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HIGH SCHOOL

Week 8 Term 4 2022

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This week has been extra busy with many of our classrooms having much needed new carpet. The room changes are well worth the inconvenience, as many of the rooms were well overdue for a re-vamp!

A reminder that students need to be wearing leather footwear daily. We will be changing electives of students in 2023 who do not have leather shoes. Also with Christmas coming up please be aware that all Year 11 and 12 students need their own laptop, bought to school daily, as does the Gifted and talented class in Years 7 to 10. We supply laptops to the other students as needed at school. A laptop may be a great gift idea for your child! Please see more information about the laptop requirements later in this newsletter.

Another positive assembly, with our students being given the chance to make announcements and receive awards for their achievements.

Thank you to Reegan for sharing her Acknowledgement of Country to begin this week’s assembly.



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OPPORTUNITY INNOVATION SUCCESS

Mrs Walker and Drew congratulated the fabulous group of First Nations students who represented our school last week in the School Spectacular Dance Ensemble. The girls had a great week, dancing for hours and hours with students from all over New South Wales to prepare for the shows on the weekend. Schools Spectacular will be aired on Channel 7 later this month. Congratulations to Mirage, Janiyah, Alexis, Sophie, Olivia and Mariah.



Olivia and Brooke announced the group programs that Chelsea is running at the moment for our junior students.



Well done to Charlotte, Brandon, Sienna and Izzy for their hard work and dedication in PDHPE – they all received a Faculty Award this week!



The King and Queen of Vivos dressed up as Santa this week to congratulate our student High Flyers and staff winners.



Well done to Mikayla, Curtis, Izzy, Ruby and Patrick (collected by Drake), for being this week's High Flyers.



Our staff winners this week were Chelsea, Ms Lidbury collected by Mrs Thompson, Mr Fragoggianis collected by Miss Moxon, Ms Menzies collected by Mr Archer and Ms Hall.



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Lots of great learning experiences have continued at Windsor High School. What a day to get out on the water! Year 10 Marine Studies completed fieldwork on the health of the Hawkesbury River at North Sackville at Brewongle Environmental Education Centre. A fantastic program collecting and analysing data on the living and non-living components of the ecosystem. Not only a fun day but a great learning experience for students.

Huge shout out Brad and Belinda from Hawkesbury Police Area Command/ PCYC Hawkesbury for assisting with the bus!



Year 11 Biology students have been working on their stop motions of polypeptide synthesis in the library during class. Students have been using the white board tables to create a step-by-step model of how DNA is used to create polypeptides, which make proteins for the body.



On Wednesday this week, Year 9 girls participated in an Empowerment Day which included a role model panel, DJ, art, team building, sharing workshops and Krav Maga (self-defence).

Thank you to our panel of inspiring women who shared their experiences:
Lauren Pervan - Public Relations & Media Office JK Williams Contracting Pty Ltd
Amy Stocker - Fitness, Nutrition and Mindset coach & Epic.Life.CO Business Owner & Director.
Brooke Blair - Women's Health Physio & HerHealth Business Owner & Director
Claire West- Local Councillor for the Blue Mountains Councillor
Kristina (Krissy) Brice- Australian Diamond Netball Player, Giants Netball Player, AIS Graduate, currently completing a BA in Occupational Therapy.

A big thank you to Hannah, Maya (Tiningi Youth Services), Ted Noffs, Western Combatives and the WHS staff.

The biggest thank you needs to a go to Chelsea, our amazing Student Support Officer, who organised the entire day and spent countless days and nights to bring it to fruition.

Year 9 girls are Resilient. Worthy. Enough. Inspiring. Funny. Caring. And it's a pleasure to watch them flourish.



Some artwork from the Year 9 Girls Empowerment Day - art workshop. Thank you to volunteer Hannah and Mrs West for bringing this to life!



After a week of rehearsal our deadly dancers are ready for their first performance of 'Miminga' at the 2022 Schools Spectacular.



