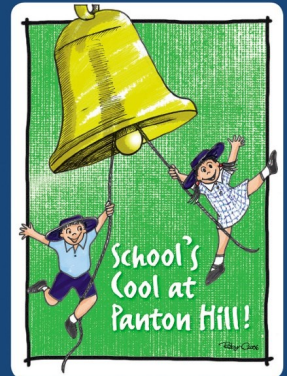




*A Rich Past,
Present & Future*

NEWSLETTER

Friday 25th July, 2025
Term 3: Week 1



DIARY DATES

Wednesday 30th July

Hooptime Yrs 3 & 4

Friday 1st August

Storytime 11.40am

Monday 4th August

School Council 7pm

Tuesday 5th August

Hooptime Yrs 5 & 6

Saturday 9th August

2025 CFA Cup

Sunday 10th August

Bunnings BBQ Fundraiser

Monday 11th August

Planks Incursion

Family night 6pm-7pm

Monday 18th August

Book Week parade 9am

Tuesday 26th August

District Athletics Yrs 4-6

Friday 5th September

Storytime 11.40am

Monday 8th September

Division Athletics

Wednesday 10th Sept.

Kaboom Sports—KGPS 10am

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Principal's Report

Welcome back to school for Term 3! We hope everyone had a great time over the school holidays. It has been fantastic to see everyone in our school settle back into routines and learning programs.

I feel very privileged to continue leading our amazing school community as Acting Principal while Kylie Richards is on leave. As always, please contact me at the school office if you need to. Our school is here to continually support you and the learning and wellbeing of our students.

All Grade 3 and 5 students who participated in NAPLAN testing this year will receive their individual reports today. These will be brought home in labelled envelopes, addressed for parents to open. We again congratulate the students who participated in NAPLAN during Term 1 and their efforts on these assessments!

NATIONALLY CONSISTENT COLLECTION OF DATA

Every year, all schools in Australia participate in the Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability (NCCD). The NCCD process requires schools to identify information already available in the school about supports provided to students with disability. These relate to legislative requirements under the *Disability Discrimination Act 1992* and the Disability Standards for Education 2005, in line with the *NCCD guidelines* (2019).

Information provided about students to the Australian Government for the NCCD includes:

- year of schooling
- category of disability: physical, cognitive, sensory or social/emotional
- level of adjustment provided: support provided within quality differentiated teaching practice, supplementary, substantial or extensive.

This information assists schools to:

- formally recognise the supports and adjustments provided to students with disability in schools
- consider how they can strengthen the support of students with disability in schools
- develop shared practices so that they can review their learning programs in order to improve educational outcomes for students with disability.

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The NCCD provides state and federal governments with the information they need to plan more broadly for the support of students with disability.

The NCCD will have no direct impact on your child and your child will not be involved in any testing process. The school will provide data to the Australian Government in such a way that no individual student will be able to be identified – the privacy and confidentiality of all students is ensured. All information is protected by privacy laws that regulate the collection, storage and disclosure of personal information. To find out more about these matters, please refer to the [Australian Government's Privacy Policy](https://www.education.gov.au/privacy-policy) (<https://www.education.gov.au/privacy-policy>). Further information about the NCCD can be found on the [NCCD Portal](https://www.nccd.edu.au) (<https://www.nccd.edu.au>).

If you have any questions about the NCCD, please contact the school.



BOOK WEEK 2025

Get excited... Book Week is coming to PHPS!

Children's Book Week is held in August each year and PHPS will be holding our annual Book Week Parade on **Monday 18th August**. Students and staff are invited to dress up for the day to celebrate Book Week and a number of special activities will be held to celebrate this event. Dressing up as a character or following this year's Book Week theme, 'Book an Adventure', might inspire some ideas. There will be no assembly this morning as the parade will be held at the assembly time.



Book Club SCHOLASTIC

ORDER **ISSUE 3**

Please order and pay for your books online at:

<http://mybookclubs.scholastic.com.au>

If you have any queries about registering or using the ordering system please contact Book Club Help on 1800 021 233 or the school office.

Orders for this issue must be placed and paid for online by:

Monday 11th August

Orders cannot be made by cash through the office.



