Summer Hill PS Go forward



Newsletter Term 4 Week 2 2022

Principal's message

Now that we are in Term 4 we look forward to events and activities including Kindergarten Orientation, our P&C Spooky disco, Year 6 end of year 'everything', and Presentation Day. So far, our students have enjoyed Year 4 camp, a visit from the Year 1 to 6 students who will be joining us in 2023 and an off-site evacuation drill!

Last term, on Friday 14 October our school hosted an Eco-Schools training day. The day was organised by Principal Glen Halliday and his team from Observatory Hill Environmental Education Centre for teachers across the network. On the day, a number of our senior students presented the results of our waste audit (and they looked fantastic in their house team shirts!). On the day, students in 5 Kelp also presented the findings of the waste audit to me. Their presentations included a timeline for the implementation of enhanced sustainable practices and initiatives across the school. These activities will be incorporated into our School Environment Management Plan (SEMP 2022 – 2023).

During the holidays our school was abuzz with works. Buildings and learning spaces were painted, carpets were installed and a lot of concrete was poured. Our heritage building was even refreshed with a new coat of paint. Staff, students and visitors have been pleased with the improvements across the school, we hope you are too!

This week saw us recognise and celebrate the service of some of our teachers. The work of Ms Ross, Ms Pillay, Ms Anton and Ms Lekkas, along with their dedication and commitment to the profession (and the kids) should be congratulated. We thank them for their contribution to public education, and most importantly our school.





For those parents and carers who have a student starting Kindergarten in 2023 or those of you who know someone in this position, this is a gentle reminder that we are taking enrolments now. If you would like information about our school's enrolment process or how you can schedule a tour please contact Eve in the office.

Thank you for taking the time to read about what's happening at Summer Hill Public School, we are very excited to report what our students have been doing. If you enjoy reading our newsletter and would like to see what's happening around the school more regularly visit the website at https://summerhill-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/. For day to day updates and reminders download our Skoolbag App for your phone or tablet device. Click here to go to the school website for further information to upload to your device.

Natalie Armstrong Principal

October

Thu 20 Year 3-6 assembly 5 Plankton to host 2:15pm in hall

Fri 21 PSSA sport 12-2:30pm

Tue 25 5 Octopus visit Fort St HS

Wed 26 Year 1-6 new students orientation day

Thu 27 Light it red for dyslexia - mufti day

Fri 28 Grandparents assembly

PSSA sport 12-2:30pm

November

Tue 1 Kindy 2023 orientation 9:30-11:30am

5 Octopus visit Fort St HS

Wed 2 Year 1-6 new students orientation day

Thu 10 Year 2-5 vote for student leaders in 2023

> Kindy-Year 6 Remembrance Day assembly 2pm

Fri 11 PSSA sport 12-2:30pm

Find more on EVENTS on the school webpage









Notices



Uniform Shop - Pacific Pearl

Change to opening hours - Uniform Shop starting Week 3

Dear parents and carers,

As you may be aware the NSW Department of Education recently ran a tender process for our schools' uniform supplier. Pearl Pacific are now the supplier for our school. We look forward to having them on board with us.

The Uniform shop will be operating from the week beginning 24 October 2022 (Week 3 Term 4) each Monday from 8.30am-10am and Wednesday from 2.30-3pm.

In the meantime, you can order uniforms online via this link https://www.sustainableschoolshop.com.au/sumhillps

Selective High school Application Information for entry to Year 7 in 2024

Dear Parents/Carers.

Selective high schools cater for high potential and intellectually gifted students.

They help students learn by:

- grouping them with other gifted students
- using special teaching methods so students can learn concepts in more detail and more quickly.
- · supporting their well-being needs

Most students in selective high schools enjoy learning more when their classmates have similar abilities and interests. As well as providing for students' academic development, selective high schools also offer a broad range of classes and extra-curricular activities, such as:

- sports
- · creative and performing arts
- music
- · and special interest clubs.

Selective high schools are un-zoned so you can apply no matter where you live.

For entry to Year 7 in 2024, applications open on 18 October and close on 16 November 2022.

