day.

At the end of the day, exhausted and wet, students were counting their takings for the day.

Our special thanks to the Mosman-Lane Cove Division of Sydney Legacy for organising this event every year. Hunters Hill High School Students were successful in raising \$4,807.30 and one student raised \$498.95.



Out thanks go to the following students who volunteered for Legacy Day 2016

Tianna Vicary
Natasha Tran
Liam Stathakis
Isabella Parry
Emma Stowers
Charlie Marshall
Cameron Zirn
Alec Stacy

Sandra Spasovski
Marko Pavlovic
Karla Redden-Tuitjer
Iko Daniel
Emma Scott-Stevenson
En Teo
Brianna Gray

Sacha Thomas
Manon Perkes
Jemima Adam
Hunter Mickels
Dohyun Kim
Cassandra Reich
Ben Murray

Rhiannon Johnston
Lola Bitti
Jake Morris
Ben Hurworth
Kayla Hayden-Moraes
Cameron McLeod
Ayana Minagawa

Ria Lenard
Legacy Day Co-Ordinator

Ski Trip Report 2016

On the 4th of August a group of apprehensive students from Years 9, 10 and 11 got on a bus to the Snowy Mountains. There was a very exciting vibe on the 6 hour long bus ride. All the students were very sugared up and enthusiastic, as they longed to be at the ski fields. We made two stops on our journey just so our poor teachers got a break from their rowdy students (only joking, we were angels). We finally pulled into Snow Gate Motel in Berridale at around 2 pm. We were all very relieved to finally be there and got to stretch out our cramped legs.

Once we had carried our heavy luggage into our rooms, we rushed out to collect our ski gear. Lucky enough for me, I didn't have to collect any ski gear, but I got to watch the other students struggle to fit into their very tight ski boots and very hot ski wear. Finally, after all the students had found that ski gear is quite uncomfortable we lugged the heavy equipment back to our rooms and had a bit of well-earned free time. Then at 6:30 pm it was time for some dinner. When we walking into the dining room we didn't have very high expectations of the food based on the previous students' gossip; however, to our surprise we had pasta bake, chips and vegetables YUM! It gave us a boost of energy to say the least, important for a hard day of skiing for the following day. After dinner we had more free time and then lights out at 9:30 pm.

We had a so-called 'sleep-in' (not in my books though) until 7 am and then it was pretty much straight to breakfast. After breakfast we had to get organised with our ski gear and then head out to the buses. The trip to Perisher was a 40 minute long bus ride. Everyone had butterflies and excitement because for a lot of people it was their first time skiing.

Each day we had ski lessons, for advanced, intermediate and beginner skiers, for three hours, and then we had the opportunity to explore and free ski. The quality of the snow was quite good (for Australian standards) as there had been a dump of snow the week before.

A friend and I were asked by some of the beginner skiers to take them to explore. We took them across the mountain and we stopped every now and again to grab a hot chocolate. To say the least there were a lot of good stacks which I had to help retrieve the skis and poles for.

The entire trip was lively and extremely fun for both the beginner and advanced skiers. It was an incredible and unforgettable experience to share with my friends.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the staff that gave up four days away from their families and friends and especially Mr Wade who organised the Ski Trip. Thank you from all of us!!!

Isabella Mcleod - Year 9



Maths Matters

Australian Mathematics Competition (AMC)

The AMC, run by the Australian Mathematics Trust, was held this year on Thursday 27th July. One of the largest annual events on the Australian education calendar, the AMC was the first competition of its kind in Australia and is now one of the largest of its type in the world. More than 40 countries participate each year.



The competition aims to be accessible to all students from Years 3 to 12, not just the mathematically gifted. There was an emphasis on problem solving, a valuable life skill, and the questions were designed to be fun for the student. The AMC consisted of 30 questions in the Junior (Years 7 and 8), Intermediate (Years 9 and 10) and Senior (Years 11 and 12) divisions undertaken within a 75 minute time period.

