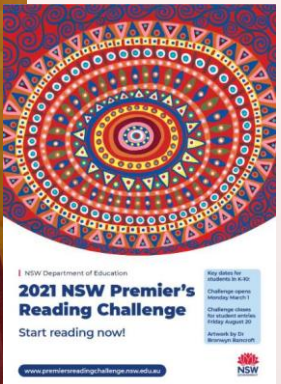




Congratulations to Zeke Gibson on winning a new Kindle Paperwhite in this year's Premier's Reading Challenge!



Upcoming Events

Oct 25	Formal Picnic Year 12
Oct 26	Virtual Graduation Ceremony
Oct 27	P&C meeting
Nov 1	Year 10 Exam week
Nov 8	Year 7-9 Exam week
Nov 18	Year 12 Formal
Nov 22	Year 7 Vaccinations
Nov 24	P&C meeting



Jack Lucas — Oculus Piscis

ALSTONVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

A new **online payment page** is now live on our **school website!**

Access from a mobile, tablet or PC and in a language of your choice.



- ✓ Select make a payment from the main page menu
- ✓ Enter the student, contact and payment details (SRN not required)
- ✓ Check your email for a copy of the receipt of payment

P&C News

The members of Alstonville High School Parents and Citizens' Association welcome any parent, caregiver to our monthly meetings. There are many great and fulfilling ways to contribute to the school community though the P&C and in doing so this helps to provide valuable resources for students and staff.

Meetings for Term 4 will be;
7:00pm, Wednesday 27th October
 Join Zoom Meeting
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8619828170>
7:00pm, Wednesday 24th November
 Join Zoom Meeting
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8619828170>

Ritchies Community Benefits Card
 Anyone is able to get one of these cards and nominate Alstonville High School P&C. It can be used at any Ritchies store (IGA) in the country. A percentage of the total spending accrued from members nominating AHS P&C is then paid directly to the P&C. It is easy for members to join, downloading the Ritchies Card App or by going online to register at www.ritchies.com.au/loyalty

P&C Fundraiser Masks for Sale
 Great 3D Contour Face Masks (black with a small white AHS logo) are now available from the school office for \$10 each. For any other details please contact: alstonvillehs.pc@gmail.com



Deklan Mantion — Still life series

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Welcome back to Term 4

Things are slowly looking more like normal. It's great to see all students and staff onsite and we're getting used to smiling more intensely with our eyes while our faces are mostly masked. A big thanks to all students and staff for your support with the mask wearing mandate (masks on for all indoors). It shows a respect for the community and goodwill in keeping everyone safe.



This term, we welcome Ms Christine Grieves, Deputy Principal, who will be taking on the 'even' years DP work. Aaron Perkins will be working on special projects within the school, including managing the Distance Education project and setting up our second MC class that will commence next year. There's lots happening, including professional mentoring for students to give them some real-world support in specific career aspirations and of course we are all eagerly anticipating the Year 12 Formal Picnic and Virtual Graduation (to be livestreamed) early next week.



Take care,

Sandra Rosner (*Principal*)

Please contact us whenever you need our support.



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Year 7 Technology Mandatory

Design project was design your own bugs with "Fruit and Vegetables". These were some of the excellent results.

Careers News

2021 school leavers, check out the local job opportunities and fee free training available to you post school! Click the link <https://northernrivers.myfutureworkforce.com.au> scan the Summer Skills QR code to register your details now... don't miss out!



Digital Discernment Workshop

Optus Digital Thumbprint is an interactive and thought-provoking program to empower and inform Australia's young students.. With technology playing an increasingly prominent role in the lives of today's youth, students are facing a unique set of challenges unlike those ever encountered in generations gone by. In the vast and rapidly changing online space, the need for digital education is greater than ever.

The first workshop titled 'Digital Discernment' was held for Year 9 on Thursday, 2 October.



Myfuture is Australia's national career information service. The service regularly hosts topical and supportive webinars to help you support your child to learn about the world of work and explore careers.

Preparing today's learners for uncertainty – a free webinar for parents

'Uncertainty Tolerance' (UT), or how we process and respond to unknown or complex situations, is increasingly recognised as an essential workplace skill. Uncertainties in the workplace are ever-present and we've seen shared, global experiences of this with the uncertainties surrounding work during the COVID-19 pandemic.

On Tuesday, 9 November Associate Professor Michelle Lazarus will discuss the impacts of Uncertainty Tolerance on students, and outline some strategies to help parents to support their children to improve their UT to prepare them for their futures in further education and work.

Register via this link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/1213662242126413580>

Recordings of previous webinars can also be viewed at: <https://myfuture.edu.au/assist-others/webinars>