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Newsletter

P & C meets every third Thursday of the month
Principal's Message

DEC Reforms

The Department of Education and Communities (DEC) have been rolling out several reforms since 2014. These all involve streamlining a system as large as the NSW DEC while at the same time responding to the changing needs of the system. Specifically, these reforms are to improve the quality of teaching in schools, improve outcomes for all students, and to give schools greater authority to meet the needs of their communities.

The key reforms and priorities can be found on: https://detwww.det.nsw.edu.au/publicschoolsnsw/dec-reforms-and-priorities

Hoxton Park PS is a “229 school.” Simply put, there are 229 schools state wide which are trial schools for a new Learning Management and Business Reform (LMBR), under the Local Schools Local Decisions Reform. These schools are funded using the Resource Allocation Model (RAM). In the past, schools have had control over 10% of their funding. In the new model, we have control of 70%. This allows us to make the best decisions to respond directly to our students’ needs. That is, the students of Hoxton Park PS. Our needs are different to the needs of other schools, and while similar to like schools nearby; those needs are still unique to our school depending upon the individual students enrolled and the expertise of the current staff.

The RAM provides many benefits to schools by:

- Ensuring a fairer allocation of funding for all schools based on student needs
- Allocating funding to recognise the different characteristics of each school
- Allocating most funding on a per student basis
- Providing increased funding that goes directly to schools enabling certainty in planning.

David Gonski and his committee was commissioned by the Federal government to review school funding in Australia. His 319 page report was presented in December 2011 and has shaped the changes which are reflected in the NSW RAM. This is now known in the media as “The Gonski Funding.” The Gonski report stated that schools need to be adequately funded depending upon their complexity. This would address the achievement gap between students from different backgrounds.

The federal government is not honouring its commitment to fully fund Gonski. The NSW Primary Principals’ Association is organising significant representation throughout the state for groups of schools to meet with their local Federal member of Parliament. We would like some parents to join us to share their views. If you are interested, please contact Mrs Rich to register your interest.


Staffing News

Mrs Cush (1 Oberon – appointed as a permanent teacher, successful at graduate teacher interview) and Miss Sawyer (library) have started at our school. We welcomed them on assembly last week and are thrilled they have joined our team.

A hearty congratulations to Mrs Morici who was successful at interview for a permanent teacher position at Hoxton Park PS.

Mrs Oudshoorn is now working in the Reading Recovery/Library role, replacing Mr Quilty.

Parent Teacher Interviews

Teachers have written student reports and they are now at the editing stage with our team leaders. It is time for you to book in for your Parent/Teacher interview time.

The date for all classes (excepting 1 Oberon and 6 Ozone) will be on Tuesday 23 June from 3.10-8.00pm. Interviews will be held in classrooms.

1 Oberon and 6 Ozone’s interviews will be held on Tuesday 2 June from 3.10-8.00pm. Interviews will be held in the staffroom.
Teachers will be having a break from 5.30-6.00pm on both dates and will not be available for interviews during this time.

You may book your interview time online:

www.schoolinterviews.com.au

The event code is: RQKCZ

Here are some tips for getting the most out of these important meetings. Prepare a few questions to ask, and walk away with a plan.

Find out more:

School Uniform
Parents are reminded that students are expected to wear their full school uniform each day. This includes black school shoes. Many students are wearing joggers on Monday-Thursday. Stage 2 have skipping this term on Tuesdays and are allowed to wear their joggers.

Details of the school uniform and prices are listed later in the newsletter.

Fundraising
There are 12 boxes of chocolates left to sell. If you can help us out, please call Mrs Rich in the office.

P & C Meeting
This Thursday is the P & C meeting which will be held in the staffroom at 6.30pm. We hope to see you there.

District Athletics Carnival
This Friday is the district athletics carnival. Our school is organising this day. Thank you to Miss Lynne and Mrs Rendell for their thorough organisation. The team of teachers we are sending on Friday are: Miss Lynne, Mrs Rendell, Miss Tang, Mr O’Brien and Mrs Circosta. These teachers will be replaced with casual teachers for the day.

Facebook, Twitter and School Website
We communicate in many different ways at Hoxton Park PS. The school website is updated weekly, thanks to Mr Orefice. Facebook has almost daily postings and is a great way to communicate quickly with parents. Mrs Beath is the FB administrator and is doing a great job posting pictures, reminders and updates for parents. If you have not yet liked the Hoxton Park PS Facebook page, now is the time!

