



# HEIGHTS HEADLINES

Term 4 | Week 7 | 2024

## NEWS

### Get Ready for 5/6 Carnival!

Mark your calendars! On Tuesday 26 November, our talented and enthusiastic Year 5/6 students are hosting an exciting End-of-Year Carnival for our students, as part of their 'Build a Business' Inquiry Unit. This much-anticipated event will be held during class time, giving all students an opportunity to join in the fun. For weeks, they've been channeling their creativity and teamwork to plan and organize this event. From brainstorming innovative ideas to putting the finishing touches on their promotional materials, the students have been busy preparing to make the day truly special.

#### What to Expect at the Carnival:

- Carnival Games and Experiences: Students can look forward to a variety of exciting games and activities designed to entertain and challenge.
- Tasty Treats: Delicious snacks will be available for purchase, perfect for enjoying in between activities. Prices for food and games will range from 10 cents to \$1. Students are encouraged to bring \$3-\$5 in coins to fully enjoy the day (gold and silver coins are preferred) Through the event, our Year 5/6 students are gaining practical skills in entrepreneurship, advertising, and teamwork. They've showcased their efforts through:
  - Creative radio announcements during lunchtime,
  - Eye-catching TV slideshows, and
  - Bright and colourful posters displayed around the school. We can't wait to see all the smiling faces as we all enjoy this incredible event.



## NEWS

### 2024 First Lego League Robotics Competition

A huge congratulations to our two amazing robotics teams, "Heights Elite Cyborgs" and "Sunbury Intelligence," for their incredible efforts in last weeks First Lego League Robotics Competition. Competing against 14 other teams from local schools and even schools as far away as Geelong, our teams demonstrated creativity, teamwork, and determination that made us all so proud. Our students proudly showcased our school values in the wider community, representing Sunbury Heights with excellence and spirit. While we didn't progress to the next stage, we couldn't be prouder of the skills and sportsmanship shown by our teams. We'd also like to extend our best wishes to the winners, Sunbury Primary School & Sunbury Downs College, as they move on to represent our region in the National Competition. Well done, Heights Elite Cyborgs and Sunbury Intelligence – you're champions in our eyes! 🚀🤖🚀🤖🚀🤖🚀🤖

## EVENTS

### Italian Day Celebration

On Wednesday 27 November, we will be celebrating Italian Day. This will be a fun-filled day packed with activities and a celebration of Italian culture. Our school canteen will be serving a special Italian-themed menu for the day. Be sure to check it out and enjoy some delicious Italian treats. We warmly invite families to join us for open Classrooms in Session 1 (9:00 am) Or in Session 6 (2:30 pm) Students are encouraged to dress in Italian colours (green, white, and red) or traditional Italian clothing to help celebrate the day.

### Christmas Raffle

SHPS would like to thank you to all our wonderful families for your generous contributions to our Christmas Raffle! Your support plays a huge role in making this event so special, and we truly appreciate your generosity. If you still have items you'd like to donate, it's not too late! Every contribution helps us create prize baskets that make this year's raffle a memorable one for all our families. 🎄🎁🎄🎁🎄🎁🎄🎁

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

### NOVEMBER

- ❖ 26 - Yr 5/6 Build a Business
- ❖ 27 - Italian Day
- ❖ 29 - Yr 5/6 Rugby Gala

### DECEMBER

- ❖ 2 - 2025 Transition Day - Session 1
- ❖ 2 – 6 - Yr 1/2 Swimming Week
- ❖ 4 - 2025 Transition Day – Session 2
- ❖ 10 - Statewide Transition Day
- ❖ 12 – Yr 1/2 Excursion
- ❖ 16 - F - Yr2 Athletics Day

### Bell Times

**8:50am Start of School**  
10:30am Recess  
12:35 pm 1<sup>st</sup> Break  
1:55pm 2<sup>nd</sup> Break  
**3:15pm End of School**

### Term Dates

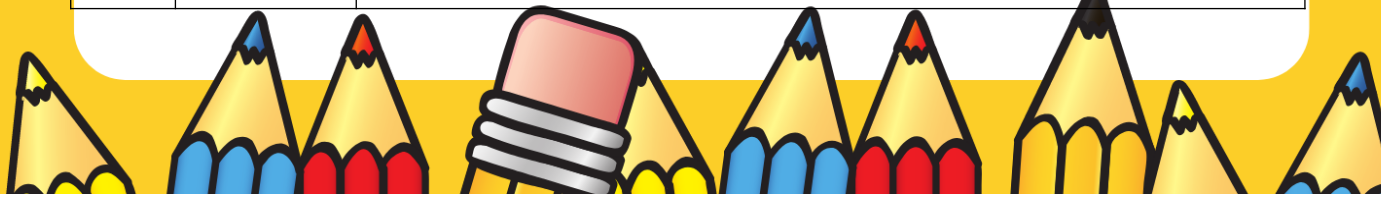
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**2025**  
Years 1 to 6 - 30/01/2025  
Foundation - 6/02/2025

