

The Dunkley Herald

Term 4 Week 9



Safe
Respectful
Learners



Congratulations Year 6 and Mr Crawley on a wonderful Year 6 Farewell

The final assembly for Year 6 will be held next Wednesday from 2pm onwards in the school hall. We look forward to officially farewelling our Year 6 students on this day.



2020 Staffing Update

I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate Samuel Crawley on his permanent appointment to Mount Hutton Public School. Mr Crawley was successful through the merit selection process in gaining a permanent position as a classroom teacher in our support unit. Congratulations Mr Crawley!

Presentation Day

Presentation Day was a celebration of the amazing achievements of our exceptional students. Our Presentation Day was superbly hosted by our school leaders Malakye Blair, Eliza Shultz, Jamieson Hearne and Lilly Holdsworth.



We are safe, respectful learners.

Dunkley says, 'have a very safe and happy holiday.'

Everyone, Everywhere, Every time

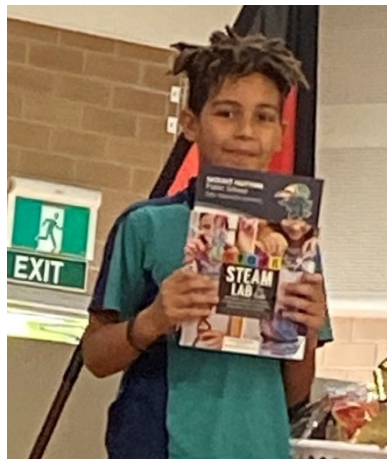


School Captains 2020	<i>Ninjirah Blair & Asher Cooper</i>	Vice Captains 2020	<i>Holly Fletcher & Tye Johnson</i>
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Award	Recipient
Dux Excellence in Creative Arts	<i>Eliza Shultz</i>
Dedication to Learning	<i>Destinee Bower</i>
Leadership	<i>Lilly Holdsworth</i>
Junior Dunkley	<i>Taylor Daugherty</i>
Senior Dunkley	<i>Sarahkay John</i>
Premier's Sporting Medal Senior Boys Swimming Champion 12/13 Years Boys Cross Country Champion Senior Boys Athletics Champion	<i>Allan Middleton</i>
Junior Boys Swimming Champion 10 Year Boys Cross Country Champion Junior Boys Athletics Champion	<i>Wayde Carruthers</i>
Junior Girls Swimming Champion	<i>Ava Towers</i>
Intermediate Boys Swimming Champion	<i>Malakye Blair</i>
Intermediate Girls Swimming Champion 11 years Girls Cross Country Champion	<i>Holly Fletcher</i>
Senior Girls Swimming Champion	<i>Anneke Vanderkooi</i>
8/9 years Boys Cross Country Champion	<i>Jasper Davies</i>
8/9 years Girls Cross Country Champion	<i>Tarnee Gresham</i>
10 years Girls Cross Country Champion	<i>Shanique Middleton</i>
11 years Boys Cross Country Champion	<i>Tye Johnson</i>
12/13 years Girls Cross Country Champion	<i>Lilly Holdsworth</i>
Junior Girls Athletics Champion	<i>Ninjirah Blair</i>
Intermediate Girls Athletics Champion	<i>Jasmin Hooton</i>
Senior Girls Athletics Champion	<i>Coren Cranfield</i>
Stage 1 Sportsmanship	<i>Noah Hudson</i>
Stage 2 Sportsmanship	<i>Levi Wright</i>
Stage 3 Sportsmanship	<i>Keelan Quirke</i>

Class Award	Recipient
Personal Excellence in all Key Learning Areas	<i>Sarahkay John</i>
Personal Excellence in all Key Learning Areas	<i>Amy Head</i>
Personal Excellence in all Key Learning Areas	<i>Luke Thomas</i>
Personal Excellence in English	<i>Charlie Tye</i>
Personal Achievement in all Key Learning Areas	<i>Kaylee Hawkins</i>
Personal Excellence in literacy	<i>Blakely Hutchinson</i>
Personal Excellence in science & technology	<i>Jude Baylis</i>
Personal Excellence in all key learning areas	<i>Jordyn Haynes</i>
Personal Excellence in English	<i>Quinn Allen</i>
Personal Achievement in English and mathematics	<i>Archer Fletcher</i>
Personal Excellence in literacy	<i>Jasper Davies</i>
Personal Achievement in mathematics	<i>Tyler Stott</i>
Personal Excellence in creative arts	<i>Willis Oprea</i>
Personal Excellence in English	<i>Lilly Graham</i>
Personal Excellence in mathematics	<i>Noah Erzetich</i>
Personal Achievement in all areas	<i>Forever Bower</i>
Personal Excellence in mathematics	<i>Miles Nathan-Marsh</i>
Personal Excellence in all areas of schooling	<i>Marissa Thompson</i>
Personal Excellence in mathematics	<i>Connor O'Neill</i>
Personal Excellence in English	<i>Eliza Shultz</i>
Personal Excellence in visual arts	<i>Coren Cranfield</i>



School Calendar

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
10	December 16	December 17	December 18	December 19	December 20
	Whole School PBL reward - Disco in the Day	Class Party Day Semester 2 Reports home	Talent Quest Year 6 Final Assembly – 2pm	Staff Development Day	Staff Development Day
1	January 27	January 28	January 29	January 30	January 31
		Staff Development Day Uniform Shop Open	Students K-6 first day 2020 Support Class meetings	Kindergarten First Day Photographs Support Class meetings	Support Class meetings
2	February 3	February 4	February 5	February 6	February 7
3	February 10	February 11	February 12	February 13	February 14
				Swimming Carnival	
4	February 17	February 18	February 19	February 20	February 21
				Zone Swimming	Zone Swimming
5	February 24	February 25	February 26	February 27	February 28
				Assembly 2pm – Swimming Carnival Ribbons	
6	March 2	March 3	March 4	March 5	March 6
		Regional Hunter PSSA Swimming Carnival Miniroos Soccer Gala Day Year 3/4		Miniroos Soccer Gala Day Year 5/6	
7	March 9	March 10	March 11	March 12	March 13
				School Photographs	
8	March 16	March 17	March 18	March 19	March 20
9	March 23	March 24	March 25	March 26	March 27
				Assembly 2pm – Artist of the Term	

