



NEWSLETTER

NORTH HAVEN PUBLIC SCHOOL

"THE FUTURE IS OURS"

15 September 2016
Term 3 Week 9
Issue No 30

Uniform Shop

Hours:

Tuesday mornings

8.45 – 9.15 am

Wednesday afternoons

2.30 – 3.15 pm

TERM DATES

Term 3 19 Jul – 23 Sep
Term 4 10 Oct – 16 Dec

2017

Term 1 30 Jan – 7 April

STUDENT BANKING

Monday is the day for student school banking.

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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents, Carers and Community Members,

BUS BAY AND CAR PARK

I have recently contacted Roads and Maritime Services and Hastings Council to discuss and review our parking areas, bus bay, and exit and entry points for students and community. There are several issues that are causing concern.

Students and families that enter and exit the school near the buses, particularly during bus pick-up and put-down times are creating unsafe situations. Some students are crossing in front of and between buses. The safest route for students to enter and exit the school (when not on a bus) is through the gate area at the back of the hall. If your child is being picked up by you, or walks or rides home we are encouraging them to use this exit/entry and always use the school crossing to access the other side of the street.

We request that no parking occurs in the staff car park area near the administration building.

The DISABLED parking area must be kept free for use by visitors displaying the appropriate stickers.

We are currently in negotiations with council to establish the status of this area as either school land or if it is under council jurisdiction it then becomes a public road. This is an important determination as it will impact on what restrictions and upgrades can be carried out for student safety. Until this happens we request your co-operation with ensuring safe and sensible entry and exit procedures prevail.

TELL THEM FROM ME SURVEY

If you have not yet filled in the online survey I have included the link below:

<https://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/nhps16>

AFTER SCHOOL SUPERVISION

After school is a great time to catch up with families when you come to pick up your children.

We have many children to supervise after school, ensuring they safely get onto their buses or meet the alternative pick up arrangements that happen every day. There are some concerns for student safety and supervision when families use the play equipment after school, including whose duty of care prevails and how the equipment is being used. If you wish to have your children on the equipment please ensure your supervision is direct and that you do not assume responsibility for any other students. Thank you for your co-operation in this.

Kind regards,

Christine Wild

Principal

IMPORTANT SCHOOL DATES

**Last day of term 3 is
FRIDAY 23 SEPTEMBER**

**First day of term 4 is
MONDAY 10 OCTOBER**

**(All students K to 6 attend on this day.
It is NOT a pupil free day)**

VISION: North Haven Public School, in partnership with our community, promotes and provides a dynamic, future-focused learning environment fostering equity excellence. Our school will deliver opportunities for every student to become a successful learner and a caring, confident, creative individual.

CLEAN UP THE SCHOOL DAY

Our term 3 clean up will be held next **Friday, 23 September** for primary students. Students in years 3 to 6 may bring rubber, disposable or gardening gloves for this activity, if they wish.

There should not be too much rubbish to collect if all students remember to take pride in our great school and continue to use the garbage bins for their rubbish.

We believe this approach supports a clean and tidy environment for the whole year.

WHAT'S DUE NOW?



Term 3 band fees **OVERDUE**

Year 5 Camp **FINAL PAYMENT DUE TOMORROW**

Year 6 Sydney Excursion
Keep those payments rolling in!

PREMIER'S SPELLING BEE

North Haven Public School was represented by four excellent spellers at the Regional Final of the 2016 Premier's Spelling Bee at Forster Public School earlier this week.

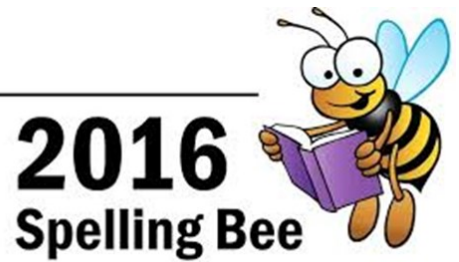
Cohen Abbott and Bodhi Sawyer represented stage 2 in the morning session with Zane Holliday and Nick McLaren Ritchie participating in the afternoon session in the stage 3 part of the competition.

