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Principal's Address

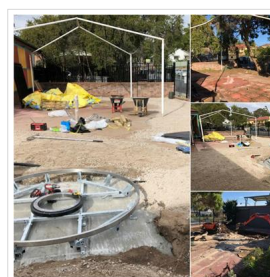
Welcome back to Term 3. I hope all families had a great holiday break and after speaking with children this week I know they are ready for a busy term ahead.

During the holidays I had the opportunity to attend my first school Working Bee. A huge thank you to all the parents, grandparents and children that attended. It was great to witness so many attendees painting, gardening and cleaning up our amazing school. In the weeks to come you will start to witness even more projects that were started on the day ensuring that our students have access to great facilities. We hope to run another Working Bee in the future and aim for even greater attendance. Many hands make light work.



New Playground

Over the holidays break, construction began on the Support Playground area. I would again like to thank the P&C for their work in preparing the tender and researching appropriate equipment. Once completed I know that our students will certainly benefit from and enjoy this updated playground area. The aim is for construction to continue over the next month and have an opening later this term. In the meantime, we have ensured that our students have access to other appropriate facilities and play areas.



Money Procedures

Our preferred method of payment is the parent online payment (POP) system, however if you need to pay by cash we are asking that from this week all money is to be brought directly to the front office and placed in the money container. Money should be in a clearly marked envelope or zip lock bag with the child's name, class and the event being paid. This should occur **prior to the school bell** so that students are not handling money throughout the day. Alternatively, EFTPOS payments can be made Monday – Thursday at the front office. VISA or MasterCard credit/debit cards are the only cards available for the collection of school money using EFTPOS.

Education Week

During Week 3 this term we will be celebrating Education Week. This is an annual event that celebrates public education and the wonderful opportunities that it provides. Our Education Week Open Day will be held this year on Tuesday 7th August between 9.00-11.30am. All family members are invited to attend. This year we have a host of activities planned including a special Art Auction. Families will have the chance to bid on class artworks with the highest bid taking home an amazing artwork created by the class. We look forward to showcasing our artistic talents on this day.

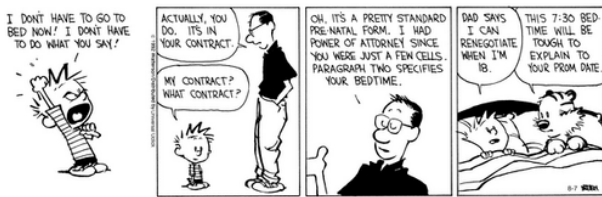
Thanks,
Craig Warner
Principal

From the Deputy Principals

As the new term begins we would like to congratulate each and every member of our school community on a highly successful second term. We have achieved so much and there have been many highlights across the school. Accolades go to every student for their efforts to build on their learning and achieve their personal best throughout the term. This was reflected in all of the outstanding student reports we have read over the final weeks of last term. Special thanks also go to our parent community for our incredible support of the school and of course to our staff for working so hard on so many levels to make sure our students have the best learning opportunities possible! We are so looking forward to a special term 3.

Parent Workshop on Developing Resilience and Raising Happy Children

On Monday evening Week 2 (this coming week) at 5.30pm we are hosting a workshop aimed at ensuring we have a village understanding- that is- we are all here to raise happy and successful students. All parents, carers and teachers are encouraged to attend. If you are coming, just for seating purposes could you please contact the office- if you can't though, just turn up!




Signing in at the office

A reminder that it is a legal requirement of the Department of Education that all visitors and volunteers must sign in at the office and collect a name badge before proceeding to any classroom.

Parent Workshop on CyberSafety

A reminder, that on Monday evening Week 5 – 20 August, at 5.30pm we are hosting a CyberSafety presentation and all parents, carers and teachers are encouraged to attend.






DIGITAL SECURITY PRESENTATION




Monday 20th August, 5:30-7:00pm

Jasper Road Public School

'Digital Security' is a Police presentation covering privacy /reputation management and cyber bullying prevention. Cyber safety is one of the primary non-academic issues that schools and young people experience today. Parents and carers must know how to use technology and should know what to avoid, where to seek help and what their children are doing online.



Presented by Senior Constable Rob Paterson, Youth Liaison Officer at The Hills Local Area Command. As YLO for the last ten years, Rob works with Young Offenders, at-risk children and delivers educational programs and safety information to 65 schools in The Hills LAC.



