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Newsletter

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<http://www.huntingdon-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/>

RECEIVING OUR WEEKLY 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.

Mon 19 th Nov-Fri 30 th Nov	Intensive Swimming for all students
Thursday 22 nd November	Kindergarten Transition 9-11.30am
Tuesday 4 th December	Year 6-7 High School Orientation Day
Thursday 6 th December	Last Kindergarten Transition 9am-3pm
Thursday 6 th December	Captains Speeches at 9am
Thursday 6 th December	Year 6 Farewell at Port City Bowling Club
Thursday 13 th December	P&C Annual Christmas Tree 6pm-8pm
Monday 17 th December	Presentation Day and Semester 2 Reports sent home
Wednesday 19 th December	Last day of term for students

Assembly

Congratulations to all of our assembly award recipients for Week 5. A big thank you to all of the parents, family members and friends who joined us to recognise our students. It is so lovely to have you in our school. Congratulations to **Herby, Jett, Ethan, Syd, Lachlan, Harley, Bella, Gideon, Harper, Harry, Jarvis and Sam.**



Kinder Transition

The Kindergarten 2019 students will once again join the K/1 class for the morning session on Thursday the 22nd of November. We look forward to sharing this time with them as they learn more about our school. They will need to bring their crunch n sip, recess, hat and drink bottle. Parents will then attend an information session about the Best Start 2019 Assessment at 11.30am. This will be a time for parents to ask any questions and the Best Start Assessment time slot will be allocated.

10 Day Intensive Swimming Program

This week, our school began our intensive swimming program and this will run for the next two weeks. All children need to bring their swimmers, towel, sunscreen, t-shirt or rash shirt and thongs each day. All children will be travelling to and from the pool by bus. If you wish to collect your child from the pool each afternoon, a note must be supplied to the classroom teacher each morning, so we know your child will be collected and will have their school bags with them. If no note is supplied, or you are not at the pool by the time the bus leaves to return to school, your child will return to school on the bus with the rest of the school. As the bus is on a strict schedule, we cannot hold the bus while we wait for parents to collect their children.

Library News

In the coming weeks, we will begin our library stocktake. This is an important part of the library systems each year and means that each book that we have in our school library needs to be accounted for. To assist in making this task easier, we ask that you have a look at home in cupboards, drawers, under the bed and lounge and even in the car for any school library books that might have gone astray and return them to school. We will still be borrowing for the next 2 weeks and then our school library will close down for the year to allow for the stocktake to be completed.

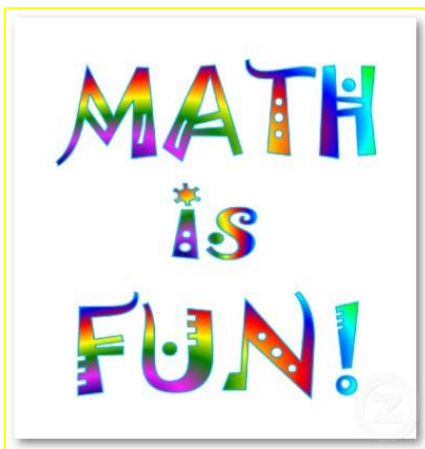
2019 Captains Speeches

It is that time of year again where we start to think about our school leaders for 2019. All Year 5 students are invited to deliver a speech to the whole school to nominate themselves for a student leadership position in 2019. These speeches will be held in our School Hall on Thursday 6th December at 9am. Parents and community members are very welcome to join us and listen to each student explain how they will fulfil the role of a student leader for 2019.