The Selective High School Placement Test will be held on 4 May 2023. The test will be paper-based.

For more information and to apply please click on the following link: https://shsoc.education.nsw.gov.au/

Mrs Katherine Butler (Relieving Deputy Principal) and Miss Sarah Weston (Assistant Principal Stage 3)

Kindergarten 2023 enrolments

For those parents and carers who have a student starting Kindergarten in 2023 or those of you who know someone in this position, this is a gentle reminder that we are taking enrolments now.

If you haven't made contact with the school and would like information about the enrolment process please contact the office via email:

summerhill-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au or call 9797 8160.



Early Stage 1

Kindergarten have had a busy start to the term. We have enjoyed learning collaboratively while we have been waiting for the new refurbishments to be completed in our classrooms. Kindergarten have jumped straight back into their learning as they investigate money, the seasonal changes in our daily life and the properties of 3D objects. We are all very excited about the new walls being installed in our classrooms and have enjoyed learning together.

The Kindy Team











Stage 1

This week Stage 1 participated in a variety of learning experiences within their classrooms. In Art, children revisited famous artists such as Picasso, Rizzi and Mondrian, creating bright, happy, colourful and fun artworks. Abstract shapes, thick black lines, bright colours and funny faces making special features to individual art works.

These are some of the displays that can be found in the Year 1 and Year 2 classrooms.





Stage 2

Year 4 camp 2022

Year 4 went to their school camp at Narrabeen on Monday. We did three activities. They were archery, initiatives and raft building. We had an amazing time and enjoyed ourselves with all our friends.

Aleisha 4 Pearl



















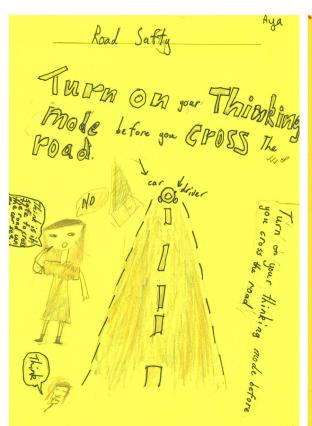


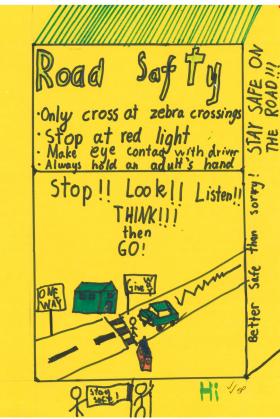


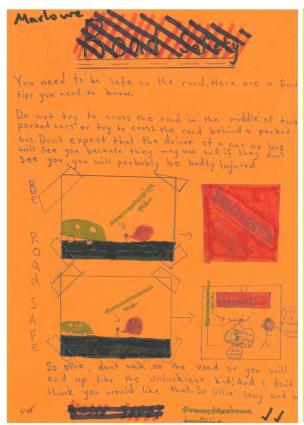


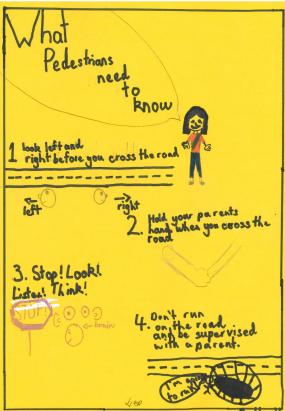
Stage 2

4 Pearl made these very important road safety posters for their buddies. We should do what they say and be safe when using the road.











Stage 3

Our first lesson at Fort Street High School

I gazed around the classroom — blinds printed with science notes veiled the scorching sunlight outside, elongated, rectangular tables and chairs were positioned in arrays, delicate science equipment placed on elevated science desks...

This is what the science room of Fort Street high school looked like. Although it wasn't at all similar to what we expected it to be, everyone enjoyed our first lesson. Some of the similarities are that they had an interactive whiteboard, tables, fire extinguishers, and fire blankets. As there are similarities, there are also differences. Some of those were the blinds that have been printed on, the science equipment, art and posters on the wall (it wasn't made by the students) and glass cabinets to store the science equipment in.

