



NEWSLETTER - TERM 3 - 10th September 2014

DIARY DATES

12/9/14	Festival of Music Choir Performance
24/9/14	EXPO of Learning – HCEP Pavilion
27/10/14	PUPIL FREE DAY

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

SSO WEEK

Recently it was SSO Week. This is a week where schools recognise the ongoing commitment and professionalism of their SSO Teams. While the celebration week has now passed, I would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the outstanding work that our SSOs do at HCEPS.

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| Jenny McFadyen: | Finance, Facilities and Front Office Administration |
| Henny Smith: | Finance, Leader Support and Front Office Administration |
| Irene Bywaters: | Resource Centre and Student Support |
| Nola Chalakas-Stopp: | Front Office Administration |
| Joanne Berry: | Student Support, Front Office Administration and Reporting |
| Cherie-Bishop Kinlyside: | Student Support |
| Narelle Muller: | Student Support |
| Scott Panton: | IT Technical Support |
| Trevor Brigden: | Grounds and Maintenance |
| Fran Williams: | Front Office Clerical and Leader Support |
| Lisbeth Oppert: | Student Support |

During SSO Week, classes made cards and gave small gifts to nominated SSOs. Teaching staff sent flowers and also provided the SSOs with a morning tea and covered their duties so they could take time to sit and enjoy it.

Operations in our school both in administration/management, and, student support would not be at the high level it is without the work of these staff members and on behalf of the school community I would like to sincerely thank all of them for their work.



CHOIR PERFORMANCE ON FRIDAY 12th SEPTEMBER

This Friday 23 students will be performing as part of the Festival Choir in the South Australian Primary Schools Festival of Music. This is an annual event that is held over several days with a performance held daily and matinees on the weekends. The performing choirs are made up of many schools in each performance with around 450 students performing together each time. Preparing for the choir performance takes a lot of planning and practice that is undertaken from the start of each year. In our school that is very capably led by Evie Donoghue. (This year she has been supported by Gizella Webb, Robyn Sumner and Ken Henry.) The Choir certainly sounds beautiful as a whole and students are to be commended for their preparation and commitment to this performance. I would like to sincerely thank Evie for all her tireless work preparing the Choir for the performance and wish our students all the best for Friday.

NAPLAN RESULTS

The NAPLAN Reports have arrived in the school. By now all parents of students in Years 3, 5 and 7

should have received a letter asking them to collect their child's report from the front office. I would ask that you please do this by the end of the term. Thank you.

EXPO OF LEARNING

Our planning for the EXPO is in full swing and an invitation to all families should be out this week. Please look out for it as it will be coming home in hard copy form.

COMING EVENTS

SPECIAL EVENTS

The Festival of Music Choir performance at Festival Theatre will be held on Friday 12th September.

The EXPO of Learning will be held on Wednesday 24th September in the HCEPS Pavilion.

PUPIL FREE DAY

TERM 4 Monday October 27th:
Australian Curriculum – English

Anne Rathjen
PRINCIPAL

READING CORNER

Each Newsletter the Early Years Team will provide you with strategies to help support and encourage your child to read at home. These ideas have come from the website <http://www.readingrockets.org/>. This is a very useful site offering ideas to get children reading from a very young age.

Don't leave home without it

Bring along a book or magazine any time your child has to wait, such as at a doctor's office. Always try to fit in reading!



KONNICHIIWA MINASAN

Here are our next 2 weeks' focus words. Remember students need to write the Japanese, not the English, however they need to learn the English meaning.

こんしゅう の ことば。 This week's Japanese words.		
Term 3 Week	Japanese (Romaji)	English
8	yamete	Stop it!
	Mite	look

こんしゅう の ことば。 This week's Japanese words.		
Term 3 Week	Japanese (Romaji)	English
9	kiite	listen
	Yaruki man man	Ready to learn.

Arigato

GRAY SENSEI & NOBUE SENSEI

FUNDRAISING DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Cadbury Chocolate Fundraiser – All monies should have been paid by now. Thank you to those who have sold the chocolates and raised funds for the school. We still have a few boxes left if anyone would like to take another box.

School Cookbook – Please have all your recipes returned or entered online by 3rd October.

Family Photo Day – Sunday 12th October. There are still some spaces available so don't forget to book your family in!

Sarah Hole
FUNDRAISING CO-ORDINATOR
& THE FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE

PE NEWS

SAPSASA Volleyball Carnival

Finals are on Wednesday 10th September so good luck to the team of Year 6/7 boys who are competing.

