



NEWSLETTER - TERM 4 - 6th NOVEMBER 2013

DIARY DATES	
8/11/13	PUPIL FREE DAY
11/11/13	REMEMBRANCE DAY OBSERVANCE
15/11/13	WHOLE SCHOOL ASSEMBLY 5W & 4E
27/11 – 29/11	YEAR 6/7 AQUATICS
4/12/13	END OF YEAR CONCERT
12/12/13	YEAR 7 GRADUATION

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

AT LAST... THE NEW WEBSITE IS LIVE, OUR NEW BANNERS ARE HERE AND WE HAVE A NEW LOGO!!!!

Today, to coincide with the delivery of this newsletter, our new website is finally live!!! I would like to encourage you to click on the website link www.halcoveeps.sa.edu.au and spend time looking at the new layout. On the home page, there are 6 photos across the top that appear in rotation, four highlight our values and with the other two capture the essence of our school. There are many other photos throughout the website that further capture this essence. We hope that the new website will also be far more engaging for families than the previous one and that once it really gets going, you will be readily able to access ongoing, regularly updated and relevant information.

We have also created four pull up banners which highlight various aspects of our school in photos. These are now displayed in the Front Office, Resource Centre and my office.

You have probably also noticed our new Newsletter logo at the top of this page. Yes we also have a new logo brand as well. The new logo is in the website, on the banners, on Newsletters and will now also be used on all

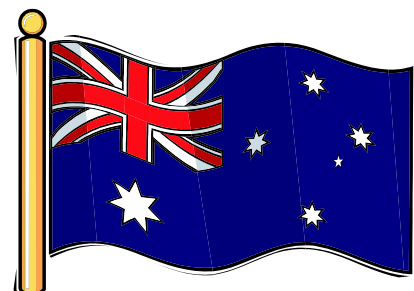
correspondence. We are very pleased with all these improvements.

I need to take this opportunity to thank a number of people for their work throughout the planning and development of these projects. Firstly, a big thank you to Ashley Turner and Jess Carpenter. Ashley took all the beautiful photographs and Jess did all the design work for each project. Jess also created the new logo design. Ashley and Jess are parents of our school and it has been an absolute pleasure to work with them in these projects.

I also need to acknowledge the many hours of work that Scott Panton (IT SSO) and Jenny McFadyen (Finance Officer) have put into developing the site itself working closely with DSpace the company that built the website. I am sure you will agree with me that all four of these people should be commended for their work.

REMEMBRANCE DAY OBSERVANCE

Next Monday 11th November is Remembrance Day. Parent/Caregivers are invited to attend a special observance from 10:00 - 11:00 am beginning in the school Pavilion. This will include a commemoration service led by Year 7 students with Andrea Hayden and conclude with official addresses, presentations at the flagpole, a minutes silence and the National Anthem out on the courts.



MATERIALS & SERVICES CHARGES FOR 2014

The proposed Materials and Services charges for 2014 with the official watermark, is enclosed in this Newsletter. Polling letters were posted to all families yesterday, 5th November. Please complete polling forms and return to the Front Office by Tuesday, 19th November. Please refer to the invitation enclosed to attend the next Governing Council meeting where Polling will be approved.

PLAYGROUND USE BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL

Some of you may have witnessed a young student falling from the boat playground after school last Friday. I am pleased to report that he is okay and thank both school personnel and the parents who helped when it happened.

It is, however timely to remind everyone that the playgrounds are out of bounds for use before and after school. There is a teacher on duty in every session but the drop off/pick up zone and supporting crossing monitors, are the priority for supervision. Because the school yard is so spread out, and, because there are three playgrounds these cannot be fully supervised throughout each session. This means we cannot have them available for use in these times. In the mornings, students should arrive and go straight to their classrooms. In the afternoons students should meet parents and/or leave school as soon as possible. Thank you for your support.

PARENT MORNING TEA/FORUMS

This is a very special thank you to the 12 parents who were able to attend the morning tea forum last week and share their ideas regarding future plans for the school. The invitations for the second morning tea will be out later this week and we encourage and look forward to seeing those of you who can attend, there.

END OF YEAR CONCERT – INFORMATION OUT SOON

Yes, it's getting close to that time of the year again – Concert Time! We are beginning to

make plans for our End of Year Concert and want to urge you all to put Wednesday 4th December in your diaries. As in previous years, morning and afternoon sessions will be offered. Once our planning is finalised, invitations that will include ticket information will be provided to the school community.

2014 CLASS PLACEMENT PROCESS

The class placement parent request process identified in the last newsletter is now closed but if you have a child who will be transferring to another school I ask that you please complete the relevant section of the proforma from the last newsletter and return it to me as soon as possible. Accurate numbers are required to ensure our correct staffing levels and numbers of classes.

REMINDER PUPIL FREE DAY – TERM 4

Don't forget that this Friday 8th November is a Pupil Free Day. Teachers will work together in teams to moderate learning in English, Mathematics, Science and History in preparation for reporting. The OSHC will be available for families. Please contact Lissy or Sally if you would like to book care.

