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OUR WEEK

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Multicultural Public Speaking Results FROM THE PRINCIPAL

This week we conducted the Stage 2 and 3 finals of the Multicultural Public Speaking. Last year, Jacob E made it through to the State finals of the Multicultural Public Speaking and we have some students here at HPPS who were lucky enough to attend this prestigious event.

The results were:

Stage 2: Priyanka S
Noah P
Stage 3: Jayden T
Paris M

Congratulations to all students involved in the finals. The District finals will be at Mawarra PS on Monday 24th June.

Debating News

Both teams have completed their first round debates. They will each have four debates before the winners of each pool may progress further.

Last week the Harrington Park Eels travelled to Currans Hill PS for their 1st round debate. We had many strong arguments and valid rebuttals but somehow we lost. We have improved dramatically since our first practice and will be ready for our next debate. Well done. The team was: Hannah E, Elodie C, Helena T and Bradley S.

Last Tuesday the Harrington Park Sharks travelled to Ruse PS for their 1st round debate. We followed the correct structure and our rebuttals were very persuasive. The great news is, we won! We will definitely improve as the year progresses which is ominous for opposing teams. The team was: Jayden T, Breanna C, Paris M, Angelina M.

Our next debate is scheduled for Tuesday 11th June, where both the Harrington Park teams will debate against each other. This will commence at approximately 2pm. Parents from the debating teams are welcome to attend.



CORRECTION

After our last Care Believe Succeed the nominees for the Succeed award were listed incorrectly in the newsletter. Below are the correct Succeed award nominees for March/April. We apologise for the error.

Succeed: Kaylee W, Keeghan R, Cooper E (Kindergarten), Ethan M, Jayde S, Zoe-Lee B (Yr 1), Rory S (Yr 2), Tauren M, Adam T, Joshua C (Yr 3), Paris B, Georgia V, Toby S (Yr 4), Charlotte R, Zachary S, Olivia S (Yr 5), Vanessa R (Yr 6)

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Welcome to Week 5. It has been another busy and successful week at Harrington Park. Congratulations to our two school captains who have been selected in the SW Sydney regional softball team. Our debaters were successful against Ruse PS, and we have several media personalities in the making. You may have seen a recent commercial for Canon on television. Congratulations to Jy, Ethan and their dad as well as Kobi, Max and Jayla from the Hornets.

This week our parliament will be inducted at the Care Believe Succeed Assembly on Friday. I hope to see many of you there for this important occasion.

The council and police have been conducting a road safety education program in our neighbourhood this week. They have commented on the vast majority of drivers who do the right thing and welcomed positive feedback from many parents. Let's all work together to keep our children safe.

Our dance groups have been working hard in preparation for the Regional Dance Festival. Thanks to Mrs Scherer and Mrs Batty and their supporters for their hard work and commitment in preparing the dancers. I'm sure that we are going to be very impressed by the performances at Homebush and later in the 2567 Showcase. The Showcase is just one of many joint initiatives taking place this year between our community of schools. We will highlight some of them in the newsletter in coming weeks.

Well done to the boys in 3D for their fine efforts tree planting last week. The session was always going ahead rain, hail or shine as we only had the one opportunity on offer to us. The boys worked hard under sometimes challenging conditions to regenerate a section of the Cumberland Plain. They have left a great legacy for future generations and despite the spells of rain during their work session they gave their best efforts and had fun at the same time. Thanks to Mr Martin for organising the event for the boys.

My thought for the week is from Miguel de Cervantes, 'The man who is prepared has his battle half fought.'

Have a great week.

Yours faithfully,
Andrew Best

DIARY



TERM 2

- 31st: CBS Assembly
- June**
- 3rd: Cricket Knockout vs Dalmeny PS 9-2pm @ Busby
- 4C Audit visit
- 4th: P&C Meeting
- AASC Futsal Yrs 1-2
- 4-6th: SWS Dance Festival Rehearsal and Performance
- 5th: ICAS Science Test
- Yr 1 AFL Skills
- 6th: AASC Basketball Yrs 3-6
- Yr 2 AFL Skills
- 7th: Gala Day #2
- 10th: Public Holiday - Queen's Birthday
- 11th: AASC Futsal Yrs 1-2
- HPPS Debate - Eels vs Sharks @2pm

CELEBRATING SUCCESS

Congratulations to the following students who were recognised at their stage assemblies for their recent efforts.

