



WEEK 3 : What's On at Hastings ... <http://www.hastings-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/calendar>

- Monday, 9th
- **DUE DATE** for Stewart House \$2 Donation/Envelopes
 - Uniform Shop open 8:30 to 9:30am
 - K-2 Assembly 2:20pm
- Tuesday, 10th
- Presenting Class KH – Awards to KB, KF, KJ, 1D, 1M, 2B, 2C, 2S
 - Kilometre Club runners being photographed
 - NAPLAN Language & Writing - Years 3 & 5
 - Student Banking
- Wednesday, 11th
- NAPLAN Reading - Years 3 & 5
 - Uniform Shop open 2:30 to 3pm
- Thursday, 12th
- NAPLAN Numeracy - Years 3 & 5
- Friday, 13th
- NAPLAN Catch-Up
 - PSSA Rugby League v Westport Public School
 - Uniform Shop open 2:30 to 3pm



HAPPY BIRTHDAY
Mr Gornall
on Sunday

Mrs Barker
& Mr Grace
on Monday

Mrs Heaton
on Wednesday

HASTINGS HAPPENINGS

Respect - Responsibility - Initiative - Resilience
Commitment - Courage - Achievement

FRIDAY, 20th MAY - LETS ROCK & ROLL

For the kids! ... All students are expected to participate in the Rock & Roll line-dancing workshops to be held during the day. Workshops will be mixed across the grades and form part of the school's PD/Health/PE and Peer Support programs. Dance instruction will be by Helen & Colin Ross from Let's Dance Rock & Roll. On the day, students can dress in their Rock & Roll gear. Cost for students is \$5.00 each

For the Family! ... A fun night for all the family with

DJ & MC	LIVE BAND	ROCK & ROLL DEMONSTRATION
George Galea from Coast FM963	Night Moves	Let's Dance Rock & Roll

TICKETS ON SALE AT THE OFFICE - \$5.00 per adult

After the success of the Family Bush Dance last year, we are hoping everyone is getting excited about the Family Rock and Roll night. Dinner will be available from 5pm and from 6pm students will show mum and dad the moves they learnt during the day before getting parents up to teach you the moves! From there the evening is yours to bop the night away. BYO picnic tea or purchase from one of three onsite caterers -

- Chef Shack
- Indian Vegetarian
- Port City Bowling Club's "Crew 4 You" Sausage Sizzle.

KILOMETRE CLUB

Our popular get-fit program has recommenced with many students, parents and grandparents out on our course that takes participants through a new section of the rainforest. Thanks again to our parent coordinators – Simone Berry, Kristy Burt, Lisa Carter and Barbara Sherrin who've done another great job in recording the laps and encouraging everyone involved. A journalist from The Independent will be here next Tuesday to prepare a story about our great scheme (weather permitting) so we are hoping there will be a bumper turn-out on that day.

MOTHERS DAY STALL

It is hoped all our mothers have a lovely day on Sunday and like the gifts, purchased with love, from our stall. Thanks to the following parents who manned/peopled/personed the stalls on Wednesday: Deb Cuckson, Kate Gallagher, Annie McIntyre, Mark Stewart, Naomi Turner, Katherine Yager and Lynelle Zapata. Mark did a fabulous job enlightening all students about the gifts on offer, a new career awaits as an auctioneer, tour guide or radio broadcaster!?

Thanks also to Katie Wilson and Julie Brown who set up a table this morning for students who forgot their money on Wednesday.

IRONMAN UPDATE

1. Thanks to the many volunteers who acted as officials on the Ironman course last Sunday earning over \$650 for the P&C. The weather was not kind to those on the afternoon shift so your efforts were appreciated. Our amazing daredevils, super reliables, wonder women, super men, the magnificent and the invisibles were Mel Partington, Ginette Kobelke, Sara and Phil Rudd, Amy Vallentine, Katherine Yager and her children, Oliver, Charlie and Max Dargan, Janet Watson, Julia & Patience Shearsby, Craig & William Suosaari, Vicky Davies, Laura and Ben Morton, Belinda Kennedy, Megan Swan, Lloyd Godson, Grant Heaton, Mel Knott, Lynne de Silva, Linda, Rielan and Tyneisha Mueller, Kim Brinkman & Bana Levine.
2. Congratulations to three fathers of our students – Marcus Brockhouse, Paul Martin and Dan Voltz – who finished the full course on Sunday. We mere mortals stand in awe at such fitness, grit and determination

