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Congratulations and thanks to the 2017 Student Representative Council

- please see article inside the Figtree

DATES TO REMEMBER

| October 23 | October 25 | | | |
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| P&C Meeting | Year 12 Information Evening | | | |
| | Young In Art: 25 – 27 October | | | |
| October 30 – November 3 | November 6 - 10 | | | |
| Year 7 & 8 Yearly Assessments | Year 9 Yearly Assessments | | | |
| November 6 & 8 | November 7 | | | |
| Top of the Hill – Year 6 (Year 7, 2018) | Last Day HSC Exams | | | |
| | Last Day HSC Exams | | | |
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| November 8 | November 9 | | | |
| Soirée | Year 12 Sign Out Day – 9.30 – 11am in Library | | | |
| November 10 | November 13 - 17 | | | |
| Remembrance Day Ceremony | Year 10 Yearly Exams | | | |
| November 15 | November 20 | | | |
| Year 12 Formal | P&C Meeting | | | |
| November 24 | November 27 – November 29 | | | |
| Principal's Farewell Assembly | Achievers Camp | | | |
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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

Welcome back to all families, students and staff; Term 4 is definitely an eventful one! Please note the term calendar that is included in this newsletter.

- Last term's celebrations have concluded for our 2017 HSC students and their public examinations have commenced. My best wishes to our students and their families as students complete this final stage of their HSC. I remind students and their families that Year 12 teachers are available to provide additional support during this time. During their exams, students should keep a close eye on the HSC timetable; at the conclusion of their exams, students must return resources and finalise school accounts (dates outlined in Term 3 correspondence to all families).
- This term is a particularly significant and full term for our Year 11 students as they commence their HSC program. Whilst our 2018 School Captains have commenced their duties, the remainder of the Senior Student Leadership Team will be finalised in the next few weeks. I encourage students to grasp these leadership opportunities and all opportunities in their final year at Hunters Hill High School.
- At weekly assemblies this term, we are reminding all students of our Learning Framework, what this looks like and students' responsibility to negotiate each lesson, every day as 'safe, active respectful learners'. Whilst important every term, this emphasis is essential this term as Year 7-10 students complete their Final Year Assessments and Examinations. I encourage parents to ensure that homework and study routines are in place each night for their children. The coming weeks are very busy for teachers as they mark assessments and exams, provide feedback to students and write reports for distribution to families prior to the conclusion of the school term.
- A quick look at our term calendar and our Dates to Remember (included in this newsletter) will alert you to this term's special occasions. These occasions, whilst wonderful school community celebrations, require many hours of staff time in planning and preparation. I encourage all parents to note dates and, where possible, organise their diaries to be part of these celebrations. Our staff and students enjoy your presence; also, your participation is a great way to learn more about our school community.
- I guess my retirement at the end of the school year has added to the number of celebrations. November's Soirée and my Farewell Assembly promise to be occasions that highlight the very best about our school. If possible, your presence at either or both of these occasions is very welcome. The dates and times of these occasions are included in this newsletter.
- The timetable team is working hard to finalise our 2018 timetable even though there are quite a few factors that are not finalised. It's my understanding that Mr Ben Neilsen, the lead timetabler, is expanding the 2018 Year 9 and Year 11 curriculum lines; Head Teachers are working to finalise staffing within their faculties.
- As you know, it's been our practice for some years to organise a Teacher Presentation prior to each P&C Meeting. At this month's P&C Meeting (October 23), the Teacher Presentation will focus on the Inspire Program, a program designed to support targeted students' engagement with their learning which, in turn, has a positive effect in all classes for all students. Come along and learn more about the school community - and meet the inspiring teachers who run the Inspire program!

I look forward to seeing you on Monday night and throughout the term.

Judith M Felton

Deputy Principal Report

I extend a warm welcome to the school community for Term 4. Term 4 will no doubt be another busy and productive term, where many students will be recognised for outstanding achievements throughout 2017.