1E	Takara F	Excellent progress in literacy and numeracy	2C	Maddison W	Excellent behaviour and always trying to do her best
1E	Sharae F	Excellent progress in literacy and numeracy	2C	Aaron V	Participating confidently during class discussions
1G	Lara H	Showing an interest in trees	2D	Matthew T	Always working hard in all areas
1G	Maddison L	Amazing homework	2D	Ashli L	Excellent effort in class discussions and activities
1HP	Chloe B	Having a wonderful attitude to learning and always trying her best	3C	Orlando F	Trying hard to complete all of his work
1HP	Logan S	Taking great pride in the quality of his bookwork	3C	Ashley C	Always presenting neat & tidy bookwork
1HP	O'Lissa S	Being a kind and caring class citizen	3C	Olivia A	Her great effort in all learning areas
1M	Tahlia M	Working hard in TEN groups	3D	Liam D	Being an enthusiastic tree planter
1M	Charlize J	Great effort in all areas	3D	Jai G	Trying hard to write an interesting recount
1S	William M	A great improvement in his reading and writing	3D	Caleb S	Trying hard to construct a column graph
1S	Rosalina T	Great effort during TEN time	3M	Breanna S	Excellent multicultural speech
1S	Erin W	Fantastic participation during class discussions	3M	Luke L	Showing maturity towards learning
1/2J	Jessica O	Great work in computers	3M	Eliza G	Keeping us entertained with her wonderful sense of humour
1/2J	Brooklyn B	Great drawings in art	4EW	Bradley G	Working really well to improve his multiplication tables knowledge
1/2J	Agustin B	Improved reading	4EW	Tara M	A great effort in the public speaking competition

Thank you

We would just like to say a big 'Thank You' to Julie A from Campbelltown City Kangaroos Group 6 for organising with Daniel from Narellan Jets JRLFC in offering to lend us jerseys for the All Schools Rugby League Gala Day which was held on Wednesday as our school jerseys mysteriously disappeared and then magically turned up the day before the event. We so appreciate your generosity. Thank you!!!

Netball State Knockout



Last Friday our girls' netball state knockout team went to Elderslie to play against Mawarra. We knew it was going to be a tough game as Mawarra are a very strong team. I was so

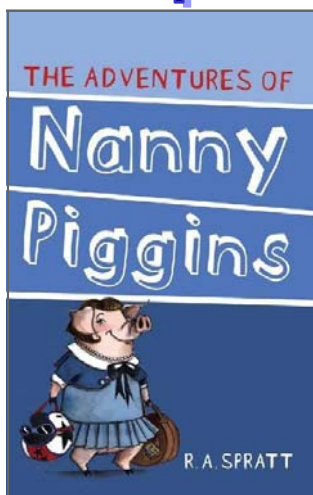
proud of all of the girls never once giving up, each of them always trying their best. Unfortunately Mawarra won 24-2 stopping us from continuing any further in this comp.

Well done girls!! You all played a fantastic game.

Mrs McAllister

Author Visit - Rachel Spratt

We are lucky to have an author visit on Wednesday 12th June for some Year 3 and 5 classes. Rachel wrote the "Nanny Piggins" series and is visiting to tell us about her work and giving the opportunity for children to purchase a signed copy of her book(s). Even though we can only offer Rachel's visit to some classes, ANYONE is welcome to purchase a copy of her signed book(s). Order forms for these are available in the Library and a copy is posted on our website. All orders (cash or credit card only) need to be returned by Tuesday 4th June so correct copies can be ordered.



State Knockout Basketball

On Tuesday both the boys and girls State Knockout Basketball teams made their way to Birrong Public School to play their first game in the competition. All players gave 100% throughout our training sessions and on game day.



They all showed great sportsmanship and were good ambassadors for our school. The girls team played really well despite losing their game 50-7. They never gave up even though the other team clearly had a height advantage. The boys played out a very close

game going down right on full time 26-24. All children should be very proud of their effort and determination. Thank you to Mr McKenna who gave up his time to assist with the coaching sessions and on the day and to all the parents who helped to transport the children to Birrong. Your assistance was greatly appreciated.