Spikezone Competition

For those students interested in playing more Volleyball there is a Spikezone Competition happening again this term at Hallett Cove R-12 on a Friday night. The competition is for girls and boys in Yrs 4-7. If you have a group of at least 5 players then please nominate them now. Email: steven@volleyballsa.com.au.

Volleyball SA Yr 6/7 Development Clinic

This is a 2 day clinic run by SA's best Volleyball Coaches at Brighton High School on 8th and 9th October 2014. The clinic costs \$120 for 2 days, \$65 for 1 day which includes a T-shirt and lunch each day. Register online by 24th September 2014 at www.volleyballsa.com.au/holidayclinics Ph 08 8363 1265.

SAPSASA District Athletics

We had a wonderful day at Santos Stadium, the weather was just perfect for competing. Congratulations to all the athletes who participated, their attitude and behaviour were excellent!!! Some students achieved a place in the 100m and 200m finals. These were Brayden, Maddie, Gemma, Billy, Joel and Carys. These students achieved a place: Jaden – 1st 100m, 200m and Discus, Natahlia- 1st 800m, Jacques- 2nd 100m, 1st Long jump, 1st Shot Put, Bella- 1st High Jump, 1st- 100m, 2nd – 200m, Joel- 3rd High Jump, Jenson- 2nd Long Jump. Our team was small compared to other years but the effort was still fantastic!!!

Footsteps

There have been 2 dance lessons so far. They have been a great success!! They will continue each Friday until week 10.

PE Lessons.

Just a reminder for students to wear appropriate clothing for their PE lessons. Thank you.

Be Active Challenge

We have 8 classes participating in the Challenge again this year which is wonderful to see!! The challenge needs to be completed by the end of Term 3. Medals will be given out during Term 4.

Science Challenge

The theme is "Food For Our Future". We have over 30 entries in the Challenge which is wonderful!!! The finished product needs to be brought to school on Tuesday 23rd September 2014 and taken to the Resource Centre. Many of the entries will be part of the Learning Expo on the Wednesday in Week 10. Good Luck!!! Both Mr Chris Ross from the Resource Centre and I will be coordinating this event.

Edublog

Don't forget to view my Edublog to keep up with what is happening in my PE/Science programme and SAPSASA events. Please visit the site throughout the year.

The site is: <http://shonatreouth.edublogs.org/>. Have a look!

Shona Trenouth PE/SCIENCE SPECIALIST TEACHER



Transition Programme for Kindy- Term 4, 2014.

Hallett Cove Karrara Kindergarten is finalising enrolments now for children to access our Transition Programme in Term 4 this year.

Children turning 4 before May 1 next year can access Transition with us from week 1 next term & then Fulltime Kindergarten from Term 1, 2015.

Full flexibility of session choices for kindy. Contact us ASAP if you are interested.

45 Barramundi Drive (cnr Quailo)
Hallett Cove
Ph 83819154

NINA'S MUSINGS



Best selling author, Stephen Covey, in his book *The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People* suggests that every project or undertaking should start with the end in mind. Let's face it, unless we have the end result in mind, it's hard to find the finish line.

Parenting expert Michael Grose says that the end goal of parents is redundancy! What he means is that the role of parents is to promote independence in young people. That way they can become confident independent people. Active parenting promotes independence through teaching, explaining and "prodding" young people towards independence.

This is done through

- *Confidence*: facing fears and doing things for themselves
- *Competence*: using opportunities to develop "self-mastery"
- *Creativity*: allowing our young people to solve their own problems rather than "rescuing" them
- *Character*: which is strengthened as young people go through hardship, failure and disappointment demonstrating perseverance.

If our end result is confident independent young people, then we need to allow them to build their confidence by making some of their own decisions, take safe risks in exploring the world around them, and giving them a sense of responsibility through self-help skills. Of course, all this takes time and begins with bit sized tasks according to ages, gifts and abilities. All the while, we keep loving and encouraging them.

Peace

Nina Corlett-McDonald

Christian Pastoral Support Worker

For more see

<http://www.parentingideasclub.com.au/Confident-Kids/The-secret-to-raising-confident-kids>

COMMUNITY NEWS

Please see noticeboard for further information.