Notably, our previous Year 11 cohort will begin their Year 12 HSC journey. I am excited about the forthcoming 12 months for this wonderfully talented group of young people. Regarding subject alterations, it is important that all Year 12 students and families are aware of the following procedures:

- HSC Information Evening is **Wednesday**, **25 October 6 7pm** in the Movement Studio. All students and parents should attend.
- I welcome any parent phone calls to discuss patterns of study.
- Students withdrawing from a subject to study the minimum 10 units must have above 90% attendance and all course work completed.
- Study periods must be undertaken within the school Library or the picnic tables at the top of the school. Access to the oval or ball games are not permitted during study periods. Students are not permitted to leave the school grounds during study periods (P.2 P.5).
- Students with study periods P.1 may sign into school for the commencement of period 2. Students with study periods P.6 may sign out and leave school following period 5.
- Sport is optional for Year 12 students. Students not participating in sport must sign out.

As more of our senior students obtain their P Plates, I ask parents to work with the school and encourage safe and respectful driving around our site. It is critical that safe driving practices are followed and the 40km/ph. speed limit observed.

Congratulations to all the students who received Achievers Camp offers. Please remember Achievers Camp is **Monday**, **27 November – Wednesday**, **29 November**. Camp payment (\$330) and permission note is **due by Friday**, **10 November**.

Thank you to all the students and families who expressed interest in attending the NASA Space Camp excursion in October 2018. Enough interest was shown to progress this potential trip to the next stage. I have made an application to our Director and will provide families with an update as soon as possible.

In infrastructure / assets news, the school has made considerable investment in the school grounds over the October holiday period. Landscaping projects took place at the front and rear of the school. We hope this work adds to the visually appealing nature of our school.

Josh Gane R/Deputy Principal

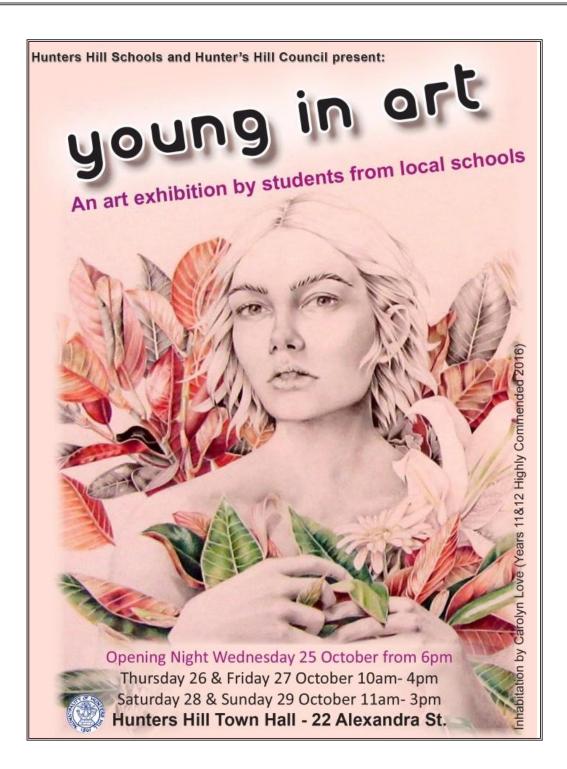
P&C Report

Refurbishment of the sandstone seating in the amphitheatre outside the Phil Daniels Pavilion has been completed and it looks wonderful. Mulch has been laid and landscaping of the area will be soon be completed which will further enhance the function and appearance of this area. Sincere thanks to Monique Colman, Simon and Sue Hirst and Hugh Paterson for their hard work on this project.

The music groups are working to prepare for the annual Soirée on November 8th and I hope that many parents and friends will come along to hear our talented students perform.

Please come along to the P&C meeting on **Monday 23rd October at 7pm** (tea and coffee prior to the meeting from 6.30 pm)

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



SAVE THE DATES

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| 101.20 | Wednesday 8 th November | | | | | | | | | |
| | Canapés and Art | Phil Daniels Pavilion | 7 pm | | | | | | | |
| 199 - A | Stage Band Performance | Phil Daniels Pavilion | 7 – 7:30 pm | | | | | | | |
| | Student Performances | Phil Daniels Pavilion | 7:30 – 9pm | | | | | | | |
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HUNTERS HILL HIGH SCHOOL FAREWELLS PRINCIPAL

HUNTERS HILL HIGH SCHOOL ~FAREWELL ASSEMBLY~

You are cordially invited to attend the Farewell Assembly for our Principal, Judith Felton.