Competition was tough with some very tricky words to be spelt before students could progress to the next level.

Nick's words were -
accent
talisman
taxonomy
muscly

He was unfortunately knocked out incorrectly spelling 'eccentricity'.

Zane's words were—
cyclist
laudable
sanctuary



He was knocked out on a level 5 word— *acrimonious*.

Bodhi was very pleased to receive a certificate and was knocked out after level 1 - 'event'. A girl from Old Bar Public School was the winner in this part of the competition.

Cohen made it through to level 3, correctly spelling *defeat* but missing 'emigrate'.

Congratulations to all of these students, who were wonderful ambassadors for our school.





ASSEMBLY AWARDS



	STUDENT OF THE WEEK	VALUES AWARDS	CLASS MERIT AWARDS	
KB	Savannah Single	Abbey Hickey	Akayla Bevan	Dylan Middleton
K/1H	Nathan Gardner	Jonah Benson	Sunnah Hedges	Archer Thoms
1M	Miley Hearne	Larnie Barnes	Tyler Hagelstein	Bella Lahey
1/2D	Isaac Meyers	Mia Ryder	Bailey Harrison	Bella Williams
2F	Jett Pearse	Abbey Cook	Luca Burnham	Brylie Brooks

	STUDENT OF THE WEEK	VALUES AWARDS	WORK OF THE WEEK	GOOD SPORTS AWARDS
3M	Shyla Piper Joshua Walker	Summer McAnulty Lara Fletcher	Marissa Haynes Kaleb Luland	Izaiah Vallack
3/4S	Zak Houston Christa Dale	Cohen Abbott Zoe Boland	Brock Holliday Taj Barber	
4E	Lewis Witcombe Jake Hagelstein	Charlotte Rumbelow Nyah Rowan	Thomas Spilsbury Caleb Funnell	Charlotte Holt
4/5B	Jayden Pratt Jasmin Adams	Katryn Morrissey Nait Boyan	Jade Buscall Bailey Asbury	
5D	Caleb Schwarze	Bianca Usher Clark Noah Traves	Brodhie Newman Amelia Eggins	
5/6M	Charlie Forster Toby Adams	Bayly Blackman Brianna Lee	Daniel O'Brien Zane Hanlon Brady Blackhall	Cordy Gamblin
6T	Jaime Watson	Ryan Ferguson Jayke Dixon	Mason Hanington Zoe Ferris	Jaime Watson

VALUE OF THE WEEK

**Honesty and
Trustworthiness**

BAND MUSICIAN OF THE WEEK

Senior	Junior
Jonah Garven	Blake Cutler
Vanna Limeburner	Lewis Witcombe

YEAR 4 MATHS FUN DAY

On Wednesday 7 September, nine of our Year 4 students attended a Maths Fun Day at Port Macquarie High School. The students were organised into groups of three, and spent the day rotating through a range of stimulating and challenging Maths activities. Each activity was devised by students from the high school's Year 8 and Year 10 Maths enrichment classes. Our students had a great time, and I could not fault their behaviour, attitude or enthusiasm! Mrs Ritchie, Mrs Toogood and I were very proud of them all.

Here are some edited comments from the kids themselves...

Abigail: Yesterday wasn't only Wednesday. It wasn't only my tenth birthday either. It was the Maths Fun Day! I'd like to give a big thanks to the high schoolers for coming up with those activities. My bridge balanced the golf ball, until it rolled off. In short, I wish I could go back in time and do it all again!

Alana: First of all we did a rotation where we did little stations run by Year 8 students. Their hard work had paid off and it was a lot of fun. Their ideas were very creative and fun. We had to build a bridge just from a newspaper and masking tape. Also it has to hold a golf ball while being 30cm off the ground. It was very hard.

Bailey: Some of the maths games were...maths bingo, hitting a buzzer to answer a question, fishing to catch 3 fish, 2 numbers and a sign. We had recess and lunch after all the mini games. In the afternoon we went into our groups again to make a newspaper bridge that had to hold a real golf ball.