Technology

Technology is a large part of all of our lives. At school, we use technology as a tool to enhance educational outcomes. Many of our students also spend a significant amount of time utilising technology outside of school hours for both educational and recreational purposes. There are a couple of issues causing some concerns at school, which we would like to inform you about:

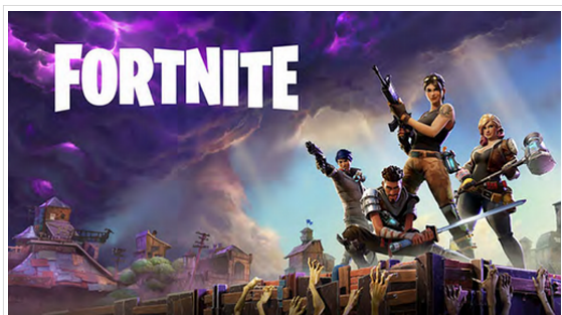
- Smart watches - Recently we have noticed some of our students wearing a smart watch for children. These watches allow the owner to record videos, take photos and play games. This is causing privacy concerns at school with students and staff being unknowingly recorded / photographed. We ask that these watches do not come to school and are used after school or on weekends around parents /carers who can moderate the control of the device. Last year more than 6.3 million of these smart watches for children were hacked with personal information including names, addresses, pictures, videos and chats obtained. If your child has a smart watch we would strongly suggest that you look into the safety/ security measures available.
- Fortnite - This is a free online game with cartoon like graphics where the player teams up with others in a shooting competition. There is plenty of troubling information available about the dangers with this game around violence and addiction. If your child is playing this 12+ rated game, I recommend you have a closer look at it. Is your child playing Fortnite?

Safe on Social Media says: The game is highly addictive and has an M classification. "Films and computer games classified M (Mature) contain content of a moderate impact and are recommended for teenagers aged 15 years and over". If your

child is playing Fortnite, please read the attached guide and some of the editorials:

<https://www.smh.com.au/>

<http://www.theaustralian.com.au/>



FORTNITE is a game that has gone viral, skyrocketing in popularity across the world in a few short months. A survival action game for PlayStation 4, Xbox One, Windows, and Mac it is a shoot them up strategy game which looks like a combination of Minecraft and Call of Duty but more cartoony. The addictive aspect of it is the fact that the children are playing in groups and on teams which requires them to use strategy and, most importantly, to communicate with each other in real-time. This is probably the only redeeming quality of the game.

Fortnite is drawing comparisons to the movie Hunger Games. Life after "The Storm," an apocalyptic event in which 98 percent of the world's population simply vanished only to be replaced by hordes of zombie-like monsters. After stumbling onto and taking command of an abandoned high-tech shelter facility, it's up to the gamer to take charge of a group of brave heroes as they fight back against The Storm. The gamer is required to guide these heroes to gather precious resources, rescue survivors, and build a refuge from the armies of the zombies. Along the way, it is the gamers aim to discover the source of The Storm and save all humanity in the process.

There is also a free to play multiplayer mode "Battle Royale". This version pits up to 100 players against each other in individual battles or teams to determine the last player standing. The game itself does not feature any profanity. However, younger players could be exposed to offensive language from random strangers in voice, or on-screen text chat.

The game is highly addictive and has an M classification. We would suggest that it is ok for 13+. The game is a combination of fun and creepy, with a light hearted cartoon based humour that's as much fun to watch as it is to play. The violence is persistent but very cartoony so not as bad as some and we would much rather see your child playing Fortnite than Call of Duty or Grand Theft Auto. It is highly addictive for children and adults so make sure you put some play time boundaries in place.

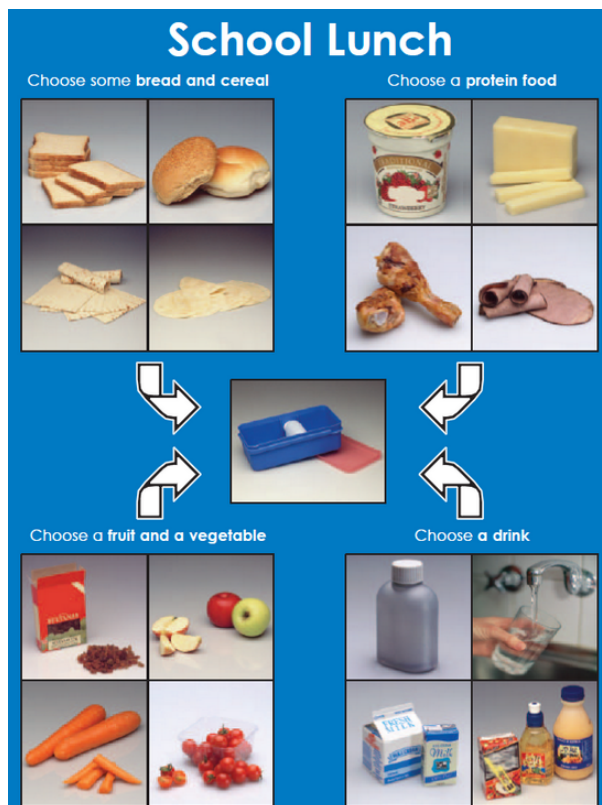
Gaming used to be a solo activity, but it has now become a social activity amongst children (and adults) breaking down barriers and connecting children from different communities. This is only ok as long as you know that your children are very aware of online stranger danger and feel comfortable telling you if someone asks them something that is inappropriate.