> Friday 24th November In the Phil Daniels Pavilion 10am

Acknowledging the teachers who shaped our lives

SMH - Saturday, 7 Oct 2017 - Page 28 - Julia Baird

It was a moment instantly burnt into the skin of my memory. A high school history teacher who planted her hands on the edge of my desk, leaned her face towards mine and said with a strange kind of anger: ''There is nothing new under the sun, Julia. No thought, no idea – they have all been said before.''

We had been arguing about something that escapes me now, an ancient skirmish or far-off war and I had pressed the point, to her obvious irritation. I still remember the flash of fury I felt, at being told at the age of 16, that I would never have a new thought, that all was inherited, all tracks worn, all roads trod; as though human thought was an exercise in mass, if inadvertent plagiarism of previous generations.

Don't dare, don't dream, it's all been done before.

I now understand it as a central tenet of history – that human folly, striving, madness, triumph, repeats itself – but it is so often in infinitely new ways. And surely every kid should only ever be told to dare to do and be more.

When we talk of the teachers who shaped us – and many have this week thanks to Thursday's World Teachers' Day – we most often speak of those who taught us to roam, who stepped out of curriculums and dismantled boxes of conventional thinking, who saw something in us. Who didn't contain us, but released us.

We don't think as often of those who set our jaws in defiance by telling us what we could not do. My friend Bernard Zuel, legendary music critic, told me his tech drawing teacher told his '' bunch of arty type' ' friends that they were '' pseudo intellectuals who wouldn't amount to anything'' . He says: ''None have forgotten.''

Talented broadcaster Hamish Macdonald – who in the past few days has hosted The Drum's rolling coverage of the Las Vegas shooting and RN Breakfast, was told by his journalism lecturer that he would '' never have a future as a broadcaster' ' after doing his first air check.

A high school physics teacher told Professor Michael Biercuk, a quantum physicist with a PhD from Harvard, that he couldn't do well on his final exam. The teacher could not have been more wrong.

My former Newsweek colleague Jeneen Interlandi, crack science reporter with a graduate degree in environmental science, was likewise advised by some genius that she was ''not a science person''.

For every Miss Honey (Matilda) and Professor John Keating (Dead Poets Society) and Dumbledore there is a Snape, or someone who did not get us, who told us to simply perform, to shrink, not expand.

But watching Twitter swarm with stories of great teachers – famously underpaid, overworked and underappreciated – was warming this week. Teachers who tell people to be fearless, teach them how to harness the angst and storm of adolescence or intelligence and encourage to question the world, not only themselves.

I will always be grateful to my second grade teacher, who let me spend hours writing poems and told us to lie under trees and describe what we see. My English teacher Betty Curran loved ideas and didn't care for rules and my history teacher Mrs Vacchini, whose passion for history permanently infected me. Now, I am watching it with my daughter – her teacher this year has recognised depth in her and she has bloomed as a consequence.

But despite the fact that Twitter lit up with feel-good stories and the hashtag #worldteachersday #thankateacher was trending, it's sobering to reflect on how little we really do appreciate our teachers.

The Global Teacher Status Index which surveyed views of teachers in 21 countries – found the only country where teachers are considered as important as doctors is China. The author of the index, Professor Peter Dolton, says attitudes to teachers are shaped by cultural values ; in New York, salary confers status. In China, respect for elders confers status.

According to the Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development, between 2005 and 2015, teachers' wages dropped in one-third of countries. Yes, dropped, in real terms. In England it was 10 per cent, in Greece it was by almost a third.

Teachers, who seed every other profession, who mark every life. You'd hope we'd put our money where our tweets are.

Upon hearing he would receive the Nobel prize in literature – for ''his important literary production, which with clear-sighted earnestness illuminates the problems of the human conscience in our times' ' – Albert Camus' first thought, after his mother, was his old teacher Monsieur Germain.