K/1 News

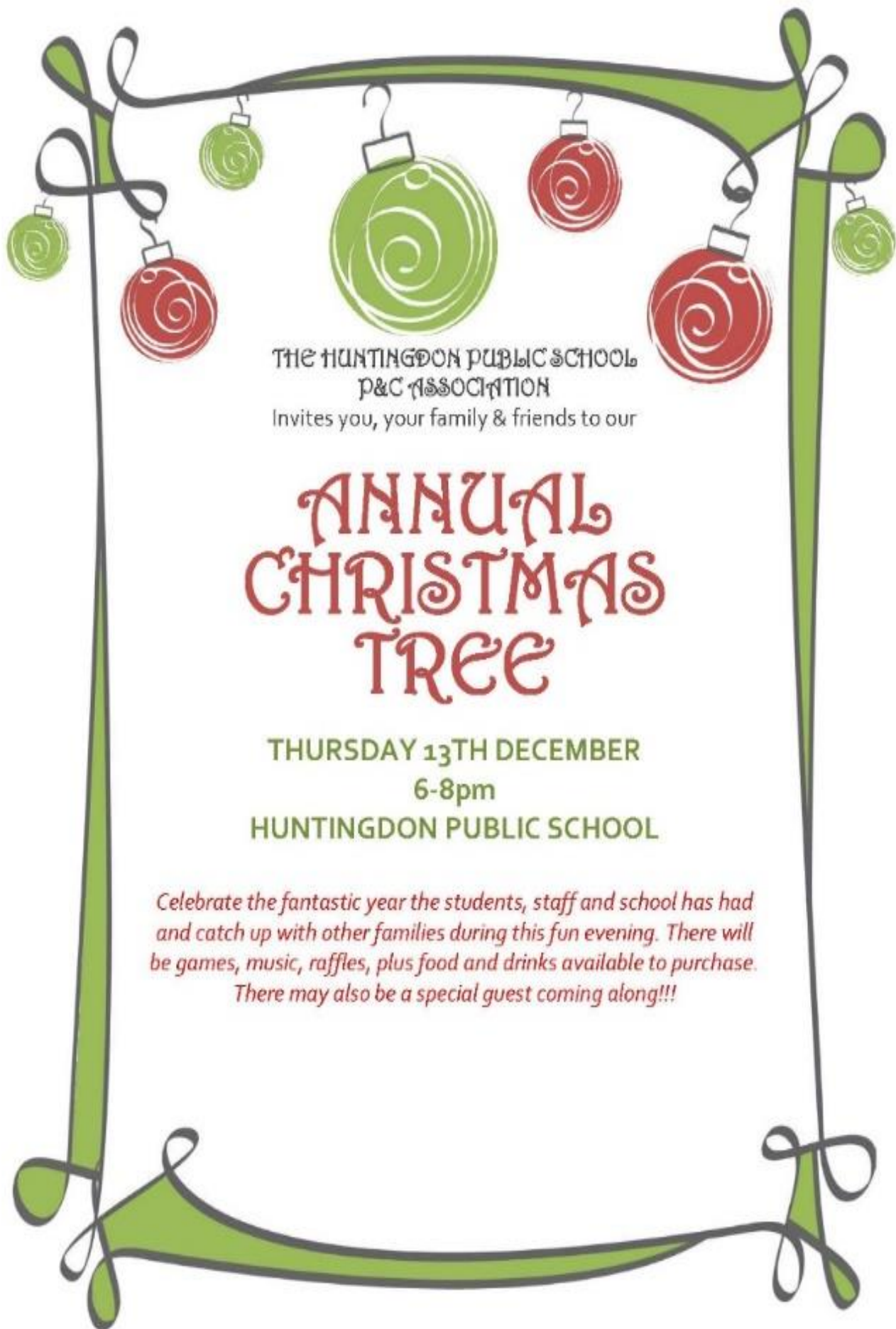
The K/1 class have been enjoying using computers in both Literacy and Numeracy. They are using Literacy Planet and Mathletics to enhance their learning. The Kindergarten students have also been working hard learning how to log on to the computers independently. This is quite a challenging task and they have done a fantastic job.

Lots of fun was also had in Maths last week. Each student counted and graphed M&Ms. After they completed their activities they enjoyed eating them!



P&C Meeting

Our next P&C Meeting will be held on Monday 26th November at 3.30pm. Everyone is welcome. Please join us in our school library.



THE HUNTINGDON PUBLIC SCHOOL
P&C ASSOCIATION
Invites you, your family & friends to our

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS TREE

THURSDAY 13TH DECEMBER
6-8pm
HUNTINGDON PUBLIC SCHOOL

Celebrate the fantastic year the students, staff and school has had and catch up with other families during this fun evening. There will be games, music, raffles, plus food and drinks available to purchase. There may also be a special guest coming along!!!