

	COMMUNITY EVENTS/ ACTIVITY OVERVIEW	DATE & TIME
<b>Breakfast Club (Healthy Start @ Harrington Street)</b>	<p>Our <b>FREE</b> Breakfast Club program is run by a wonderful group of parent volunteers.</p> <p>Some of the food available includes cereal, fresh fruit, yoghurt, pancakes and noodles.</p> <p>We always require parent volunteers to assist, come and join us if you're available to help 😊</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Every Tuesday &amp; Wednesday mornings (from Week 2)</li> <li>• 8.20 – 8.50am</li> <li>• Covered walkway outside Uniform shop</li> </ul>
<b>Coffee &amp; Chat with Mr. Massard</b>	<p>For parents and carers to sit in a relaxed setting, enjoy a tea or coffee, and have a friendly chat with our principals and staff, and special guests from time to time.</p> <p>Everyone is welcome!</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tuesday (Weeks 3 &amp; 7 each term)</li> <li>• 2.00 – 2.45pm</li> <li>• Community Room</li> </ul>
<b>Community News</b>	<p>Community News cover community related news and is part of the school's e-newsletter.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Thursday (Even weeks)</li> <li>• Electronic</li> </ul>
<b>Happy Hippo Playgroup</b>	<p>The playgroup is specifically targeted at our currently enrolled pre-schoolers and siblings of Harrington Street children. Other children can join subject to available vacancies.</p> <p>Every second week, we visit the pre-school in the last half hour to interact with pre-school children and teachers.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Every Wednesday (from Week 2 of each term)</li> <li>• 9.00 – 10.30am</li> <li>• Hall and pre-school</li> </ul>
<b>Parent Skill- Sharing Sessions</b>	<p>Parents and community members volunteer to lead a skill-sharing session, such as cooking and skin-care for fellow parents and carers within the school community.</p> <p>If you have a skill to share with the community, please see the CLO.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Various dates</li> <li>• Notes will be sent home</li> <li>• Sessions are normally conducted in the Community Room</li> </ul>
<b>Parent Workshops</b>	<p>Throughout the school year, we offer workshops for parents and carers to enrich their skills and knowledge on a variety of topics.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Various dates</li> <li>• Notes will be sent home</li> </ul>

	<p>This is in partnership with external agencies, such as Woodville Alliance, Catholic Care and Fairfield City Council, in addition to using the skills of our very talented teachers. Past workshop topics include Maths strategies, reading, communication and school success, depression and anxiety and youth mental health.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Workshops are normally conducted in the Community Room or Hall</li> </ul>
<p><b>Parents &amp; Citizens (P&amp;C) Association</b></p>	<p>The P&amp;C promote the interests of Harrington Street PS by bringing parents, citizens, students and teaching staff into close co-operation, assist the school in providing facilities and equipment, and in promoting the recreation and welfare of the students at the school.</p> <p>You can become involved by attending P&amp;C forums (2 forums per term), becoming a financial P&amp;C member (fee \$1 per year), becoming part of the P&amp;C executive team), and/ or volunteering at P&amp;C events.</p> <p>Some of the P&amp;C's activities include fundraising through the annual Mother's and Father's Day Stalls, Easter Raffle, Christmas Raffle, Bunnings BBQ, and Friday Fun-Raisers. The P&amp;C uses the proceeds to contribute to the purchase of school resources, subsidise school activities and events, such as the Year 6 Farewell and Teachers' Appreciation Luncheon.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Please note that parents and carers are <b>not</b> required to commit to becoming a P&amp;C member or on the executive team.</li> <li>• Being a member means that you can vote on issues at P&amp;C forums, but it is not compulsory. You can still attend the P&amp;C forums without being member.</li> <li>• You can volunteer as much or as little as your time allows, our school appreciate any amounts of assistance.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Parents &amp; Community Forum</b></p>	<p>Parents and Community Forums are run by the Parents &amp; Citizens (P&amp;C) Association twice a term with the presence of the Principal and Deputy Principals. Come along if you have a concern about any aspect of the school, you have some suggestions on how to improve our school, and catch up on the all latest news and achievements of our children. Light refreshments provided, absolutely everyone is welcome!</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wednesday (Week 4 &amp; 8)</li> <li>• 9.00 – 10.00am</li> <li>• Hall or Community Room</li> </ul>
<p><b>P&amp;C Association Facebook Page</b></p>	<p>The only official Facebook page of the HSPS P&amp;C Association.</p> <p>For information on what's happening around our school each week and upcoming events, please "Like" the page so that you receive notifications when there are updates to the page.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Search Facebook @HarringtonStreetPandC</li> </ul>

<b>P&amp;C Association Friday Fun-Raiser</b>	<p>A P&amp;C fundraising initiative.</p> <p>Parent volunteers sell food items such as icypoles, gelato and croissant sticks, depending on the season every Friday afternoon.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Every Friday</li> <li>• 2.30 – 3.00pm</li> <li>• Covered Walkway outside Uniform shop</li> </ul>
<b>School Banking</b>	<p>Our school banking program with the Commonwealth Bank is run by several lovely parent volunteers every Friday morning.</p> <p>This is face to face banking between 8.30 – 9.00am in the Community Room. Your child will need to have an existing Youth Saver account with the CBA or we can assist you with opening a new account.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Every Friday (from Week 2)</li> <li>• 8.30 – 9.00am</li> <li>• Community Room</li> </ul>
<b>Twitter</b>	<p>Follow our school's Twitter account to find out what's happening in our classrooms!</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Search Twitter @harringtonst_ps</li> </ul>