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On Tuesday last week, the First Nation Year 7 students attended an excursion to the Western Sydney University, Kingswood Campus. The day started with a game of Deadly Bingo where students interacted with students from different schools. Then they attended 2 different activities which involved culture as well as a taster of what University is like. They finished off the day with a cultural workshop, where students could choose from weaving, a cultural tool workshop or a dance workshop.



Year 11 had a great time at their last school camp ever!



Some great learning has been happening in Year 8 Food Tech who really enjoyed making dumplings. They enjoyed eating them too!



Warm Regards
Jennifer Hawken
Principal

PDHPE News

Term 4 has shown no signs of slowing down in the PDHPE faculty! Our staff and students have been as busy as ever, representing the school at various events, as well as honing our skills in different areas.

Year 7 students were invited to participate in the Swimming and Water Safety Program on Tuesday 29th November at Richmond Swimming Centre. 23 of our students attended the day, where they worked on various elements of water safety including rescue techniques, safe entry and exit from the water and responding to emergency situations. The weather was perfect and by all accounts it was a fantastic day of fun in the sun!



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Windsor High School also had the honour of hosting the Premier's Sporting Challenge Sports Leadership Day in Week 1. Along with students from Colo High School and Hawkesbury High School, our Year 9 and 10 PASS classes, along with Year 11 PDHPE and SLR students, were provided with the opportunity to build their leadership skills by participating in workshops run by different sporting organisations. A big thank you to the NRL, AFL, Cricket NSW, Netball NSW and Hawkesbury Basketball for your efforts. The next stage of the program will see our students visit local primary schools to run sport specific workshops in order to increase physical activity levels within the local community.



A special shout out to all our female athletes at WHS for their amazing efforts in 2022. It has been fantastic to see so many young girls putting their hand up to get involved in sport at WHS. Along with building community relationships, we have seen our girls growing in their confidence and skill level across a number of different sports. Well done girls!





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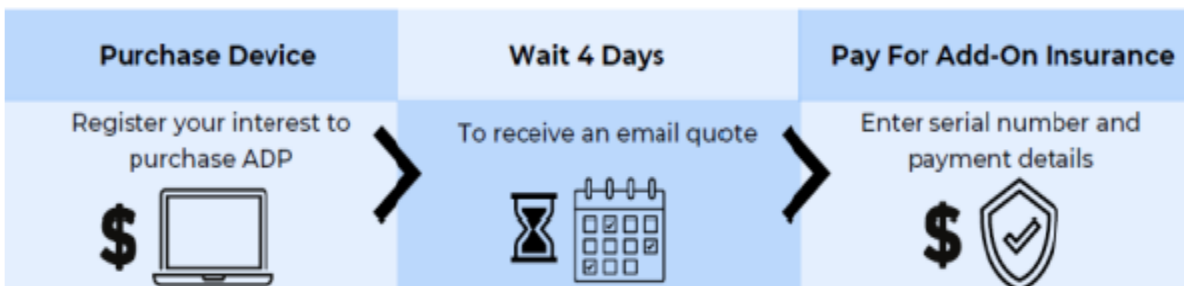
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BYOD Program

Buying directly from HP ensures your child has the right device and support to work in the school environment. Importantly, it guarantees the latest learning devices at affordable pricing. All devices have been selected to meet the schools minimum device requirements.

How Do I Purchase?

The easiest way is to purchase online at www.hp.com.au/byod and use your school code. You can also purchase via the HP Call Centre 1300 725 017 (Mon - Fri 9am - 8pm AEST)

Payment Options?

- Pay with Visa, Mastercard, American Express, PayPal, G Pay, Apple Pay
- Latitude Pay Finance Interest Free for 24 or 36 months contact for more information

What is Accidental Damage Protection (ADP)?

ADP covers the device against accidental drops, spills or damage. Zero excess for three major claims over 3 years. E.g if a student were to drop their device and crack a screen we will come to site to repair at \$0 excess including parts and labour. This is for Windows devices only.

IMPORTANT UPDATE REGARDING THE SALE OF ADD-ON INSURANCES !!!