NSW Public Schools Dance Festival
All Hoxton Park PS dance groups have been successful in their audition for the NSW Public Schools Dance Festival at the Seymour Centre. This is a huge honour. We had a parent information afternoon yesterday and gave out a sheet with this information. Miss Watts will give the same sheet out to each student in the dance group who could not make it yesterday so that parents have the same information. If you have any questions it is important that you contact the school office.

Open Learning
Mrs Circosta and Miss Lynne are trialling open learning in their classroom. We have had one parent meeting to share information with parents and will be scheduling another on Monday 15th June @ 5.30pm. Parents from those classes are invited to attend as well as other interested parents in our school.

Have a great fortnight.
Kylie Donovan
Principal

__Up Coming events – Term 2__

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| May 26 | P&C Disco – K-2 - 10.50am - 12.20pm
3-6 - 12.30pm - 1.50pm |
| May 28 | Scripture |
| May 28 | 3-6 Assembly @ 2.10pm (4 Triton) |
Week 7  |  Event
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Jun 2  |  Skipping – Stage 2
Jun 4  |  Crazy Hair Day
Jun 4  |  Scripture
Jun 4  |  K-2 Assembly @ 2.10pm (1/2 Meteorite)

Kindergarten Enrolments

Kindergarten enrolment packages will be available from the school office from Monday 1st June. If your child is turning 5 years old before 31st July 2016, please call into the office to collect your enrolment package.

Fun Run

All money for the school fun run should be returned to the school office by Friday 6th June. Please make sure your child’s name and class are clearly marked on the form along with the amount of money collected and the prize your child wishes to receive. The class raising the most amount of money will be having a pizza party!

Lost Property

Please make sure your child’s items are clearly marked with your child’s name so the items can be returned to them. Please check at the office as we have a number of items with no names.

Commonwealth Student Banking

Don’t forget to collect your prizes! If you have made 10 silver tokens send them along with your order form with your deposit on Tuesday 26th May.
## Hoxton Park Public School Merit Winners
### Term 2 weeks 2,3 & 4

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<td>K Draco</td>
<td>Summer Sharifi, Michael Mubarak, Isabella Khowley, Christian Tran</td>
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<td>K Earth</td>
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<td>1 Martian</td>
<td>Bella Santos, Wesley Dimanche, Aden Wiggins</td>
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<td>1 Oberon</td>
<td>Natalie Edward Nouna, Yusus Oksuz, Tanisha Reddy, Jayden Knight</td>
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<td>Thu Nguyen, Steve Mubarak, Linda Jasim, Zac Cricri</td>
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<td>Olivia Irving, Channelle-Rose Kuczynski, Aadam Kumar, Christian Cavasinni, SJ Falefata, Nevaeh Matenga</td>
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<td>3 Rhea</td>
<td>Max Rousel-Kefalianos, Holly Younadin, Aaliyah Rivera, Leah Franco, Ashlee Goundar, Ilhana Fejzovic, Ranya Singh, Naz Oksuz</td>
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<td>3/4Density</td>
<td>Kenny Nguyen, Carolone Jimenez, Maddison Jones, Dylan Chohaili, Shreya Kamath, Jessy Needham, Gabriel Mazloum</td>
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<td>4 Triton</td>
<td>Mariana Isaac, Joshua Kilmartin, Yasamin Osman, Aleksandra Aleksic, Sebastian Nhem, Tahliya O’Neill, Lydia Nguyen Le, Caitlyn Fraser</td>
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<td>5 Stellar</td>
<td>Kyanne O’Neill McDermott, James Overell, Ibrahim Hussain, Nadia Saboune, Jacinta Jones, Ishita Prasad, Zak Merhi, Johanna Vela</td>
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<td>5 Telesto</td>
<td>Felicia Leong, Guwar Ali, Neekshay Kamal, Victoria Eyke, Malachi Matauaina</td>
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<td>5/6 Sputnik</td>
<td>Michael Cell, Siddhika Prasad, Ethan King, Joshua Jabur, Joshua Azar, Anushka Prasad, Andy Yong, Feliciti Lim</td>
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### SPORT
- Keiara Melville, Shanel Kaukura Grey, Asah Ohafor, Isaac Pierson, Ilhana Fejzovic, Amelia Hancock, Kenny Nguyen, Milica Aleksic, Kaine Anou-Sourintha, Georgia Mellas, Dannielle Knight, Cooper Birtles, Natalie Cal, Selena Yvard, Sandy Al-Salih, Yasheer Chand, Feliciti Lim, Amaar Al Mohammad Hussain, Maria Castro, Jonathan Veljanovski, Katerina Stefanovski, Christopher Azar, Valentina Herrera Saez, Jessie Le, Marcelo Rosales
- Zak Ali, Emily Mellish, Priti Reddy, Jireh Ieremia, Madi O’Brien, Aaron Lai