ROCK 'N' ROLL NIGHT

from Mr Heaton

Our Billy Tea night last year was one of the best in memory with families dancing away the night under our COLA. We have a similar night in store on May 20 with our Rock & Roll night where a four piece band will present the best music of the rock 'n' roll era for everyone to join in with the community spirit. Students will be trained in dance moves on the Friday and then can show Mum and Dad the moves on the night. Get in quick for your tickets!

from Amy Vallentine - P&C President

The P&C would like to TRIAL an idea at the Family Rock and Roll night. As parents can no longer video school events due to privacy issues, the P&C has engaged the services of a professional videographer to capture the wonderful memories of families dancing together and having a great time. The videographer will be donating his time for free on the night. David Collins, Port Media, will also donate a portion of the proceeds to the P&C, because he is keen to support local public schools. The cost of the professional DVD will be kept at a minimum of only \$15 with the idea that families will be able to afford one to enjoy for many years. If this trial is successful, the P&C will provide the same valuable service at appropriate school events in the future. We are happy to receive feedback about the trial.

Other potential costs on the night include:

Hula Hoops \$5	Photo Booth \$2	Glow Sticks \$1
Sausage Sizzle Sandwich \$3	Dinner from Onsite Caterers Various prices	Bottled water & juices \$1 - \$1.50







We look forward to seeing your lovely faces and dancing feet on Friday 20th May!

Waniora Hair & Beauty are also offering discounted rates for any of our mums who would like to make their "60's" outfit a little more authentic with a beehive hair-do! Bookings essential.

TERM 1 PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Congratulations to the following 147 students who achieved 100% attendance for Term 1 - a great start to the year! Certificates will be presented at assemblies over the coming week ...

KA	Mira Arnold, Zara Byczkov, Lucinda Gaudry, Isabelle Moane, Thomas Fiene, Tyler Geering, Lincoln Hodgson-Deboick, Jake Reid, Tyler Wright
KB	Sarah Mitchell, Coby Morgan
KF	Isobel Grummitt, Baxter Allison, Jakob Beattie, Cameron de Silva, Hamish Howes, Robbie Lavis, Rory Waters
KH	Andie McKinnon, Zara Moore, Elliott Day, Mitchell Dodd, Zach Kelly-Walsh
KJ	Aaliyah Burt, Emma Whitton, Tallin Morris, Ryan Nicholson, Declan Payne, Taj Ramsey
1/2R	Tahlia McIlveen, Mylee Roach, Felicity Stelling, Billy Brockhouse, Edward Redfern, Alex Sear, Abe Whitfield, Meredith Davies, Alyssa Hocking, Kacia Payne, Cameron Carson, Benjamin Grummitt, Isaac Lavis, Oskar Morris, George Day
1D	Cooper Lambert, Ewan Spells, Harper Rice, Luke Lawder
1J	Madison Hopley, Emily Lyttle, Charlotte Taylor, Ethan Carey, Aaron Prince, Kaizer Scheffer, Ethan Dean
1K	Kate Delaney, Annabelle Mitchell, Jack Curry, Izack Denning-Maskill, Jack Rumble, Ryan Geering, Logan Gane-Riley
1M	Charlie Arnold, Luke Delaney, Jamon Gillespie, Radley Swan
2B	Harper Bailey, Alexander Maclean, Cedar Thompson
2C	Blaire Eades, Isaac Barry, Lachlan Kennedy
2M	Summer Rumble, Stephanie Riches, Noah Forcier, William Martin, Jordan Thrift, William Suosaari
2S	Brooke Camozzato, Jaylen Cooper
3/4T	Poppy McIntyre, Kyla Roach, Jamison Barlow, Ashley Bell, Drew de Silva, Tom Gallagher, Freycin Hostettler, Zake Morris, Lorelai Champion, Lauren Johnston, Sarah King, Imogen Lunn, Matilda Stewart
3B	Taya Spells, Nate Burt, Brayden Champion, Reuben Reed
3H	Amber Dignum, Eliana Morton, Jacob Barber, Hayden Stace
3S	Layla Horton, Levi Deboick, Timothy Lawrance, Luke Stubbs
4G	Julian Reed
4P	Emma-Lee Abbott
4S	Madeleine Barry, Jaimie Menzies, Layla Myers-Huckel, Joshua Bell, Aaron Eldridge, Joseph Horton, Wil Lawder, Evan Pitt, Rory Vlaar
5/6M	Audrey Greenhorn, Brodie Burgess, Samuel Reniers, Alys Davies, Sarah Johnson, Reese Menzies, Hannah Stewart, Liam Jones
5HP	Beau Burgess, Riley Grange, Nicholas Saad, Lachlan Whiteoak, Taleah Arnold, Charlotte Barlow, Kate Collins, Danielle Folley, Matilda Harley, Evie Martin, Phoebe Morgan, Lilly Snook, Rusie Southon
5W	Lani Roughley, Molly Partington, Sienna Vlaar, Lealiki Scheffer, Hamish Teasdell
6B	Neave Bailey, Lilly Turner, Brody Lewis
6S	Jamison Sawtell, Sarah Sharp