Brock: I was in a North Haven team 2 with Emilee and Bailey. I loved the buzzer one and the algorithm activity. We had so much fun playing bingo, working out sums and it was the best day ever.

Caleb: My group was told that we were the best group they'd had. We started with a buzzer quiz and Max smashed the buzzer so hard once that the ball was pushed almost out of the sticky tape. It was pretty funny. After a shape naming game we had recess. When we came back in my group was in the lead with 27 points. When I got to the last maths thing my cousin Sophie was the maker of it and we were playing snap. At the end we didn't win, but we still came second so that's good enough even though we didn't get the trophies.

Emilee: At the end of the first round of activities we found out that one of the North Haven teams was in the lead. After a snack we had to try and make a bridge out of newspaper that would hold up a golf ball. My team succeeded.

Max: My personal favourite was a measurement one where you had to guess the length of a piece of string. My second favourite was the first one I did where someone read a sum

on a card and you had to buzz in and answer the question.

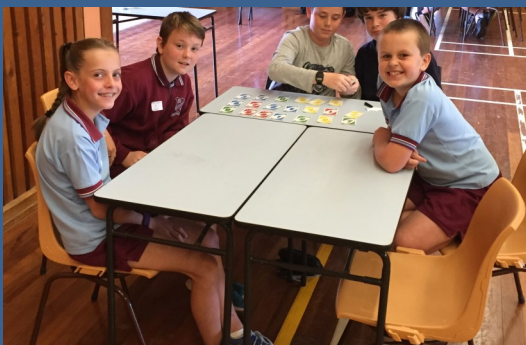
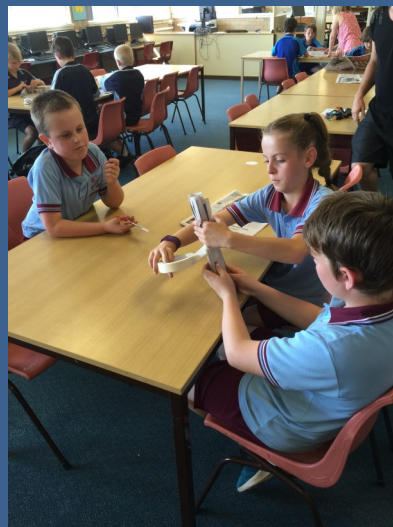
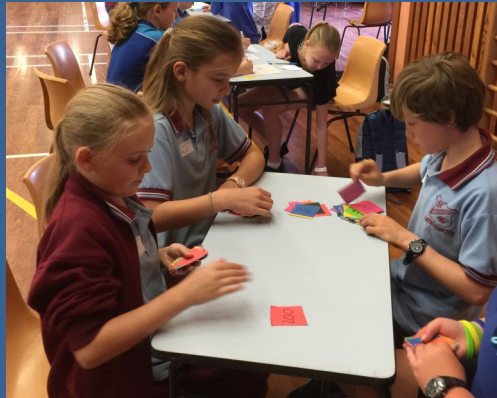
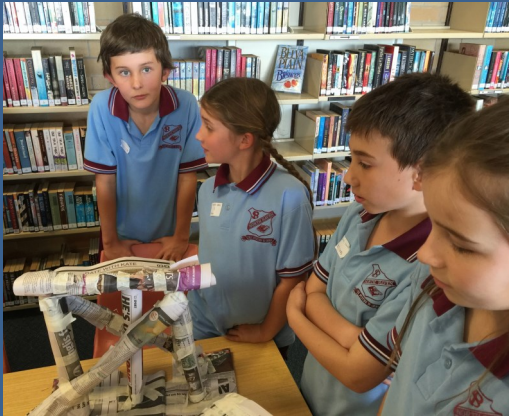
Phoebe: We first got put into teams, and I was in North Haven 1 with Abigail and Tom. I don't remember all of the activities, but the first one I went to was a snap game with different coloured cards and if you got it you had to multiply the numbers together. A little while later we went to the library and had twenty minutes to make a bridge with newspaper and tape. It was hard but we did it in the end.

