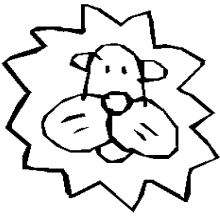


# HEBERSHAM PUBLIC SCHOOL

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## Newsletter

21 November 2019

### Calendar for Week 7 and 8

#### Monday – 25 November

Colour Run and P&C Thank You Cake Stall

#### Tuesday – 26 November

Cultural Diversity Day- Food Tasting and Incursion.  
Mufti Day- traditional costume  
Variety Club Christmas Party

#### Wednesday – 27 November

Playgroup in old hall - Little Lions

#### Thursday – 28 November

Koori Play & Chat - Last Day  
Last Scripture Lesson

#### Friday – 29 November

Cultural Diversity Day - School Performance  
Support Class Swim Program

### Week 8

#### Monday – 2 December

#### Tuesday – 3 December

SAKG Graduation - Year 4

#### Wednesday – 4 December

P&C Meeting 9:15 am  
Year 6 Farewell 6:00 pm - St. Mary's Leagues Club  
Support Unit: Special Children's Xmas Party

### Thursday – 5 December

Thank you to Parents Morning Tea 10:30 am  
Christmas Scripture Service

### Friday – 6 December

Sports and Attendance Assembly 9:30 am  
Support Class Swim Program

#### Pride Goal

Our pride goal expectation for the next three weeks is:-



Respect is the  
**GOLDEN RULE!**  
When you come  
to **SCHOOL.**



Last week saw the end of our 2020 Kindergarten Transition program. Thank you Mrs Vaalele, the Kindy teachers and support staff for organising this program and helping our upcoming students settle into the routines of big school. It was lovely to meet our new families to the school.

Betty Papandreou  
Principal

### The SRC Colour Run - New Date

Our School Run4Fun Colour Explosion has been moved to **Monday 25<sup>th</sup> of November (Week 7).**

We are looking forward to seeing you there! Parents most welcome to attend.

- The SRC committee.





### Thank you Morning Tea

#### You are invited!

Hebersham P.S. has been very lucky to have so many parent helpers in our school this year. To thank all our fantastic helpers we would like to invite you to our annual Helper's Morning Tea on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> of December 2019. It will be at 10:30am in the Library. We look forward to seeing you there!



### 2020 Kindergarten Enrolments

Applications are now due for children eligible to start Kindergarten in 2020. Children may be enrolled in Kindergarten at the beginning of the school year if they turn five years of age by 31 July of that year. Application forms are available from the school office. Please ensure that your application is submitted as soon as possible. If you know of anyone considering enrolling, please encourage them to do so now.



### 2020 Resource Contribution

In 2020 we will continue our \$20 School Resource Contribution fee. Each student will be invoiced for this fee at the beginning of the year. This contribution will help to purchase teaching and learning resources for all students

### K-6 Assembly

Our next assembly will be held on Friday the 22 November at 9:30am in Yalingen Allawah. At this special assembly we will announce students receiving their pride pins.



### School Banking

I like to thank everyone for supporting school banking and look forward to next year.

#### Important dates to remember:

- Last day to redeem prizes for the year - Tuesday 3rd December



- Last day of banking for the year - Tuesday 17th December

Banking will resume on the 1st Tuesday back in 2020.

Kelly Nicol  
School Banking Co-Ordinator

### ACADEMIC ASSEMBLY

The Academic Assembly will be held on **Wednesday 11 December 2019 at 9:30am in Yalingen Allawah**. All parents and carers are warmly welcome to attend the assembly.



### Pride Pin Celebration Morning Tea

Students who receive their Pride Pin at each K-6 assembly will be asked to stay back and attend a morning tea in Yalingen Allawah. Parents and carers are cordially invited to attend with their child and enjoy celebrating their achievement. There will be light refreshments and drinks served to mark the occasion.

### Important Information for Parents and Students

The Department recognises that some families will be subject to family breakdown. In the absence of any notification to the contrary, it will be assumed that both parents retain a shared and equal parental responsibility for their children and have been involved in making any decisions regarding their children's education. This means that the school will recognise that each parent has equal duties, obligations,



responsibilities and opportunities in relation to matters involving the school.

If any changes occur in your family relationships which have the potential to impact on the relationship between the school and your family, you are required to advise the school immediately. This includes providing copies of any court orders that may be obtained.



**Cultural Diversity Day – Week 7 2019**

Hebersham Public School will be celebrating **Cultural Diversity Day in Week 7 2019** with a variety of activities. The day provides the chance to promote and celebrate cultural acceptance in our community.

**On Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2019:** There will be Cultural Diversity performances. Students from all stages will also be given the opportunity to share food from their cultures.

- Please send a plate of food from your culture to the **kitchen by 9:00 am** on the 26<sup>th</sup> of November 2019.
- Please also include the name of the dish, culture and a list of ingredients so that teachers can ensure that allergies can be taken into account.

**On Tuesday** it will be a **multi-day** where all children are encouraged to wear **traditional/cultural dress**. No gold coin donation required.



**On Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November:** There will be a special assembly at **9:30am** in Yalingen Allawah with cultural performances by students. **Parents are welcome to attend** the assembly. Parents are also invited to stay with their children and share a picnic morning tea until 11:30am.