Mrs Bligh

Woolworths Earn & Learn



As you may be aware, the Woolworths Earn and Learn program has begun again for 2013. For every \$10 spent in a Woolworths store you will receive a sticker. These stickers can be placed on a sticker card and placed in a collection box located in the school foyer area or in the Harrington Park Public School box located in the Mt Annan store.

Sticker cards are available at all Woolworths stores.

CANTEEN HELPERS Week Beginning 3rd June

Monday:	am	pm
Tuesday:	am Kylie	pm Kylie
Wednesday:	am Sam, Jo	pm Alysse
Thursday:	am Ross, Sally	pm Alysse
Friday:	am Sheena	am



3D's Tree Planting Excursion

Last Thursday 3D went to West Hoxton Park by bus to plant trees.

Firstly we ran in the rain to the bus. The bus was a party bus. It was really cool!

When we arrived we got introduced to Alex. We walked down to the planting site where Alex introduced us to Marty.

Then Marty taught us how to plant seedlings. When we all settled down we started to plant.

After that everybody was a bit wet and very dirty. Mr Martin took photos of everyone.

Finally we finished. We got a 'Local Hero' shirt. We had a photo and said goodbye and we all headed off.

I thought it was great fun and I would like to do it again.

Written by: Luke B

Illustrated by: Abdul E



Hey Riley! I've got the stakes.



This mud is great fun!



Watch me push this in!



DYLAN S

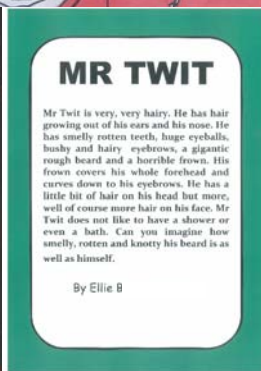


NATASHA N

ARTWORK FROM 5NT



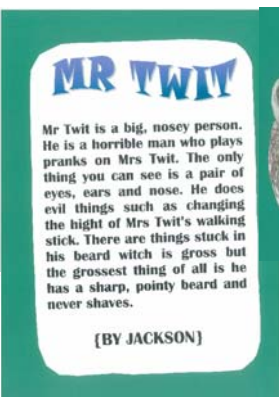
NICHOLAS R



MR TWIT

Mr Twit is very, very hairy. He has hair growing out of his ears and his nose. He has smelly rotten teeth, huge eyeballs, bushy and hairy eyebrows, a gigantic rough beard and a horrible frown. His frown covers his whole forehead and curves down to his eyebrows. He has a little bit of hair on his head but more, well of course more hair on his face. Mr Twit does not like to have a shower or even a bath. Can you imagine how smelly, rotten and knotty his beard is as well as himself.

By Ellie B



[BY JACKSON]



GEORGIA F



SARA S

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P&C Uniform Shop Price List and Order Form

The uniform shop is owned by the P&C and operated by volunteers.
All profits are donated to the school to benefit all of the children,
so please support your P&C.

Harrington Park Public School
Sir Warwick Fairfax Drive
Harrington Park 2567
(PO Box 3126 Narellan)
Phone: 4647 7116
Fax: 4647 6617

Parent/Carer Name: _____

Phone: _____

Child's name: _____

Class: _____

The uniform shop is open Tuesday 8.30am to 10.30am and Thursday 2.30pm to 4.00pm.

Item	Size									Unit Price	Quantity	Total Cost
Summer												
Girls Summer Dress	4	5	6	7	8	10	12	14	16	\$49.00		
Everyday S/Sleeve Polo	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	\$24.00		
Boys Cargo Shorts	4	6	8	10	12	14	16			\$16.00		
Winter												
Girls Tunic	4	5	6	7	8	10	12	14	16	\$49.00		
Girls Peter Pan Shirt	4	6	8	10	12	14	16			\$20.00		
Girls Everyday Pants	4	6	8	10						\$20.00		
Stretch Bootleg Pants	4	6	8	10	12	14	16			\$20.00		
Everyday L/Sleeve Polo	4	6	8	10	12	14	16			\$28.00		
Unisex Track Pants	4	6	8	10	12	14	16			\$25.00		
Boys Long Cargo Pants	4	6	8	10	12	14	16			\$23.00		
Fleecy Zipper Jacket	4	6	8	10	12	14	16			\$22.00		
School Jacket	4	6	8	10	12	14	16			\$40.00		
Sports wear												
Unisex Sports Polo	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18		\$22.00		
Unisex Sports Shorts	4	6	8	10	12	14	16			\$12.00		
Sports Socks		9-2			2-8		7-11			\$10.00		
Football Socks (Gala Day)		9-2			2-8		7-11			\$10.00		
Accessories												
Baseball Cap	One size fits all									\$10.00		
Slouch Hat		XS		S		M		L		\$10.00		
Library Bag										\$8.00		
Excursion Bag										\$10.00		
Small Backpack										\$40.00		
Large Backpack										\$45.00		
Art Smock										\$12.00		
All costing includes GST											Sub Total	\$
PLEASE NOTE:											EFTPOS Fee	\$2.00
CLEARANCE ITEMS AND LIMITED TIME SPECIALS ON SEPARATE FORM											TOTAL	\$