Our technology tips:

- Attend our Cyber safety workshop on Monday evening Week 5 – 20 August, at 5.30pm
- Find out how to block and report before they start using any game. In case you need it.
- Make sure they know never to respond if they get asked something inappropriate, or if they are asked for any personal information such as where they live, age, etc.
- We always recommend parents take 15 minutes or so out of their busy day and sit and play games with their children before they allow them to play them on their own.
- Use devices in a communal area rather than in their bedrooms so you can gently monitor their usage.
- Keep smart devices and gaming consoles out of the bedroom. Don't use devices and games for the last hour before your child goes to bed.
- Consider saying "don't do this" and offer a "do this" alternative.



Live Life Well at school



Reporting success

Thank you to the many parents/carers who came to chat with their child and their teachers around their 2018 first semester's progress. We are sure you found these very useful. Based on report feedback, it is important that students set goals for

the coming semester. Research shows that students who set goals increase their effort, are more effective learners and have greater ownership over their learning.

Together we would like you and your child to develop two SMART goals for the next semester in:

1. English
2. Mathematics

When forming each goal use the SMART goal setting strategy: For example:

"English SMART Goal: By the end of week 5 Term 3 I will be able to write 25 high use words quickly and correctly. Things I can do to achieve this goal: I will write them at home without looking at the model. Mum can say them in a mixed up order every day and track how many I get right."

"Mathematics SMART Goal: By the end of Term 3 I will know my multiplication facts so that I can undertake Mathematics tasks with confidence. Things I can do to achieve this goal: Timing myself to be quicker at recalling multiplication facts, learning the number patterns, and revising and completing multiplication activities on Mathletics."

The following table can help you and your child develop SMART goals to support improved and focused learning.

Specific	What exactly do you want to achieve?
Measurable	How will you track your progress? How will you know you have reached your goal?
Achievable	Is your goal too easy? Or is it too hard?
Relevant	Does it link to your feedback?
Time	What is the deadline for reaching your goal?

Extended Leave

Jasper Road Public promotes regular attendance which is essential to ensure that effective learning occurs. Non-attendance is only justifiable on grounds of "sickness, danger of infection, infirmity or unforeseen event". The Department of Education strongly encourages families and carers to plan family holidays, and other avoidable absences, during the holiday periods when a child is not required to attend school." Regular attendance is encouraged at all times ...

Did you know.....

When your child misses just ...	that equals ...	which is ...	and therefore, from Kindergarten to Year 12, that is ...
10 minutes a day	50 minutes of learning each week	Nearly 1 ½ weeks per year	Nearly ½ a year of school
20 minutes a day	1 hour and 40 minutes of learning each week	Nearly 2 ½ weeks per year	Nearly a year of school
½ hour a day	¼ a day of learning a week	4 weeks a year	Nearly 1 ½ years of school
1 hour a day	1 whole day of learning each week	8 weeks per year (nearly a term)	Over 2 ½ years of school

PBL News

Week 2 STAR focus is:



Week 3 STAR focus is:



SCHOOL ZONE OFFENCES

WHAT ARE YOU RISKING?*

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

No Parking
No waiting. You have 2 minutes to drop-off or pick-up. You must stay within 3 metres of your vehicle.

Penalties from \$183 + 2 DEMERIT POINTS

Pedestrian Crossings
1. In a queue of traffic, no part of your vehicle can stop on a pedestrian crossing.
2. Do not let your child in or out of a vehicle at a pedestrian crossing as this is a No Stopping zone.

Penalties from \$439 + 2 DEMERIT POINTS

No Stopping
You must not stop on a length of road with a No Stopping sign. The first 10m from an intersection is a no stopping zone. Yellow kerb lines are also No Stopping zones.

Penalties from \$330 + 2 DEMERIT POINTS

Driveways & Footpaths
Do not park on or across a driveway or footpath.

Penalties from \$330 + 2 DEMERIT POINTS

Bus Zone
Only a public bus can stop in a bus zone.

Penalties from \$330 + 2 DEMERIT POINTS

U turns
Illegal on or near a pedestrian crossing and across double white lines.

Penalties from \$330 + 3 DEMERIT POINTS

Mobile Phones
Extra fines apply for using mobile phones in a school zone.
May be subject to Double Demerits

Penalties from \$439 + 4 DEMERIT POINTS

Double Parking
Double parking is illegal and is very dangerous in a school zone.

Penalties from \$330 + 2 DEMERIT POINTS

Speeding Offences
40km/h is the limit. Children are vulnerable, so slow down in school zones.
May be subject to Double Demerits

Penalties from \$192 + 2 DEMERIT POINTS

PENRITH CITY COUNCIL Blacktown City Council
*Fines current as of March 2018. Fines and demerit points are subject to change. For more information check out the NSW Centre for Road Safety website.

