



HUNTINGDON PUBLIC SCHOOL

2876 Oxley Highway
WAUCHOPE NSW 2446

Tel: 02 6585 6144; Fax: 02 6585 6469; Mob: 0476 801 98

Email: huntingdon-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Website: huntingdon-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

Principal: Peta Harris



Fortnightly Newsletter 10
Term 3 Week 2
Tuesday 30 July 2019

Newsletter

Our school's website is found at: huntingdon-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

Wednesday 31 July	Mr Reid here to talk to 3-6 about Rockets
Thursday 1 August	Kindergarten 2020 Transition 9am-11.45am
Monday 5 August	Education Week P&C Meeting
Tuesday 6 August	Bago Community of Schools Awards Ceremony @ 4.30pm
Friday 9 August	Education Week Assembly @ 2.20pm
Tuesday 13 August	Ronald Dahl 'The Twits' @ the Glasshouse

RECEIVING OUR NEWSLETTERS BY E-MAIL ... Please contact the school so we can add your name to our ever growing list of families receiving their newsletters by e-mail

Athletics Carnival

Congratulations to all of our students who participated in the Small Schools Athletics Carnival last Thursday. It was an extremely positive day, where our students demonstrated outstanding sportsmanship and had a go at most of the events. As a result of our high level of participation and students striving to achieve their personal best, we were the Runner Up School, being beaten by a tiny margin by Herons Creek Public School. Our results are listed below.

100m 6 years boys – Liam Harbour 3 rd	100m 6 years girls – Macey White 2 nd
100m 7 years boys – Seath Vos 1 st	100m 7 years girls – Layla White 1 st
100m 8 years girls – Peyton McCrostie 1 st	100m 9 years boys – Flinn Trommels 2 nd
100m 9 years girls – Bella Garavito Bernal 1 st and Haylee Vos 3 rd	
100m 11 years boys – Ashwin Nath 1 st	100m 11 years girls – Talia Garavito Bernal 2 nd
100m 12 years boys – Max Troth 2 nd	200m Junior Boys – Flinn Trommels 2 nd
200m Junior Girls – Bella Garavito Bernal 1 st	200m 11 years Boys – Ashwin Nath 2 nd
200m 11 years Girls – Talia Garavito Bernal 2 nd	800m Junior Boys – Cooper Driver 1st and Flinn Trommels 3 rd

800m 11 years Girls – Talia Garavito Bernal 2nd **800m Junior Girls** - Bella Garavito Bernal 1st and Haylee Vos 3rd

800m Senior Boys – Daniel Strain 2nd and Max Troth 3rd **Shot Put 6 years girls** – Gabi Powell 2nd

Shot Put 7 years boys – Seath Vos 1st

Shot Put 7 years girls – Violet Cunningham 1st

Shot Put 8 years girls – Peyton McCrostie 1st and Tori Powell 2nd

Shot Put 9 years boys – Harley Gavin 3rd

Shot Put 10 years boys – Cooper Driver 1st

Shot Put 10 years girls – Emilie Luke 3rd

Shot Put 11 years boys – Ashwin Nath 3rd

Shot Put 12 years boys – Max Troth 3rd

Long Jump 6 years girls – Gabi Powell 3rd

Long Jump 7 years boys – Herby Driver 1st and Oliver Trommels 2nd

Long Jump 7 years girls – Layla White 3rd

Long Jump 8 years girls – Ashleigh Dring 2nd

Long Jump 9 years boys – Flinn Trommels 2nd

Long Jump 9 years girls – Bella Garavito Bernal 2nd and Lyla Cunningham 3rd



Long Jump 10 years boys – Cooper Driver 1st

Long Jump 10 years girls – Emilie Luke 3rd

Long Jump 11 years boys – Ashwin Nath 1st

Long Jump 12 years boys – Max Troth 1st

8 Years Girls Champion – Peyton McCrostie

9 Years Girls Champion – Bella Garavito Bernal

7 Years Boys Champion – Seath Vos

9 Years Boys Champion – Flinn Trommels

10 Years Boys Champion – Cooper Driver

Our school would also like to thank those hard working parents who ran the canteen on the day. Not only was the food yummy, but your organisation meant that lunches were smoothly and efficiently delivered to schools, along with raising some funds to contribute to our school. Thank you so much P&C!