He wrote to him on November 19, 1957: "I don't make too much of this sort of honour. But at least it gives me the opportunity to tell you what you have been and still are for me, and to assure you that your efforts, your work and the generous heart you put into it still live in one of your little schoolboys who, despite the years, has never stopped being your grateful pupil. I embrace you with all my heart."

If you have never written one of these letters, you should.

Julia Baird hosts The Drum on ABC TV.

Hunters Hill High School Class Of 1958/59 Reunion

Sue Brennan, a student at Hunters Hill High School in the 1959 intake thought we might like the following picture to include in the Figtree newsletter. The photo is a selection taken at last year's annual reunion that has been taking place for some years. Sue mentioned that last year they had about 70 attendees, lots of stories and laughter. They are hoping there will be another celebration in 2018 for the 60th anniversary as there was in 2008 for the 50th anniversary.



Also from Sue, please see below photos of the first School Captains & Vice Captains at Hunters Hill High School. Helen Wallis (first photo) was the first student to be awarded the Queen Elizabeth, the Queen Mother Award and John Fellows (second photo) was the second.



School Captains, 1962, John Glasscott and Helen Wallis



School Vice-Captains, Kerrie Langley and John Fellows

Student Representative Council Report

2017 has been a busy year for the Student Representative Council.

As the new School Captains and Vice Captains take the reins for 2018 it is a time to reflect upon and thank the Student Representative Council of 2017. Each morning these students have brought energy into the school that is motivated by kindness and empathy. As the SRC Coordinator, each morning I am privileged to hear the passion in their voices as they talk about the ways in which they can be the facilitators of change locally and globally. Their growing awareness of their position in the world is promising of a bright future.



This year, the SRC has organised activities for Harmony Day that involved us finding kind words to say to people outside of our immediate circle of friends through Kindness Cards. They participated in the Refugee Ration Challenge, living off the same food as a refugee and raising over \$5.000 to help refugees across our world. Last term, some of the more senior students attended the filming of ABC's 'Q and A' show to get involved in some of the "bigger conversations" happening in our country. More recently, the students assisted in the organisation of our NAIDOC Week celebrations and hosted a cake stall to support the Great Book Swap and the raising of almost \$1,200 for the Indigenous Literacy Foundation.

The list of events and fundraising is quite long for students

whose achievements already go beyond the classroom, but it is the small moments that really make a difference in a community like a school. It is when they see where they are needed and reach out to their peers, when they stay back and help a teacher and when they come to school with ideas and stories in the hope to make the world a better place. Thank you to the 2017 Student Representative Council.

Thank you to: Eleanor Crompton, Sam Modesto, Emily Duffy, Naya Cook, Dellacruz Paita, Poppy Burton, Charlie Hughes, Jacob O'Loughlin, Astrid Kingsmill, Emma Hollomon, Emma Scott-Stevenson, Ben Jones, Seb Davies, Leo Macedo-Domingues, Brigitte Villasmil-Rivas, Qihan Wu and Matthew Gray – **see photo on the front page.**

Jessica Austin SRC Coordinator





RYPEN (Rotary Youth Program of Enrichment)

Last term Year 10 students Jacob O'Loughlin and Belinda Ramsay were invited to make a presentation at the Ryde Rotary Club about their participation in RYPEN (Rotary Youth Program of Enrichment).

RYPEN is a weekend residential experience for youth aged 14 -16 years designed to develop skills that will assist them in the transition to adulthood. Participants are involved in a variety of workshops and activities, which provide an opportunity for them to personally develop, gain self-confidence, communication skills, challenge themselves, build friendships, and develop life skills.

Belinda and Jacob attended the camp back in June in the Blue Mountains and reported that the program had brought them new perspectives on how to make a positive contribution to the community, pathways for their future and helped them to establish connections with peers from other schools.

If you are interested in becoming involved in programs such as RYPEN, please see Ms Austin.

Jessica Austin Learning and Support/ESL Teacher



"BEYOND THE BELL"

Mondays from 3:15pm – 4:30pm ín the Líbrary

"Beyond the Bell" provídes a posítive 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.

HUNTERS HILL HIGH SCHOOL'S BREAKFAST CLUB RETURNS!

A GREAT WAY TO START THE DAY!

