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# Newsletter



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2018 Term 2 Weeks 3 & 4

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## Calendar 2018

### Term 2, Week 4

Thurs 24 May Bill Turner Cup-Soccer @ Coota  
**Fri 25 May Zone Cross Country @ Tumba**  
Open Girls League Tag @ Wagga

### Term 2, Week 5

**Mon 28 May Yr 11 Mid-course exams**  
**Tues 29 May Yr 11 Mid-course exams**  
**Wed 30 May Yr 11 Mid-course exams**  
'Policing as a Career' seminar  
Fri 1 June Experience La Trobe excursion

### Term 2, Week 6

**Mon 4 June Yr 10 & 11 Vaccinations**  
**Tues 5 June Youth Mental Health Forum**  
**Empower Energy Project Filming**  
Wed 6 June Project ROCKIT Workshops  
Fri 8 June Snake Tails  
District SRC meeting in Tumut

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## Feature Photo



Bill Turner Cup 2018

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## Principals Report

I write this to you from Fitzroy Falls with our Year 7 students on our camp together. We had a cracking day together with everyone having a go at the Challenge Ropes course and viewing the magnificent Fitzroy Falls.

Wednesday will see Canoeing, Abseiling and a bushwalk with a local Aboriginal elder, before Thursday's Giant swim and archery. I thank Ms Hounsell and Mr Priem for their organisation and keeping up with the students.

There also continues to be a range of experiences for students that our staff provides.

We are able to offer a number of wellbeing and career-based opportunities for students to build their skills. Our Family Referral Service worker Samantha George has been able to organise workshops to strengthen their communication skills. Our Learning Support Teacher Rhonda Heffernan has organised workshops with TaFE for students interested in trade-based careers.


Thanks again for working with us!

## Excursion Eligibility Procedures

Students have been reminded of the expectations to be able to represent our school and participate in activities.

This is our eligibility criteria, enabling all students to understand what are expected of them.

A reminder that Year 11 & 12 students who have an N Warning letter need to complete the task and redeem this before they are allowed to have the privilege of late sign in or early leave.



**Are You????**

1. Attending school regularly?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2. Completing all set learning and tasks?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3. Up to date with elective fee payments?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4. Behaving appropriately?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
5. Wearing school uniform regularly?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

**Congratulations!!!! You are eligible to represent the school**

## Honours System

When students are acknowledged for their efforts, we do this in our online honours System, tied to our Sentral online management system.

## P&C

The P&C were able to hold their Annual General Meeting on Wednesday 16 May. I thank everyone who was able to attend to do so in order for the P&C to continue their great support of our school.

Congratulations to these parents who have taken a position with the P&C:

- President: Mr David McLennan
- Vice President: Mrs Teri Edson
- Secretary: Mrs Julie Shepherd
- Treasurer: Mrs Rachal Willis
- Canteen Treasurers: Mrs Rachal Willis and Mrs Alison Carr
- Uniform Coordinator: Mrs Jodi Crowder

A few items discussed last week were:

- Canterbury blue track pants to be ordered for winter wearing (**order form in this newsletter or available at the front office.**)
- Winter jackets ordered and coming in soon
- HSC Atomi access for Prelim students to be paid for by the school, along with the HSC student's access.
- Past sporting trophies to be donated to the Junee museum
- Establishment of a Multi Categorical program at Junee HS
- Sandra Heffernan thanked the P&C for their fundraising for AgVision with the AgDinner long table event at the end of last term.

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday 20 June in the common room of A Block at 7pm

## Subject Elective fees

Thank you to parents for being able to pay for the compulsory elective fees for subjects in Year 9, 10, 11 and 12. These fees pay for materials and resources for each of the elective subjects. In TAS practical subjects, the materials are used in the making of their products and foods created.

In other subjects, the payments are used to purchase materials that are used such as musical instruments, sporting equipment, robots or technology supplies.

## Vehicle Access to School

In light of recent accidents around school, we have made some changes to the access to our school from vehicles as well as students moving through the car park.

- Students are not to walk through the car park before or after school, but through the front entrance or basketball court area
- New signage at the car park alerting people to vehicles only
- Freight deliveries to contact the office before driving into the quadrangle as a chain will be placed at the ramp near the canteen to keep people safe.

## Education Week

Our school has been selected to be part of the 2018 Education Week promotions. In a few weeks, a film crew will be in Junee to capture a day in the life of a student. The student is part of the Stage 5 Empower Energy project and will involve members of the school, Junee community and the Junee Community Power group.

## NAPLAN

Well done to our Year 7 & 9 students who completed NAPLAN last week. With much being said about the value and the future of NAPLAN, our students were able to complete the tests with effort and perseverance. The results will be available sometime in August.

A small number of parents attended our NAPLAN and the HSC Minimum Standard evening.

