



NEWSLETTER - TERM 3 - 27th SEPTEMBER 2017

DIARY DATES

29/09/17	EARLY DISMISSAL – 2:05 PM SUPER HERO DRESS UP DAY
27/10/17	WORLD TEACHERS DAY
02/11/17	HARD THINKING EXPO / OPEN DAY
03/11/17	PUPIL FREE DAY
29/11-1/12	AQUATICS
06/12/17	CONCERT
12/12/17	VOLUNTEERS THANK YOU BREAKFAST
14/12/17	GRADUATION

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

REMINDER

School finishes at **2:05 pm on Friday, 29th September** for the holidays.

What a busy 2 weeks of wonderful events we have had since the last newsletter. We have enjoyed participating in 3 whole school events that have engaged students in a range of great activities; Market Day, School Fun Run and Buddy Hard Thinking Day. In that time there have also been 2 different class excursions, a hockey clinic and guest speakers presenting on 2 different topics. We are a very busy place!

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 Hatzi rang me late last week to congratulate our school on the improvements we have made. A really great story acknowledging the work of our

staff!!! The work of teachers and SSO's that has led to this improvement was acknowledged by and shared with senior DECD leaders at the Partnership Review yesterday.

MARKET DAY

On Friday the 15th of September, House 9 and House 4 held Market Day. Market Day was very successful, due to all the participating stalls and all of their wonderful products and activities.

The weather was better than expected but it was very windy. In the morning everyone was very rushed to get organised. There were between 30 and 35 stalls for students to see and participate in. We had been working hard to prepare for market day, making posters and handing out flyers at lunch. We were excited waiting for the classes to arrive and to start our own mini businesses. The atmosphere was electric. The day was divided into two sessions. When the first session started lots of people came to all the activities. The people who were running the games had to constantly approach kids and advertise to them. We were busy all the time. We were always advertising or attending to children who were playing the game. Everyone encouraged others and worked as a team. All the groups tried their best to make it successful for kids to enjoy their day. Some of us did an excellent job of spruiking. It was amazing to see kids faces light up when they won a prize once they played a game and when they filled their stomachs with happiness when they bought a piece of food. By the end of the day, all of our products sold out quickly because of our great advertising and fantastic posters all around the school.

When it ended everyone was happy with the amount of money they had made throughout the day. At the end of the day, House 9 made a profit \$1252 collectively and House 4 \$193. The money we raised is going to the Animal Welfare League and Time for Tyler. It was a great learning experience. We learnt about profits and loss, marketing, advertising and how we could make more money. Groups made a lot of profit, even if they spent a lot of money. We would like to thank our parents for all their support for our Market Day.

Reported by students in House 9 and 4E.

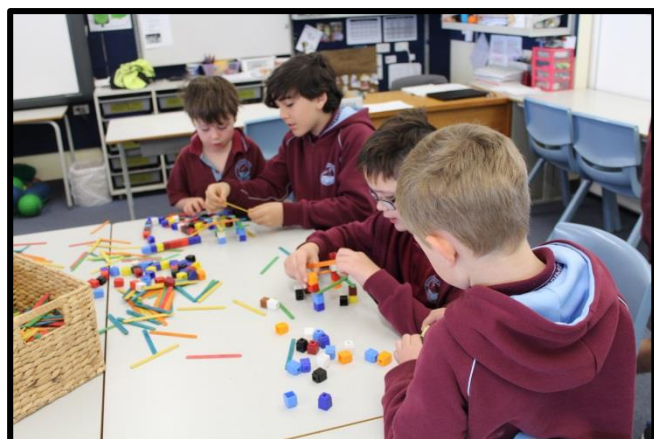


BUDDY HARD THINKING DAY

As you know, our school has had a focus on intellectual stretch/stretch thinking/hard thinking and student voice for the last two years.

Yesterday we had a Buddy Hard Thinking Day. Before recess, classes worked together with their older/younger buddy classes on hard thinking tasks that students had developed. After recess they did the same thing with other tasks working with students from classes in similar year levels. There were lots of problem solving challenges, clue following activities, testing, games, puzzles, making, creating, thinking, literacy and numeracy skills activities happening all around the school and students had a wonderful time teaching each other.