At Fort Street high school, we viewed our surroundings with interest and curiosity. There were many levels and as we waited for instructions, many of the high school students walked past us, probably on their way to their next lesson. We were exhilarated when we were informed that our first lesson was science-based. In the science lab, we were asked to match the labels of the equipment to the pieces of equipment themselves! We made our way to the mini tables with sinks in groups of 4 and began sorting.

Our visit to Fort Street high school was the first time many of us had ever visited a high school. It was a privilege for 5/Octopus to even have the chance to, and we know the amount of effort put into setting this for us. Although this may be true, we now know how different a high school may be from a primary school. Our class is looking forward to our next lesson and we hope that it is as good as, or even better than our first!

By Angel and Niki (5/Octopus)





Stage 3

6 Scallop

This term 6 Scallop have been analysing picture books and interpreting them using visual literacy. We recently read the picture book, 'We Are All Born Free: The Universal Declaration of Human Rights in Pictures', which illustrates all the rights we should follow to be equal and treated fairly. Some of these rights include a right to education, law rights, equality, freedom, beliefs and many more. There are 30 Universal Declaration of Human Rights and each of them have been illustrated by a different artist. Using visual elements, we made our own picture book pages to show each of the different rights everyone should have. We made them for kids our age so they can learn the meanings behind the pictures and understand the rights in a fun way. We hope you like the pictures.

By Lyrah L and Era S



Drama



Year 6 Film Festival







Winter PSSA sport - end of season



Summer PSSA sport

The PSSA teams were so excited to get out in the glorious sunshine on Friday 14 October. The softball and t-ball teams played Five Dock at Timbrell Park. All teams played so well and were so grateful the weather was shining brightly for us. Summer Hill took away three wins.

Some members of the softball team have written a quick summary of the day:

"The sun was really hot but we had a great day playing Five Dock. They were short in numbers so some of us had the opportunity to show fairness and help them field. It was only our second game but we played really well and as a team. Someone from the other team was stung by a bee but she was safe and still wanted to play. That showed a lot of resilience! We can't wait to play again once the rain goes away on a Friday."

Written by Shanti, Cary and Lucas G



Library



News form the Library

The new titles that our guest librarians ordered have arrived! These can be found in our library on the 'What's New' display. The new books included are: The Bad Guys Series; Minecraft; The Dragonnet Prophecy; Positively Izzy and The Guinness Book of World Records 2023.

Students can explore our school's books using the link in their student portal. Here students can sort and reserve books to borrow the next time they are in the library.

Students can browse during their library time or visit our library at the following playtimes.

Mornings 8:45 - 9:15am	All Years	Tuesday, Wednes- day, Thursday
2nd half lunch	Years 3 - 4	Monday
11:30-11:45am or	Kindergarten - Year 2	Tuesday
recess 1:30-1:45pm	Years 5 - 6	Thursday

Scholastic book catalogue

Don't forget the latest Scholastic Catalogue is available. Be sure to get your orders in using the link on the catalogues and by returning the order form on the back of the catalogue.

Be sure to complete your order by 28 OCTOBER.

https://mybookclubs.scholastic.com.au/Parent/Login.aspx











Scholastic Book Clubs

Scholastic Book Club is back this term! Remember every dollar you spend helps the school buy new books for the library. For every dollar we spend, the school receives 20% back to buy brand new books.

There are books for all reading levels and all budgets – you can even buy a book for \$3! If you could see their little faces when the books are delivered to the classroom, you would be marking up that catalogue and spending your pennies!

Please place all orders by Friday 28 October.



Spooky Disco - Friday 4 November

The disco is coming up fast – look out for the ticket booking link and sign-up link coming out this week. Parents, please sign up to help on the night, you have to hang around anyway. Spooky dressing up is encouraged but not compulsory!

Junior Disco - 5pm - 6.30pm

Senior Disco - 6.30pm - 8pm

Twilight Picnic - Saturday 26 November

Please mark your diaries and come and celebrate the (almost) end of the year with us! We will have market stalls, lots of food and fun things for the kids to do – we might even put a bouncy castle in the hall!

