

# Howlong Public School Newsletter



Wednesday 31 March 2021

## Dates For Your Calendar

<b>Thursday 1 April</b>	HPS Athletics Carnival & Last day of term 1
<b>Monday 19 April</b>	Staff Development Day - No students required at school
<b>Tuesday 20 April</b>	First Day of Term 2 for all students
<b>Friday 23 April</b>	HPS Cross-country

### Week 10 Term 1 Newsletter

As happens all too often, end of Term 1 is quickly approaching and we are now charging towards the Easter break and school holidays!

It has certainly been a very busy and productive term filled with lots of activities and great learning in all of the classes. We would like to wish all our staff, students and families a safe and fun break over the school holidays!

### P&C Easter Raffle and Parade

Thank you to everyone for supporting the P&C Easter Raffle and to our parents and carers who donated the many chocolates for the raffle. Monies raised from raffle will help us in continuing to provide many opportunities for our students and school community to flourish and be supported in an inclusive environment. The P&C have raised \$2187.00.

### Sport News

Good luck to Oliver Just who will be off to Sydney for the State Swimming Carnival.

Also to Jaxon Cooper who will be representing Riverina at the State Basketball Carnival and Jed Kohn and Chase French who will be attending the Riverina Trial for Football. Good luck boys!

### School Cross Country

A reminder to all students, parents and carers that we will be having our school cross country event next term on Friday 23rd April.



Some of our students wearing orange for Harmony Day.



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## ANZAC Day March 2021

The Executive and Members of the Howlong RSL Sub Branch and Brocklesby Chapter have invited our students at Howlong Public School to join them to participate in the Ceremonies on ANZAC Day on Sunday April 25th, 2021.

While we are aware that ANZAC Day falls on a weekend, we are hopeful that some of our students will be able to attend.

If you are able to join us please be in full school uniform and meet the teachers at Lowe Square at 11:00 am.



### Cricket Knockout Round 2

On Friday the 19<sup>th</sup> of March, 12 boys represented our school in the cricket knockout competition. They played extremely well against Corowa and were lucky enough to win the game. Howlong made an enormous 157 runs to 96 runs. They will now play round 3 in the next couple of weeks depending on holidays. Good luck boys for future rounds

By Jayden and Luke.

Congratulations to the team again for winning Round 3 against Thurgoona Public School this week. The boys will now advance to Round 4.



### Hockey Trials

On Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> of March Harry Thompson went to the Riverina boy's hockey tryouts. On the day there were 13 boys to get selected, with the tryouts it said they were selecting for speed and passing and good team work. We had to practise our basic skills like dribbling, passing and shooting and after that we did some ideas of how the positions worked and how we would go in those positions.

At the end of the day we had to have a practise game with the girls while coaches selected a team. After all that they selected a team to go to Newcastle in May. As a result of the day I got chosen to play in Newcastle in May.

By Harry





### Soccer Trials

On the 19/3/21 Joey, Mason and Cooper travelled to Wagga Wagga for the soccer tryouts to join a team. Sadly none of us made it through but Joey made it to the last session which is where all the people who did really well got to play each other unfortunately none of us made it to the next level

Mason, Cooper and Joey.

### Netball Trials

On Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> of March Olivia w, Scarlett, Olivia O and I went to Culcairn to try out to get into the Eastern Riverina Netball team. There were approximately 40 girls there and only ten could go through. First we played 2-3 games each then the coordinators that were running the trials announced the possible and probable's to compete for top 10. Altogether there were 17 people that went into the possible and probable's. Out of all of us Howlong girls only I made it through to the next level. Overall the day was really fun!

By Evie and Olivia O.



# Peer Support Training



### Peer support training

In peer support training we learned about empathy and teamwork. We got to rap other students in newspaper to practise team work on the last day of training the teachers gave us hot chips as a reward. We did fun activities like practicing the session and doing the session. I liked doing peer support training because it was fun to meet new kids and to get to learn new things.

By Liam Stacey

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Peer support training was really fun, we got to do amazing activities, wear out of school uniform and eat hot chips. The best part was getting to learn how to communicate with our body and spending time with my friends and my favourite pair of teachers. I'm so happy that we got this opportunity before we have to go to high school. Thanks to Ms Denton and Mrs Ballentine.

Amarli McNamara

### What we did in peer support training

We got given a booklet with activities for year 6 and a few selected year 5 in the books there was peer support scenarios/ games which will happen next term every Thursday after recess for 30 minutes. And you will have up to 6 to 8 peers and 2 peer leaders.