Congratulations to the following students:

High Distinction – Yanchen Yang (Year 9)

Distinction – Benjamin Murray (Year 10), Qihan (Hannah) Wu (Year 11)

Credit – Jiaqi Su (Year 9), Huon Kirkman (Year 10), Alexander Galati (Year 10)

Year 8 Ratio Party

As part of their assessment on the topic of Ratios, Year 8 students participated in a Ratio Party. Students were amazed that assessment tasks in Maths could actually be fun! They were required to work in groups, filling out a question booklet as they moved between practical activities that related ratios to real life. The lesson culminated in the group using the correct ratios of ingredients to produce chocolate crackles for the entire class.



YEAR 12 HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS

Our Year 12 holiday workshops run by the Maths Department prior to the Year 12 Trial Exams were well utilised by our students. Well done to those who attended, and best wishes to Year 12 for their final preparation for the HSC Examinations.

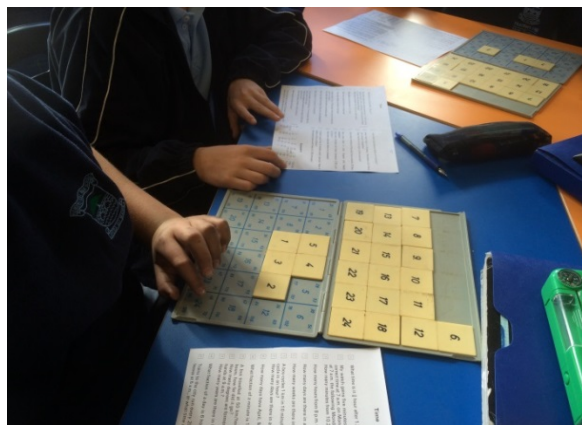
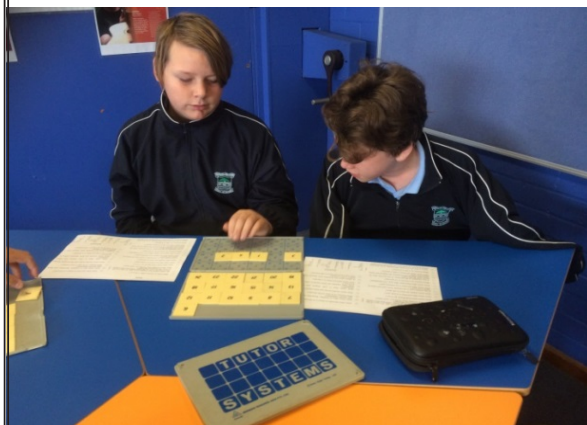


NUMERACY CENTRE

The Numeracy Centre (Room 408) is open Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday lunchtimes and is staffed by a Maths teacher who is available to help students in a relaxed and friendly atmosphere. Students are encouraged to attend to seek help with any difficulties they may have with their maths work, to complete their maths homework if they are unable to do so at home, and to revise for exams. Students may eat their lunch in the Numeracy Centre while they work. Additionally if students are absent for a class test or exam, they should report to the Numeracy Centre on the first day of their return to school to complete the test.

BLAST FROM THE PAST

Rummaging around the Maths Store room, I came across some of the Tutor Systems boxes that I remember so well from my childhood. I decided to give them a go with my year 7 class with very positive results! Technology doesn't always have to be digital!



Susan Turnbull
Head Teacher Mathematics

"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 FREE to Hunters Hill High School students.

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

HHHS P&C UNIFORM SHOP

Tuesday 8.00am - 9.00am
Thursday 8.00am - 9.00am
during terms

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The Granny Smith FESTIVAL



- FREE PARADE WORKSHOPS
- NO DANCE EXPERIENCE REQUIRED
- LEARN AND PERFORM A FUN AND SIMPLE ROUTINE

4 Workshops

to be held at Eastwood community hall
(159-161 Shaftesbury Rd, Eastwood)