Debby Bezzina and Vanessa Rogers
Deputy Principals

2019 Kindergarten Enrolments

We are taking enrolments for Kindergarten 2019, if you have a child or know of anyone living in the JRPS catchment area whose child turns 5 by July 31 2019 please come to the office to collect an Application to Enrol Form or download from our website below:

<http://www.jasperroad-p.schoolwebsites.com.au/notes-and-forms.aspx>

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The following documents will be required when submitting your application.

- your child's birth certificate or identity documents
- proof of student's address – originals of different documents such as your council rates notice or residential lease and electricity bill
- Immunisation history statement based on the Australian Childhood Immunisation Register (ACIR)
- family law or other relevant court orders (if applicable).

If your child is not a permanent resident you will also need to provide:

- passport or travel documents
- current visa and previous visas (if applicable).

We are happy to help with any questions you have about your enrolment, please call the school office between the hours of 9:30am – 2pm, Monday to Friday.

Environmental Education

Thanks to the Arbors and their families who attended holiday care and the working bee. Your efforts are much appreciated. Friday is School's National Tree Day and here at Jasper Road all classes will be completing a lesson based on biodiversity or environmental mindfulness while Arbors will be weeding and preparing the Bush Tucker garden for some new plants. Our Bush Tucker Garden can be found in the bottom left of the Jasper playground. All plants here were used by Aboriginal people for food, medicine or implements. Classes are able to discover what the plants are and how they were used. Arbors are planning to relabel these so that students can even check this out during recess and lunch. Arbors will then be using some of these ingredients in a cooking session. Keep an eye out for some photos and a recipe in the next few newsletters.

Why not spend some family time on Sunday, which is National Tree Day, enjoying a tree or planting a native plant?

Think **GREEN** because together we **CAN** make a difference.

Mrs Jennifer Franks

Library News

Book Week this year runs from Friday 18th August when the winners of the shortlisted books are announced to Friday 24th August when celebrations draw to an end. The theme for Book Week this year is:

Find your Treasure in Books



Our Book Week celebrations will continue this term with planned activities to take place in Week 5. Further to a wonderful author talk by Yves Stening about his Dinner Detectives series which all students enjoyed at no cost in Term 2, we have planned various activities to continue the celebration of children's literature.

Below is an outline of what has been planned:

1. **Book Fair** in the library from 8.30-9.30am and 3.00-4.00pm on Wednesday 22nd August and again Thursday 23rd August 3.00-4.00pm. This year you will have a choice of purchasing to take home and/or purchasing to donate to the library.
2. **Favourite Book Character Parade**, Thursday 23rd August, times will be advised shortly. Get those costumes started, either based on the theme or a favourite book or character.
3. **Literacy on the Lawns**, Thursday 23rd August, after lunch
4. **Design a Book Cover Competition** - Winners announced Thursday 23rd August before the parade

Happy Reading
Mrs Tokatljan
Teacher Librarian

Sports News

Reminders:

- 3-6 Athletics Carnival Thursday 16 August 2018.
- Zone Athletics Carnival Monday 27 August, 2018.
- At the conclusion of Round 13, PSSA shirts will be collected by coaches, unless the team is likely to make the semi-finals. Students will need to bring their school sport shirts to change into on this day.

Winter PSSA Draw

Round 11 – Friday 27 July, 2018		
Sport	Opposition	Location
AFL	Matthew Pearce	Kellyville Park
Netball	TBA	Kellyville Netball Complex
Newcombe Ball	North Rocks	North Rocks Rd, North Rocks
Rugby League	Baulkham Hills North	Torry Burn Reserve
Soccer Boys and Girls	North Rocks	North Rocks Oval
Round 12 – Friday 3 August, 2018		
AFL	Samuel Gilbert	Kellyville Park
Netball	TBA	Kellyville Netball Complex

Newcombe Ball	Matthew Pearce	Jasper Road PS
Rugby League	Sherwood Ridge	Crestwood Oval #2
Soccer Boys and Girls	Matthew Pearce	Masonic Oval
Round 13 – Friday 10 August, 2018		
AFL	Castle Hill	Kellyville Park
Netball	TBA	Kellyville Netball Complex
Newcombe Ball	Winston Heights	Winston Heights PS
Rugby League	Beaumont Hills	Torry Burn Reserve
Soccer Boys and Girls	Winston Heights	Max Raddock
Friday 17 August, 2018 – PSSA SEMI FINALS		
Friday 24 August, 2018 – PSSA FINALS		

Renae Neagle and Tom Gosper
PSSA Coordinators

Band News

Late in Term 2, students from Performing Band, Concert Band and Beginner Bands attended a weekend Band Camp at Crusaders Galston Gorge. From the very chilly start at 7am on Saturday morning it was already clear the weekend would be a lot of fun, and the students behaviour was exemplary. There were smiling faces everywhere - finding their rehearsal rooms and getting ready for a weekend of intensive practice and perfection! They all worked so hard, and the improvement was clear!