Tom: There were so many different activities to do and in the afternoon we had the best time ever because we got to construct a bridge that could support a golf ball. The reason I liked it so much was because my team was one of the 4 winners. My favourite activity for sessions 1 and 2 was the buzzer activity because it was all about fast facts and I won by 37 facts.

An unexpected bonus for the students at the end of the day was participating in the high school's "Silent Disco", complete with flashing headphones and a free snow cone!

Mrs Skerritt





Maths is Fun at NHPS



EARLY CONNECTIONS – PORT MACQUARIE/HASTINGS
is offering a **FREE** information session on

**“NDIS –
Who, what, where, when, how & why”**
for families, educators & community members

The National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) will commence in our area in July 2017. Early Childhood Intervention is a priority funding category for the NDIS. HEIP can support and guide families through the transition to the NDIS and beyond. HEIP is a registered service provider with the NDIS.

The information session will cover:

- * What is the NDIS & why is it happening
- * When does it start
- * What does the NDIS mean for HEIP families
- * What do families need to do to be ready for it
- * How will HEIP provide services from 2017
- * What services and supports will HEIP provide

Everyone is welcome to attend.

Dates: Wednesday 21st September 6.00pm – 8.00pm
(please come at 5.45pm for a 6.00pm start)

Venue: Hastings Early Intervention Program

Tea/Coffee Provided

Please RSVP to Hastings Early Intervention Program on 6583 8238
by Friday 16th September

Camden Haven Junior Touch Football Registration

The 2016/17 Junior Touch Football competition will commence on Wednesday 19th October finishing on Saturday 25th February 2017 (there will be a 4 week break over Christmas).

Games will be played on Wednesdays at the Laurieton fields, at 4:30pm and 5:10pm.

You can register individually or get together some mates and put your own team in.

Registrations will be at Laurieton United Servicemen's Club.

Registration dates:

Wednesday 21st September 5pm – 7pm

Tuesday 27th September 5pm – 7pm

Wednesday 28th September 5pm – 7pm

*Please note there will be no more registrations taken after 28th September 2016.

Cost: \$50.00 per child (includes a team singlet)

Divisions: under 8's, 10's, 12's, 14's and 16's

We are looking forward to another great junior touch footy season!!!

Any further questions please email us camdenhaven-touch@hotmail.com or call Bec on 0403909799.



Spring Fair

CAMDEN HAVEN
ANGLICAN CHURCH

Huge Garage Sale

Huge Plant Sale

7.30am start

Saturday 8 October



Food & Fun
Kids Activities
Something for Everyone



2 Mission Tce, Lakewood 6559 5036

All screenings
start at 6:15pm

BYO chairs
& picnic rug

HASTINGS MOONLIGHT MOVIES

CATCH A FREE MOVIE THESE SCHOOL HOLIDAYS



Thursday 29 September 2016
Inside Out

Rated PG (Parental Guidance) 94 mins
Dunbogan Reserve, Camden Head Road, Dunbogan



Friday 30 September 2016
**Alexander & the Terrible, Horrible
and No Good, Very Bad Day**

Rated PG (Parental Guidance) 81 mins
Lake Cathie Reserve, Ocean Drive, Lake Cathie



Saturday 1 October 2016
Storm Surfers

Rated PG (Parental Guidance) 95 mins
Town Green, Port Macquarie CBD

FOOTBALL MID NORTH COAST

High Performance Trials 2017 Football Mid North Coast will be conducting High Performance trials for the following age groups for 2017 squad. Please note that ages listed are for 2017 (e.g. Players Born 2003 would be Under 14s). All players are expected to attend both trial dates if you cannot attend both we need an email stating why. All players wishing to attend trials need to complete an expression of interest survey on document which registers player for trials.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/SZFVLLS>

AIA Vitality
**MINI
ROOS**
FOR GIRLS

**REGISTER
NOW**

AIA Vitality MiniRoos Kick-Off for Girls is an introductory football program for girls aged 5-11 starting October 2016.

Visit the website to find a
location nearest you.



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www.northernnswfootball.com.au/miniroosforgirls

For more information:

pmhc.nsw.gov.au/hastingsmoonlightmovies