SCHOOL FEES		TEXTBOOK / PAPER LEVIES	
	FAMILIES INVOICED \$22,540		FAMILIES INVOICED \$12,270
	PAYMENT RECEIVED \$16,525		PAYMENT RECEIVED \$10,386
	OUTSTANDING \$6,015		OUTSTANDING \$1,884

SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY CARNIVAL

Our Cross Country Carnival will be held at school on Wednesday, 18th May with a wet weather back-up for Monday, 23rd May. This year, the carnival will incorporate the Kilometre Club track and will be run in two stages:

- Students who turn 11, 12 and 13 years of age this year will complete a 3km race (3 laps of the Kilometre Club track) commencing 11:30am;
- Students who turn 8, 9 and 10 years of age this year will complete a 2km race (2 laps of the Kilometre Track) commencing 1:30pm.

All students in Year 3 to Year 6 should participate in the event. Students in Year 2 who turn 8 this year are also able to compete. Students are to wear their school sports uniform and school hat. Students who may need asthma medication must carry it with them. Parents who are available to provide support/supervision along the course are asked to indicate on the slip at the end of the newsletter. The first four place getters in each age will represent our school at the Lower North Coast Cross Country at Kempsey on Friday, 3rd June.

STUDENT BANKING

It's been a great start to the school year, and every week we see the students putting in a fantastic savings effort. That might be because this year the Commonwealth Bank is offering one lucky winner the Grand Prize of a VIP tour of Australia Zoo to meet Robert and Bindi Irwin! Many of our students are well on their way to reaching their 15 deposits by the end of Term 3, which will give them an automatic entry into the Grand Prize competition.

Student Banking operates every Tuesday thanks to volunteer parents. All students are encouraged to open a Commonwealth Bank Dollarmite account and bank their pocket/birthday money on a regular basis. Deposits from 50c are accepted and each deposit made earns commission for the school. Application packs are available from the office.



EXCELLENCE - INNOVATION - OPPORTUNITY - SUCCESS

UNIFORM SURVEY ... The P&C Association at Hastings Secondary College, Port Macquarie Campus is conducting a survey. We are asking our community about their opinions of the current school uniform. This is due to the formation of the Hastings Secondary

College and an item becoming unavailable from our supplier. We would be grateful if you would share the survey details with your school via your newsletter so that we can have as much feedback as possible. You can access the confidential survey (as well as the survey being conducted by Westport Campus) at: <http://www.hastingssecondarycollege.schools.nsw.edu.au/>

YEAR 6 INTO 7 INFORMATION NIGHT

An invitation is extended to all Year 5 and Year 6 students and families to attend an Information Night at Westport Campus on Wednesday, 18th May, 5:30 to 7pm.

Your child is beginning their exciting journey into high school and we are committed to providing support and guidance to make it a smooth and enjoyable transition.

As part of our transition process, Hastings Secondary College, Westport Campus extends a warm invitation to Year 5 and 6 students and their parents to visit our campus. You will have the opportunity to meet our dedicated, enthusiastic teachers, see displays of current student work, view subject information stands and have a tour of the school with our student leaders.

There will be an opportunity to ask questions after the presentation and tour, while enjoying a sausage sizzle and meeting other prospective parents and care givers.

Port Macquarie Campus will be holding its information night in Term 3.

PSSA SPORTS REPORTS

Touch Football

Further sporting honours for our students with Jack Stace, Jacob Tanning, Jordan Westcott and Olivia Mara successful in gaining selection for the HCH district touch football teams.

Cricket

Congratulations to our boys - Oliver Barry, Lenny Jensen, Kael Harris, Charlie Beard, Jordan Westcott, Kobe Chalmers, Kayle Enfield, Jack Stace, Jacob Tanning, Logan Wilson, Jacob Power and Lewis Cuckson on an outstanding game of cricket played on the last day of Term 1. Unfortunately we could not take the final wicket and were defeated by South West Rocks Public School in a thriller. And, it was no disgrace to lose to a team containing four North Coast representative players.