Not that the whole weekend was spent rehearsing...there was plenty of time for eating, outdoor games, eating, indoor games, eating, a fabulous disco with smoke machine and flashing lights courtesy of Mr Orson Baker, eating, fun in the cabins... and did I mention eating?? The food was delicious and the students' manners in the lunch hall were very polite, clearing away their own plates and remembering their pleases and thankyou's at all times. We learned which teacher secretly hides her tremendous skill at beatboxing, and the students even created their own fun 'animal beatbox' after dinner on Saturday night.

On Sunday after a quick morning rehearsal all three bands had the opportunity to show off their improvement in a concert for their families and guests. It was great to hear how far training band have come since their first note together as a band! Mr Warner came to watch and listen too, reserving a seat in the front row. He was heard commenting on how talented the students are, and even made a speech thanking all the parents and teacher helpers who made the band camp such a wonderful experience for the students. If you didn't get enough of the performances and want to relive it, a professional quality

video was made of the whole concert and the link will be made available once publishing consent is received from all families.

Thank you to all band families who supported the band by getting their children to camp on time and prepared with all the necessary items. Thank you also for your support of the fundraising raffle, which raised \$940! We are all very grateful to the band committee for their tireless hard work, and we look forward to doing it all again next year!

Upcoming Events

Beginner Band

Hawkesbury Eisteddfod, Windsor Function Centre, Dight St, Windsor, Friday 17th August, during the school day. Parents wanting to observe are welcome to make their own way to the venue, ticket costs \$10. Band students will be transported by bus, further details to follow. Students would wear band uniform (black trousers, not jeans or leggings, black socks, black school shoes, band shirt) and bring instrument and music.

Concert Band

Hornsby North Band Festival, Sunday 4th November, Hornsby North Public School. Transport to be provided by parents, further details to follow.

Performing Band

- Hawkesbury eisteddfod, Windsor Function Centre, Dight St, Windsor, Monday 13th August, during the school day. Parents wanting to observe are welcome to make their own way to the venue, ticket costs \$10. Band students will be transported by bus, further details to follow. Students would wear band uniform (black trousers, not jeans or leggings, black socks, black school shoes, band shirt) and bring instrument and music.
- NSW State Band Championships, Sunday 26th August, time TBC. Further details to follow

Education Week

Bands will be performing for families as part of the Education week celebrations, as well as some individual 'buskers' doing their thing around the school throughout the week. Individual notes will come home for the bands over the coming week.

Mrs Rose

From the Office

Parent Online Payments (POP)

This is the schools preferred method of payment. Paying by this method is secure, and a receipt is issued immediately.

Step 1: Go to the Jasper Road website - <http://www.jasperroad-p.schoolwebsites.com.au/home.aspx>

Step 2: Click on Parent Information

Step 3: Parent Online Payment, click POP Link to go to payment page.

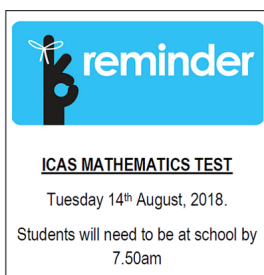
Administering Medication at School

This is a reminder to parents: If your child needs the school to dispense medication, even for a short period of time, please pre-measure the dosage required in a PLASTIC SYRINGE or daily Webster pack. This must be labelled with the child's name, class, and time to be given. Please indicate if you have any special requirements, such as medication needing to be refrigerated. Parents MUST also sign a medical form to allow staff to administer such medication. You can get the form from the front office or download it from our website.

<http://www.jasperroad-p.schoolwebsites.com.au/notes-and-fo-rms.aspx>

School Events / Updates

ICAS Maths



Hills Performing Arts Festival – Thursday 6th September

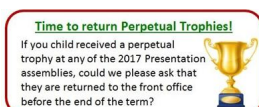
Senior Choir and Stage 1,2 & 3 Performance Dance Troupes are performing at the Hills Performing Arts Festival on Thursday the 6th September, Evans Theatre, Penrith.

Tickets go on sale **Monday Monday 6th August from 10am, Price: \$27.25. No concession or children's prices. Babies 12months and under are free**

Tickets CAN be purchased from the box office or by phone and internet. The details are as follows:

1. Ticketek website: www.ticketek.com.au (booking fees will apply)
2. Ticketek call Centre Phone bookings 132 849 (booking fees will apply)
3. Penrith Panthers Reception Desk, In person only - 10am to 10pm daily

