REMEMBRANCE DAY 11th November 2015

Hastings Secondary College was well represented at this year's Remembrance Day ceremony held at the Cenotaph on Town Green on Wednesday.

The guest speakers were Brittany Chandler-Rosewell and James Jackson, students in Year 9 at Port Macquarie Campus. Brittany and James had been invited to speak earlier in the week at the Remembrance service held at Le Hamel Community Centre on Monday 9th November where they were joined by two Hastings Public School students, Gracie Masters and Sam Jones. All four students spoke impressively at the Le Hamel service about what Remembrance Day means to young people. The Port Campus students were accompanied by their history teacher Mr Arch Fowler, while the two primary school students were supervised by the Principal of Hastings Public School, Mr Grant Heaton.

President of the Port Macquarie Sub-Branch, Greg Laird praised and thanked the four students for their impressive speeches on Monday and again praised the speeches of Brittany and James at Wednesday's ceremony on Town Green.

Also representing the College at Wednesday's ceremony were the captains, Isabella Harrison and William Lewthwaite, from Westport Campus and the captains and vice captains from Port Macquarie Campus, Stephanie Mackedie, Christian Familar, Georgia Hunt and Liam Eastwell. Both pairs of captains laid wreaths of remembrance at the Cenotaph.

(l-r) At Town Green: Mr Arch Fowler, Brittany Chandler-Rosewell, James Jackson, Greg Laird, Stephanie Mackedie, Christian Familar, Georgia Hunt, Liam Eastwell.
National Bandana Day

On the 30th of October, Port Macquarie Campus, participated in National Bandana Day to raise money for Canteen. To raise these funds the students sold over three boxes of colourful bandanas throughout Week 4. They raised over $1,000 for the registered charity Canteen and had lots of fun doing it! These funds will be going to a highly worthy non-government organisation. Canteen is responsible for brightening the lives of many young people living with cancer, Australia-wide. Canteen also offers a variety of opportunities for youth including counselling, camps, recreation days and so much more! The Davenport family would like to thank everyone for getting behind and supporting Canteen as they have helped them so much through their cancer journey.

The students said they are all looking forward to participating in Bandana Day next year!
What’s happening in Week Seven

Monday 16th – Friday 20th: Year 11 Orientation week for all Year 10
Tuesday 17th: Year 12 Formal

National Futsal Titles

Last week our team of seven boys accompanied by three parents went to Brisbane to compete at the national Champions of Champions Tournament. It soon became apparent that only having seven players on our roster was going to make things very difficult once we saw the standard of the opposition and the fact that most teams had 10 or 11 players to make important substitutions. On day one we played 4 X 40 minute games which saw all the boys running on empty late in the afternoon. Day Two saw us only play two games, but conditions were hot and humid and the quality of the other teams kept rising. Schools like Toowoomba Grammar, Assisi College and St Andrews Luther College have a dedicated futsal program that are well funded. The team was competitive in all games, but the top teams outclassed us in the end. Close matches were recorded in the games against the middle ranked teams, with the boys winning three games. At no time did anyone give up and they pushed themselves out of their comfort zones on many occasions. Each individual player had some fine games and moments scoring or coming up with a goal saving play. Overall our best player was keeper Jacob Barlow who displayed courage and skill to repel many shots at goal. Ryan Johnson was our key defender in all games and nursed a swollen ankle through the entire tournament. Harvey Kaye plays with absolutely no fear while Oscar Brotherston scored some fine goals. Noah Agland used his cannon of a left foot to crack some great goals. Billy Axford played like a wildcat with some classy attacking moves and Kane Pollard was at his mercurial best with some scintillating displays of skill. Overall, the boys were fine ambassadors for Port Macquarie Campus and at times played some outstanding futsal. Well done.

Back (l-r) Billy Axford, Noah Agland, Oscar Brotherston, Harvey Kaye.
Front: Ryan Johnson, Jacob Barlow, Kane Pollard.
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Careers News

Taronga Zoo Work Experience 2016
Taronga Zoo offers a work experience program for school students in Years 9, 10 or 11 who have expressed a keen interest in pursuing a career in zoo keeping. This program is offered to one successful applicant per school from February to November 2016. To apply for Taronga Zoo work experience in Sydney or Dubbo you must successfully complete an application and interview process with the school’s Career Adviser. To be eligible to apply you must have suitable accommodation and supervision in Sydney or Dubbo with close proximity to the zoo. Applications close on Tuesday 17th November (week 7). See the Careers Adviser for further details.

Apprenticeship & Traineeship Vacancies
School based traineeships provide students with the opportunity to attain a nationally recognised Vocational Education and Training (VET) qualification as well as their Higher School Certificate (HSC) and gain valuable work skills and experience through paid employment. School based traineeships are applicable to well organised and committed students commencing Year 11 in 2016.

The following vacancies for school based traineeships have been advertised:
- Aged care
- Disability Support
- Hospitality
- Horticulture

Apprenticeships and Traineeships are also being advertised for possible school leavers in the following areas:
- Telecommunications Cabling
- Roof plumbing
- Engineering Mechanical
- Floor Technology
- Locksmith
- Legal receptionist
- Painter

Please seek the assistance of the Careers Adviser for further details if interested in the above opportunities.

Year 10 Work Experience Program 2015
Year 10 students should now be handing in all the completed paperwork for the upcoming work experience. The allocated two week period is from Monday 23rd November (week 8) or Monday 30th November (week 9). Students should hand in completed forms by Tuesday 17th November to the Careers Adviser. Any further enquiries please contact the Careers Adviser.

Mr White – Careers Adviser

P & C Reminder
Due to the Year 12 Formal, there will not be a P & C general meeting next Tuesday
Port Macquarie High School

Contributions from P&C to Port Campus 2015-2016

Join the P&C
Help build our parent voice at Port Campus.
Have your say!
Volunteers help with:
- Fundraising
- Canteen
- Uniform Shop
- Breakfast Club

✔ A Pool at Hastings Secondary College Blazers
✔ $2,000 to Year 7 Scholarships
✔ $2,000 to Year 12 Fundraising
✔ $4,000 Science - Data Loggers
✔ $2,000 to CAPA for School Spec + $500 Arts Enrichment Program
✔ $5,500 to HSC = Interactive Whiteboard
✔ $1,500 to PCHPE - Fitness Equipment
✔ $1,300 to TAS - Overlockers
✔ $695 to Industrial Arts - Power Anchor
✔ $720 to English - Reading Comprehension Kits
✔ $200 to Various Students Competing at State Level
✔ $3,300 to Maths - Interactive Projector

Meetings
Held at Town Green Inn (top floor) on 3rd Tuesday of every month at 7.30pm
Arrive at 6.30pm, grab some dinner and have a chat before the meeting

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Next Meeting: 15 December 2015 - 7.30pm at Town Green Inn

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