

# Howlong Public School Newsletter

Thursday 27 June 2019



## Dates For Your Calendar

<b>Fri 28 June</b>	SRPSSA Athletics Carnival
<b>Tues 2 July</b>	Term 2 Scripture event –The Story of David and Goliath
<b>Week 10</b>	Naidoc Week (Wed 3 July - Mural unveiling)
<b>Tues 2 July</b>	PSSA Netball Knockout
<b>Thurs 4 July</b>	Tony Lockett Shield
<b>Fri 5 July</b>	KCN Assembly



### Principals Report

**Thank you! Thank you! Thank you! - “It takes a village to raise a child.”**

I would like to share exciting news to you all about the fantastic opportunity that was presented to our school by Sheila Smith from the Howlong Community Op Shop. Our school was invited to and recently applied for some funding through our local community based Op shop.

It was an absolute surprise, but a delightful and grateful feeling, to receive such a substantive amount of \$7,400. Our application stated that any funding that the school received would go towards a new mobile interactive touchscreen. This interactive board will be placed in the library. This will not only enhance and maximise many learning opportunities for our students and staff, but will enable access to technology in multiple locations within our school. We would like to thank the committee from the Howlong Op shop for your generous donation.

Last night our school also received a cheque of \$594.86 from Howlong IGA, as part of the Community benefits card program. This money will go towards our School Chaplaincy Program. Thank you IGA for this donation. All parents can help contribute to this initiative by simply filling in a form from IGA and choosing our school as a recipient for points.

It is wonderful to see how our local community is supporting the learning of our students. Our school will continue to work in partnership with our community to ensure that we provide and deliver quality education, as well as fostering and promoting positive connectedness our students have with their local community.

### NAIDOC Week Activities

A part of NAIDOC week activities, we are unveiling our outdoor wall mural painted by local Wiradjuri artist David Dunne, sponsored by the Regional Arts NSW in partnership with the P&C and school funds. This project forms a part of our whole school playground development strategy that highlights features of Aboriginal culture, art, the environment and student wellbeing.



The unveiling of the mural will begin at 10.30am Wednesday the 3<sup>rd</sup> July and conclude by 11.00am followed by a morning tea for guests and a sausage sizzle for students and families. After lunch students will be in mixed classes and rotate around eight traditional aboriginal games, concluding at 2.00pm. Year 6 students will coordinate the games by working in leadership teams to learn and teach the games to each group. We invite family and friends to join our school community for the mural unveiling and to share in our sausage sizzle for lunch. Family orders can be made on student order forms due this Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June.

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## Volunteers Day Posters

Last Friday some of our Stage 3 students received some well- deserved recognition for their contribution to the Federation Council's Volunteers Day Celebration. These students produced some colourful and creative posters to show 'what volunteers mean to them'. They were rewarded with special prizes from the council. Our lucky winners: Jessie Wychowanko, Missy Groenewald, Sienna Napolitano, Lily McDonald, Maddie Merritt, Aleisha Carroll and Brandi Chisnall .



## Fire Safety Talk

Thank you to David Gulbin and his daughter Cheyenne for coming to our school to conduct sessions to promote awareness on fire safety. Our students learnt a lot about the importance of staying safe and what to do in case of a fire. The big fire truck was a highlight with students and the primary students got to use the fire hose as well. If you and your child would like to find out further information about fire safety please see the link provided

[.https://www.cfa.vic.gov.au/plan-prepare/early-fire-safe-program](https://www.cfa.vic.gov.au/plan-prepare/early-fire-safe-program)

<https://kidshealth.org/en/parents/fire-safety.html>



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## Cricket Knockout Round 4

On the 20<sup>th</sup> of June, Howlong Public School and Wagga Public School played an intense game of cricket at Alexandra Park in Albury.

Howlong's team is made up of Hunter Hall, Finn Thompson, Noah Orchard, Jed Kohn, Dane Fenner, Jett Murphy, Baxter Hamilton, Jacob Panther, Harrison Tindall, Harry Thompson, Robbie Bailey and Tyler Farnsworth.

We won the toss and decided to bowl. Wagga made 4/102 and we thought this was a respectable effort.

We knew we had a large total to chase and we bought our A game. Some strong openers and a great partnership that followed, led us to victory with a score of 2/104 with 4 overs remaining.

Thank you to all the parents, helpers and organisers on their efforts in making this day a success. A special thanks must be given to Martin Orchard for his spectacular umpiring and coaching skills.

The Howlong Cricket Knockout Team.



