

# Howlong Public School Newsletter



Thursday 24 September 2020

## Dates For Your Calendar

<b>Friday 25 September</b>	Last Day of Term 3
<b>Monday 12 October</b>	First Day of Term 4 –All students
<b>Mon 19-Wed 21 Oct</b>	Life Education-Healthy Harold

What an amazing and busy term 3 we have had and I am sure everyone is looking forward to some rest and relaxation during the up and coming school holidays. We would like to wish all our staff, students and families a safe and fun school holidays and look forward to seeing everyone back for Term 4. **Term 4 will resume on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October.**

### New School Chaplain

After such a long search we would like to welcome Miss Sarah Kent who will be joining our staff next term as the School Chaplain. Miss Kent will be taking the role that Mr Sharrock had at our school. This is part of the Student Wellbeing Support Program that the department is running in partnership with Generate Services to support the emotional wellbeing of NSW public school students. We will be sharing Miss Kent with Corowa Public School. Miss Kent will be working at our school 3 days a fortnight.



### A moment in time

Crash! A colossal wave smashed against the sturdy grey rocks. All around me people screamed in excitement. I could see other people restlessly waiting to go on the exhilarating ride.

I could barely stay in my seat. I was that thrilled by the amazing ride. I could feel the fresh water splashing against my face, but I couldn't close my eyes as I was too excited, I had to watch every moment.

The trees provided a nice warm breeze that blew against my face. Mum's wet clothes flicked water right onto my already saturated face. It was time to get off. I carefully stepped out of the ride.

"What ride should I go on next?" I wondered.

By Ella McDonnell 5/6D

Crash! As the ferocious, speedy rushing water crashed against the huge bumpy rocks, heaps of emotions were rushing through me. I felt thrilled and excited.

I heard people all around me screaming their heads off. They all looked traumatised. But I was having the best time.

I saw the exquisite greenery that was surrounding the rides. I heard all of the rides operating around me. I felt water splashing against me including other people's soaking wet shirts who were sitting next to me.

I wondered what ride I should go on next.

By Evie Lavis 5/6D



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# 'Strive for Success'

Congratulations to our "Strive for Success" winners  
Kylah Matthews, Rylee Tukuniu and Charlotte  
Shepherd . The Strive for Success focus was:

**Acts of Kindness**



## PBL Wristbands

When students at Howlong Public School are seen displaying the four PBL values of **Safe**, **Respectful**, **Responsible** or **Active learner**, they are given a PBL ticket. Once students receive 10 tickets, they are presented with a coloured PBL wristband that is engraved with the value they have been displaying. These wristbands are a celebration of students who consistently demonstrate our four values at school.

**Blue:** Patrick Conroy, Muhammad Siddiqui, Isla Britt, Amelia Parcsi, Heidi Reid, Oscar Singh, Jadeja Leathem, Kylah Matthews, Mayzie Boulton

**Yellow:** Oscar Singh, Heidi Reid, Ebony Chant and Amelia Parcsi.



### Term 3 Week 10 Assembly Awards:

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

Sonny Boulton, Ryder Coles, Stevie Barker, Lacie Mount, Lily Kiely, Harper Eysers, Lucas Ballentine, Declan Carter, Cooper Kirk, Jade Breden, Pearl Marriott-Statham, Muhammad Siddiqui, Rylee Tukuniu, Ebony Chant, William Bell, Isaac Smith, Toby Kirk, Jessica Baggio, Nate Arnold, Allira Watts, Noah Saleh, Harrison Logie, Kaden Saunders, Blake Kelsall, Nicholas Tukuniu, Sienna Napolitano, Nate Gray, Toby Lawrence, Milly Gerada, Luke Kramer, Jaxon Cooper and Jed Kohn,

### Canteen:

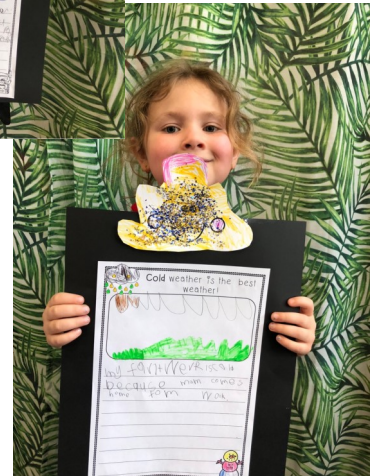
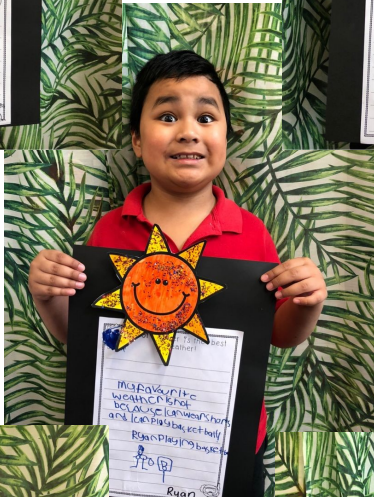
Term 4 the canteen will not be open on Monday 12th October (first day back next term.) But will be open as normal for recess on Wednesday and lunches on Thursday and Friday.



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# K/1P Our Favourite Weather

We have been looking at Opinion writing the last few weeks and today we published our writing on 'Our Favourite weather'.



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# Footy Colours Day



The students had lots of fun on Wellbeing Wednesday/ Footy Colours Day, with a large range of sporting teams represented. The students and staff raised \$323.70 which will be donated to the Albury Cancer Centre's Sushine Week. Stage 3 students did a great job organising and running activities for all the students.



