



NEWSLETTER - TERM 3 - 13th SEPTEMBER 2017

DIARY DATES

14/09/17	6E SKY WATCH PLANETARIUM
20/09/17	7W & 7E MARITIME MUSEUM
21/09/17	6AS & 6AN BELAIR CUBBY BUILDING
22/09/17	CUA SCHOOL FUN RUN
29/09/17	EARLY DISMISSAL – 2:05 PM DRESS UP DAY
27/10/17	WORLD TEACHERS DAY
02/11/17	HARD THINKING EXPO / OPEN DAY
03/11/17	PUPIL FREE DAY

Dear Parents/Caregivers,



STUDENT MARKET DAY

Friday September 15th

This Friday September 15th all students are invited to attend a market which is being organised by the Year 4/5/6/7 classes in Houses 4 and 9. Classes will attend the market with their teacher and will have 60 minutes to purchase terrific hand made products and sweet treats and participate in games and activities.

All stalls and activities have been organised and designed by the students. This extensive learning activity aligns with the HASS Economics and Business curriculum as well as links to outcomes in Maths, English, Technologies and Health.

Students have worked in teams to create ideas for stalls and activities. They have had to come up with advertising strategies, business plans, budgets and stall designs. Any profits raised from the market will be sent to the Animal Welfare League. This charity has been selected by the House 9

students after hearing persuasive presentations by other students.

Products will be priced from 50c - \$6. Students need to bring money on the day for this and will be asked to keep any food purchased aside for recess/lunch. Items for sale include tie dyed t-shirts and socks, glitter slime, bubbles, pet rocks, pencil toppers, bath bombs, hand stitched animal purses, cupcakes, jelly, lemonade and biscuits.

Games and activities require **pre-purchased** coupons which are 50c each. Students from House 9 will be selling coupons Mon-Thurs in Week 8. Any unused coupons will be refunded.

Students aim to cover their costs and make a profit to donate to charity, however the main focus of this event is on providing an authentic and valuable lifelong learning experience for students. We really hope that the families of HCEPS are able to support this event.

Many thanks,

Soma Govender, Nicole Gully, Andrea Hayden and Jonathon Warren-White

CUA SCHOOL FUN RUN

Wow!

Not long to go now!

The CUA School Fun run is on next Friday (22/09) for 1 hour from 11:30am within the school.

69 have registered on line and have so far raised over \$3,000 of the \$3,554 pledged. This is a fantastic effort and we're sure that many more students will join in to earn good prizes for themselves.

Remember that Friday is a "House Colours Day". If students are new to our school since sports day they may wear their very

favourite colour. It is not a dress-up or fancy-dress day.

The Fun Run is for all students at school. They will all take part and do what they can in 60 minutes of walking and / or running.

The Canteen will have coffee and muffins for the adults from 11:20am and a Sausage Sizzle will be operating for those adults and children who order from 12:40pm.

Class teachers will keep a check on how many laps each child completes in the 60 minutes and there will be "pit stops" at each class's "check-point" for those who need a rest and refill.

We invite all of our school community to be involved and to get out and be active.

Promotion and prize posters are in each class as well as the Resource Centre windows.

Bruce Norris
DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

NAPLAN ACHIEVEMENT

As you are already aware, the NAPLAN reports for Years 3, 5 and 7 have arrived. On looking at both the school and the individual achievement for the key areas of Reading and Numeracy the results are very pleasing. I am very pleased to say that we have shown sustained growth over 3 or 4 years (depending on the year level) in all 3 NAPLAN year levels. Our Education Director Christine Hatzirang me late last week to congratulate our school on the improvements we have made. A really great story acknowledging the work of our teachers!!! The work of teachers that has led to this improvement was acknowledged by and shared with senior DECD leaders at the Partnership Review yesterday.

STAFFING UPDATE

Congratulations to Jonathon Warren-White and Karina Galloway who have both won permanent teaching positions in our school from 2018.

Our process to choose a Student Wellbeing Leader for 2018-20 has just commenced and will continue for the remainder of the

term. I will notify the school community of the outcome of this process next term.

We welcome Natalie Walker a new SSO to our team. Natalie has been employed to help with classroom and student support. Initially, Natalie is working on Mondays and Tuesdays until the end of term.