### Term 2 Week 8 Assembly Awards:

#### **Congratulations to the following students who received a Class Merit Certificate:**

Molly Pargeter, Emmerson-Rose Barrett, Spencer Chant, Braxton Watts, Ella Breden, Patrick Conroy, James Feuerherdt, Lincon Forrest, Jadeja Leathem, Judd Murphy, Inneka Wraith, Mitch Pumpa, Jayden Quirk, Blake Alchin, Annie Karlovsky, Ebony Chant, Macey McDonald, Harrison Logie, Rylee Tukuniu, Jett Murphy, Ella McDonell, Isaac Smith, Tom Bailey, Grace Eaton, Toby Lawrence, Olivia White, Harry Thompson, Jessica Baggio, Jake Gardiner, Emma Gardiner, Finn Thompson, Gabby Beardall, Aleisha Carroll, Charlotte Bromley, Mitchell Mildren and Rory McMahon.

#### **Congratulations to the following students who received an Improvement Award:**

Lucas Ballentine and Katelin Baker.

#### **Congratulations to the following students who received a Sports Award:**

Georgia Farrugia and Charlotte Baggio



## Responsible Learners-Blue wristbands:

Congratulations to the following students who have earned their Responsible Learner wrist bands; Patrick Conroy, Mia Howard and Macey Macdonald.



## Active Learners-Green wristbands:

Congratulations to the following students who have earned their Active Learner wrist bands; Mayzie Boulton, Campbell Steers, Raymond Knight, Amelia Parsci, Sophie Norris, Mia Howard, Kylah Matthews, Jack Longley, Lily Green and Pearl Marriott-Stratham.

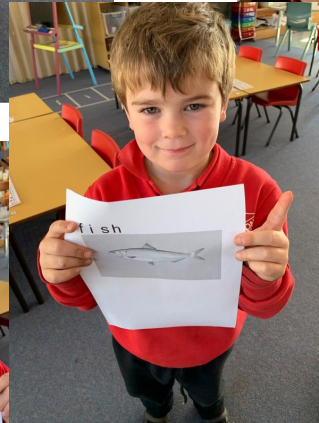
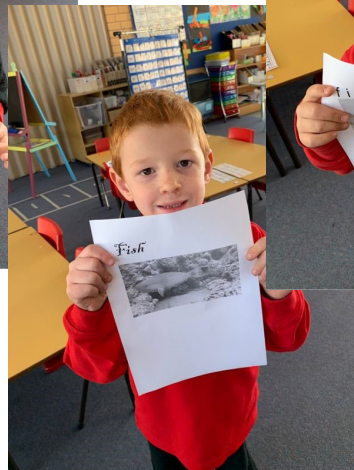
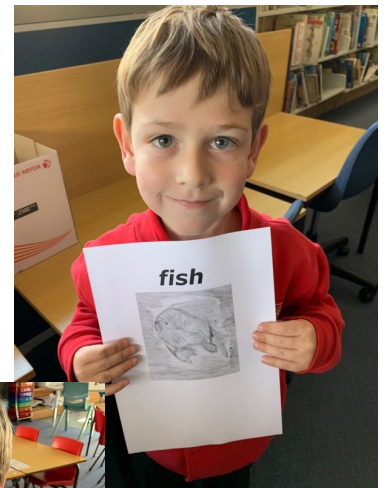
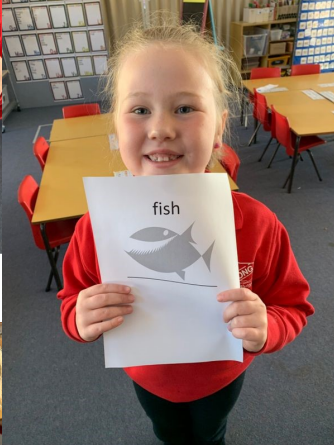
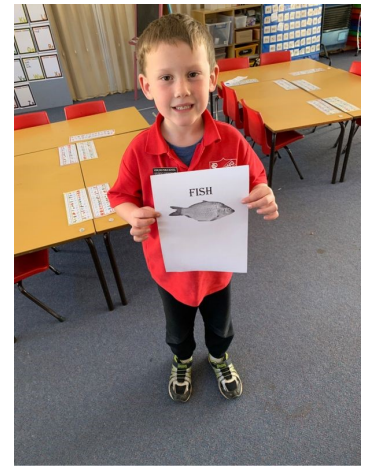
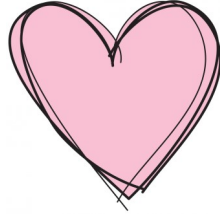






# K/A

K/A have been working on their computer skills.