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HOWLONG PUBLIC SCHOOL

# Spring Plant Sale

SUNDAY 27TH SEPTEMBER

10AM-2PM UNLESS SOLD OUT

**84 STURT STREET HOWLONG**

Prices from \$2 - \$15

Varieties includes azaleas, hedging plants,  
succulents, gardenias, golden diosma, nandina,  
hyderange and more:)

**\*\*THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT\*\***

## P&C Pie Drive

Thanks to all our wonderful families and friends for ordering baked treats from the Howlong Country Bakery pie drive. The event was a huge success raising over \$2800.

A special thanks must go out to Catherine, Steve and the team from the bakery for generously supporting the fundraising initiative.

We would also like to thank our fantastic volunteers, Helen Jones, Kayleen Peacock, Carly Alchin, Hayley Cooper, Reagan Lions, Sue Tyrrell and others for making the event happen.

We hope you enjoy your treats!



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# School holiday programs

Monday 28 September - Friday 9 October



## Yogathon

**When** Tuesday 29 September, 10.30am - 12.00pm

**Where** LibraryMuseum & QEII Square

**Price** Gold coin donation

We're on a mission to complete a Yogathon! Put on your active wear and let Bronnie from Aisha Flow lead you through an invigorating yoga routine in the beautiful Albury springtime!.

Two sessions available for primary school children and teenagers. Strictly 20 per session.

Bookings essential!



## Make a pinhole camera

**When** Tues 6 & Thurs 8 October, 10.30am

**Where** LibraryMuseum

**Price** Gold coin donation

We'll visit the Capturing Nature exhibition, where some of Australia's earliest scientific photographs tell the story of the beginning of photography in our country.

Then we'll each create our own pinhole camera to discover how those old cameras worked.

Bookings essential



## Lego challenges are back!

**When** Any time!

**Where** Library@Home

**Price** Free

Have you got what it takes to be our local Lego Master? We've created two new challenges just for the school holidays.

Create a board game from Lego or a curious and wild book character! And when you've finished, email us a photo!

More information here

## Corowa School Holiday Activities

Want to keep the kids busy these school holidays? The Intereach Corowa Community Hub has activities for children aged 5-12 these school holidays!

COVID-Safe: All children must be signed in and out by a parent.

**Booking are essential** - Due to COVID restrictions we can take a maximum of 9 children.

### WEDNESDAY 30 SEP

2pm - 3pm  
Tree of Hearts



### THURSDAY 1 OCT

2pm - 3pm  
Hand Print Parrots



### WEDNESDAY 7 OCT

2pm - 3pm  
Fabric Strip Bunting



### THURSDAY 8 OCT

2pm - 3pm  
Christmas Crafts



## School holiday activity bags

**When** Available from Monday 28 September

**Where** LibraryMuseum & Lavington Library

**Price** Free

Get creative during the school holidays with one of our 'Take & Make' packs.

The bag contains heaps of craft ideas and activity sheets to do and make at home. And while you're here, why not borrow some books as well to continue the fun these holidays.

You won't be bored these holidays!

More information

### Want more information?

Call Intereach Corowa Community Hub  
109-111 Sanger St, Corowa NSW 2646  
Ph: 1300 488 226



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**ALBURY**
**Engaging Adolescents—M.A. Albury**

Session 1: Thursday 15 October 2020

Session 2: Thursday 22 October 2020

**123 Magic & Emotion Coaching—M.A. Albury**

Session 1: Tuesday 20 October 2020

Session 2: Tuesday 27 October 2020

**Keeping Children Safe—M.A. Albury**

Session 1: Thursday 29 October 2020

Session 2: Thursday 5 November 2020

**WAGGA**
**Parenting your child with ADHD—M.A. Wagga**

Session 1: Thursday 5 November 2020

Session 2: Thursday 12 November 2020

**Keeping Children Safe – M.A. Wagga**

Session 1: Wednesday 9 December 2020

Session 2: Wednesday 16 December 2020

**COOTAMUNDRA**
**Parenting your child with ADHD—M.A. Cootamundra**

Session 1: Wednesday 14 October 2020

Session 2: Wednesday 21 October 2020

**Incredible Years—M.A. Cootamundra**

Session 1: Wednesday 18 November 2020

Session 2: Wednesday 25 November 2020

Session 3: Wednesday 2 December 2020

**TUMUT**
**Mental Health First Aid—Cooee Cottage**

Session 1: Friday 23 October 2020

Session 2: Friday 30 October 2020

**Engaging Adolescents—(to be advised)**

Session 1— TBA

Session 2— TBA

**NARRANDERA**
**123 Magic & Emotion Coaching—TBA**

Session 1: TBA

Session 2: TBA

# EVERY MINUTE COUNTS....

When your child misses just...	that equals...	which is...	and therefore, from Kindy to Year 12, that is...
10 minutes a day	50 minutes of learning each week	Nearly 1½ weeks per year	Nearly ½ a year of school
20 minutes a day	1 hour and 40 minutes of learning each week	Nearly 2½ weeks per year	Nearly a year of school
½ hour a day	½ a day of learning a week	4 weeks a year	Nearly 1 ½ years of learning
1 hour each day	1 whole day of learning each week	8 weeks per year or nearly a term a year.	Over 2 ½ years of learning

*Your child's best learning time is at the beginning of the day...*

**Check the time  
your school  
starts.  
DON'T BE LATE!**