PARENT CYBER SAFETY FORUM

Thank you to Senior Constable Carrie Foster from SAPOL who spoke to Year 5s then Year 6/7s on Friday and to a well-attended parent forum on Monday evening this week.

Carrie spoke about different social media and the influence of various applications on child use. She spoke about the hidden challenges and ways that safety can be compromised for uninformed and unwitting users. She urged parents to be vigilant about knowing their children's online activities, openly discuss sites they are using and teach them how to be safe online.

Please note that the planned Week 9 Assembly to be presented by 9N and 8W has been postponed to Term 4.

COMING EVENTS

SCHOOL FUN RUN – FRIDAY, 22ND SEPTEMBER

WORLD TEACHERS DAY AUSTRALIA – FRIDAY OCTOBER 27TH

HARD THINKING OPEN DAY/EXPO – THURSDAY NOVEMBER 2ND

PUPIL FREE DAY ON FRIDAY NOVEMBER 3RD – FOR MODERATION IN PREPARATION FOR REPORT WRITING

Anne Rathjen
PRINCIPAL

LHK TERM FUNDRAISER

We have decided that we would like to raise funds for one of our students, by having a Casual Day / Dress Up as a Super Hero, on the Friday, 29th September. A gold coin donation will be gratefully accepted.

Early next term, we will hold another fundraising day to raise more money for Tyler and his family.

More information will be provided early next term.

A little note from Mum

Hello, my name is Amanda O'Connor and my son Tyler was diagnosed with Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy when he was 3 years old. Duchenne muscular dystrophy (DMD) is a rapidly progressive form of muscular dystrophy that is more prominent in boys. It's a genetic disorder, which sadly has no cure. DMD is caused by a mutation in a gene which can be inherited in families, or like in our case occurs in families without a known family history. DMD is characterized by a progressive muscle degeneration and weakness and is caused by an absence of dystrophin, a protein that helps to keep muscle cells intact. Tyler's muscle weakness leads to noticeable waddling gait, difficulty climbing stairs and just generally keeping up with his mates. It has already affected the muscles of his hips, pelvic area, thighs and shoulders. Later it will affect his skeletal (voluntary) muscles in his arms, legs and trunk. By Tyler's early teens, his heart and respiratory muscles will also be affected and devastatingly most children with DMD don't survive their mid 20's.

On behalf of Tyler and our family I can't thank you enough for taking the time to read our story.

PE NEWS

SAPSASA Athletics

43 Students from Hallett Cove East participated at our district Athletics day at Santos Stadium on Wednesday 6/9/17. Everyone involved did a fantastic job representing our school, helping us to

finish in 3rd place in the small schools competition - well done everyone! A huge thank you to the parents who came out to watch, and a special thank you to those parents that helped marshal the long jump. Well done to the following students who managed a top 3 place amongst tough opposition:

Bianca – 2nd High Jump
Carys – 2nd Long Jump
Austin – 2nd Discus
Melaine -2nd Long Jump
Adam – 2nd 100m
Sara – 2nd High Jump
James – 3rd 800m
Kalyn – 3rd High Jump
Brooke – 3rd 200m
Alex – 3rd Long Jump
Damian – 3rd 100m



Congratulations to Damian and Adam who have made the Southern Valley District team for the relay, Carys who will compete in the Long Jump, and Kalyn who will compete in the High Jump. All the best as you compete against the rest of the state on Tuesday 26th September.



SAPSASA Volleyball

4 teams from Hallett Cove East made the finals which were played on Wednesday 13/9/17 at Mars Sporting Complex against teams from all over the state. Have a chat to the players and ask how they went! 😊



Nick Marks PE TEACHER

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.

Use a writing checklist

Have your child create a writing checklist with reminders such as, "do all of my sentences start with a Capital? Yes / No".

EARLY YEARS TEAM

FUNDRAISING NEWS SEPT. 2017 FATHER'S DAY STALL

The stall was another runaway success with great feedback about the variety and quality of gifts available. Thank you to everyone who helped on the stall, it was greatly appreciated. Thank you also to all the families who supported the stall, it is wonderful that it is still so popular and to see the faces of the children as they pick the presents.