Perpetual Trophies

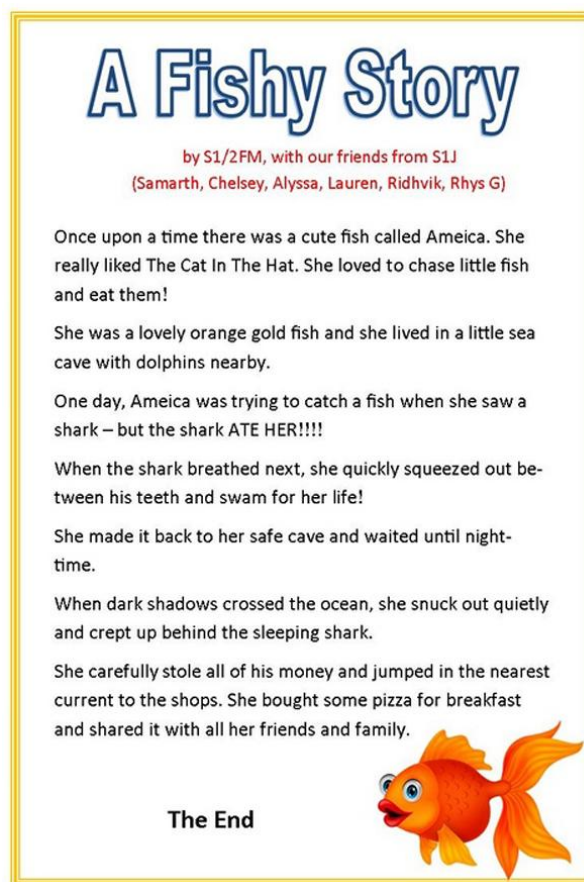


Opportunity Class Placement Test for entry to Year 5 in 2019

Students who have already applied for Year 5 placement in an opportunity class in 2019 are required to take the Opportunity Class Placement Test to be held on Wednesday 1 August 2018 at Seven Hills High School, Johnson Ave Seven Hills NSW 2147 from 9.00 am to 11.15 am.

A Fishy Story

Last term students from the support unit class S1/2FM, spent Friday afternoons with mainstream students, as a result they wrote a story together.



Special Education in Ethics (SEE)

Introduction

The Education Act 1990 states 'in every government school, time is to be allowed for the religious education of children of any religious persuasion' (i.e. SRE, Special Religious Education, commonly referred to as Scripture). In addition, SEE is offered as a secular option to students who opt out of SRE.

About SEE

Helping children develop skills for life.

Ethics classes support children to develop a life-long capacity for making well-reasoned decisions about ethical issues. Through the give-and-take of reasoned argument students learn to disagree respectfully, to challenge ideas and to support their arguments with considered evidence rather than according to habit or peer pressure. Our volunteer ethics teachers use detailed age-relevant lesson materials, approved by NSW Education Dept., which present a range of stories, scenarios and questions to generate discussion. Ethics teachers are trained to impartially facilitate student discussions, helping students develop their critical thinking and collaborative inquiry skills. Ethics teachers support student learning by:

- modelling the inquiry process – by asking questions and encouraging discussion

- showing genuine curiosity and interest in the questions being discussed
- staying neutral – ethics teachers are trained to keep their own views out of the discussion
- creating a positive learning environment – by allowing students time to think, encouraging students to share ideas, give reasons and ensuring
- If you would like to change the course your child is currently enrolled in please send a written request to the office.

Who deliver the ethics lessons?

SEE is a program in ethical decision making, action and reflection within a secular framework.

The SEE programs are taught by volunteers, trained and supported Primary Ethics, the organisation approved by the NSW Education Dept. Volunteers undergo a police background check, a working with children check and training by Primary Ethics.

Our classes at Jasper Road Public School are held on:

- **Tuesday 09:10 – 09:40** (Early Stage 1 & Stage 1)
- **Tuesday 09:45 – 10:15** (Stage 2)
- **Tuesday 10:20 – 10:50** (Stage 3)

Primary Ethics are constantly in need of volunteers to deliver and sustain the ethics program for your local school whether it is to maintain existing classes or starting new classes. Comprehensive training, access to lesson materials and classroom support are all provided. Previous teaching experience is not required.

For around an hour a week, you can teach an ethics class at your local school and help children develop skills for life. We rely on parents, grandparents and community-minded people to become volunteer ethics teachers in their local primary school. It is a rewarding way to be involved in your local community, learn new things and help children develop skills for life.

For more information about the program, please contact the Ethics Coordinator Kirsten Downey at k_linklater@bigpond.com or 0419 297 371 or visit the Primary Ethics Website below:

<https://primaryethics.com.au/>

All Things P&C



Many hands help our school grow

Working Bee

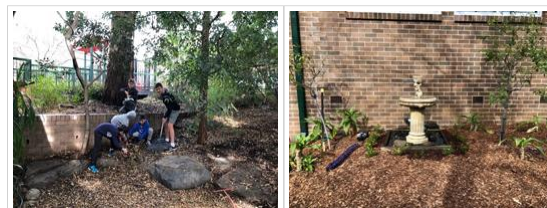
What a great turn out we had on Thursday and with Mother Nature on our side it made for a fun and productive day.