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# 1/2P Oolong Visit

1/2P had a lovely visit with the Oolong residents this morning. The students performed the Heel & Toe Polka which was a great success.



## KINDERGARTEN 2020

This week our 2020 Kindergarten team in conjunction with the Howlong Pre-School, met to plan Taster Days for Term 3 and also, what the Term 4 Seedlings Transition Program will look like this year. If you have a child that will be attending our school next year, or know of families that do and perhaps their child does not attend Howlong Pre-School, then we would love to hear from you. That way we can include you/them on our emailing list to receive current information



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[www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au](http://www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au)

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*Let's work together for a shared future*

**COROWA LIBRARY, 02 6033 8941**  
Tuesday 9 July 10.30 - 12 noon

**HOWLONG LIBRARY, 02 6026 5055**  
Wednesday 10 July 10.30 - 12 noon

**URANA OFFICE, 02 6930 9100**  
Thursday 11 July 10.30 - 12 noon

**MULWALA LIBRARY, 03 5744 3439**  
Friday 12 July 10.30 - 12 noon



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## Finance News

Thank you to everyone who has paid their voluntary school contributions \$40 for first child, \$20 for siblings.

These voluntary school contributions go towards resources for our students to improve their learning.

**Stage 2 – Borambola Sport & Recreation Excursion in Week 6, Term 3.** Payments can be made in full, weekly or fortnightly.

**Stage 3 – Echuca/Bendigo/Ballarat Excursion in Week 9, Term 3.**

Payments can be made in full, weekly or fortnightly.

Reminder advanced payments can be made at any time for any upcoming activities/excursions. These advanced payments will stay as a credit against your child until the activity is invoiced and the permission note has been signed and returned by parent/carer.

All school payments can be paid at the office by cash, cheque, EFTPOS or Parent Online Payment (POP) on our webpage.

Please note: Canteen orders, P&C Uniform, P&C membership can only be paid at the canteen with cash or EFTPOS.



Create a Colourful  
**CORAL REEF**

Dive into the world of the Great Barrier Reef and create sculptures bursting with oodles of fish and coral

Cost: \$5.00 per person  
For ages 5 years+ (parents welcome)

<u><a href="#">COROWA LIBRARY</a></u> Wednesday 17 July 10.30am-11.30am P: 02 6033 8941	<u><a href="#">HOWLONG LIBRARY</a></u> Wednesday 17 July 2.00pm-3.00pm P: 02 6026 5055
<u><a href="#">MULWALA LIBRARY</a></u> FRIDAY 19 July 10.30am-11.30am P: 03 5744 3439	

FEDERATION COUNCIL

CANTEEN	ROSTER
28 June	Jo Merritt
5 July	Regan Lions & Carley Alchin



Reminder if your child/children have overdue library books please return them ASAP.

We currently have a lot of overdue library books, your assistance in this matter is greatly appreciated.



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## TERM 2, 2019

Month	Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat/Sun
APRIL/MAY	1	29 SDD	30	1	2 Funkybooks Author Visit	3	4/5
MAY	2	6	7	8 Stage 2 Material Exc.	9 3/4C Assembly 2:20pm AFL Clinic	10 Mothers Day Stall SRPSSA Cross Country	11/12
MAY	3	13	14 P&C Meeting 7:30pm	15 AFL Clinic	16	17 Walk Safely to School SRPSSA Cross Country	18/19
MAY	4	20	21	22 National Simultaneous Storytime	23 Stage 3 Library & MAMA Exc.	24 1/2S Assembly 2:20pm	25/26
MAY/JUNE	5	27	28	29 Kinder 2020 Parent Meeting 7pm Athletics Carnival	30	31 Paul Kelly Cup	1/2
JUNE	6	3 Didjeribone Visit Show 1pm	4	5	6	7	8/9
JUNE	7	10 Queens Birthday Holiday	11	12 Book Fair 8:30-9:30am 2:30-3:30pm	13 Riverina Cross Country	14 1/2P Assembly 2:20pm	15/16
JUNE	8	17	18	19 Multi- cultural PS	20	21 KA Assembly 2:20pm	23/24
JUNE	9	24 Fire Safety Talk	25	26	27	28 SRPSSA Athletics Carnival	29/30
JULY	10	1 NAIDOC week	2 PSSA Netball KO	3 NAIDOC celebrations	4 Tony Lockett Shield	5 KCN Assembly 2:20pm	6/7
JULY	HOLIDAYS	8	9	10	11	12	13/14
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Respectful, Responsible, Safe, Active Learners



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