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NEWSLETTER - TERM 3 - 12th AUGUST 2015

	DIARY DATES
R-7 ASS	SEMBLIES ON FRIDAYS AT 2:15 PM
12/8-18/8	BOOK FAIR IN SCHOOL LIBRARY
13/08/15	SCHOOL PHOTOS
14/08/15	PUPIL FREE DAY
19/08/15	SAPSASA VOLLEYBALL CARNIVAL
21/08/15	WAKAKIRRI PERFORMANCE
24/08/15	FESTIVAL OF MUSIC CHOIR MAGIC MILLIONS REHEARSAL
24/8-28/8	BOOK WEEK
04/09/15	PREMIERS READING CHALLENGE CLOSES
10/09/15	OPEN DAY AND FUN RUN
11/09/15	SCHOOL CLOSURE DAY
12/09/15	CHOIR PERFORMANCE

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

PUPIL FREE DAY THIS FRIDAY AUGUST 14TH

70th ANNIVERSARY OF THE ATOMIC BOMBING OF HIROSHIMA

In Japanese this term classes are learning about the impact of the bombing of Hiroshima 70 years ago that occurred last Thursday, August 6th. Students focussing on the subsequent programs that occurred in response to the bombing including the creation of Peace Park erected in Hiroshima. Students have been learning about the story of "Sadako and the 1000 paper cranes" and they along with teachers have been making paper cranes with the goal of completing 1000. The Japanese classrooms are currently decorated with the paper cranes, other artefacts and work around this theme. Please make sure you visit the Japanese classrooms during Open Day to view the work that has been done remembering this important event.

WAKAKIRRI

For the first time, HCEPS students will participate in the Wakakirri competition to be held at the Adelaide Entertainment Centre on Friday 21st August. This is a performing arts presentation based on dance and music. 42 students will be representing our school presenting a choreography they have developed to showcase the theme of "Learning to be yourself". Thank you to Evie Donoghue and key student leaders who have been training the team over several months. We wish them well in their performance.

OPEN DAY AND FUN RUN – THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 10th

Don't forget our Open Day and Fun Run coming up on Thursday 10th September (Week 8). An invitation is attached to this newsletter and will also be sent home with students during the week. We look forward to seeing as many of you here that day as possible.

VOLUNTEER AND RAN (REPORTING ABUSE AND NEGLECT) TRAINING

Thank you to those parents who have now completed (or booked into the session next week) the 2015-2017 Volunteer Training. Our final session will be held on Tuesday at 1:30pm. Once this training is finalised only Volunteers with a current DCSI child related criminal history check completed 2015-2017 Volunteer Training will be able to work with students and this includes sports teams. If you have not undertaken this training please book into next week's session. I will be conducting one more training session in Week 4 next term. RAN training for Volunteers is also offered by other agencies including Marion

Council. Please contact them for further information if you are interested.

PROMPT PAYMENT FOR EXCURSIONS

Schools are certainly busy and exciting places and this term is no exception. We are most fortunate to have a number of sporting events, activities and excursions happening. We seek your co-operation to ensure that payments for the events are made promptly and certainly by the final date for payment. We don't like seeing children miss out, but there has been a significant increase in workload created because office staff have to chase up payments. From Term 4, there will be no payments accepted for events after the final date for payment.

COMING EVENTS

PUPIL FREE DAYS (PFD) AND SCHOOL CLOSURE DAY

TERM 3 PFD Friday August 14th: Australian Curriculum training — Technologies and General Capabilities

TERM 3 Friday September 11th SCHOOL CLOSURE DAY – SHOW DAY

TERM 4 PFD Monday November 2nd: Australian Curriculum moderation

OPEN DAY AND FUN RUN

Thursday 10th September – 11:30am-3:00pm

OTHER IMPORTANT EVENTS

Thursday 13th August - School Photos

Friday August 21st – Wakakirri

Saturday September 12th - Festival of Music Choir performance

Wednesday September 2nd - SAPSASA Athletics Carnival

Wednesday 12th to Monday 17th August - Book Fair

Anne Rathjen PRINCIPAL

FROM THE RESOURCE CENTRE

Scholastic BOOK FAIR is on again in our School Library/Resource Centre commencing on Wednesday 12th August and finishing on Monday 17th August. Books can be viewed and purchased at the following times:

Wednesday 12th August 3.00 - 4.00pm Thursday 13th August 8.30 - 9.30am 3.00 - 4.00pm Monday 17th August 8.30 - 9.30am 3.00 - 4.00pm

Money raised will go towards purchasing new books for our library.