- **HALLETT COVE LITTLE ATHLETICS CENTRE** – For children aged 3 (Tiny tots) to 18 years. New season begins 10th October at the Hallett Cove R – 12 school from 6 – 8:30 pm on Fridays. Come and Try begins 17th October visit: www.hclac.org.au/ or Facebook: www.facebook.com/HallettCoveLittleAthleticsCentre
REGISTER: online or at the Hallett Cove Shopping Centre 20th September 2014 from 9-2
- **TAKE HOME A BIG BROTHER OR BIG SISTER** - Give your children the wonderful opportunity to have an international big brother or big sister by volunteering to host one of our exceptional international students arriving in Australia in February 2015 for their 3,5, or 10 month programs. Call us toll free on 1800 500 501 or visit www.scce.com.au, email scceaust@scce.com.au
- **KIDS ART STUDIO** – School Holiday workshops – Payneham Community Centre \$50.00 full day or \$28.00 half day. Phone Maxine 0414 981 096 or email maxine@art-ed.net.au
- **2PLAYCRICKET** – Double wicket Cricket Tournament held at various venues visit www.2playcricket.com.au
- **ONCE UPON A MARKET** – Noarlunga Leisure Centre from the 14th September open from 1:000 am – 2:00 pm.
- **JUNIOR GOLF CLINICS** – Marion Golf Park, 1 Clubhouse Road Seacliff Park. For children aged 7 – 13 years \$120.00 commencing 28th September until 7th December 9:30 – 10:30 am. Phone 8298 7454 or visit www.btmgolf.com.au
- **FRIDAY NIGHT FIVE-A-SIDE** – Starts Friday 31st October games start at 6:30 pm – minimum of 2 games per night. Visit www.sapanthersfc.com or phone Phil 0414 722 587.



2014 HCEPS SOCCER PRESENTATIONS & FAMILY DAY

Dear Players/Parents,

You are invited to attend this season's "Hallett Cove East Primary School" Soccer Family Day and Presentations. Details as follows:

Date: Saturday 20th September 2014

Family Day

Time: "Parents vs Kids" games from 12.00pm (see times below),
\$1BBQ from 12.00pm to 2.00pm
Free Drink and Lollies for all players
Drinks available to purchase

Where: HCEPS Oval

Presentations

Time: Commence 2.00pm and conclude by about 4.00pm
(There will be a short meeting at the end to wrap up the year and to discuss next year. Please stay and show your support for HCEPS soccer)

Where: Pavilion

"Parents vs Kids" for each team will be as follows:

Age Group	Time	Duration	Pitch
U6	12.00	30 minutes	Pitch 2
U7 Maroon	12.00	30 minutes	Pitch 2
U7 Blue	12.00	30 minutes	Pitch 2
U8 Maroon	12.30	30 minutes	Pitch 2
U8 Blue	12.30	30 minutes	Pitch 2
U9	1.00	30 minutes	Pitch 2
U10 Maroon	1.30	30 minutes	Pitch 2
U10 Blue	12.00	30 minutes	Senior Pitch 1
U11	12.30	30 minutes	Senior Pitch 1
U12	1.00	30 minutes	Senior Pitch 1
Seniors	1.30	30 minutes	Senior Pitch 1

N.B. One parent per player permitted in each game. No brothers or sisters are to play unless short of numbers and agreed by coach.

Reminder: New coordinator and committee members required for season 2015

Please return your soccer tops to your coach or drop into the front office by 20/9.

Thanks

Queries: Jenny Brown (0418791667)

WE NEED YOU!!

FUNDRAISING COORDINATOR VACANCY

Are you creative, organised and like talking to people?

The Fundraising Committee is looking for an enthusiastic individual who can coordinate the fundraising arm of our school. Ideally we'd like somebody in time for the start of the new school year, however our current coordinator is available for the remainder of the year for you to learn more about the role.

The role involves:

- Planning & organising events with the help of the Fundraising Committee
- Discovering new & exciting ways to raise funds

This role is integral to our school community, without it we are unable to raise valuable funds to support our children and their learning.

Please note that whilst it's encouraged, it's not essential for the Fundraising Coordinator to also become a member of the Governing Council.

Sound Interesting? Please contact Sarah Hole on sarahhole073@gmail.com for more information.

Sarah Hole – Fundraising Coordinator & the Fundraising Committee

Cookbook Reminder

Thank you to all the families who have already submitted recipes to our cookbook, they all look very yummy!

Please help us compile this cookbook by submitting your favourite family recipes. We'd love to receive recipes from all families (and staff)!

How to submit your favourite family recipes:

- Just go to the Published Authors website (www.PublishedAuthors.com.au), click on the 'submit recipe' button and follow the prompts. This process is really very easy and takes only minutes to do.
- If you don't have access to the internet, then just complete the recipe card provided and return it to the front office.

Please submit your recipes AND pre order your cookbooks (get a head start on your Christmas shopping!) by the 3rd of October 2014.

For each recipe submitted you will receive one entry in the draw to win a 4.5kg Toblerone!

If you have any queries please contact Melody Thompson on 0413 486 885 or melodythompson1@me.com