NAIDOC Celebrations

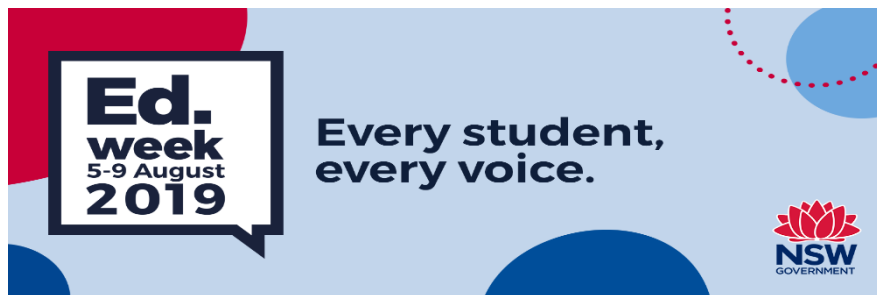
NAIDOC Week celebrations are held across Australia each July to celebrate the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. NAIDOC is celebrated not only in Indigenous communities, but by Australians from all walks of life. Being held from the 7 – 14 July, the theme for this year's NAIDOC Week was *Voice, Treaty, Truth*. Our school had the absolute joy of working with Aunty Trish and her daughter, Shauna on Friday learning to weave baskets and learning about the types of plants that we have in our playground that we can use to continue weaving. Shauna also treated all of our students to some face painting magic, creating a unique design for each student. Thank you, Aunty Trish and Shauna. It was a fantastic day.



Education Week 2019 Every Student, Every Voice

Education Week is a statewide, annual event to celebrate NSW public education, which will be held 5-9 August 2019. The week communicates the achievements of public schools, their students and the value of public education. The theme for 2019 Education Week is **Every student, every voice**. It is a celebration of student empowerment and how the NSW public education system gives students the skills they need in order to have and express a voice during their own educational journey as engaged global citizens.

This year, our students will be hosting an Assembly on Friday 9 August at 2.20pm to showcase the wonderful learning happening in our school. All parents, families and friends are welcome to join us in our school hall for this assembly.



Bago Community of Schools Education Week Awards Ceremony

On Tuesday, 6 August, all of the schools in the Bago Community of Schools will come together to celebrate Education Week in a special Awards Ceremony. Mrs Sue Troth and Gideon Marr-Grogan have both been nominated for an award at this ceremony in recognition of their contribution to our school community and public education. As part of this event, our school has a number of students from Kindergarten to Year 6 participating in the massed choir and they are busy rehearsing each day. This event is being held from 4.30pm at Wauchope High School with an afternoon tea being served in the school library and the awards ceremony beginning at 5pm in the school hall. All are welcome to join us in celebrating at this event.

Cricket

This term, all of our students will be participating in cricket coaching every Friday morning. We are looking forward to learning some new skills and improving our cricket game.

The Twits

A reminder - We have been fortunate in securing a booking for our school to attend this performance of **Roald Dahl's The Twits** to be staged at the **Glasshouse on Tuesday 13 August 2019** commencing at 12.30pm. The content of this performance includes components from across our K-6 Curriculum whilst being entertaining and educational. Travel will be by bus, leaving Huntingdon at 10.30 to allow time for our students to have lunch at Town Green before the performance. **Cost per student will be \$20**. Students will need to have a packed lunch and are required to be in full school uniform on the day. Please complete the permission note that was sent home and return it to your child's classroom teacher together with your money in the envelope attached by **Wednesday 7 August 2019**.

News from the SkoolBag App

From the **1 August 2019**, SkoolBag will be actioning Apple's new guidelines and will be removing these outdated, individual school apps from the Apple App and Google Play stores. Most of our customers have already updated their download instructions to direct their community to the new app, however it is important to double check to ensure everyone is in the loop!

Please see flyer on last page of newsletter for more information.

P&C News

Chocolate Fundraiser

This fundraiser has been really well supported with many families being able to help sell the boxes of chocolate frogs. Thank you to everyone who has been involved, it's been a great fundraiser!

Father's Day Raffle

Notes were sent home late last term asking for expressions of interest to sell tickets for the upcoming Fathers' Day raffle which will be drawn on Friday 30 August (Fathers' Day is Sunday 1 September). If you'd like to sell a few tickets, or buy some yourself (there are some fabulous prizes including vouchers for Waniora Village Butcher, Bunnings and A1 Autoparts to name a few) please email us (huntingdonpublicschool@pandcaffiliate.org.au) or call into the school to pick up some tickets. Tickets are \$2 each.