The Australian Securities and Investments Commission has introduced new regulations regarding the sale of add-on insurance products. These regulations now require a 4 day 'pause' between the purchase of a device and any add-on insurance associated with that device. We are still more than happy to assist you to purchase once that time has lapsed.

[BE SURE TO CLICK YOUR INTEREST and we will contact you.](#)



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The devices we offer via our portals are commercial grade that you won't find in a retail store. Built to a higher quality and most coming with 3 year warranty options they are designed to last longer than their retail counterparts.



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We offer parents a \$100 deposit option to secure a device and let them pay much closer to the delivery date.

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We provide a wide range of online payment methods. Please note Credit Card and PAYPAL payments incur a 1% surcharge.



Hassle Free Quick Onsite Servicing

The student environment often leads to a higher number of repairs. Onsite support at the school greatly reduces frustrations for parents. Getting a retail device repaired usually takes weeks and quite often requires the parent to take time out of their day.



Accidental Damage Protection

We offer well priced insurance options that give Accidental Damage protection with quick repair times. We use Manufacturers Insurance to help guarantee parts availability.



12 Month Payment Plans

12-month payment plans that are approved online via Latitude. These plans can help spread the upfront cost for parents.

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Quick Delivery

Many education devices are considered to be a special build and often have lengthy lead times. LWT work with our suppliers and bring in thousands of devices upfront so students can have them in a week rather than months.



Delivery to your chosen address or LPO

All devices will be delivered directly to families selected address, or LPO, once paid in full.



Dedicated Parent Hotline

To ensure parents calling us get to the right person, we have a dedicated hotline just for portal related calls. Parents can call us with ordering, payment and delivery enquiries on 1300 839 605.



Model	Acer Travelmate B311 Spin	Acer Travelmate B311	Acer Travelmate B311 Spin	Acer Travelmate B311 Spin	Acer TravelMate P214	Acer TravelMate P414 Spin
Price (inc GST)	\$774.00	\$799.00	\$850.00	\$990.00	\$1,133.00	\$1,422.00
OS	Windows 10	Windows 10	Windows 10	Windows 10	Windows 10	Windows 10
CPU	Intel Pentium N6000	Intel Pentium N6000	Intel Pentium Silver N6000	Intel Pentium Silver N6000	Intel Core i5	Intel Core i5
RAM Memory	4 GB	8 GB	4 GB	8 GB	8 GB	8 GB
HDD	128 GB	256 GB	128 GB	256 GB	256 GB	256 GB
Screen Size	11.6"	11.6"	11.6"	11.6"	14"	14"
Insurance	3 Yr \$115-\$100 Excess	3 Yr \$115-\$100 Excess	3 Yr \$115-\$100 Excess	3 Yr \$115-\$100 Excess	3 Yr \$115-\$100 Excess \$187-\$0 Excess	3 Yr \$115-\$100 Excess \$187-\$0 Excess

All items purchased on this portal will be shipped direct to Parents.

It is highly recommended to place your order by Friday 22nd November 2022 to ensure delivery to the school on 5th Dec 2022, ready for students in Term 1 2023.

Any orders outside of this date will not be guaranteed to be ready and may incur a \$15 delivery charge.

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PLAY FOOTBALL

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Play Football for your local club.



All Abilities Welcome

ONLINE REGISTRATIONS OPEN JANUARY 2023

Information Day

Saturday 4th February 2023 (11am-2pm)

Windsor RSL Terrace Room



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Bligh Park Football Club

www.blighparkfc.com.au

Footwear Guidelines for NSW Government Schools

Health and Safety Directorate



The Department, through its WHS Policy, is committed to providing a safe working and learning environment for all employees, others undertaking work, students and visitors, in accordance with statutory and regulatory obligations and corporate objectives.

Footwear is an important safety item. Good soles provide a sound grip on the floor preventing accidents such as slips, trips and falls from occurring. Footwear can also protect feet from damage caused by accidents such as falling objects or chemical spillages. These guidelines have been developed to assist NSW government schools in providing a safe working and learning environment. Schools which already have risk management controls in place in relation to footwear should refer to these guidelines when reviewing and evaluating those controls.