We hope to see you at the BOOK FAIR.

Irene Bywaters

ADIDAS SCHOOL FUN-RUN

The school's now signed up for online fundraising; the easiest, safest & most



effective way to help the help the school achieve our fundraising target... so make sure you jump on board!

Online fundraising should boost our funds raised by around 41%, which will help your child hit their fundraising goal... all while helping the school! To sign up, go to:

www.schoolfunrun.com.au click on 'Students & Parents' and follow the prompts. For more information go to www.schoolfundraising.com.au

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.

You can also check out the Parent section of our website.

Do storytelling on the go

Take turns adding to a story the two of you make up while riding in a car or bus. Try making the story funny or spooky.

EARLY YEARS TEAM

SCHOOL PHOTOS COMING SOON

MSP Photography will be at our school on **Thursday, 13th August**, to take class, family and individual student photographs. Please be reminded that students are to wear correct school uniform on these photograph days.

Some important information:

- Each child must present their own envelope to the Photographer on PHOTO DAY. Do not seal envelopes inside each other.
- Please enclose CORRECT MONEY as there is no change available on Photo Day.

Cash, cheques, credit card and money orders accepted.

- Orders can be placed Online by logging on to www.msp.com.au
- If your child is absent on Thursday, 13th
 August, there will be an opportunity for
 them to be photographed on the
 following Monday, 17th August at 9:00
 am.
- Family Photo Envelopes are available from the School Office.
- For any enquiries please contact MSP Photography on 08 8391 3951 or admin.adelaidesouth@msp.com.au or

Prior to the day, all students will receive a **Photo Pack Envelope**, which lists the various photo packs available for We are offering the same purchase. format as last year, Master Class **Presentation**. This style is an A4 glossy folder which has a front and back cover. The inside will consist of a Composite Group and a Traditional Group of the class. In 2015 the range of options available to vou online has increased. As well as the option to download a Low Resolution image for a smart-phone, parents will now have the option to purchase a High Resolution Digital Download of their child's image Family/Sibling and packages will also be able to be ordered online!

An added incentive for our families is that MSP now offers a 10% discount for all family orders above \$90.00 a family.

PE NEWS

SAPSASA Volleyball Spikezone Carnival

The Carnival is on Wednesday 19th August at Marion Recreation and Leisure Centre in Marion. Students who were chosen to represent the school have received a permission note, health form and invoice and need to return them with payment as soon as possible. Any assistance on the day would be very much appreciated, having a parent in charge of each team really makes the day run smoothly.

Spikezone Competition

A reminder, that the Term 3/4 Spikezone competition at Hallett Cove R-12, began on August 7th. This includes year 4/5 students. Contact Volleyball SA for further information. reception@volleyballsa.com.au Ph 8363 1265

Sporting Schools Grant

The series of lessons for Volleyball have begun. The students are learning more skills as am I. The other sport that students will be participating in is Netball. These sessions will begin in Week 7 for Years 1-5 students.

Gymnastics

The programme began on Tuesday in Week 3 and continues for 5W, 6AN, 6AS, 6W and 9S until Week 6. Please make sure your child is wearing appropriate clothing on these Tuesdays. Long pants/shorts or tights without feet are very suitable. Appropriate clothing ensures that your child can participate to the full extent without feeling hesitant.

5E, 8W, 8E, 6E, 7W and 9E will be completing the programme on Mondays in Weeks 7-10.