**PRIDE PINS ASSEMBLY**  
**Friday 22 November at 9:30am**  
**Yalingen Allawah Hall**



The Pride Pin colours for each grade are:

- Yellow Kindergarten
- Green Year 1
- Blue Year 2
- Red Year 3
- Orange Year 4
- Silver Year 5
- Gold Year 6

Congratulations to the following students who received their Pride Pins at this week's assembly.

Name	Class	Name	Class
Beau	SCT	Raneen	KS
Sophie	S1H	Rodney	S1B
Braxton	S1D	Justin	S1D
Onjay	S1N	Hamish	S1N
Saphira	S1C	Sione	S1C
Zahra	S1T	Bronson	S1T
Lilly-May	S1K	Sonny	S1K
Francis	S1K	Riley	S1S
Jerome	S1S	Baxta	S1S
Curstina	S2P	Jayne	S2P
Jahrian	S2P	Ayden	S2H
Uhila	S2H	Hayden	S2H
Sonny	S2T	Alakae	S2T
Caleb	S2M	Tora	S2P
Simione	S2P	Lina	S2L
Peria	S2L	Maddison	S2L
Nikiroa	S2L	Lisala	S2L
Xavier	S2L	Heath	S2L
Kelepi	S2L	Kazim	S2E
Sifa	S2E	Summer	S2S
Eli	S3C	Saphyre	S3C
Cody	S3C	Emily	S3H

Name	Class	Name	Class
Caitlin	S3H	Haylee	S3H
Jasmine	S3H	Tyrone	S3H
Alex	S3T		

### School Equipment for 2020



The following is a list of equipment that children in different grades will need with them at school at all times.

***Please ensure ALL equipment and uniforms have the name of your child on them. All students need a school bag, lunch box and a hat.***

#### Kindergarten

- glue stick- 4
- water bottle
- boxes of tissues one per term
- pump soap one per term
- baby wipes one per term

#### Stage 1-Year 1 and Year 2

- glue stick- 4
- water bottle
- A4 covered homework book- 128 pages
- boxes of tissues-4
- pump soap (donation)
- baby wipes (donation)

#### Stage 2-Year 3 and Year 4

- pencil case
- lead pencils HB
- sharpener
- eraser
- glue stick- one per term
- coloured pencils
- blue and red pens (Year 4)
- textas (optional)

- plastic ruler (optional)
- library bag
- water bottle
- A4 covered homework book- 128 pages
- boxes of tissues (donation)
- pump soap (donation)
- baby wipes (donation)

#### Stage 3-Year 5 and Year 6

- pencil case
- lead pencils HB
- sharpener
- eraser
- glue stick- 4
- coloured pencils
- blue and red pens
- Geometry set (must include compass and protractor)
- calculator
- textas (optional)
- plastic ruler (optional)
- water bottle
- A4 covered homework book- 128 pages
- boxes of tissues (donation)
- pump soap (donation)
- baby wipes (donation)

#### Support classes

- paint shirt or old shirt
- glue stick- one per term
- water bottle
- A4 covered homework book- 128 pages
- boxes of tissues (donation)
- pump soap (donation)
- baby wipes (donation)
- hand sanitizer

#### Uniform Shop

The **Uniform Shop** (located up near the cola) is open **every Thursday from 8:30 am until 9:30 am.**





SunSmart Snippet

# The simplest way

... to be SunSmart this summer.

Consider UV levels when planning your summer activities.

When UV is 3 or above you need to PROTECT your skin in 5 ways:

- **Slip** on sun-protective clothing
- **Stop** on SPF 30 sunscreen or higher
- **Slap** on a broad-brimmed, bucket or legionnaire hat
- **Seek** shade
- **Slide** on some wrap-around sunglasses



Download the free SunSmart app to know what the UV levels are in your location to help plan your summer fun.

**SunSmart App is available on the App Store and Google Play**

To help keep your kids safe in the sun, check your schools SunSmart status by heading to [www.sunsmartnsw.com.au](http://www.sunsmartnsw.com.au)



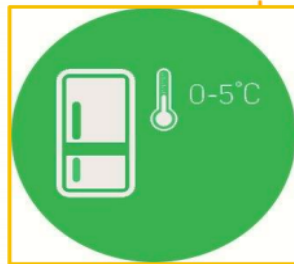
Nutrition Snippet

# The simplest way

... to keep food safe in summer.

Foods such as meat, fish, poultry and eggs; cooked pasta, noodles and rice; and dairy items such as milk, yoghurt, custard and cheese need to be kept very cold.

- Use a cooler bag and ice brick or frozen water bottle to keep food cold in the lunch box.
- Freeze items such as sandwich bread, milk poppers, and home-made muffins. They will be thawed and ready to eat at lunch time and keep other lunch box items cold.
- If preparing lunches the night before, store in the fridge or freezer.
- Don't store food in an insulated bag in the fridge, it stops the cold air reaching the food.
- For food that has just been cooked, cool it in the fridge overnight before packing.



[healthylunchbox.com.au](http://healthylunchbox.com.au)

## Classes for 2020

Classes for 2020 will be formed this term in preparation for the new school year.

Please return the information slip attached to the newsletter if:

- Your family is definitely moving and your children won't return to Hebersham PS in 2020.
- Your family will be on holidays and may return late in Term 1 2020.



**Hebersham Public School**



**Return slip  
Movement of families in 2020**

Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Child/Children's Names: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

- My child/ children will **not** need a class place at HPS in 2020.
- My child/ children will return late to HPS in 2020 due to travel/ holidays.

Date of return: \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate with a

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

(Please return this note to the school office ASAP)