Led by Mr Warner and our three GA's – MrG, MrK and MrW there was pruning, mulching and painting done throughout the school followed by a sausage sizzle for all the helpers.



There were several teachers and their family members that helped at the Working Bee or on other activities allocated for the day. Thank you goes to the following teachers for giving up their holiday time to help improve our school. Mrs Bezzina, Miss Pickering, Mrs Dunn (and her daughter), Mrs Marquez, Mrs Rose (and her 2 daughters), Mrs Franks (plus daughter and son), Miss Jones, Miss Champion, Mrs Tokatlian, Mr Griffiths and Mr Gosper.



I would also like to thank all the families who attended. Nicole Z, Emily Z, Emma Y, Wiebke L, Benjamin L, Joshua L, Jacob L, Paul P, Kiera P, Na Li, Lavinia L, Lester L, Yuan L, Justin Z, Kel Z, Kate F, Mia F, Jeremy F, Gurinder G, Neil G, Shibani R, Karl R, Vikki J, Eshan J, Karen T, Conor T, Rhys T, Kate C, Wantong N, Lucas Y, Amanda C, Samuel C, Evelyn H, Annabelle H, Edward H, Caitlyn H, Marco L, Waylon L, Hao W, Jennifer W, Deck S, Shontelle P, Darby P and Brady P.



Apologies if any teachers or families were missed...with many people spread in various spots throughout the school it was

hard to get everyone. Everyone's help was extremely appreciated.

Book Club

Scholastic Book Club orders are due by **Monday 6th August 2018**. Please order online or place your order with correct money in the Book Club box situated in the library.

Apologies, but no late orders can be accepted.

Upcoming events:

JRPS Election Day - Saturday 28th July



We are seeking helpers for Saturday's election. If you could spare any time, please email your availability to jaffatjasperroad@hotmail.com.

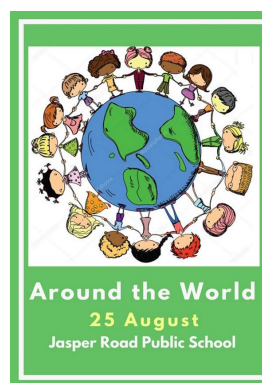
Perhaps baking is more your thing? If so we would love it if you could take cupcakes, slices or biscuits and return them to school on Friday 27th July. We will also accept baked goods at the evening Saturday.

3 – 6 Athletics Carnival – Thursday 16th August

The Fundraising Committee will be running a small canteen and a BBQ on the day. We will publish a price list closer to the event so you can see what is available.

Trivia Night - Saturday 25th August

This year's theme is Around the World



Do you own a business or have friends/family that do who would like donate to our Trivia Night?

We are seeking items for raffle prizes and also for winning tables, best dressed etc. Perhaps your work would like to donate or you could even purchase a gift voucher yourself to contribute. If you would like to help by canvassing local shopping centres for donations we would love to hear from you.

If you have any items or vouchers or would like to help please contact us at jaffatjasperroad@hotmail.com.

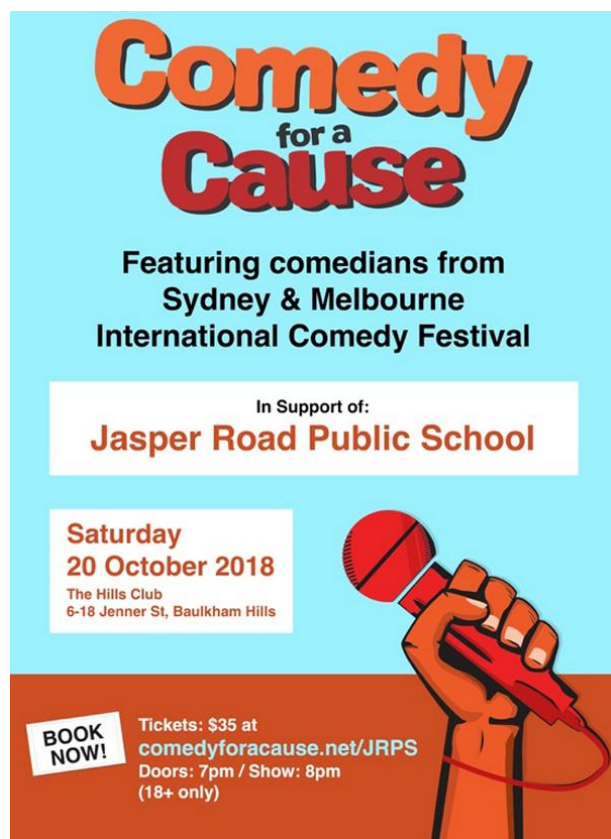
Everyday Hero

Jasper Road Public School are now officially registered.

Do you have an upcoming event or fun run? If so, why not also support the school at the same time. You can do this via online donations using Australia's favourite fundraising platform Everyday Hero.