Please ask your child/children about the Gymnastics programme, it is an extensive programme with outstanding instructors who have planned a very comprehensive series of activities.

SAPSASA District Athletics

The team has been chosen to represent the school at the District Athletics Day on Wednesday 2nd September 2015 at Santos Stadium. Permission notes have been given to those students participating. Please get the form and money back to school as soon as possible. Appropriately accredited Volunteers are very welcome to travel on the bus and help with supervision. Practice of the events will happen in Weeks 6 and 7.

Little Athletics

There is UNDER TWO WEEKS REMAINING until the first session of Little Athletics SA's new Tiny Tots Program! The cost for the program is \$75, which includes 7 sessions as well as a 'Tiny Tots Pack'. The pack has a t-shirt, lunch cooler bag, mini vortex, and much more!

This program is for children between the ages of 3-5 years and involves developing the children's running, jumping, and throwing – which is essential for Little Athletics – through fun and enjoyable activities. We feel this program will be of great benefit to your children as we care in the development and improvement of their fine and gross motor skills, which as a school, is what you strive to do also. The Tiny Tots Program is run in the Northern, Southern, Eastern, and Western suburbs of Adelaide.

Registrations close on the 9th of August.

It would be amazing if you could support our program as we take pride in developing our next generation! If you require any more information about the program, please visit:

http://www.salaa.org.au/News/new-tiny-tots-program

Thank you for your time and support. Kind Regards, Steven Marotti Development Coordinator South Australian Little Athletics Inc.

Young Scientists of the Year Awards 2015

This Year's theme is "Light Up Your Life". Entries open to Students 7years to 12 years old.

All students who enter will receive a certificate.

This year's theme of 'Light up your Life!' has inspired many budding young scientists

and we're excited about receiving their entries!

If you need more information about the competition you can go to the website www.nata.com.au to download the entry form and check out the rules for entry. Entries close 18th September.

Shona Trenouth PE/SCIENCE SPECIALIST TEACHER



JOEY'S JOURNAL

"You are the average of the five people you spend the most time with." — Jim Rohn

I recently read an article about how if you include yourself as one of the five people the quote is rather accurate. I believe that there is a lot of truth in the idea that the people we spend time with influence who we become.

It is crazy how quickly bad habits rub off on us, without us even realising that it is happening. We run late when we spend time with people who are always late. As we witness others eating unhealthily, not exercising, or being unfocussed, we quickly follow in their footsteps.

When we spend time with negative people we tend to become more pessimistic. Conversely, when we spend time with positive people we develop a positive frame of mind.

I've learnt that if there is a good habit that I want to develop I need to find a role model that I can spend time with to encourage the behaviour. Then they can help to bring out the best in me.

Point to ponder: Do the people that you spend the most time with bring out the best in you? Or, is there someone who does bring out the best in you, who you should be spending more time with?

Joey Traeger
PASTORAL CARE WORKER

COMMUNITY NEWS

Please see noticeboard for further information.

- **HALLETT COVE R-12 FAIR** Sunday, 8th November 10:00 am to 4:00 pm. Fun filled community event. Jewellery, beauty products, Arts & Craft, Health & Fitness, Sausage Sizzle, Face Painting and much more.
- HALLETT COVE CIVIC CENTRE Want to keep the kids entertained in this cold, rainy
 weather and get out of the house? Call into the new Hallett Cove Civic Centre and let the
 children spend some time playing board games. Chess, checkers and more.

KEEP YOUR KIDS SMILING

Dental care is FREE for most school children and ALL preschool children at the Noarlunga GP Plus School Dental Clinic.

All children aged 0-17 are welcome.

Call us now for an appointment on 8384 9244.











CANTEEN NEWS



WHATS NEW IN THE CANTEEN???