WHEN: Monday and Friday from 8:15am-8:45am WHEN: Monday and Friday Kitchen WHERE: Food Technology Kitchen WHY: Because breakfast is the most important meal of the day

Year 7 Vaccinations – Wednesday, 25 October 2017

All Year 7 students who have returned their consent forms will receive the Human Papillomavirus Vaccinations (HPV) Dose 2 and Chicken Pox vaccination.

Year 8 students who have not received their HPV will also be vaccinated.

Any questions or concerns please direct to Ms. Dianne Staines Vaccination Co-ordinator, Science Faculty.

Uniform Shop - We need your Assistance!

If you can spare one hour between **8am and 9am on any Tuesday or Thursday**, please email your details to <u>uniformshhhs@gmail.com</u>.

Our school is growing and our available volunteer numbers need to grow with student numbers. Please, join us. It's a great way to meet other parents, teachers and students and keeps your money within the school. All profit from the sale of Uniforms is returned to the P&C for use at HHHS!

No experience required. We will assist you in every way possible, to ensure your Uniform Shop experience, is a great one.

Christine Trainor HHHS Uniform Shop Coordinator

HHHS P&C UNIFORM SHOP

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

K Block First Floor - uniformshhhs@gmail.com Please see the <u>new</u> Price List on the HHHS website (Updated as at 20 October, 2017)

| HUNTERS HILL HIGH SCHOOL P&C - UNIFORM SHOP Shop is open in K block: Tuesdays & Thursdays during Term 08:00 - 09:00 Email: uniformshhhs@gmail.com | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| ITEM | | SIZES (Please Circle or Highlight size Required) | | | | | | | QTY | UNIT PRICE | TOTAL COST | |
| Boys (Year 7 -12) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Polo shirt sky blue (unisex) | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 | 20 | 22 | 24 | 26 | | \$28.50 | |
| Navy Cargo Shorts | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 82 cm | 87 cm | 92 cm | 97 cm | | | \$27.00 | |
| Navy Cargo pants (long) | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 | 20 | 22 | 24 | | | \$37.00 | |
| <u>Girls (Year 7 -12)</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Polo shirt sky blue - girls | 8 | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 | 20 | 22 | 24 | | \$28.50 | |
| Front Pleated Skirt | 6 | 8 | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 | 20 | | | \$37.00 | |
| Pants bootleg- STRETCH | 6 | 8 | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 | 22 | | | \$38.00 | |
| Sports Uniform | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sport socks | 2-7 | 7-11 | 11-14 | | | | | | | | \$12.00 | |
| Sport Shorts Girls (short leg) | 8 | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | | | | | | \$28.50 | |
| Sport shorts Boys (Long Leg) | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 | 20 | 22 | 24 | | | \$28.50 | |
| Sport polo shirt sky/ navy | 12 | 14 | XS | S | М | L | XL | 2XL | 3XL | | \$34.00 | |
| Cap – one size | O/S | | | | | | | | | | \$12.00 | |
| Winter Accessories | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jumper V- neck | | | 16 | 18 | 20 | 22 | 24 | | | | \$60.00 | |
| Sloppy Joe | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | S | м | L | XL | 2XL | | \$37.00 | |
| Jacket microfibre | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 | 20 | 22 | 24 | 26 | | \$47.00 | |
| Track pant microfibre | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 | 20 | 22 | | | | \$39.00 | |
| Scarf | O/S | | | | | | | | | | \$15.00 | |
| Ladies Senior Uniform (Year 1 | <u>1 -12)</u> | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ladies polo shirt white (crest) | 8 | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 | 20 | | | | \$28.50 | |
| Ladies blouse white (crest) | 8 | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 | | | | | \$37.00 | |
| Tie with embroidered crest | O/S | | | | | | | | | | \$24.00 | |
| Men Senior Uniform (Year 11 -12) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Men's polo shirt white (crest) | 14 | 16 | S | М | L | XL | 2XL | 3XL | | | \$28.50 | |
| Men's shirt white (crest) | XS-16 | S-18 | M-20 | L-22 | XL-24 | 2XL-26 | 3XL-26 | 4XL-28 | | | \$37.00 | |
| Stubbies tailored trousers | 14 | 16 | 82 CM | 87 CM | 92 CM | 97 CM | 102CM | | | | \$47.00 | |
| Tie with embroidered crest | O/S | | | | | | | | | | \$23.00 | |
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| Please complete details on the form below if paying by EFTPOS (Savings/Credit) <u>CHEQUES ARE NOT ACCEPTED</u> | | | | | | | |
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| Student's name: | Class: | | | | | | |
| Parent's name: | Phone No: | | | | | | |
| Information Regarding Payments: | | | | | | | |
| 1. Please complete your credit card details below, and leave at the schoo | l office. | | | | | | |
| 2. Cash cannot be accepted by the school office. | 2. Cash cannot be accepted by the school office. | | | | | | |
| 3. Orders left by day prior to Opening Days will be ready for collection on Opening Day. | | | | | | | |
| 4. Pay at Uniform Shop by Cash, EFTPOS/ Credit Card. | | | | | | | |
| 5. Please note a 1% surcharge will apply on all eftpos and credit card transactions. | | | | | | | |
| Visa / Master Card (<u>Unfortunately. we are unable to accept Amex or Diners Club Cards</u>) | | | | | | | |
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| Credit Card Number: | _ Expiry Date:/ CVV | | | | | | |
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FACULTY NEWS