Anne Rathjen

PRINCIPAL

BITS AND PIECES

The term is moving along quickly, so I thought I would take the opportunity to share a few bits of news. Firstly, some fundraising initiatives. As mentioned in the newsletter at the end of last term the school has been offered an excellent opportunity by Drake's Supermarket at Hallett Cove. As part of their Community Dollars Program, they have offered 1c for every \$2 spent at any Drake Supermarket in South Australia. Look out for a special key tag to attach to your key ring that can be scanned at the checkout each time you shop at the Drake Supermarket that will be coming home soon. We appreciate any help you may give us to raise funds for the school.

Secondly, the Cash for Christmas raffle. Instead of asking for donations for class



Christmas baskets this term, we would like to introduce the inaugural Cash for Christmas raffle. There will be 3000 tickets at \$1 each. A book of 10 will be sent home to each family. First prize is \$400, second prize \$200 and third prize is an Entertainment book. You can buy them yourself or sell to your relatives and friends. If you would like a second book, there will be a few available at the office. All books need to be accounted for before the raffle draw, to be held at an assembly on Monday 9th December, so if you are unable to sell all the tickets they will still need to be returned. Best of luck to everyone in the raffle! The money will certainly be useful to the winners at Christmas.

Finally on a different topic, each class has been given an iPad to use in their class. Classes are using them in different ways and trialling recommended apps in all subject areas. Staff had professional development sessions and, although some staff are already experienced with them, others are enjoying learning with the students. I certainly see great potential in providing new ways to enhance student engagement and improved learning outcomes. Look out in the next newsletter, when I will share with you some of the favourite apps. of staff.

Suzanne Dunn
DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

PE NEWS

Physical Education Week *11th—15th November 2013*

Physical Education week is celebrated in schools across the state. At Hallett Cove East Primary School we believe that health and wellbeing are extremely important for our students and staff. We will be participating in many different activities during the week but one of the things that we would like to promote to parents is a

"packet free shared Recess"

to be held on Wednesday 13th November. Instead of students eating food that comes in packets we will be encouraging families to send fruit, raw vegetables, dried fruit, yoghurt, or things you can put into a snap bag or reusable container etc with their children to school on that day. This food will be shared with the class or their buddy class if the teachers decide to get together. There will also be healthy snacks available at the canteen.

Other activities for the week include Tabloid sports for Early Years and Primary Years/Middle years in 2 different sessions. Early Years will be Wednesday 13th November 11.20 – 12.40pm.

Primary/Middle Years will be Thursday 9.30-11.00am. Please let your class teachers know if you are available to help or you would like to come and watch.

Please wear your Sport House colours for the Tabloid Sports events.

Perry Barr – *Yellow*
Kaurna – *Green*
Hallett – *Red*
Tate – *Blue*

Buddy classes will also be getting together for a Physical activity sometime during the week and each child will receive a PE Week Sticker.

Shona Trenouth
PE/SCIENCE SPECIALIST TEACHER

CANTEEN NEWS

NEW Canteen Opening time now 9:30 am.

Please place all lunch orders in the lunch tubs in classrooms.

Can anybody help out in the Canteen on Mondays lunch? If so, pop in and see me.

I would like to send a special thank you to:

Kylie Barnes-Sparks & Jo Marnes

who helped out last Friday when I was short of help. *Thank you ladies.*



Weeks 5 & 6 Meal Deals – All \$5.00 each

- 1) Wedges, Brownie & Juice
- 2) Hot Dog, Muffin & Juice
- 3) Toasty, Muffin & Juice

Janine Curtis
CANTEEN MANAGER



COMMUNITY NEWS

Please see noticeboard for further information.

- **CITY OF HOLDFAST BAY CONCERT BAND** – Is Music part of your life? Consider joining your local Concert Band. Wide range of Music & perform 12 times a year. Rehearsals Thursday nights in City of Holdfast Bay Music Centre, Lipson Ave, Seacliff. ☎ 0423 032 276.
- **AUSTRALIAN ACADEMY OF ROCK** – Is your child learning a rock & pop musical instrument & between 8-14 years old? Band members wanted. Learn how to play cover & write original songs. Exciting & fun. ☎ 8395 4993 (Vanessa).
- **PINK BALL** - Basketball SA is looking for 40 girls between the ages of 10-14 years old to be part of a basketball revolution. A 6 week Pink Ball pilot program starts at Morphett Vale on Thursday 7th November. Earn prizes and rewards as you get your pink passport stamped off for basketball skills and fitness milestones as well as goal setting, strong self-esteem, leadership and community contribution. Suitable for any skill level. For more information or to register visit www.basketballsa.com.au
- **SCALLYWAGS DISCO** - is coming up soon! This event for primary school children (R-7 only) is being held on **Friday 15th November, 2013** at the **HALLETT COVE LUTHERAN CHURCH, 20 Ragamuffin Drive, Hallett Cove starting at 7pm and concluding at 9:30pm.** Entry is \$5- of which \$1 from each entry is donated to a children's charity. This is a lock in event so parents, you will need to come inside to drop off and to collect your child(ren). Drinks, chips and lollies are available for purchase. Any further enquiries phone 8322 2544 or visit www.hallettcovelutheranchurch.org.au
- **THE LITTLE CHICK COMPANY** - an exciting educational experience for all, & what's more you get to enjoy watching eggs hatching & new born chicks taking their first experience of the outside world. If you wish to keep them, the chicks are yours for a small fee to good homes. If you prefer, The Little Chick Company will collect the chicks at the end of the program, and re-home them for you, all included within our charges. ☎ 0414 459 268.
- **VINES UNITING CHURCH** – Annual Strawberry Fair Friday, 29th November 5:30 pm to Dark. Corner of Rolton Ave & Reynell Rd, Woodcroft.
Sausage Sizzle, Hot Potatoes, Hot Dogs, Crafts, Gift Baskets, Cakes, Lucky Dips & Father Christmas.



