| TERM 1 | WEEK 10 |

★★ Special Gold Edition ★★

## Coming Events

**Week 10**
- Friday 5 April: School Cross Country

**Week 11**
- Tuesday 9 April: Pizza Day
- Wednesday 10 April: Mad Hatters Tea Party
- Friday 12 April: Assembly 12.15pm
- Friday 12 April: Last Day of Term 1

**Term 2 Week 1**
- Monday 29 April: Pupil Free Day
- Tuesday 30 April: Pupil Free Day
- Wednesday 1 May: Students Return to School
- Thursday 2 May: Anzac Day Assembly

## Principal’s Desk

We had a very exciting visit from Healthy Harold this morning. Life Education’s Healthy Harold was the special presenter at our Gold Assembly. Harold has a very busy schedule, but was able to join us to present Gold badges to the students who have achieved them this term. Healthy Harold presented each Gold recipient with a special pencil case, pencil, eraser, ruler, keyring, sticker and balloon. Thank you Life Education and Healthy Harold.

Fingers crossed for fine weather for Friday for the Cross Country at Towradgi Park. The day will go ahead unless you are notified of a cancellation from the local radio stations at i98, Wave FM or the school website. The Kindergarten Fun & Fitness morning will go ahead regardless of the weather, as we are able to use the hall if it is wet.

As many of you know, last year we received an Eco Schools grant to construct a Bush Tucker Garden and outdoor learning area. Last week, we were fortunate to have 10 Volunteers from the Illawarra and Shoalhaven Conservation Volunteers and Kerry Neubecker (PHPS parent) participate in a planting day. These volunteers were assisted by 3N and 3/4S. Thank you to all the students in these classes. The area is looking wonderful.

Have a good week.
Yesterday PHPS ‘lit up it up blue’ in support of World Autism Awareness Day. It was fantastic to see so many students and teachers wearing blue to support Autism awareness. Approximately 1 in every 100 Australians has Autism or an Autism Spectrum Disorder, which can affect a person’s ability to communicate and develop relationships.

We raised a total of $263 to help support Australians with Autism and their families. A big thank you goes to Harrison and Pearse for their inspirational and invaluable contribution and insights, and to the SRC, Mrs Ecroyd and Mrs Isedale for their help in making the day a success. Well done everyone!

From Ms Cheney.

Grandparent Day
Harmony Day Poem

In Week 8, Jessica 3-4S wrote and recited the following poem at the Special Assembly:

Harmony

Harmony is peaceful, like listening to the wind blowing gently through the trees.
Harmony is being happy for others and being proud of what you’ve got.
Harmony is laughter and compassion.
Harmony is people loving one another and accepting people for who they are.
Harmony is for those in need, so go along and do a good deed.
Harmony is hope for the future.
Harmony is what we share in friendships, families and groups.

I am here to spread the word you all should hear, which is Harmony and Harmony is one thing that mustn’t stop!

Harmony is inside us all!

Well done Jessica.

PBS Tracking Tree Level 2

Well done to the following students on achieving their PBS Tracking Tree Level 2.

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Gold Award Recipients

Liam A (1)  
Lexi B (1)  
Remi C (1)  
Harmony D (1)  

Julia M (1)  
Anna N (1)  
Cooper P (1)  
Joshua R (1)  

Zara V (1)  
Jamaya W (1)  
Ella W (1)  
Bronte W (1)  

Lily C (1)  
Victor S (1)  
Mika T (1)