2025 CFA Cup

Calling Grade 4s, 5s & 6s

Panton Hill PS, St. Andrews PS, Kangaroo Ground PS & surrounds

Saturday 9 August 2.30pm for a 3pm game

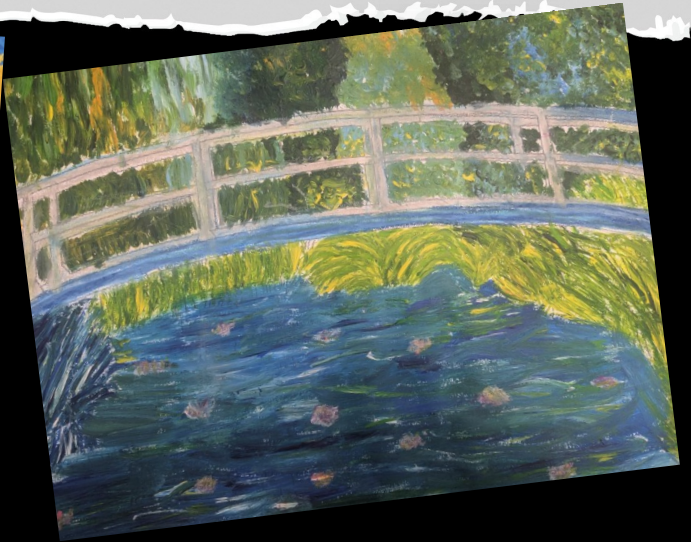
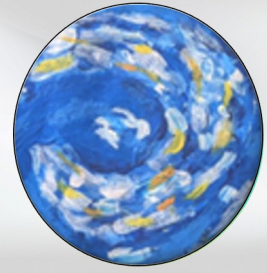
At Panton Hill Football Oval

Remembering those lost in the 1983 Ash Wednesday Fires

Contact your school representative or phjfc.president@gmail.com with any queries

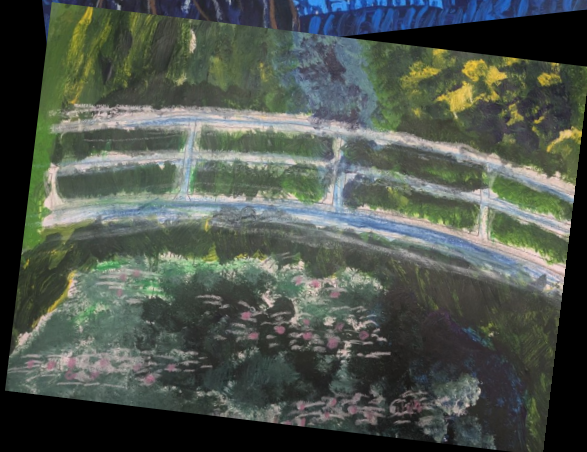
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PHPS Artworks



This week we have had the Grade 6's, 4/5's and 3/4's finishing off projects that have been running over several weeks. The Upper school have focused on famous artists and used their works as inspiration. The Grade 6's examined the painting 'Starry Night' by Vincent Van Gogh and the Grade 4/5's studied Claude Monet's 'Water Lilies.' The Grade 3/4's, mixed primary colours to make secondary colours for their chameleons and then painted appropriate backgrounds for their lizards. Mainly cool colours were used as a great contrast.

Perseverance and observation skills were required with all projects. Well done to those who pushed through challenges. You all should be proud of your efforts!



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TheirCare

where Kids love to be!

We had a ball with our Winter Holiday program here at OSHC! We visited the movies and watched an incredible film called Elio, jumped ourselves silly at Inflatable World, screamed through Ninja Park and then bowled them over at Chirnside Park. Jaxon was the overall winner with (I think) 150 and Jack came in second with 11 in the bowling. Everyone just loved that excursion. The best of all, were the Pop Art Ninja Teds! I'm still trying to scrub the tables clean after that little activity! They were so cute! We should have made them in footy colours. Most of them were rainbow in colour, though, very pretty!

This week we are looking at Native Australian Animals, starting with land animals. It's amazing how many children believe that we have tigers in Australia. Well, we did! The Tasmanian tiger. Not exactly part of the large cat family though, was he? This was a topic that the children chose last term before we went into the holiday program with the provision that our native marine life was included (Jacob). We will move into the marine side of things next week.



This is our resident Butcher Bird who delights in helping us to eat our lunch and snacks at our Holiday program. I once saw him steal a whole sandwich out of Alyssa's lunch box! He is often here after school dismisses and helps to "clean up" the playground.