By Kade Kelsall

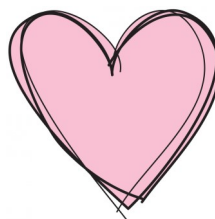


# Stage 2 Camp

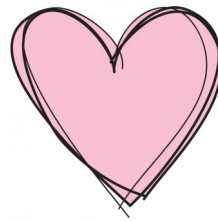


Last week we went to Borambola for a school camp with the Year 3 and 4's. My favourite activity was kayaking because it was SO hard at the start but at the end it was really easy. The food was really good as well. We had roast beef on the first night for dinner. We also did a Borambola show. Our stall was a face paint stall. The Borambola bucks was our currency for it and they were lids off of milk cartons! Most of the stall were 1-5 Borambola bucks. We also had to earn them by working at our stalls. We went there to try out activities we might not have already learned. I learned how to do kayaking, archery, juggling and fencing. I really liked to do the kayaking.

By Toby



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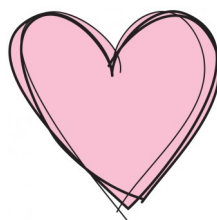


## All about my camp

My favourite part of camp was when we got to set up stools in the rec hall, we had supper I had to hand out cheese and biscuits.

My worst part was finding out we had to eat vegies I do not like vegies especially pumpkin.

By Ebony



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# Easter Parade



Today our whole school community enjoyed our Easter Parade and raffles. We had many lucky winners and some amazing Easter hats. Thank you to all that supported this event, the P&C raised \$2187.00.

Thank you for supporting our Meal Deal Day. Kayleen would like to thank the Howlong Butchers and Howlong Bakery she made 142 burgers for the students!



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## Term 1 Week 10 Assembly Awards:

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

Gypsy Lyons, Lila Smith, Scarlett Humphries, Jesse Gray, Jack Finucane, Jaxson Ansell, Bee Tate, Lainey Britt, Charlotte Bell, Molly, Pargeter, Lachlan Wenzke, Lucas Ballentine, Harry Thompson, Andre Porter, Olivia Orchard, Charlotte Chant, Toby Lawrence, Gus Cameron, Emily Knight, Violet Reid, Bella Lions, Olivia Trevethan, Jayden Carroll, Milly Bradbury, Mia Farnsworth, Kai Mount, Ellie Seymour, Ronan Simpson, Liam Stacey, Ebony Chant, Emily Cooper, Harrison Logie.

### The Howlong Local Thrifty Store (Op Shop)

Wishes to advise parents that funding to assist with the expenses for students who attend State carnivals may be available.

To apply please write advising details of the event your child will be attending. Applications can be posted to the: Howlong Local Thrifty Store

Att: The Secretary

PO Box 171

Howlong 2643 NSW



# YOUTH FEST 2021

April 10 – April 24 2021 "Together more than ever"  
All Events are Free to register. Limited Spaces available – get in quick!

### CAPTURING THE LIGHT AND SUNSET PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP

Saturday 10th April, Memorial Hall 5:00pm – 8:00pm  
Immerse yourself in a 3 hour photography workshop with local photographer Sue Davis. Register for all the hot tips and tricks in photography with this hands on workshop experience. After some professional tips, hit the streets with Sue and your camera (or phone camera) to capture the most Instagram worthy pics you will take yet!

### MULWALA COLOUR RUN

Sunday 18th April, Lonsdale Reserve, Mulwala 10:30am – 2pm  
Come and join us for Mulwala's first ever Colour Run hosted at Lonsdale Reserve. We have partnered with Mulwala FNC who will have BBQ food available, there will be live music, market stalls, Youth services stalls and of course colourful fun runs.

### SPORTS DAY ROUND ROBIN

Wednesday 21st April, Victoria Park, Urana 12:00pm – 3:00pm  
A free come and try sports day at Urana Sports ground in collaboration with Corowa Soccer association, & Corowa Hockey Club. Enjoy some tunes, sit out on the lawn and relax or enjoy the lawn games we have in store for you. Free BBQ Lunch provided and an opportunity to socialize with other local youth and students.

### LEARN TO SKATE WITH TOTEM COLLECTIVE

Saturday 24th April, Lowe Square Reserve, Howlong 10am – 1:30pm  
Come learn to skate in a relaxed immersive program run by professional skaters from The Totem Collective. Enjoy live music, connect with local youth services, take advantage of the giant lawn games and enjoy a day out altogether.

### TRANSPORT & BOOKINGS

It is recommended to make your own transport arrangements to each activity due encouragement of parental supervision at each activity. While Council have event staff at each activity anyone under the age of 16 is encouraged to have a parent or guardian come along.  
Events are free to residents of the Federation Council ages 25 or under. Bookings open Wednesday 17 March 2021. Event bookings can be made through clicking the online reserve link on Councils website [www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au](http://www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au).

Please Note: With COVID 19 social distancing requirements and the popularity of the events, spaces are limited and bookings are essential.

CANTEEN	ROSTER
April 23	Fatima Saleh
April 29	Carley Alchin
April 30	Gemma & Nikita
May 7	Laura Farnsworth
May 14	Carley Alchin
May 21	Sarah Potter
May 28	Fatima Saleh
June 4	Nikki Schilg
June 11	Sarah Potter
June 18	Laura Farnsworth
June 25	Carley & Sarah



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