Look out for more on this coming soon!

Dates for the diary

Dyslexia Awareness Day - Thursday 27 October

Scholastic orders due - Friday 28 October

Grandparents Day - 28 October

Spooky Disco - Friday 4 November

Twilight Picnic - Saturday 26 November



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Website: www.summerhillpandc.org







codecamp.com.au/summerhillps

Kids!! Have fun learning to speak Mandarin



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fun mandarin for kids

FUN Mandarin Language Club at Summer Hill Public School!

The Mandarin Stars program offers:

- An engaging program that will inspire a love for learning Chinese.
- An immersion-based program that teaches strong listening and speaking skills in Mandarin.
- Language building activities such as role play, Chinese songs, rhymes and games!
- The teaching of Chinese characters, reading, writing and Pin Yin.
- The discovery of Chinese history, culture, festivals, Calligraphy, Tai Chi and even Kung Fu!

Classes start in Term 4 and are held on Wednesdays Afternoon as follows:

3.00pm - 4.00pm Kindy - Year 2/3 4.00pm - 5.00pm Years 3 - Year 6

To book a free trial/ enrol for the term, email: enrol@mandarinstars.com.au www.mandarinstars.com.au

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Office: (02) 9745 1170

CHESS!!

Learn to be a chess champion! Coaching for students at Summer Hill Public School is held on Tuesdays from 7:50am to 8:45am, starting on 11 October 2022.

Learning and playing chess helps children develop their logical thinking and problem solving skills, improves their concentration and focus, while also being a great source of enjoyment. Activities include group lessons on a demonstration chess board or interactive whiteboard, puzzle solving and fun practice games.

Students earn merit awards by making checkmates, or by displaying skills and positive qualities, which all good chess players strive to develop.

If your child is interested in taking part, you can collect an enrolment form from the school office, or email enrol@sydneyacademyofchess.com.au for a copy. For all enquiries, please contact Sydney Academy of Chess on (02) 9745 1170.

SHPS PUBLIC SCHOOL TENNIS CLUB 2022





CONTACT: Phone: Neil Armstrong 0404 845 925 Email: leichhardttennisacademy@gmail.com

TENNIS HOT SHOTS

ANZ Tennis Hot Shots programmes provide kids with a fun way to play tennis, using modified nets, racquets and balls. With reduced court sizes younger players have the chance to serve, rally and score from the first time they step onto a court. Kids are actively engaged having **FUN**. Kids build **SOCIAL** skills such as working co-operatively and building friendships. Kids learn to **PLAY** and develop tennis **SKILLS**.

DATE: TERM 1 to 4 2019 (MONDAYS)

TIME: 7.45 – 8.45am

MEETING PLACE: School Soccer Pitch

COST: (\$23 per lesson + card/account fees applies)
NOTE: ALL CHILDREN ARE UNDER THE SUPERVISON
OF QUALIFIED COACHES FOR THE DURATION OF
THE LESSON'S

(Pro-rata rates for late enrolment)
HOW TO ENROL: Email Neil at

leichhardttennisacademy@gmail.com

For your information

- These programmes are specifically aimed at boys and girls of primary school age.
- Children cannot be accepted without a completed enrolment form.
- For the most enjoyment it is preferable that each child has their own tennis racquet.
- Our coaches will turn up irrespective of the weather conditions.



Add \$35 to buy a Junior BABOLAT tennis racquet.

Add \$10 to buy 3 starter tennis balls, great for at home.