Sport

Terms 2 and 3 Winter Sport: All Year 8 – Year 11 competed in a variety of sports on Tuesday afternoons in Terms 2 and 3.

Grade Sport: Hunters Hill High students participated in the following Open and 15 years sports as part of the Zone competition: Football (boys & girls), Netball (girls), Volleyball (girls), Ultimate Frisbee (mixed) and Basketball (boys).

In a well contested season, Hunters Hill High students performed very well making many semi-finals and finals. Teams qualifying for the finals were Open Girls Football, 15 years Netball, Open Mixed Ultimate Frisbee and 15A boys Basketball.

The 15 years Football team coached by Mr. Bob Bruce won their competition.

| Vivien Aminzadeh |
|--------------------|
| Lahania Bilich |
| Claire Butterfield |
| Imogen Coyle |
| Georgia Curnow |

Kaylan Dowling Ayana Minagawa Mairead Nash Erin Norris Isabella Parry Rose Schafer Manon Smith Tiana Vicary

14 Years Grade Sport: All Year 8 students competed in grade sport at central venues at Concord in Volleyball (girls), Football (girls & boys), Netball (girls), European Handball (boys) and Ultimate Frisbee (boys). Year 8 students were provided with the opportunity to experience being part of a team and working with their peers in a positive competitive environment.

Team and Recreational Sport: Students in Years 9 - 11 not in grade teams participated in a range of sports at school. These included team sport, walking and two new sports - Yoga and Boot Camp which proved very popular.

Mr. Neild is to be congratulated for organising a quality experience for all Year 9 and 10 students with competitions in Ultimate Frisbee and Cricket conducted over Terms 2 and 3.

Students at Hunters Hill High School have access to diverse sporting opportunities which are led by our dedicated and committed teachers. Well done to all.

Geoff Spotswood Sports Organiser

Year 7 Gala Sports Day

Year 7 participated in this event hosted by the Northern Suburbs Zone on Wednesday 13 September at Concord. Schools involved included Concord, Ryde, Marsden, Fort St and Burwood Girls with one thousand students involved in the following sports; Football, Oz Tag, European Handball, Netball and Volleyball.

Hunters Hill High School students displayed exemplary behaviour, sportsmanship and competitive spirit with three teams winning their respective competitions. Well done to them all!