SECOND HAND UNIFORM SALE

We are planning on running a second hand uniform sale in term 4 (date to be confirmed). We thought it would be a great opportunity for existing parents and new

parents to purchase good quality second hand uniforms. We are looking for donations of clean clothes still in good condition. This can be all parts of the uniform and any soccer kits that you no longer need (shorts or socks) but not boots. All items can be brought into the front office for collection. We hope to make this a more regular event if it is a success. Many thanks in advance.

BAKERY DRIVE

The bakery drive is on, you should have received an order form. You can also order via the Qkr app. There is an order form attached at the end of the newsletter. Please place your orders by Friday 22nd September at the latest.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Fun Run Term 3

Bakery Drive Term 3

Dates for Your Diary

Friday 22nd September – **Fun Run**

Friday 29th September – **Bakery Drive**

HELP NEEDED!!

The Fundraising Committee is in need of volunteers; please don't think that if you volunteer you will be asked to do everything, this will not happen. We just need a few people that can spare the time to come to the meetings twice a term, normally half an hour before school pick up. Also to help with the organisation of the events. For example purchasing the decorations for a disco or buying the food or putting up posters around the school advertising the fundraising events. It's a lot of small jobs that need doing and as they say many hands make light work!!

If you would like to volunteer to help on any of the upcoming events this year please contact Sarah Hole on 0488 282 779 or sarahhole073@gmail.com for more information.

THE FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE



JOEY'S JOURNAL

Strong choices

Lately I've been having a lot of conversations with students about friends letting them down. Most of the time this involves a friend not behaving in the way we would like them to. This is difficult because we can't control what another person does, we can only control how we respond to it.

For example, we cannot prevent a friend from saying something mean about another person, but we do have the power to choose from a variety of possible responses. We can choose to contribute to the conversation in order to support our friend. We can choose to say nothing to minimise conflict in our friendship. We can choose to ask our friend to stop, or ask them not to talk so negatively around us. Sometimes we are happy with the decision that we make. Sometimes we feel really uncomfortable with our decision at the time, but the other choices seem even worse. Other times, we only realise later that we didn't make the strongest decision. Learning to make the strongest choice in a situation takes practice.

Parenting expert Michael Grose suggests 3 questions to support your child in their endeavours to make strong choices:

Is it safe? This question helps them to assess risk.

Is it fair? This question helps them to be sociable and consider others.

Is it smart (and in my long-term best interests)? This question encourages them to think ahead, which isn't a typical strength.

As you repeatedly encourage your child to think about and apply these questions to the decisions they are making around you, they will begin to use these questions when they are on their own, just as you probably use these questions without even thinking about them.

Joey,
PASTORAL CARE WORKER
at HCEPS on Mondays and Tuesdays

COMMUNITY NEWS

Please see noticeboard for further information.

- **MAKE BATH BOMBS** – for adults & children. Smell the lovely aromas of essential oils, Wood Oven Pizza lunch included Fri 6th October or Wed 11th Oct 11:00am – 1.00 pm \$15 per person. Tickets pre-purchased from Trott Park Neighbourhood Centre or further FB link <https://www.facebook.com/oilyforinnerhealth/> Thank you, Tanya Oakes 0417 832 158
- **WARRIPARINGA COMMUNITY EVENT** – Wed 11th Oct morning tour, weaving & art workshop. Living Kurna Cultural Centre, Warriparinga Way (off Sturt Rd) Bedford Park. Cost \$11.25 per person. Limited bookings T 8357 5900.
- **WARRIPARINGA YOUTH EVENT** – Kumangka Paringa. Fri 6th Oct 9:30 am to 3:00 pm. Living Kurna Cultural Centre, Warriparinga Way (off Sturt Rd) Bedford Park. Ages 8-20. Free lunch. Bookings essential. T 8357 5900.
- **EVENT CINEMAS MARION** - screening Thomas & Friends: Journey Beyond Sodor on Sept: Sat 2nd & Sun 3rd & Sat 9th & Sun 10th. Two sessions at 10:15am & 12pm. Tickets \$9* and NOW on sale. For further info visit: <http://bit.ly/2wEdWYJ>
- **CLUB SOCCER IN 2018** – The Cove FC is holding season trials for Under 6 to Under 16 on various days. Pre-registration online required <https://www.thecovefc.com/2018-2/> All enquiries to secretary@thecovefc.com
- **MILO in2CRICKET & MILO T20 BLAST PROGRAMS** – Boys & girls 5 – 8 years old. MILO in2CRICKET is super fun, safe & social program. Teaches the **basic skills** of cricket. **FREE 'Come & Try'** at various locations. Register at www.playcricket.com.au
- **PLAY STRAIGHT CRICKET ACADEMY** – high quality cricket coaching services to school aged boys & girls. For amateurs & professionals & aims to boost confidence & build skills. Sessions 1 hour at 2 venues. Bookings at www.playstraight.com.au & enquiries at andrew@playstraight.com.au T 0413 537 796



