



Hamilton State School

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We are Respectful

We are Responsible

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PandC

Meets 2nd **Tuesday** of each month at
3.15pm.

All are invited to attend.

UNIFORM SHOP

Opened every day – See Eva or Trish

FOR YOUR DIARY

March 24 Multicultural Day

March 24 Term 1 2016 finishes

April 11 Term 2 2016 resumes

April 15 Cross Country

April 22 ANZAC

April 27 School Photo

May 10, 11&12 NAPLAN

May 25 Under 8's day

“ASSEMBLY IS ON Thursday
AFTERNOONS @ 2.45PM”.

“Free playgroups at Hamilton SS
For all children 0-5, their Mums, Dads
and other carers. Come and join in
Mondays 9-11AM”

Issue 5: 24 March, 2016

From the Principal

Dear Parents and Community,

It has been a very busy first term and I'm sure many students are looking forward to their Easter holidays. I would like to thank all the staff and students for their efforts this term. Thank you also to the parents for your involvement in the school.

This week I was made aware that the substantive Principal of Hamilton SS, Adam Brandt has received a permanent appointment at St Bernard State School. This means that the process of appointing a permanent principal here will begin at the start of Term 2. Firstly, the department will go through a relocation list of possible candidates. If there are no suitable applicants there, the process then goes to a merit based process. A final decision will be made by the end of Term 2. If you have any questions about this process, please come and see me.

Funky Hair Day

Thank you everyone for your support of our Funky Hair Day, the day raised **\$1030** for the Leukaemia Foundation.

Year 5/6 Touch Football

On Tuesday, the students in Year 5/6 had an afternoon at Hendra SS playing touch football. They had a great time with the students and staff from Hendra, thank you to Mrs O'Shea from Hendra and Chappy Megan for organising this. We are hoping to do one of these afternoons each term.

Cross Country

Mrs Jardine has been preparing the students for our school **Cross Country** in PE lessons. This will be held on **Friday 22nd April, beginning at 9:00am**. All parents and families are welcome to join us for this event.

I wish you all a safe and happy holiday. I look forward to seeing you all next term.

Blue Care

Thank you Blue Care for our Easter Eggs, we love reading to you.



Parking

I would like to remind all families that for the safety of the children to obey the NO standing signs and marked yellow areas out the front of the school before and after school. There is plenty of parking available in Windsor Street behind the school.

Student Contact Details Update

Phone/Email & Home address is regularly used to communicate with parents/carers. We are once again checking that our records for your child are up to date. In order to ensure our records are correct you can collect a **STUDENT CONTACT DETAILS UPDATE** form from the office. Please complete the details and return to the school office. **Thank you to the families who have already returned this form.**

Congratulations to the following students who have recently received **Student of The Week Awards**:

Prep	1/2	3/4	5/6
Jobe, Riley, Levi, Aiden	Tahlia, Abhi, Mayliss, Joshua, Joseph, Isaac	Mariah, Emily, Reuben, Aurelle	Caitlin G, Joseph D, Teaghan, Emily

Thank you to Kate Collingwood from Ray White Ascot for the water donation towards Multicultural Day.

Kind Regards,

Liam Bray

Principal

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IT HAS CERTAINLY BEEN AN EVENTFUL AND BUSY TERM 1!

THE P&C AGM WAS HELD LAST TUESDAY 15TH MARCH 2016.

THE NEW COMMITTEE IS AS FOLLOWS:

PRESIDENT: BRAD GILHOOLY

TREASURER: ERICA RICHARDSON

SECRETARY: DANIELLE WADDELL

NEW P&C MEMBERSHIPS, ANY FEEDBACK AND IDEAS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME. PLEASE COME AND FILL OUT A FORM AT OUR MEETINGS OR JUST LEAVE A REQUEST AT THE OFFICE. P&C MEETINGS ARE HELD ON THE 2ND TUESDAY OF THE MONTH, AT 3:15PM. THE NEXT MEETING IS ON THE 12TH APRIL 2016.

DURING THE YEAR, THERE WILL BE A VARIETY OF FUNDRAISERS AND ACTIVITIES. IT IS ONLY THROUGH THE SUPPORT OF THE PARENTS AND COMMUNITY THAT THE P&C ARE ABLE TO PROVIDE NEW RESOURCES, DISCOUNTED FUN ACTIVITIES THROUGH THE SCHOOL, ASSIST CHAPPY MEGAN AND PURCHASE CLASSROOM AIDS.

WELL DONE TO OUR NEW PRINCIPAL, MR BRAY FOR SHAVING HIS HAIR AND RAISING OVER \$1000 FOR SHAVE FOR A CURE!

THANK YOU! FOR PARTICIPATING IN OUR 1ST CADBURY® FUNDRAISER. THROUGH YOUR SELLING OF THOSE YUMMY EASTER EGGS, WE HAVE RAISED OVER \$700 THAT WILL OFFSET THE YEAR 5/6 TALLEBUDGERA CAMP.

IF YOU HAVE ANY UNSOLD BAGS OR MONIES TO RETURN, PLEASE DO SO BEFORE THE END OF SCHOOL ON THURSDAY 24TH MARCH 2016, AND PLEASE PUT YOUR NAME WITH THEM.

NEW UNIFORM SHOP INFORMATION

THE UNIFORM SHOP IS OPEN EVERYDAY, PLEASE SEE EVA OR TRISH. DANIELLE, OUR NEW SECRETARY IS ALSO AVAILABLE TO HELP. UNIFORMS THAT ARE EITHER ON ORDER OR AVAILABLE ON THE DAY, REQUIRE FULL PAYMENT BEFORE THEY ARE TO BE TAKEN. ONCE PAYMENT IN FULL IS RECEIVED, THE ORDERS CAN BE COLLECTED FROM THE OFFICE.

PAYMENTS CAN BE MADE VIA DIRECT DEPOSIT OR CASH. PLEASE ALWAYS USE YOUR CHILD'S NAME AS REFERENCE.

DIRECT DEPOSIT DETAILS: HAMILTON P&C

BSB: 064 145

ACCOUNT NUMBER: 0090 0112

HOPE YOU ALL HAVE A HAPPY AND SAFE EASTER HOLIDAY.

We look forward to working with you during 2016!



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Chappy News!

Chappy Megan is at school Tuesday (7.30am-4pm) and Friday (12pm-3.30pm).

Hello Parents and Friends at Hamilton!

Active Travel

Active Travel breakfasts will restart the first week back to school for Term 2. Come along for a special yummy breakfast on Tuesday 12th of April. Also, the Active Travel prizes will be awarded to students in the first week back due to being busy for Multicultural Day.

Lunchtime Clubs

Lunchtime clubs will resume next term with new clubs being run on Tuesdays and Fridays.

Touch Football Competition

Lastly, on Tuesdays we had a touch footy game against Hendra. We lost 1-0 but it was a fantastic match and Hamilton did us proud. Next term we will organise another similar event across our two schools and I am sure it will be Hamilton's turn for a win.

I hope you all have a wonderful and relaxing holiday break. See you in Term 2!

Chappy Megan

Free Playgroups at Hamilton State School



Mobile Play Scheme!

**Free playgroups at
Hamilton State School**

71 Oxford st Hamilton

For children 0 to 5, their Mum's Dads and other carers.
Come and join in with some free play, structured activities,
craft, singing, stories, a healthy afternoon snack and lots of fun.

Monday 9am-11am

For further information, please contact:
0411 66 88 52

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