*An invitation
is extended for
the School Community
to attend the
Governing Council Meeting
To be held on Monday 2nd December, 2013.*

*From 6:30pm to 7:00pm Sharp
Staffroom of the One and All building.
The 2014 Materials and Services charge of \$285
will be presented for approval,
at this meeting.*

*In addition to the Materials and Services charge each student
will be invoiced for an Incursion/Excursion Levy for 2014.*

*Should you require clarification regarding the 2014 fee structure
please do not hesitate to contact the Finance Officer.*

All welcome.



Government of South Australia

Department for Education and
Child Development

Hallett Cove East Primary School - 1053		
Notice of Materials and Services Charges for 2014		
Notice of Charges for All Students		
HEADING	ITEMS AND SERVICES	COST (\$)
Printed and electronic materials related to the educational program and which are provided for the student	Workbooks	\$13.00
	Text Book Hire / E-Book Access	\$0.00
	Photocopied Material	\$33.50
	SUBTOTAL (ZPREM)	\$46.50
Stationery items that are provided for the student	Stationery Items	\$35.00
	Other [please Specify]	\$0.00
	Other [please Specify]	\$0.00
	SUBTOTAL (ZSTAT)	\$35.00
Materials and Services that are provided by the school for the student to consume or use the materials or take ownership of a finished article produced by the student with the materials	Access to Student Information Technology	\$78.00
	Access to Machinery	\$0.00
	Access to Equipment	\$0.00
	Curriculum/Subject Supplies and Services	\$83.50
	Other [please Specify]	\$0.00
	Other [please Specify]	\$0.00
	SUBTOTAL (ZACMS)	\$161.50
Materials for inclusion in the school library and to enable use by the student	Library resources including access to borrowing library resources	\$42.00
	SUBTOTAL (ZACLI)	\$42.00
Total Materials and Services Charge (excluding Subject Charges)		\$285.00

These subject charges are in addition to the Materials and Services Charge above for those students undertaking the following subjects.

Subject Description	Cost (\$)
	\$0.00
	\$0.00
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	\$0.00

CANTEEN ROSTER FOR TERM 4

		MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Week 5 11/11/13 15/11/13	Recess	Anita King Annmarie Smith	Kerriane Springford May Thomson	Annmarie Smith	Natalie Prouse	Carmen Gonzalez Nikki Dopson Linda Batten
	Lunch	Anita King	May Thomson	Kylie Barnes-Sparks	Alan Beaumont	Bee Robertson Linda Batten
Week 6 18/11/13 22/11/13	Recess	Annmarie Smith	Kerriane Springford	Annmarie Smith	Juliet Smit Natalie Prouse	Bee Robertson Megan Hunter
	Lunch			Kylie Barnes-Sparks	Alan Beaumont	Bee Robertson Yvonne Caire
Week 7 25/11/13 29/11/13	Recess	Anita King Annmarie Smith	Kerriane Springford May Thomson	Annmarie Smith	Natalie Prouse	Carmen Gonzalez Nikki Dopson Linda Batten
	Lunch	Anita King	Jo Marnes	Kylie Barnes-Sparks	Alan Beaumont	Bee Robertson Linda Batten
Week 8 2/12/13 6/12/13	Recess	Annmarie Smith	Kerriane Springford	Annmarie Smith	Juliet Smit Natalie Prouse	Bee Robertson Nikki Dopson
	Lunch		Jo Marnes	Kylie Barnes-Sparks	Alan Beaumont	Bee Robertson Yvonne Caire
Week 9 9/12/13 13/12/13	Recess	Anita King Annmarie Smith	Kerriane Springford May Thomson	Annmarie Smith	Natalie Prouse	Carmen Gonzales Linda Batten Bee Robertson
	Lunch	Anita King	Jo Marnes	Kylie Barnes-Sparks	Alan Beaumont	Bee Robertson Linda Batten