



NEWSFLASH

TERM 3, WEEK 6 2025

Well done to the students who received an award (or two!) at today's Celebration Assembly. They are all superstars, demonstrating a positive attitude towards the different aspects of school life. To the families and friends who joined us today to celebrate, thank you. It's wonderful to have a full house, even with an extra row of seats. We hope to see you again in Week 1, Term 4, to celebrate our next lot of superstar students.

Three cheers to students in K Lime who performed a dance item to entertain the assembly audience. Being their first stage performance, they might have had a few nerves, but you couldn't tell. Watching them groove to the beat certainly put a smile on everyone's face.

Monday, 1st September, marks the start of SASS Week. This is a time to acknowledge, applaud, and celebrate the non-teaching staff who work in our schools. This week coming we will be showing appreciation for our amazing SASS team at APS: Imbi Holdsworth (Business Manager/School Administration Manager), Teresa Keegan (School Administration Officer), Renai Hinschen (School Administration Officer & School Learning Support Officer), Andrew Easton (General Assistant & School Learning Support Officer), Kaye Wright, Janet Donaldson, Maree Laurie (School Learning Support Officers) and Jess Leyshon (School Wellbeing Officer).

Congratulations to all the students who presented today in the Public Speaking finals! The depth of knowledge displayed on the topics was both impressive and engaging, making it a challenging task for Mrs. Kelly and Mrs. Loveridge to judge. Special recognition goes to the following students:

ES1 1st Place - Indie L.
ES1 2nd Place - Kobie W.
S1 1st Place - Evelyn E.
S1 2nd Place - Audrey C.
S2 1st Place - Zac M.
S2 2nd Place - William B.
S3 1st Place - Travis B.
S3 2nd Place - Charlie M.



We wish our finalists all the best when they compete in the Zone Public Speaking Final in Denman.

Thank you to Mrs Robens for coordinating our school's Public Speaking this year, and to the parents and teachers for supporting students to develop this important skill.



IMPORTANT DATES

- **Wednesday September 3rd** - P&C Father's Day Stall
 - SJA Middle Schools Day-Yr 5
- **Thursday September 4th** - Fathers Day Breakfast 8.15am
 - P&C Father's Day Stall sell out
 - SJA Sports Fun
 - Super Hero Day (Preschool, K-2)
- **Friday September 5th** - Hunter Athletics Carnival
 - Busy Bees Kindergarten Transition
- **Tuesday September 9th** - Youth Council Meeting
- **Thursday September 11th** - Interschools Public Speaking



AWARD RECIPIENTS

WEEK 6

K Lime	Savannah C.
1/2 Indigo	Angus P.
1/2 Blue	Hunter L.
3/4 Black	Fynn P.
5/6 Magenta	Cooper M-H.
5/6 Green	Eli A.



Thank you to Mr. and Mrs. Donnelly for creating a beautiful frame to capture cherished memories during our Father's Day celebrations.



PLEASE JOIN US FOR

FATHER'S DAY BREAKFAST

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 4TH
8.15am-8.50am
Aberdeen PS COLA

Cheese & Bacon Rolls, tea, coffee and juice provided.




Father's Day Stall

APS P&C are proud to once again be running our annual Father's Day Stall on
Wednesday 3rd September 2025

There will be \$5 and \$10 gifts available to purchase.

We will be holding a second stall on Thursday 4th September 2025 at break times for students who would like to purchase an additional gift.

Aberdeen Public School P&C Association

Thank you for your continued support.




STORK NEWS FOR APS

Louise and Hamish McTaggart welcomed their second child, Charlie, on 30th July 2025. Charlie is being spoiled by his adoring big sister, Rosie. Arriving two days later on 1st August, Katie Mills and her partner, Alex, welcomed their first child, a daughter whom they have named Kiara Elizabeth. Congratulations to both families.

UPPER HUNTER BATTERY ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEM PROPOSAL

Community Information Session

Wednesday, 17 September 2025
6.00pm to 7.30pm
Aberdeen Public School Hall, Segenhoe St, Aberdeen

Come along to our Community Information Session to learn more about our proposal for a Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) in Aberdeen.

The evening will include:

- Presentation from the development team
- Opportunities to ask questions and provide feedback
- Light refreshments

Please register to attend:
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