Small Schools Athletics Carnival - Canteen Fundraiser

A mammoth effort was made to cater for this event and feedback from the day was really positive. Thank you to all the parents who were able to help in the canteen, with your help we made a profit of \$381.

We look forward to seeing a few new faces at the next P&C meeting on Monday 5 August, you don't need to commit to any roles, just come along (kids are welcome) and show your support and voice your ideas. If you can't make the meeting, please email us any ideas/questions you have.

Kindergarten 2020 Transition Program

The Kindergarten 2020 Program will continue this term and will be from 9am to 11.45am. Children will need to bring their crunch and sip, lunch, water bottle and hat. The K/1/2 class look forward to spending time with the new students. See you Thursday!!

Please see the following dates;

- Thursday, the 1 of August
- Thursday, the 15 of August
- Thursday, the 29 of August
- Thursday, the 12 of September
- Thursday, the 26 of September



WAUCHOPE LITTLE ATHLETICS

Little Athletics is an athletic programs for 6 to 17 year old's that encompasses Fun, Family, Fitness, we also run a 12 week 'tiny tots' program for 3 to 5 year old's.

If you'd like to come and along and see what Little Athletics is all about we are having two "Come and Try" nights on Friday August 23 and Friday August 30 at Blackbutt Park. These nights give you a chance to try out some events, talk to athletes and committee members and discuss registration.

We are also running an information session at The Bago Maze Jazz day on Sunday August 11. Come and see us on the BBQ and we'll answer all your Little A's questions.

For returning athletes: Registrations are now open online, your second Active Kids voucher can be redeemed during registration.

Season starts Friday September 6 at 5.15pm.

For further information please visit our Facebook page: Wauchope Little Athletics Club or email us at wauchopelittleas@gmail.com.

5 Easy Steps to Staying Informed

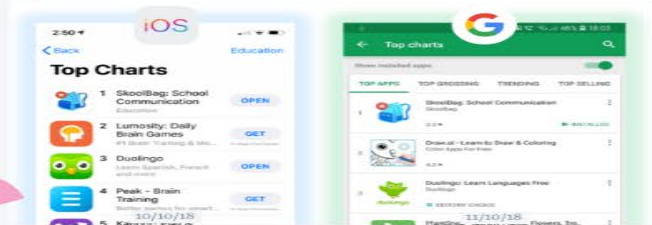
SkoolBag[®]

SkoolBag is the easiest way to stay up-to-date with school events, last minute notices, newsletters and all your school's communications.

1. Download SkoolBag

Search SkoolBag in the Apple App or Google Play Store, download the FREE app:

SkoolBag: School Communication

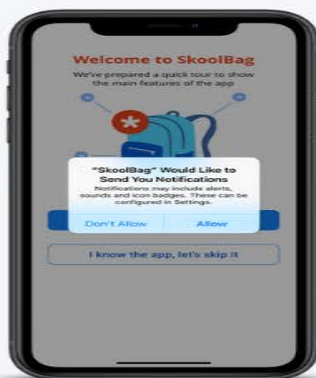
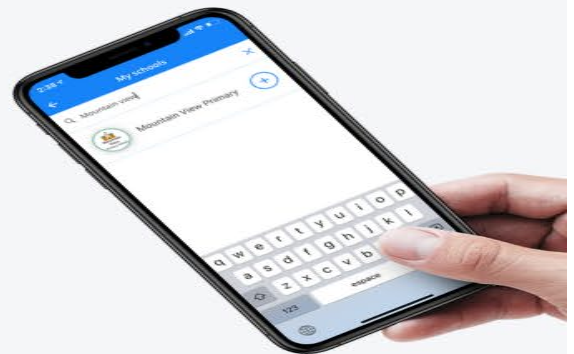


2. Create an Account

Follow the prompts to create your account in seconds.

3. Add your School

Type your school's name and press enter. Tap the plus icon to add.



4. Allow Notifications

Ensure you Allow SkoolBag to send you push notifications when prompted.



5. Subscribe to Groups

Select Year Groups / Sports Teams to appear in your feed.



SkoolBag[®]