Batting first, Hastings compiled a score of 5 for 83 with Oliver scoring 28 and Charlie, a rapid 26. In the field, the team bowled with heart and skill as the wickets fell steadily and spread around Oliver 3-9, Lenny 2-11, Kobe 1-9, Charlie 1-11 and Jordan 1-13. South West Rocks were 9 wickets down with 11 runs still to score as nervous excitement set in for both sides but SWR managed to pass our score in the second last over.

Mr Watts was very proud of the way the boys played during the knockout competition and the way they trained and improved as a team. Special thanks to the parents who helped with transport, scoring and support throughout the competition.

Girls Soccer

Last Thursday our girl's football team (and their supportive families) faced a very competitive Westport side. Our midfield and defenders held strong in the first half allowing Westport very few attacking opportunities. Hastings played with grit and determination and followed the game plan exactly. The half time result stood at 3-0 to Hastings thanks to Olivia Mara's two cracking goals. Lauren Johnston also set up a goal for Sarah King, the first of many I believe Sarah will score for her school. When the girls returned to the pitch they fought well in defence and attacked confidently at every opportunity resulting in



Olivia Mara scoring again to complete her hat-trick. The girls were full of energy right up to the dying minutes with Lillie Lamont scoring a great goal just before the final whistle. Many girls in the team had never played soccer before, their enthusiasm and drive made their coach, Mrs Johnston, very proud. Player of the match has to be the captain, Olivia Mara with her hat-trick and team leadership. Many thanks to all the parents/carers for their support, it is much appreciated. Our second round opponents on 24th May are Tacking Point.

Boys Soccer

Last Thursday our boys' soccer team played their first round match against Westport Public. We were quietly confident of a win but Oliver Barry (captain) and the rest of the team stayed focused on the job of being prepared and listening to each other.

The team started brilliantly with a goal in the first two minutes. We then knocked in a further 3 goals before the ten minute mark! All the boys worked together to see spaces and find free players. They also marked up on Westport really well, which didn't give them a chance to get out of their half. By half time the score was 7- 0 in Hastings favour. The boys continued to impress in the second half and spread the ball all over the park with some impressive goals scored. Frederik Morris and Nick Rudd completing hat tricks with goals also being scored by Kael Harris (2), Jordan Westcott (1), Patch Rudd (1), Sachin Sen Gupta (1) and Oliver Barry (1).

Our next game will be played against Tacking Point on Tuesday 24th of May. Go Hastings!



STEWART HOUSE DONATION DRIVE

Every year 1,800 public school children attend the safe haven of Stewart House (next to Curl Curl beach) at no cost to their parents or carers. During a 12 day stay they are provided with dental, optical, hearing and medical screening and treatment. Children participate in educational programs and excursions designed to develop their social and emotional skills, build self-esteem and improve their overall well-being. This experience provides children with a much needed break from their current circumstance. Our children are inspired to see beyond the present and to have real hope and positive aspirations for their future. Children in the care

of Stewart House attend a specific purpose school onsite for 8 days of their 12-day stay. The NSW Department of Education provides infrastructure and staffing support for this school. All others costs associated with the childrens' stay are met from charitable donations.

Donation Drive envelopes were sent home last Friday. Any donation of \$2 or more will see your envelope included in a draw for a \$4,000 family holiday to a destination of your choice. A number of students from our school have benefited from attending this wonderful institution so please help if you can. **All envelopes must be returned to the office by Monday (9th May).**

CANTEEN ROSTER ... Thanks for Helping

Monday 9 th	Tuesday 10 th	Wednesday 11 th	Thursday 12 th	Friday 13 th	Monday 16 th
Belinda Kennedy	Belinda Roser	Natasha Schurink	Marina Pilleris	Katie Wilson	HELP PLEASE

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Tennis Lessons ... Westport Tennis Club are offering a FREE trial lesson for Kinder to Year 6 students interested in playing tennis. Lessons are either after school or Saturday morning at the courts in Woods Street and racquets are supplied. For further information or to book a lesson phone Mark on 0412 834 336.

CANBERRA RETURN

Year 6 are due to return around 6pm tonight. Please **DO NOT CALL THE OFFICE** to check on times. If we hear of any changes before 3pm the information will be announced at school, emailed and posted on facebook.

We can confirm they are all coming home tired after an action-packed week that has provided life-long memories!

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CROSS COUNTRY PARENT HELPER

I would like to assist with course supervision / support at:

☐ 11:25am with 11-13 years

☐ 1:30pm with 8-10 years

Name: _____ Child's Name: _____

Please meet Mr Taylor under the COLA at 11:10am / 1:15pm if you can assist.

club of port macquarie sunrise & INVITE YOU TO JOIN

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