Payment (please circle): **Cash**

Cheque

EFTPOS

Visa

MasterCard

(payable to Harrington Park Public School P&C)

Credit card number _____ Exp Date ____/____ CCV No _____

Cardholder Signature _____ Phone _____

Orders may be left at the front office with payment or sent to hppsuniformshop@gmail.com.

Completed orders will be delivered to your child's class unless otherwise requested.

RETURNS – please leave tags on items and return with invoice.

Please contact Stephanie on 0427 049 543 or Raelean on 0409 395 713 if you have any queries.



Clearance Items – May/June 2013

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Date: _____

Parent/Carer Name: _____

Phone: _____

Child's name: _____

Class: _____

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Item	Size	Unit Price	Quantity	Total Cost
Girls Navy Pants	4 6 8	\$5		
Girls Navy Slacks	6 10 12	\$5		
Navy Jumper (sloppy joe)	4 14 16 18	\$10		
Fleecy Zipper Jacket (1 only)	18	\$10		
Navy Skort	3 4 6 8 10 12 14 16	\$10		
Navy Netball Skirt	6 8 10 12 14 16	\$10		
Summer Dresses	4 5 16 18	\$35		
Winter Tunic – no belt (1 only)	8	\$44		
Sports Polo	14 16 18 Limited time only	\$10		
Football Socks (gala day) Cream soled foot only	7-11 (L)	\$5		
*Winter Special -				
Winter Tunic + ½ price	4 5 6 8 10 12 14 16 Limited time only	\$59		
Peter Pan shirt	4 6 8 10 12 14 16			
All costing includes GST			Sub total	\$
			EFTPOS Fee	\$2.00
			TOTAL	\$

Payment (please circle): **Cash**

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Uniform Shop

After many years of running H.P.P.S's uniform shop, Karen Rossiter has decided to move on to new things. The P&C would like to thank her for her service and wish her all the best in any new ventures she undertakes.

As a result.... the Uniform Shop will now be run by the P&C and volunteers. If you can help, contact Stephanie on **0427 049 543** or hppsuniformshop@gmail.com

Did you know.... that all profits from the Uniform Shop get put back into the school to buy resources for our children?

Buying uniforms.... Visit the uniform shop in the hall on Tuesdays between 8.30am & 10.30am or Thursdays between 2.30pm & 4.00pm. Alternatively, orders may be left at the front office with payment, clearly marked **Uniform Order** or sent to hppsuniformshop@gmail.com and your order will be sent home with your child.

Clearance Items – some items are being cleared, so check the 'Clearance Items' form and be quick, only while stock lasts!

Feedback- we are seeking feedback on the new style of Girls everyday pants. So please let us know what you think by visiting the uniform shop or emailing us at hppsuniformshop@gmail.com

**** A new order form has been included or can be printed off from the school website. ****

P&C News

Uniform Shop

The uniform shop is open Tues 8.30-10.30am and Thurs 2.30-4.00pm so call in and get your winter uniforms now.

Calling for volunteers to help in the uniform shop. Only a couple of hours a week of your time is needed and would be greatly appreciated.

Clearance:

Size 8/14/16/18 navy jumpers \$10.00

Size 6/8/10/12/14/16 netball skirts \$10.00.

Don't forget our winter special - Buy a winter tunic and get one peter pan shirt for half price

Gala Day Socks have arrived!



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