Areas where safe footwear must be worn

In accordance with the Safe Working Policy, the Department has identified areas of its workplaces where appropriate footwear must be worn by employees, students and visitors to ensure their safety.

Areas where enclosed leather footwear (or other material confirmed by the manufacturer to be suitable, refer to Australian/NZ Standard 2210: *Safety Protective and Occupational Footwear*) is required are:

- Industrial Arts and trades workshop areas
- Science laboratories
- Canteen or Food Technology (kitchen areas)

Sandals, open footwear or high heeled shoes are not permitted in these areas. If students present for a class or activity with inappropriate footwear the student should be offered alternative educational activities until they are wearing appropriate footwear.

The above list is not exhaustive. Appropriate safe footwear may also be identified as a requirement in relation to other areas or activities, documented procedure or a documented risk assessment. For example, in work situations where floors can't always be kept dry or clean, the right footwear is especially important, so a slip resistant shoe may be required. Another example is wearing enclosed leather footwear

(or suitable safe alternative) in agricultural areas / activities.

In addition, other sites on which the Department provides services may have specific requirements which should be adhered to, for example, Education Training Units in Juvenile Justice settings.

Footwear for employees in the general school environment

The Department strongly recommends school employees and other undertaking work consider wearing footwear that is suitable for walking on a number of different surfaces during the working day (e.g. stairs, playgrounds, grass and sports fields).

Footwear which is suitable for the general school environment means enclosed shoes, which are flat shoes or shoes with a minimal heel that have a good grip and fit well.

For some employees, such as general assistants and farm assistants, wearing enclosed leather footwear throughout the working day is important. This is because their responsibilities for ground maintenance and other activities mean that they need footwear that will assist in preventing slips, trips or falls or protect their feet from falling objects.

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Implementation of guidelines

School principals, as workplace managers, are responsible for ensuring procedures are in place to maintain a safe work environment in accordance with the **Safe Work Policy** and these guidelines. In accordance with WHS legislation, principals have the authority to determine that employee and students wear shoes that are appropriate to ensure work health and safety for the planned activity. This includes identified school activities (see "Areas where safe footwear must be worn") and excursions.

However, workplace managers should note that it is not appropriate for schools to require students, through the use of a general term "work health and safety" to wear particular shoes as part of a uniform policy.

Principals should communicate the reasons for these decisions to employee and students i.e. that the decision has been made for their safety and the safety of others.

Reference policies and procedures

- [WHS Policy](#)
- [Code of Conduct](#)
- [Student Discipline Policy](#)
- [School Uniforms in New South Wales Government Schools](#)
- [School Uniform Policy](#)

Further information

[Health and Safety Directorate](#)

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Christmas Hamper Drive

The SRC in partnership with the Strong Nation Community (formerly Hawkesbury Community Services) has organised a Christmas Hamper Drive. As such, we are asking all students and staff to bring in a non-perishable food item that will be distributed to those who need it over the Christmas season.

Here are a few suggestions for Christmas Hamper donations.

In general we are looking for shelf stable food items.

- Rice
- Canned Tuna
- Tuna Bake
- Tinned Vegetables
- Tinned Fruit
- Tinned Spaghetti
- Pasta Sauce Mixes|
- Spaghetti/Pasta
- 2 Minute Noodles
- Cereal
- Instant Coffee
- Tea Bags 50pk
- Long Life Milk
- UHT Custard
- Spreads
- Biscuits
- Lollies
- Jelly
- Cake Mix
- Self-Saucing Pudding Mix

CALENDAR TERM 4 2022 & TERM 1 2023

Wednesday 7th December	Presentation Day Period 3
Thursday 8th December	Year 10 Formal
Friday 16th December	Last Day Term 4 2022
Tuesday 31st January 2023	Year 7, 11 & 12 First Day Term 1
Wednesday 1st February 2023	Year 8, 9 & 10 First Day Term 1

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