We are trialling two new snacks – available for \$2.00 each

- Strawberries in Strawberry Jelly Cups
- Grapes in Lime Jelly Cups
- Greek Yoghurt with Granola Cups

BOOK WEEK – SPECIAL LUNCH 25TH AUGUST It is an *ITALIAN THEMED LUNCH \$6.50*

Italian Meatballs or Veggie Nuggets with Salsa Sauce and Grated Cheese Bookworm stuck in the mud (choc mousse with a confectionery snake)

Warm buttered dinner roll

Apple or Orange – 125 ml Juice Box

COMPETITION !!

Unscramble the words (titles will come from books shortlisted by CBCA) 2 winners will be drawn each will receive \$25 Book Voucher

Please note no lunch orders will be provided on the special lunch day!

FUN RUN SAUSAGE SIZZLE!!!

The canteen will be running a sausage sizzle from 11:00 am on Fun Run Day. The canteen will also provide over the counter sales of <u>SPECIAL LINES</u> on the day.

Hot Dogs, Assorted Pies and Sausage Rolls Jacket Potatoes with a choice of Cheese/coleslaw/sour cream & sweet chilli

Various Drinks and counter snacks available.

Please note no lunch orders will be provided on Fun Run Day!

COMPETITION TIME

Guess how many Tiny Teddies are in the Jar, 10 cents per guess. Prize \$5.00 Voucher to spend in the Canteen



CANTEEN VOLUNTEERS

If you can spare anytime to help in the canteen either on Special Lunch Day, Fun Run/Open Day or just any weekday please contact Helen via the school office or on 83223677. Any help is greatly appreciated and certainly your children will enjoy seeing you here helping out!





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YOU ARE INVITED TO THE HCEPS FAMILY OPEN DAY AND FUN RUN

DATE: Thursday 10th September 2015

TIME: 11:30am – 3:05pm

There will also be a performance presented by 6W at

10:30am in the Pavilion

WHAT IS THE DAY ALL ABOUT?

On Thursday 10th September we are holding a Family Open Day and this will be held in conjunction with our Fun Run fundraiser. Parents are invited to come along for these events, to watch and cheer on students during the Fun Run, have a family barbecue picnic then spend the afternoon visiting all classrooms to see the work we are doing right across the school. (It should also be noted that our program actually commences at 10:30am with a performance by 6W in the Pavilion.)

At 11:30am classes will commence the Fun Run with their Buddy classes. Class/Buddy home stations will be positioned around the course. A siren will sound to start the Fun Run. Parents are invited to sit on the oval or on the courts to watch and cheer children on. (A coffee van will be available for drinks, the canteen will be open and a barbecue will operate for purchases from 11:00am until 1:15pm.)

At 12:30pm the Fun Run will conclude and classes will meet on the Courts to close this part of the day and clarify lunch and Open Day arrangements.

Families can then enjoy lunch together on the oval, picnic style, before classes meet again at 1:30pm to begin the Open Day.

From 1:30pm students will be working on Problem Solving activities with a Numeracy focus, in home classrooms.

5W in Lesson 6 followed by 9E in Lesson 7 will be doing Japanese with Wallis Sensei in House 2, focussing on work related to the 70th Anniversary of the bombing of Hiroshima. 6AN in Lesson 6 followed by 9S in Lesson 7 will be doing Music with Ms Donoghue in House 3.

Parents and Caregivers are encouraged to visit all teaching spaces across the school to see the great work children are doing.

In order to help us to organise an excellent day for everyone, could you please indicate when you will be attending during the day on the following form, then return the form to your child's class teacher.

We look forward to seeing you at the Family Open Day and Fun Run.

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Anne Rathjen and Bruce Norris

ATTENDANCE AT THE HCEPS FAMILY OPEN DAY AND FUN RUN

NAMI	E NAME OF CHILD	CLASS
I/we v	will be attending HCEPS on Thursday 10 th September in the following sessions: 6W performance in the Pavilion at 10:30am Fun Run from 11:30am Open Day from 1:30pm I/we will purchase and participate in a barbecue lunch with our children	
No. fa	amily members attending:	
No. c	hildren in the school	
OR	I/we are unable to attend the Family Open Day and Fun Run	
SIGN	IED	