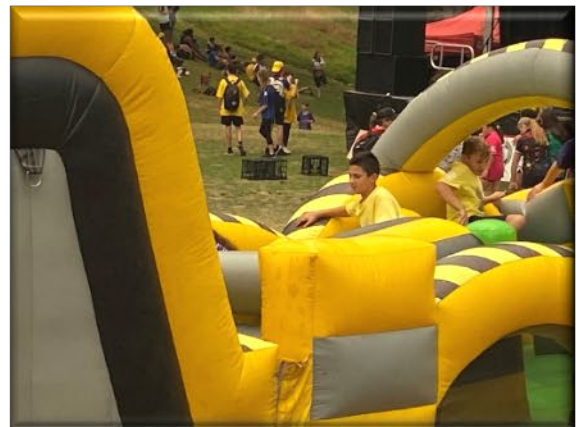
Professional Learning Calendar

This calendar details professional learning activities of staff. It may help families have conversations at home about upcoming changes to the normal daily routines at school for our students.

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
10	December 16	December 17	December 18	December 19	December 20
				Whole Staff Professional Learning	Whole Staff Professional Learning
1	January 27	January 28	January 29	January 30	January 31
		Whole Staff Professional Learning			
2	February 3	February 4	February 5	February 6	February 7
		Ms Yeo @ Glenrock Placement Panel Meeting for Support Classes		Executive team with School Services for support with student reading	
3	February 10	February 11	February 12	February 13	February 14
		Mrs Pearce & Mrs Bishop @ Additive Strategies PL	Mrs Pearce & Mrs Bishop @ Additive Strategies PL		
4	February 17	February 18	February 19	February 20	February 21
		Ms Yeo with Glenrock Network			
5	February 24	February 25	February 26	February 27	February 28
			Mrs Pearce @ EAFS Induction	Mrs Pearce @ EAFS Induction	
6	March 2	March 3	March 4	March 5	March 6
7	March 9	March 10	March 11	March 12	March 13
	Ms Yeo @ Flourish PL				
8	March 16	March 17	March 18	March 19	March 20
		Ms Yeo with Glenrock Advisory Board			
9	March 23	March 24	March 25	March 26	March 27

Walk a Mile Koori Style







I would firstly like to say thank you to our amazing school community for your support through 2019. Through your generosity and support the P&C has been able to provide additional resourcing to our children's education across a range of activities and programs.



Our school was fortunate to be a voting centre not once but twice at the start of the year. This enabled the P&C to run a BBQ and through the generosity of the wider community, fundraise for our school. We also had our usual raffles and stalls and we even held a Bunnings BBQ this year and these all contribute however; our school canteen is our most consistent way that the P&C raises funds.

Volunteers run the canteen and we would like to say a big thank you to all that have helped us continually and on the ad hoc basis throughout this year. Our volunteers have kept the canteen operational during 2019 and we look forward to being able to continue this service for our children and the teachers in 2020. If you are able to spare even a couple of hours once a month, we would appreciate the help.

Our end of year raffle this year raised just over \$1180 ... THANK YOU for your amazing generosity.

Thanks should also go to the following businesses who supported us through donations this year:

- Lake Macquarie Fair – Centre Management
- Valentine Swim School
- Total Tennis at Mount Hutton
- Springloaded
- Dunkley Dash
- Mel Boyd – Tupperware
- As well as a number of parents and school friends who donated toys and books

But where did all this fundraising go – it goes to our children and to enhancing their educational experience at this great school. The P&C supported through a range of sporting equipment and clothing, including the amazing outdoor table tennis table, and the funds were used to purchase a new oven for the canteen and support STEM educational initiatives.

We are always looking for new ways to fundraise that can also reach outside of our small school community. We have a few ideas we are already planning for next year but if you have a burning suggestion – please come along to one of the monthly meetings – these are open to everyone in the school community, you don't have to be a member of the P&C to attend. Our first one will be in early February next year. Alternatively, you can put your idea in the suggestion box – this box will be moving to the canteen next year.

Thank you also to Ms Yeo, our amazing teachers and the lovely office staff for the constant assistance you have given the P&C this year and we look forward to another great year next year

And finally - Merry Christmas and have a happy and safe New Year. **Tegan Betts**



Student Resource Kits at Mount Hutton Public School



Resource Kits include subscriptions to Mathletics, Reading Eggs, Spellodrome and Typing Tournament



What you WON'T need to do:-

- ✗ Buy pens, pencils, pencil cases, (and the list goes on...)
- ✗ Send your child to school with a pencil case (or two!)
- ✗ Go to the shops with a long list of equipment to buy
- ✗ Worry about your child's property getting lost or stolen
- ✗ Replace items that break or run out during the year
- ✗ Venture into expensive stores that sound like 'Hypo', 'Office Perks', and 'Wiggle'!

What you WILL need to do:-

- ✓ Pay \$25 to the Office for each child in your family
- ✓ \$25 can be paid in full, or in instalments during the year
- ✓ Keep your receipt from the Office to claim on your Tax
- ✓ Benefit from the bulk buying power of the school
- ✓ Sit back, relax and let Mount Hutton Public School do all of the shopping!





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