Gala Day Champions:

| Netball |
|-----------------|
| Whitney Mueller |
| Isabella Watts |
| Keona Rangwala |
| Ellen Sullivan |
| Ashley Simpson |
| Teya McMahon |
| Abby Sullivan |
| Mercia Atkins |
| Mei Li-Thompson |
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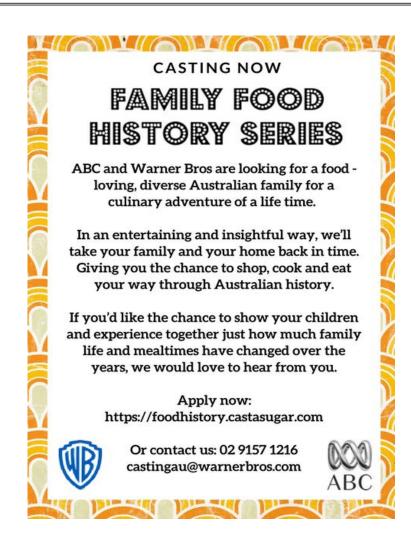
Oz tag #1 Zet Chong Harry Wright a Tayo Cawood Mac O'Ryan Alex Norris Edward Hudacek Mitch Faulkner Jasper Lindsay-Mate Liam Tune Ryan Midgley Lawson Isok Brayden Blake

Oz tag #2 John Sciuto Chase Coker Kody Trigar Oscar Leo **Daniel Watson** Max Hilton Jace Philips Hunter Siggs Marcus Hayes Zac Bathis

The Gala Day provided an excellent opportunity for Year 7 students to engage in healthy competition with other students in our zone. In 2018, as Year 8 students the students will be organised into teams to compete as part of the weekly Tuesday afternoon grade sport format.

Special thanks to our Year 9 Physical Activity and Sport Study elective PDHPE students who coached the Year 7 teams each Tuesday morning leading up to and on the Gala Day. The school is also indebted to Mr. Neild, Mr. Wade, Mr. Habbouchi and Ms. Riviera for their assistance in making the event so successful.

Geoff Spotswood **Sports Organiser**



Hunters Hill High School 2017 Calendar



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| TERM 4 Month | Week | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | |
| October | 1A | 9 Staff and Students return | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | |
| October | 2B | 16 HSC EXAMS COMMENCE Year 12 Hospitality Work Placement | 17 Year 12 Hospitality Work Placement | 18 Year 12 Hospitality Work Placement | 19 Year 12 Hospitality Work Placement | 20 Year 12 Hospitality Work Placement | |
| October | 3A | 23 P&C Meeting Year 12 Construction Work Placement | 24 Executive Conference Year 12 Construction Work Placement | 25 Year 12 Information Evening Young in Art | 26 Executive Conference Year 12 Construction Work Placement Young in Art | 27 Year 12 Construction Work Placement Young in Art | |
| October / November | 4B | 30 Year 7 & 8 Yearly Assessments | 31 Year 7 & 8 Yearly Assessments | 1 Year 7 & 8 Yearly Assessments | 2 Year 7 & 8 Yearly Assessments | 3 Year 7 & 8 Yearly Assessments | |
| November | 5A | 6 Year 9 Yearly Assessments Top of the Hill – Year 6 (Year 7,2018) | 7 Year 9 Yearly Assessments LAST DAY HSC EXAMS at HHHS | 8 Year 9 Yearly Assessments Top of the Hill – Year 6 (Year 7,2018) Soirée | 9 Year 9 Yearly Assessments Yr. 12 Sign out day 9.30am – 11.00 in Library | 10 Year 9 Yearly Assessments Remembrance Day Ceremony | |
| November | 6B | 13 Year 10 Yearly Exams | 14 Year 10 Yearly Exams | 15 Year 10 Yearly Exams Year 12 Formal | 16 Year 10 Yearly Exams | 17 Year 10 Yearly Exams | |
| November | 7A | 20 P&C Meeting | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 Principal's Farewell Assembly | |
| November/ December | 8B | 27 Achievers Camp | 28 Achievers Camp | 29 Achievers Camp | 30 | 1 Year 10 Picnic Day | |
| December | 9A | 4 | 5 Year 6 Orientation Day | 6 HHHS Presentation Day | 7 CAPA Excursion | 8 HHHS Sports Presentation | |
| December | 10B | 11 Year 10 Graduation Assembly | 12 Year 10 Finalisation Day | 13 | 14 HSC RESULTS RELEASED | 15 ATAR RESULTS RELEASED Last Day for Students | |
| December | 11A | 18 School Development Day | 19 School Development Day | 20 School Holidays | 21 School Holidays | 22 School Holidays | |

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