Simply go to the Everyday Hero website to create your fundraising page and choose Jasper Road Public School P&C Association as your charity.

Thinking of running or walking this year's City to Surf on Sunday August 12...this is a great opportunity to not only participate but also raise funds for the school. Any donation would be appreciated by the school community to better our children's schooling experience.



Comedy for a Cause

Featuring comedians from
Sydney & Melbourne
International Comedy Festival

In Support of:
Jasper Road Public School

**Saturday
20 October 2018**
The Hills Club
6-18 Jenner St, Baulkham Hills

BOOK NOW! Tickets: \$35 at comedyforacause.net/JRPS
Doors: 7pm / Show: 8pm
(18+ only)

Entertainment Book Orders:

Every purchase contributes 20% back to the school for fundraising. Visit the link below to securely pay online and pick up your 'hard copy' at school or download to your smartphone.

<https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/2151c99>

Next P&C Meeting

Our next meeting is on Monday 30th July at 7pm in the Staffroom and we welcome all parents. If you cannot make alternative arrangements for your kids, they are welcome.

Next Fundraising Meeting

Our next Fundraising meeting is on Wednesday 1st August in the Cottage at 9:15 am and we welcome all parents. Children are also welcome.

Contact the P&C Committees

P&C Committee: pandcatjasperroad@hotmail.com

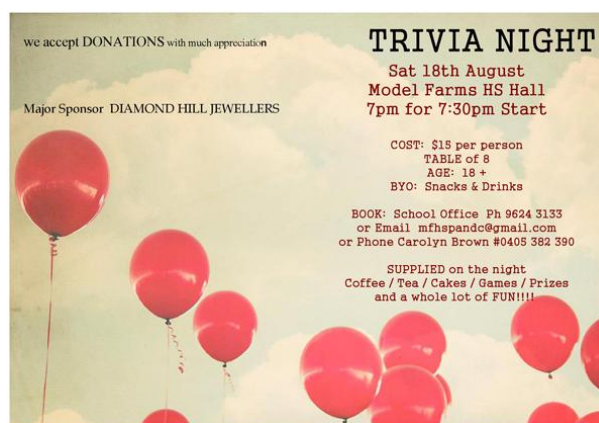
Fundraising Committee: jaffatjasperroad@hotmail.com

If you're able to help out at any of the events during the year (disco, mothers/father's day stalls, BBQ's etc) please send us an email and we'll add you to our volunteer list!

We advertise upcoming events in the fortnightly newsletter and also on our Facebook Page so please add us if you haven't already!



Community Notices



we accept DONATIONS with much appreciation

Major Sponsor DIAMOND HILL JEWELLERS

TRIVIA NIGHT
Sat 18th August
Model Farms HS Hall
7pm for 7:30pm Start

COST: \$15 per person
TABLE of 8
AGE: 18 +
BYO: Snacks & Drinks

BOOK: School Office Ph 9624 3133
or Email mfhspandc@gmail.com
or Phone Carolyn Brown #0405 382 390

SUPPLIED on the night
Coffee / Tea / Cakes / Games / Prizes
and a whole lot of FUN!!!!

Attention all Hills Performing Arts Schools

Hills Performing Arts Festival Ticketing



Tickets for this year's Festival will go on sale on

Monday 6th August from 10am

Price: \$27.25

No concession or children's prices
Babies 12months and under are free

Ticketing info

Tickets CAN be purchased from the box office or by phone and internet. The details are as follows:

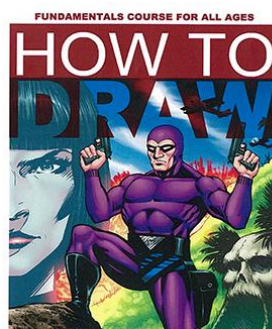
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| 1. Ticketek website | www.ticketek.com.au (booking fees will apply) |
| 2. Ticketek call Centre | Phone bookings 132 849 (booking fees will apply) |
| 3. Penrith Panthers Reception Desk | <u>In person only - 10am to 10pm daily</u> |

(No booking fees for cash or eftpos transactions)

Please note there are no bulk school bookings accepted

If you live in a 5km radius you must be a member or be signed in by a member to gain entry to the club. If you live outside the 5km radius please remember your ID so that you can sign in and enter the club

Kelly's Special Offer: Every ticket has \$8 coffee and cake on the tip of each ticket. This can be redeemed at Kelly's on the day of ticket only. Please show your ticket and pay \$8 only



- Over 6 years industry experience
- Over 10 years experience working with kids
- Classes run during school terms over 3 locations:

Tuesday:
Glenhaven Community Centre
4-6

Wednesday:
Balcombe Heights
(Thompson hall)
4-6

Thursday:
Rouse Hill Community Centre
4-6

Contact
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or
BETTINA: 0421603341