### QUALITY WORK
# Hoxton Park Public School Uniform

## GIRL

### Summer
- Check Dress
- Maroon & Black Polo (S/S) with logo
- Black Skort
- White Socks
- Black leather shoes

### Winter
- Maroon & Black Polo (L/S) with logo
- Black Slacks
- Maroon Zip Fleecy Jacket with logo
- Maroon V-neck Fleecy Sloppy Joe with logo
- White Socks
- Black leather shoes

### Sports
- Maroon & Black (S/S) with logo
- Black Microfibre Shorts
- Microfibre Zip Jacket with logo
- Microfibre Track Pants
- White Socks
- Joggers

## BOY

### Summer
- Maroon & Black Polo (S/S) with logo
- Black Gabardine Shorts
- White Socks
- Black leather shoes

### Winter
- Maroon & Black Polo (L/S) with logo
- Black Trousers
- Maroon Zip Fleecy jacket with logo
- Maroon V-neck Fleecy Sloppy Joe with logo
- White Socks
- Black leather shoes

### Sports
- Maroon & Black (S/S) with logo
- Black Microfibre Shorts
- Microfibre Zip Jacket with logo
- Microfibre Track Pants
- White Socks
- Joggers

## Accessories
- Black School Bag with logo
- Maroon Bucket Hat with Black Piping and Logo
- Maroon Cap with logo

*Microfibre jacket and pants may be worn any day of the week*
HOXTON PARK PUBLIC SCHOOL - UNIFORM SHOP PRICE LIST.

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Hoxton Park, NSW, 2171     Phone : 9607-0005
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Website : www.hoxtonpark-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

Available from the school uniform shop at the school.

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Shop 45A Oxford Road, Ingleburn, 2565
Phone : 9829-1027
Email : skooluniforms168@gmail.com

Prices effective 1/1/2014 inclusive of GST.

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| GIRLS SPORTS UNIFORM              |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Maroon Polo with Logo             | 5 - 16| $20.00|       |       |       |       |
| Black Skort                        | 5 - 16| $19.00|       |       |       |       |

| BOYS UNIFORM                      |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Maroon Polo with Logo             | 5 - 16| $20.00|       |       |       |       |
| Black Shorts                      | 5 - 16| $18.00|       |       |       |       |
| Black Trousers                    | 5 - 16| $22.00|       |       |       |       |

| BOYS SPORTS UNIFORM               |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Maroon Polo with Logo             | 5 - 16| $20.00|       |       |       |       |
| Black Sports Shorts with Logo     | 5 - 16| $19.00|       |       |       |       |

| UNISEX UNIFORM                    |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Maroon long sleeve Polo with Logo | 5 - 16| $22.00|       |       |       |       |
| Maroon Fleecy Zip Jacket with Logo | 4 - 8| $28.00| 10 - 12| $29.00| 14 - 16| $30.00|
| Maroon V-Neck Jumper with Logo    | 4 - 8 | $24.00| 10 - 12| $25.00| 14 - 16| $26.00|
| Maroon Microfibre Jacket          | 5 - 16| $40.00|       |       |       |       |
| Maroon Microfibre Track Pants     | 5 - 16| $25.00|       |       |       |       |
| Maroon Bucket Hat with Logo       | 55cm  | $12.00| 57cm  | $12.00| 59cm  | $12.00|
| Maroon Cap with Logo              | One size | $7.00|       |       |       |       |
| Black School Bag with Logo        | One size | $32.00|       |       |       |       |
| Library Bag with Logo             | One size | $10.00|       |       |       |       |