Wednesdays • 6.00 - 7.00pm
14 September - 12 October 2016

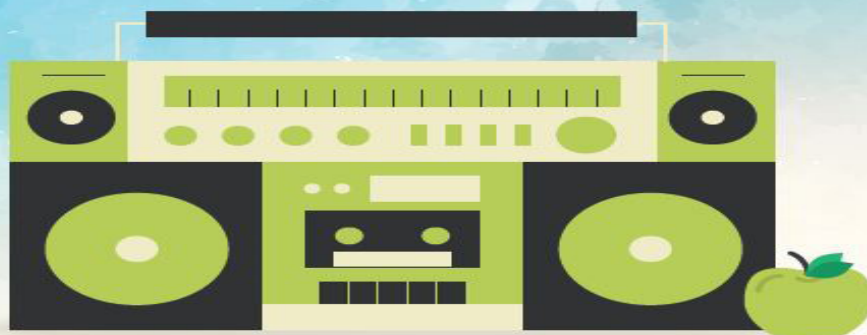
Register your interest by sending your details to
lennyboi@gmail.com or 0410 627 138



APPLE JAM BLOCK PARTY

DRUG AND ALCOHOL FREE EVENT

at The Granny Smith FESTIVAL



Saturday, 15 October 2016 • 12.00 - 5.00pm
Granny Smith Festival Youth Stage (Eastwood Primary School)

**2012 ALL STYLES BATTLE • 2012 BBOY BATTLE
TALENT QUEST • SOUL TRAIN PARTY**

Check out dancekool.com for details
Register for battles and talent quest by sending your details to lennyboi@gmail.com or 0410 627 138



Parenting Programs

Child & Adolescent Parenting

WHAT'S ON IN TERM 4 - COURSES/WORKSHOPS FOR PARENTS/CARERS

Tuning in to Teens Course

Skills to communicate with your teenagers so that you understand each other better & are able to build positive relationships.

- ★ Understanding teenagers today & communication skills
- ★ Emotional intelligence skills
- ★ How to prevent behaviour problems & conflict resolution

5 wks Chatswood 1/11-29/11 (7.00-9.30pm) Brookvale 2/11 - 30/11 (6.30-9.00pm)

Dealing with Teen's Backchat Workshop

- ★ Learn how to restore a respectful & positive relationship with your teenager
- ★ Understand what it is like being a teenager today
- ★ Learn how to talk so that they listen & how to listen so that they talk to you

Chatswood (25/10, 7.00-9.30pm)

Tuning in to Kids Course Chatswood (2/11- 30/11)

Triple P Seminars Chatswood (21/11, 28/11 & 5/12)

Resilient Kids Workshop Chatswood (26/10)

Communicating with Kids Workshop (based on PET) Chatswood (24/11)

WORKSHOPS ON REQUEST FOR PARENTS/CARERS OF TEENS 8877 5152

- ★ Dealing with Teen's Back Chat
- ★ Transition to High School
- ★ Triple P Seminar Series (Teens)
- ★ Resilient Teens

OTHER WORKSHOPS ON REQUEST (2-2.5 hours)

- ★ Understanding Your Toddler/Discipline & Tantrums
- ★ Older Sibling - New Baby
- ★ Tucker without Tantrums/Toilet Training
- ★ Transition to School
- ★ Speech & Language Development/Sleep
- ★ Grand Parenting
- ★ Triple P (PPP) Seminar Series (1-12 years)
- ★ Communicating with Kids

Enquiries: Child & Adolescent Parenting 8877 5152

www.nslhd.health.nsw.gov.au/services/CAP



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Hunters Hill High School

Term 3 – 2016

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September	10B	19 Year 11 Exams P & C Meeting	20 Year 12 Graduation <u>Rehearsal</u>	21 Year12 Graduation Assembly	22	23 Last Day Term 3

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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	14 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	28 Forensic Science Day
October/ November	4B	31 HSC Exams Yr. 7 & 8 Yearly Assessment Week	1	2 Vaccinations Visit 3	3	4 Final HSC Exam Poppy Day YR12 Sign out
November	5A	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	18 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 Peer Support Yr10	2 Year 10 Picnic
December	9A	5 Year 10 Formal	6 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