For Year 9 2017 students, there was the link to the HSC, where the students who achieved the Band 8 standard are eligible for the HSC. The students, who did not reach the Band 8 Standard and want to receive the HSC credential in Year 12, will have opportunities to complete online tests later this year.

For Year 9 2018 students, there is no link to the HSC. However all students will have to complete the online tests to show they have the required literacy and numeracy skills. There will be opportunities for

students to complete these later this year or in the next few years.

*Be your best. Be respectful. Be responsible*

**Mr Scott Frazier**  
Principal

## The Empower Project:

### Focus on...the Recommendations Crew

In "Focus On...." today, Nicole Magazini and Bella Willis interviewed a member from the Recommendations Crew. We asked Year 9 student, Oliver Phillips, a series of questions regarding roles, challenges that are faced and skills that are required when being part of the Recommendations Crew.

The Recommendations Crew is a team that recommends ways that people can save power in the community by outlining how to use computer programs in order to benefit from the research and information they find. Being part of the Recommendations Crew requires skills such as reading, writing, multi-tasking, spelling and co-operation amongst team members. Team work is very important in the Recommendations Crew.

The crew uses equipment such as the Save Power Kit. This kit is a device that can assist people on how to detect air leaks and power consumption. Our crew uses devices such as cameras, video cameras and phones to make educational videos on how to use the Save Power Kit correctly. They also research ways to save power, as well as different insulator products.

The hardest thing about being part of the Recommendations Crew is being cohesive with the group, as well as struggling to get all team members to attend the project. Lack of attendance can make it very difficult for the team as then we are short of members. However, at this stage the group has not faced any major challenges. By the end of this project, the crew hopes to develop a range of experiences and life skills.

**Project Reporters**

**Nicole Magazini, Bella Willis, Trinity Johns and Grace Fahy.**

## Uniform Shop

**Open Friday's 8:40am – 9:15am**

## Being 10

On May 10 ten year 10 girls got the chance to catch the midnight train to Sydney. After waking up, catching the train and finding some breakfast in central Sydney the girls caught another train to Hurlstone Agricultural School for a program called 'Being Ten'. The programs aim was to empower young women to be ten. Being ten means that you are the best possible version of yourself.



The program involved listening to motivational speakers and participating in empowering activities. The workshop taught us how to overcome adversities and juggle the challenges. After a lunch provided by the school we made our way out of the giant school to an even bigger mall for some sightseeing. Just a few hours afterwards we were once again boarding the XPT only this time to go back home. If anyone ever has the chance to go to a 'Being Ten' workshop I would urge you to go, it was an amazing experience.

**Bridy Kemp**

## Cross Country

On Thursday May 17 Junee High School completed their school cross country around the golf course. Congratulations to all those students who participated and challenged themselves on the day. It was great to see so many competitors in each age group.



The Southern Slopes Zone Cross Country will be held this Friday May 25 at Tumbarumba. Congratulations, to all those students who made it, we wish those students participating all the best.

## Age Champions

12 years	Chloe Seary Alexander Ballard
13 years	Tiger-Lilly Kemp Bailey Judd
14 years	Tenaya Gerhard Nicholas Richards
15 years	George Harrison Campbell McDevitt
16 years	Mae-Rose Harrison Rhys Diggins
17 years	Zyon Shepherd Abby Foley

## PSC

On Tuesday May 8, Junee High held the Premier's Sporting Challenge 'Learning to Leading with Action' day. This involved many of our PASS and Senior Sport's Coaching students taking on the role of running ten sporting sessions including dance, fitness, basketball, cricket, rugby league, soccer, golf, softball and tennis for the Stage 3 students from Junee Public, Junee North and Eurongilly.



All students did a fantastic job and displayed great leadership on the day. The primary school students learnt a great depth of skill and had a fantastic day. All those involved should be very proud of their efforts and how they represented their school.







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24 May 2018

## UNIFORM ORDER FOR CANTERBURY TRACKPANTS

The P&C wish to advise that they are placing a **once only** order for 2018 of Canterbury Navy Track Pants (without noticeable branding) as part of the school uniform on Friday 1 June 2018. They are comfortable and warm with elastic cuff and zipper at ankle. If you require a pair please complete the order form and return to the office in an envelope with the money.



Track Pants – Navy Blue - Cost - **\$45.00**

**Ordering will only take place this once for 2018, so please ensure your order is in by 9am Friday 1/6/18.**

**No late orders taken**

Mrs Jodi Crowder  
 0405 285 248

-----✂-----Return to school before **9am Friday 1 JUNE 2018**-----✂-----

## UNIFORM ORDER FOR CANTERBURY TRACKPANTS

NAME	YEAR	SIZE	QUANTITY

..... pairs @ \$45.00

**Total Money Enclosed: \$.....**

Parents Signature:.....

Mobile Number:.....

Parents Name:.....