

# The Dunkley Herald

Term 3 Week 1  
July 26 2019



**Safe  
Respectful  
Learners**



## Staffing Changes

Please be advised that there are a number of staffing changes coming into effect this term.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Leah Pasierbek for her time here at Mount Hutton Public School. She has worked tirelessly with students and families in K6 MC and we wish her well in her new teaching without walls role for Allambie.

I would like to welcome Natalie Palmer to our school, she will be teaching on K6 MC for three days per week. Natalie has already worked closely with students in K6 MC and will be in the school on additional days working collaboratively with Kim Smith who teaches the class for two days per week to ensure as smooth a transition as possible. I would like to thank the families of our students in K6 MC for being so understanding when they received this news.

I would also like to welcome Mark Rumford to our school in Term 3. Mark is completing his internship on Year 5 with Edie Forrest and we are looking forward to some exciting teaching and learning events happening in both Year 5 and Year 6 with the addition of Mark to our mix!

Our school also welcomes Indiana Steel. Indiana will be working with Year 4, also for three days per week, every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Families in Year 4 will be bringing home more detailed information from Jacqueline Pearce in regard to the teaching and learning organisation for Year 4.

*Kirstie Yeo*  
Principal

## **Dunkley says,**

**‘I am safe. I am respectful. I am a learner.’**

**Kinder – Year 1 focus → Being honest and kind**

**Year 2 – Year 2/3 focus → Respecting Personal Space**

**Year 4, 5 & 6 focus → Courteous conversations**

**K6 MC focus → Keeping hands and feet to myself**

***Everyone, Everywhere, Every time***



## School Calendar

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2	July 29	July 30	July 31	August 1	August 2
			Zone Athletics Carnival	Junior Kookaburras Assembly – K6MC Zone Athletics Carnival Hunter Dance	
3	August 5	August 6	August 7	August 8	August 9
	Education Week – Charlestown Square performance				
	Stage 3 Public Speaking Finals	Stage 2 Public Speaking Finals	Early Stage 1 Public Speaking Finals	Junior Kookaburras	Stage 1 Public Speaking Finals
4	August 12	August 13	August 14	August 15	August 16
		P&C Meeting 6pm		Junior Kookaburras Assembly – Year 1	
5	August 19	August 20	August 21	August 22	August 23
			Netball Gala Day Newcastle Permanent Mathematics Competition	Author Visit Junior Kookaburras	
6	August 26	August 27	August 28	August 29	August 30
	Book Fair – 11:00-11:40am				
				Junior Kookaburras Assembly – Book Parade	Hunter PSSA Athletics
7	September 2	September 3	September 4	September 5	September 6
				Junior Kookaburras	
8	September 9	September 10	September 11	September 12	September 13
				Junior Kookaburras Assembly - Dance	
9	September 16	September 17	September 18	September 19	September 20
				Junior Kookaburras	
10	September 23	September 24	September 25	September 26	September 27
		Responsible Pet Ownership K – 2 & K6 MC		Junior Kookaburras Assembly – Artist of the Term	



# Hunter Dance Festival

Congratulations to the Mount Hutton Public School Senior Dance group for being selected to participate in the Hunter Dance Festival 2019.

Our amazing MHPS dance group will be performing at NEX – Newcastle Exhibition & Convention Centre (West's City) on **Thursday August 1.**

**Time: 6:00-8:00pm**

**Cost of tickets \$20**

Tickets can be purchased directly from West's Newcastle. Please note that tickets may sell out prior to the day of the event and there is no guarantee that tickets will be available for purchase on the night. Or you can purchase tickets online by visiting:

<https://www.proticket.com.au/Events/Details/5088>

# Public Speaking Competition 2019



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*We are very proud of all of the students who took part in today's school public speaking finals. The students who have been selected to represent Mount Hutton Public School at the zone finals are...*

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*Grace M & Ty H  
Early Stage 1*



*Noah H & Baden D  
Stage 1*



*Willis O & Lilly G  
Stage 2*



*Braedy F & Ninjira B  
Stage 3*