All equipment is specially modified for children

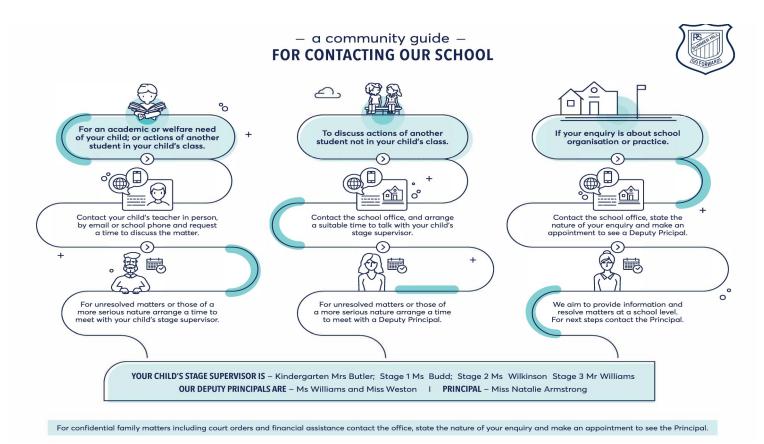
Enrolment Slip / ABN: 90792084644

Community notices





Contacting our school





PRIMARY SCHOOL

YBK Breakfast

- Café Style Raisin toast \$ 2.00
- Honey, jam or vegemite toast \$ 1.50
- Pikelets with jam or honey \$ 1.00
- School size banana bread 80g \$ 3.00
- · Cheese Jaffle \$ 1.00
- Fresh fruit salad small \$ 2.50 Lrg \$ 5.00
- Fruit salad and Greek yoghurt \$ 5.50
- Variety of homemade muffins \$ 2.50





Drinks

- Water \$ 2.50
- Sparling Mineral water \$ 3.00
- Glee \$3.00
- Plain Milk popper \$ 2.50
- OAK Flavoured milk 300ml \$ 3.50
- Soy milk \$ 3.00
- Up&Go \$ 3.00

• Juice poppers 99% fruit juice 250ml \$ 2.50

. Seasonal fresh fruit \$ 1.50

YBK Snacks

- Fruit Skewer \$ 1.50
- Apple slinky \$ 1.50
- Fresh fruit salad Sm \$ 3.00 Lrg \$ 5.00
- Fruit salad and Greek yoghurt \$ 5.50
- Carrot Stick (4x) \$ 0.50
 Health pack (carrot, celery, cucumber, ham, cheese and crackers) \$ 4.00
- · Cucumber, celery and carrot cups with Hummus \$ 3.00
- Variety of homemade muffins \$ 2.50
- Pizza bread \$ 2.00
- Greek Yoghurt cups \$ 1.50
- Greek Yoghurt cups with berries \$ 2.00 Pauls Vanilla Custard \$ 1.00

- · Oven baked hash browns \$ 1.50
- Garlic Bread \$ 1.00
- Popcorn Plain \$ 2.00

- Frozen fruit from \$ 0.10 to \$ 1.00
- · Ouelch Stick \$1.00
- Juicies \$ 1.50
- Frozen juice cup \$ 1.50

Frozen • Juicie Tubes \$ 2.00

- Paddlepop \$ 2.00 Moosies, frozen milk \$ 2.50
- Twisted Yoghurt cups \$ 3.50

Special Diets

GLUTEN FREE

- Muffins \$ 2.50
- Banana bread \$ 5.00
- Pirhana Veggie chips \$ 2.50Pasta Bolognaise \$ 6.50
- Homemade fried rice with gluten free soy sauce \$ 4.80 (250g)
- · Health pack with gluten free crackers and gluten free Hummus \$ 4.00
- Gluten free burgers \$ 7.50
- Gluten free pie \$ 6.00

DAIRY FREE

- yoghurt \$ 3.50
- Soy milk \$ 3.00
- muffins \$2.50

dairy free breads and spreads

HALAI

- Homemade Pasta Bolognese \$ 5.30 (250g)
- Halal Pies \$5.00
- Halal Sausage rolls \$ 4.50
- · Halal Beef burger (beef Patty, tomato and lettuce)
- Falafel wrap (Falafel, hummus, lettuce, tomato ar cucumber) \$ 7.00
 • Chicken burger (chicken, lettuce and mayo) \$ 7.00
- · Char grilled chicken breast, lettuce, tomato, cucumber and mayo \$ 7.00
- Chicken kebab stick \$ 3.50
- Chicken kebab in a wrap \$ 5.00
- Chicken kebab in a wrap with lettuce and mayo \$ 6.00
- Homemade Chicken schnitzel, avocado, lettuce and mayo \$ 7.50