Next term we are having a Hard Thinking EXPO and Open Morning for parents on Thursday November 2nd. More information will be sent home at the start of Term 4, but in the meantime please mark that date in your diary.



FUN RUN

We hope you all enjoyed the Fun Run. Thank you to everyone who sponsored this event and to all who helped make it a success.



MATERIALS AND SERVICES CHARGES 2018

Please refer to an important message and meeting information regarding fees for 2018 at the end of this Newsletter.

MINOR CHANGE TO THE UNIFORM POLICY

Please note that Governing Council has just approved an amendment to the Uniform Policy. Grey leggings may now be worn under pinafores, skirts or dresses. They are not to be used in place of pants. (It is still not acceptable to wear black leggings or black pants of any kind as part of the uniform.) The updated policy has been put into the website under [Parents>Policies](#) for easy reference.

PUPIL FREE DAY

This is just a reminder that our final Pupil Free Day for 2017 will be held on Friday November 3rd in Term 4. Teachers will work together on moderation of the Australian Curriculum in preparation for the end of year reporting process. Don't forget to book into OSHC if child care is required.

HIGHLIGHTS OF TERM 3

We have had another busy and successful term. A number of highlights aside from our routine programs have included:

- Year 4-7 Market program
- Fun Run
- Buddy Hard Thinking Day
- Student participation in the Student Voice in Learning program
- Staff continue collaborative work in Stretch Thinking
- Start Smart Program
- Burnsafes Program
- LHK meetings and student decision making opportunities in a Kids Matter Student Action Team
- KidsMatter Parent Action Team training with staff
- SAPSASA Volleyball, Athletics
- In-school Hockey clinics
- Assemblies including a special Book Week Dress up parade
- Disco
- Wakakirri including a very successful final performance
- Year 7 Yoga Wellbeing program
- Splash Theatre performance
- Maritime Museum Excursion
- Cubby building excursion in Belair National Park

- Bubbleman Science incursion
- National Support Staff Week
- NAPLAN online trial testing
- Staff participation in the Numeracy project
- Staff participation in a Partnership Pupil Free Day with a focus on Moderation
- Staff continue inquiry work in the Re-Imagining Childhood project getting ready for the ECHO conference

SCHOOL SECURITY IN THE HOLIDAYS

To help prevent vandalism and other crime in the school during the holidays, we seek your support to please report any suspicious behaviour you may observe in and around the school to Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000 or direct to Police on 131 444. I thank you in advance for doing so.

.... AND FINALLY

May your children all enjoy a safe holiday. We look forward to seeing everyone back safely on Monday October 16th.

COMING EVENTS

**WORLD TEACHERS DAY AUSTRALIA –
FRIDAY OCTOBER 27th**

**HARD THINKING PARENT OPEN
DAY/EXPO – THURSDAY NOVEMBER
2nd**

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

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.

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

Quick, quick

Use new words your child has learned in lively flash card or computer drills. Sometimes these help kids automatically recognize and read words, especially those that are used frequently.

EARLY YEARS TEAM

FUNDRAISING NEWS SEPTEMBER 2017

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

Thank you to everyone who has supported the bakery drive. Don't forget to collect your goodies from the bakery on either Friday or Saturday. Enjoy!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Bakery Drive Term 3

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

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

CRICKET

As Term 4 is now approaching we are now getting ready for the 2nd season of school cricket.

First round matches will start at the end of week 2 of Term 4. (week commencing October 23rd) and will run through until Saturday December 9th.

Just a reminder that if your child played in term 1 they are still registered to finish the season in term 4.

Saturday mornings games are:

A Grade yrs 6/7

B grade yrs 5/6

Kanga Snr yrs 3

Kanga Jnr yrs 1 / 2

Thursday after school 4pm

C Grade yrs 4

Any new students interested in playing please call or text Jessica Chaplin 0418 714 810 and I will do my best to fit you into a team.



MONSTER GARAGE SALE

Sunday November 5th
10am - 2pm

45 Barramundi Drive
Hallett Cove

Bargains, Barbecue, Cakes,
Raffle, Family Fun.

Come and support our Kindy.

Ph: 8381 9154 to book a stall.

Only \$15 per stall.





