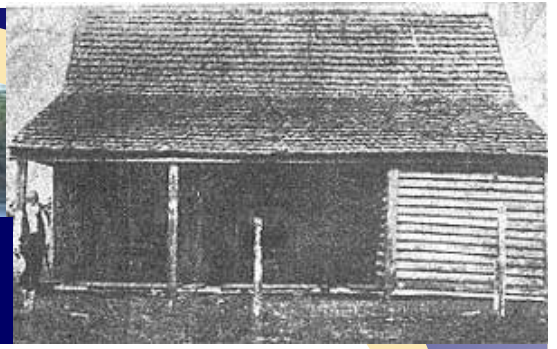


CREEKSIDE NEWS

August 27, 2020



Tell Them From Me

We wish to advise that the *Tell Them From Me 2020* survey window is now OPEN and would like to invite our community to participate in the survey, which has been designed for parents and carers to provide our school with worthwhile feedback regarding our practice. This process is extremely valuable for our school and we use information gleaned from your opinions and points of view to work even harder to provide a meaningful, supportive learning environment for your child.

Why you should participate:

Parents and carers are an important and valued part of our school community. We will use survey outcomes to make practical improvements and inform school planning. Drama, Dance, Rock Band and Ukelele groups were last year introduced into the school as a direct result of survey outcomes from 2017 and 2018 and we're sure that you will agree with us when we say that these initiatives were widely enjoyed in 2019, and demonstrate the value that we place on the feedback of our students and community. This year, whilst it has been very different, our students have accessed the extension of these programs and continue to enjoy them immensely.

What it involves:

This online survey takes about 10 minutes to complete and is anonymous and voluntary. If you have more than one child at our school, and you feel that your children's experiences differ, you can complete the survey more than once. Importantly, we know your time is valuable, so you can access the survey in your own time until October 23, 2020. Please type/ copy this link into your web browser bar – it should open at the Parent Survey page.

<http://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/dcps2020>

Silly Sock Fundraiser

Last Friday, 21st August, our students were provided with an opportunity to help Year 6 raise some money for our school with a very well-received *Silly Sock Mufti Day*. We are pleased to announce that, thanks to our amazing students, their families and their imaginative and creative abilities, we managed to raise:

\$185.00

Congratulations, Dora Creek, and thank you for your support!



CONGRATULATIONS to Our
Safe, Respectful and Engaged
Learners



Well done to the these students, who have worked very hard to meet our school expectations; safe, respectful and engaged learners in weeks 4 and 5 of Term 3:



Ari, Sophie, Digger, Toby M, Alfie, Jackie, Billy, Archer, Savanna, Monique, Noah S, Rosie, Kapri, Shaylie, Noah K, Lilith, Poppy, Zoey, Lex, Toby S, Aliyana, Lana, Blake R, Noah P, Jack, Zac, Isla, Maggie, Charlee, Molly, Ryan, Eliza, Isaac, Scarlett, Poppy, Lachlan, Greta and Russell!



SAY CHEESE- School Photo Day is
Wednesday 2nd September

Have your child's school memories
captured forever

Envelopes for school photos have been sent home with students in the coming weeks. Some useful information is set out below:

Please take time to read the relevant information on the MSP Photography payment envelopes and remember these helpful points from MSP:

- Please do not seal envelopes inside each other.
- You can pay for all children in one envelope; however, **each child needs to have their own envelope on photo day**
- Family envelopes can be picked up from the school office **upon request**
- Please enclose correct money as no change is given
- Credit card payments are available online– you will need your personalised shoot key located on your child's envelope to place your order online.
- **Please note that, due to COVID restrictions, class and whole-school photos will, in 2020, be "composite-style" photographs. Shots of individual students, only, will be taken.**

VACATION CARE
4-12 years



The Service operates 7.30am till 4pm, all meals included. The Hunter Sports Centre has achieved a Meeting National Quality Standards rating under the National Quality Framework

Mon 28 th Sept	Tues 29 th Sept	Wed 30 th Sept	Thurs 1 st Oct	Fri 2 nd Oct
Ball Sports, Gym Fun, Parkour + Clay modelling.	Team Sports, + Obstacle course, Trampoline and Artist in the making - Cherry Blossom	Going for Gold Olympic Experience Art, competition, and Movie	Its game Time (outdoor), Aerial Madness, Ninja Kids + Puppet Performance	Classic Sports Tableids, Tumbling and Tramp, Lego Masters
Mon 5 th Oct	Tues 6 th Oct	Wed 7 th Oct	Thurs 8 th Oct	Fri 9 th Oct
CLOSED DUE TO PUBLIC HOLIDAY	Fun Athletics, General Gym, Tumbling + Tramp and Artist in the Making - boomerangs	Superheroes and Villains arrive at Hunter sports! Make your disguise and help Save the day Team Challenge + Scavenger Hunt	Ball Sports, Gym Fun, Parkour Kids + Making Music (musical instruments)	Explore Science Trampoline, Gym Chill Out and Movie

FEES & CHARGES
 Vacation Care Registration - \$25 per family calendar year
 Daily Rate - \$70 per child CCS APPROVED - Register with Family assistance now
[Book now](#) P: 09536366 E: customerservice@hsc.org.au W: www.hsc.org.au

VACATION CARE



Carers for school aged children are urgently needed.

Become a foster carer with Wesley Dalmar and make a difference.

Wesley Dalmar provides respite, temporary, adoption and permanent placements for children from birth to 18 years of age. Aftercare support is available for young people transitioning into adulthood.

Call 1300 325 627
 Support, training and allowance provided.

wesleymission.org.au



Next Meeting– 6.30pm, Monday 14th September, via Zoom.

Cookie Pizza

Thank you to all who supported our Cookie Pizza Fundraiser, from which, we managed to raise \$400 for the school. Well Done! A Big shout-out goes to Kiri, who did a fantastic job of organising such a great and delicious fundraiser.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 02/ 09** School Photos
- 09/ 09** Kindergarten 2021 Information Evening (TBA)
- 14/ 09** P and C Meeting
- 25/ 09** End Term 3
- 12/ 10** First Day of Term 4 for students and teachers
- 14/ 12** Presentation Day
- 16/ 12** Final School Day for 2020

NOTES HOME

- Canteen Online Ordering
- Parent Teacher Interviews
- School photo Envelopes
- Canteen Closure