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FUN RUN SAUSAGE SIZZLE

Friday 22nd SEPTEMBER 2017

Come and Join in the fun!

COFFEE & SIZZLE

available from 10.45 am

Sizzle \$2.50

Coffee \$3.00

Muffins & Cookies \$1.00

Usual Canteen lunches available

No sausage sizzle orders taken



Fundraising Order Form 2017

Child's Name: _____ Child's Class: _____

Contact Name: _____ Contact Number: _____

Product	Price	Quantity	Total
Family Pie - Chunky Steak (6 Serve)	\$16.50		
Family Pie - Chicken & Mushroom (6 Serve)	\$16.50		
Family Pie - Potato & Mince with potato top (6 Serve)	\$16.50		
Pasty Slice - Minced Beef, potato, carrot, pumpkin, onion	\$16.50		
Pasty Slice - Vegetarian	\$15.50		
Large Quiche - Cheese & Bacon (5-6 Serve)	\$15.00		
Large Quiche - Tomato & Spinach (5-6 Serve)	\$15.00		
Lasagne - Traditional (3-4 Serve)	\$13.50		
Lasagne - Vegetarian (3-4 Serve)	\$13.50		
Lasagne - Traditional (6-8 Serve)	\$25.00		
Lasagne - Vegetarian (6-8 Serve)	\$25.00		
Bar Cake (6-8 Serves) - Lemon	\$9.80		
Bar Cake (6-8 Serves) - Chocolate	\$9.80		
Bar Cake (6-8 Serves) - Carrot	\$9.80		
Bar Cake (6-8 Serves) - Banana	\$9.80		
Fruit Pie - Apple	\$9.60		
Fruit Pie - Cherry	\$9.60		
Fruit Pie - Blueberry	\$9.60		
4x Lamingtons	\$6.00		
4x Cupcakes	\$8.00		
4x Assorted Mini Donuts	\$6.00		
Award Winning Christmas Pudding 900g	\$20.00		
Award Winning Christmas Pudding 450g	\$10.00		
		Overall Total	

GLUTEN FREE OPTIONS AVAILABLE - PLEASE CONTACT BAKERY DIRECT

Order and payment cut off date: Friday 22nd September

Collection Date: Friday 29th September

Orders & payments can be made via the Qkr app. Or you can return this form with payment to the front office.

Pick Up Location: Hallett Cove Bakery 1/33-43 Barramundi Drive

Pick Up Date (please tick) Bakery (after 12pm on Friday 29th September) Or Bakery (Saturday 30th 8am-3pm)

DON'T FORGET 20% FROM EVERY ORDER GOES TO THE SCHOOL!!



Community Information Session

This information session will offer people general information about the National Disability Insurance Scheme.

The session will cover topics such as:

- What is the NDIS and how does it work?
- Who is eligible and when can the scheme be accessed?
- What kind of support can be accessed through the NDIS?
- Where can I get more information?

Noarlunga

Room E310, Noarlunga Campus TAFE SA
Ramsay Place, Noarlunga Centre

Thursday, 14 September 2017 at 10:00am - 11:30am

RSVP: <https://www.stickytickets.com.au/57995> or phone 0475 971 403

[ndis.gov.au](https://www.ndis.gov.au)

Marion

Marion RSL Sub Branch, 31-39 Norfolk Road, Marion

Wednesday, 27 September 2017 at 10:00am - 11:30am

RSVP: <https://www.stickytickets.com.au/57996> or phone 0475 971 403