Cold Food

SANDWICHES

white, wholemeal, multigrain, Helgas low carb and gluten free bread available

- Vegemite or honey \$ 2.50
- Vegemite and light tasty cheese \$ 4.30
- Light Tasty Cheese \$ 4.00 · Chicken, lettuce and mayo \$ 5.00
- . Chicken and salad \$ 6.00
- Egg and Lettuce \$ 4.50
- Salad \$ 4.50
- Tuna and mayo \$ 4.50
- Tuna and salad \$ 6.00 • Light Tasty Cheese and tomato \$ 4.50
- Ham \$ 4.00
- Ham and tasty cheese \$ 5.00
- Ham and salad \$ 6.00
- · Cheese and salad \$ 6.00
- Ham, tasty Cheese and Tomato \$ 5.50

(extra fillings \$ 0.50, toasted \$ 1.00, roll \$ 1.00 Turkish bread \$1.00. GF \$1.00)

WRAPS / ROLLS

- · Char grilled chicken breast, lettuce, tomato, cucumber and mayo \$ 7.00
- · Ham, cheese and Pineapple \$ 6.50 • Tuna, lettuce, tomato and mayo \$ 7.00
- Egg wrap (egg, tomato, lettuce, avo and mayo) \$ 6.50
- Falafel with mixed salad, carrots, cucumbers, hummus and Tzatziki
- \$ 7.00
- · Salad wrap with mixed salad, tomatoes, carrots, cucumber, beetroot and avocado \$ 6.50
- · Homemade Chicken schnitzel. avocado, lettuce and mayo \$ 7.50

Hot Food



- Homemade Pasta Bolognese \$ 5.30
- (250g) Homemade Pasta with napoletano sauce \$ 4.80 (250g)
- Fried rice with vegetables \$ 4.80
- Homemade lasagna \$ 5.80
- Wonton Soup chicken \$ 4.50
- Chicken noodle soup \$ 4.00
- Chicken kebab stick \$ 3.50
- Chicken Kebab in a wrap \$ 5.00 · Chicken Kebab on wrap with lettuce and

mayo \$ 6.00

- · Ricotta and Spinach Rolls \$ 4.50
- Timbertown Junior pies \$ 3.50 Pizza Meatlovers \$ 6.00 Monday only

SAUCE SATCHELS 50cents

Fresh Salads

- Garden Salad and dressing \$ 6.50
- Grilled chicken and salad \$7.00
- Tuna and salad \$ 7.00

Greek salad \$ 7.00

all small salads \$5.50

 Caesar salad (lettuce, bacon, parmesan and croutons) \$ 7.00 (chicken \$1.00 extra)

YBK Weekly Meals

MONDAY - Burgalicious \$ 7.00

- Chicken Burger with chargrilled chicken breast, lettuce, mayo
- · Beef burger with beef patty, lettuce, tomato and sauce
- · Vegetarian Burger potato patty, lettuce, tomato and mayo

TUESDAY

• Homemade Butter chicken with rice \$ 6.50 WEDNESDAY - Pizza

- Pizza Margherita \$ 4.50
- Pizza Vegetarian \$ 5.00

• Pizza Ham and Pineapple \$ 5.50 THURSDAY on alternate weeks

Week 1 (

- Vegetarian Nachos \$ 5.50 Beef Nachos \$ 6.00
- Week 2 (Occasional) • Timbertown beef pie \$ 5.00
- Timbertown sausage roll \$ 4.50 • Timbertown Beef potato pie \$ 5.50

- Pasta with Meatballs in Napoletano sauce \$ 6.50 Sushi Roll Tuna/Teriyaki Chicken/Vegetarian \$ 4.50
- Sushi Baby Box Tuna or cucumber \$ 4.80

• Edamame beans \$ 3.50 als may change according to season,

HELP THE ENVIRONMENT BYO FORK or purchase for 20cents