# STUDENT OF THE WEEK

**TERM 4**

**WEEK 7**

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| FA   | Jackson C  | For originally only wanting to put his feet in the water at swimming to then putting his whole body under. Amazing work swimming Jackson!  |
| FB   | Maverick G | For a fantastic effort at swimming. Well done on giving everything a go.   |
| FC   | Wyatt S    | For working so hard and giving new things a try! Your new swimming skills are wicked!! Well done Wyatt!                                    |
| 1/2A | Maddy J    | For settling beautifully into Sunbury Heights Primary School. We love having you in 1/2A Maddy!  |
| 1/2B | Nash M     | For continuously displaying school values and being a role model for our class. Amazing work!  |
| 1/2C | Evelina H  | For writing a lovely acrostic poem about herself. Evelina included some great adjectives and beautifully published her writing. Well done. |
| 1/2D | Kason M    | For always having an inquisitive nature and showing your phenomenal general knowledge during our Inquiry lessons - Fantastic!              |
| 1/2E | Cooper H   | For always trying his hardest to complete learning tasks, and helping his friends when they need it. Well done Cooper!                     |
| 1/2F | Dallas B   | For his dedication to improving his reading. Keep up the fantastic effort Dallas!  |
| 3/4A | Casey C    | For his fantastic determination and work ethic when writing a realistic fiction piece about World War I. Great work Casey!                 |
| 3/4B | Marcus S   | For his focus towards his work and his excellent effort with writing a full draft of his own story.  |
| 3/4C | Lucas T    | For extending himself in writing a realistic fiction story about tornados.   |
| 3/4D | Toby MB    | For being a fantastic role model to his peers by always showing the school values and being an active participant in class discussions.    |
| 3/4E | Elijah A   | For a detailed and interesting Island plan.  |
| 5/6A | Autumn B   | For persevering with all learning tasks. She is always trying her best. Amazing work Autumn!   |
| 5/6C | Daphne T   | For her outstanding reading improvements throughout the year. Fantastic work Daphne!   |
| 5/6D | Nate C     | For consistently completing his weekly homework. Keep up the great work Nate!  |
| 5/6E | Lachlan C  | For bringing a smile into the classroom every single day. Thank you for brightening up our day!  |



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| THE ARTS                 | Chloe S<br>1/2E  | For always following our school values in the Arts room, especially Responsibility, when she stayed back to help clean up the room without being asked to, what a star! |
| ITALIAN                  | Isaac S<br>1/2B  | For his great listening during instruction time and completing his learning task correctly. Bravo!  |
| PE                       | Ly H<br>5/6B     | For asking for support in improving her Rugby skills.   |
| STEAM                    | Nate C<br>5/6D   | For always showing enthusiasm for his STEAM learning and encouraging others in the class. Well done Nate!   |
| Heights Star of the Week | Stevie H<br>3/4E | For consistently displaying the school values of Respect, Responsibility and Kindness.  |
| Indigenous Deadly Award  | Veni K<br>3/4C   | For showing care and consideration to everyone's wellbeing.   |

Sunbury Heights  
Christmas Raffle  
Donation Drive  
Free Raffle Entry  
For your donation

Donations Due 22<sup>nd</sup> November

 **Join us for Italian Day**  
 **Wednesday, 27th November**

 **Open Classrooms:**

**9:00 AM**

**&**

**2:30 PM**

**Dress Up Ideas:**

**Come dressed as:**

**Italian colours: Green, White, and Red**

**Italian food**  

**Italian racing car drivers** 

**Italian soccer players** 

**Italian characters** 

**Italian artists** 

**Italian fashion designers** 

## ADULT ART CLASSES

Join Aleka and explore your creativity! She loves art and will help you every step of the way. Together, you'll make a beautiful piece of art in a fun and relaxing atmosphere. You'll feel like a true artist in no time!

**NOVEMBER 25<sup>TH</sup> &  
DECEMBER 2<sup>ND</sup>**

Mondays

9:30 AM - 11:30 AM

Dulap Wilim Hub

**Free of Cost**

for registration:

Sharon at 0417 760 137

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# We're in town

See you soon, Sunbury

18 to 26 November



**Sunbury**


Pop up Blood Donor Centre


Hume Global Learning Centre Library  
44 Macedon Street

See website for Opening Hours

Book your donation now



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