If you know that your child will not be attending ASC and you have already booked them in, please give us a call and let us know especially if you yourself have collected them from their classroom.

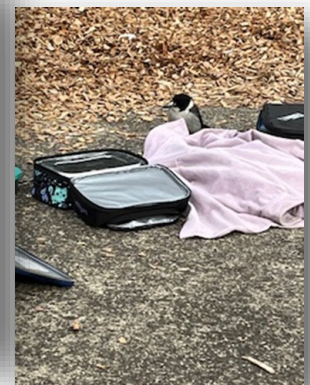
Panton Hill OSHC hours of operation: BSC 6:45am-8:45am

ASC: 3:20-6:00pm

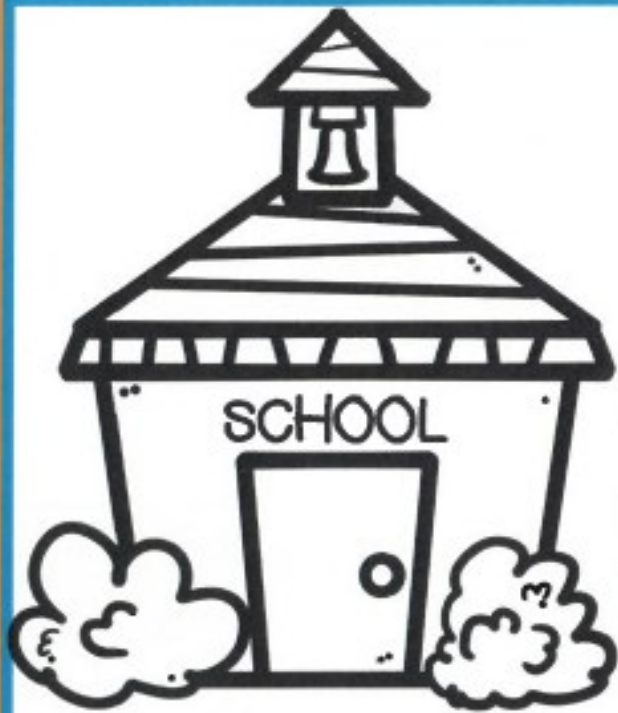
Pupil Free Day: 7:00am-6pm.

Holiday program: 7:00am-6:00pm

Ella and the Panton Hill Their Care team!



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Panton Hill Primary School

Storytime

We would like to invite all three and four year olds to Storytime sessions at Panton Hill Primary School. This is a chance to come along, listen to a story and join in with some activities. All sessions will be held in the Prep classroom with our Prep teachers.

Parents are welcome to join in the fun with their children.

2025	
Friday May 9th	11:40—12:30
Friday June 13 th	11:40—12:30
Friday August 1st	11:40—12:30
Friday September 5th	11:40—12:30
For more information please call 9719 7202	

Farm Fresh Fruit Every Week

No more searching for that wrinkly apple in the back of the fridge for lunchboxes!


Apteds Orchards will deliver fresh fruit straight to you at school so you never have to worry about running out of fruit again.

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COST: FREE - BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL
LOCATION: ALLWOOD HOUSE, HURSTBRIDGE.
NO EXPERIENCE REQUIRED!

ADULTS (AGES 15+):
 • AUG 2 @ 10.30AM
 • AUG 9 @ 3.00PM
 • AUG 16 @ 12.30PM

KIDS (AGES 7-14):
 • AUG 2 @ 12.30PM
 • AUG 9 @ 1.00PM
 • AUG 16 @ 10.30AM

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- Improve how you communicate and understand your child
- Help your child learn to manage their emotions
- Help prevent behavioural problems in your child
- Teach your child to deal with conflict



Tuning in to Kids shows you how to help your child develop emotional intelligence.

Children with higher emotional intelligence:

- Have greater success with making and keeping friends
- Have better concentration at school
- Are more able to calm down when upset or angry
- Tend to have fewer childhood illnesses

Emotional intelligence may be a better predictor of academic and career success than IQ!

Please scan to book:



Booking link:
<https://events.humanitix.com/tuning-in-to-kids>

For more information:
 Email: joan.lauricella@healthability.org.au

9.30am - 11.30am

Wednesdays 6 August, 13 August, 20 August, 27 August, 3 Sept and 10 Sept

\$80 per adult, \$130 per couple, \$50 concession

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