JOEY'S JOURNAL

The Golden Rule

This term has seen the introduction of our social and emotional learning program, Play is the Way, across the whole school. Classes have been starting to learn and play a variety of games. These games focus on 5 different concepts, referred to in the program as life rafts.

All classes have now been introduced to key concept 1: 'Treat others as you would like them to treat you'. This is sometimes referred to as the golden rule.

Play is the Way founder Wilson McCaskill refers to society's common habit to 'Treat others as they treat you' as the broken rule. While there is only a small difference in the language of these 2 rules, there is a world of difference in actioning the rules. Students are learning to contrast the golden rule with the broken rule and how living each of these rules makes them, and those around them, feel.

I encourage you to ask your child to explain the golden rule to you and share with you why it is so important.

It is not easy for us to follow the golden rule, we instinctively return to the broken rule when we get hurt, so we cannot be surprised when children are challenged by it. However, like other challenges it is one that gets easier with practice.

The skills that are being learnt through the Play is the Way program are going to grow best if they are reinforced at home, so I encourage you to continue talking with your child about the games they have played and the challenges they may have faced.

Joey,
PASTORAL CARE WORKER
at HCEPS on Mondays and Tuesdays
Joey.Traeger704@schools.sa.edu.au

COMMUNITY NEWS

Please see noticeboard for further information.

- **CHILDREN'S UNIVERSITY LECTURE SERIES.**
Colourful Feelings: Presented by an experienced lecturer. Learn relationship between colour & emotions. Ages 7 – 14 yrs. Children under 10 to be accompanied by an adult.
When: October 12 2017. 10.30 – 11.30 am
Where: Marion Cultural Centre, Sturt Room 287, Diagonal Road Oaklands Park SA 5046
FREE. Bookings essential 83756755 or online at marion.sa.gov.au
- **LITTLE ATHLETICS SA:**
Dare to Dream Athletics Holiday Clinic.
11th & 12th Oct. 9:00 am - 3:00 pm.
More info: salaa.org.au/holidayclinics
Athletics Officials Beginner Seminar
Practical course. 15th Oct. 10:00 am - 12:00 pm. Free.
RSVP: officials@salaa.org.au
Introduction to Coaching Course
Various dates & locations. \$65 per participant. 10:00 am – 4:00 pm. Register online www.salaa.org.au/ITCC or ph: 8352 8133.
- **THE SMITH FAMILY SAVER PLUS** – Join Saver Plus & we'll match your savings, dollar for dollar, up to \$500 for school costs. Uniforms, shoes, lessons & activities, books / supplies, camps / excursions, laptops, sports fees & gear. Contact Kristiana Darling on 0438 648 670 or email kristiana.darling@thesmithfamily.com.au
- **MARION EMERGE LIVE MUSIC** – Fri 6th Oct from 6:00 pm. Artist performing: Fyre Byrd, Ripcord & more. \$5 tickets at the door. All ages. Marion Cultural Centre, 287 Diagonal Rd, Oaklands Pk. Ph: 8375 6855.
- **FREE PARENTING SEMINAR** – Toddlers and Big Feelings – Are you the parent of a 1-3 year old? Come & hear how to help your toddler thrive. Wed 15th Nov. 7:00 – 9:00 pm. Adelaide Convention Centre, City Rooms, North Tce. Ph: 8303 1660 or email health.parentingsa@sa.gov.au
- **SEACLIFF SURF LIFE SAVING** – Open Day Sat. 14th Oct 12 – 3:30 pm. Come 'N' Try every Sat. from 21st Oct. 1:30 – 4:00 pm. Ages 5 to 14 yrs. More info: www.seacliffslsc.com.au or email info@seacliffslsc.com.au



An invitation

*is extended for
the School Community
to attend the*

Governing Council Meeting

To be held on Monday 6th November, 2017.

At 6.30pm Sharp

In the Resource Centre

*The 2017 Materials and Services charge of \$325
will be presented at this meeting.*

*In addition to the Materials and Services charge each student
will be invoiced for an Incursion/Excursion Levy for 2018.*

*Should you require clarification regarding the 2018 fee structure
please do not hesitate to contact the Finance Officer.*

All welcome.

October 25th, 2017



Hallett Cove East Primary School - 1053		
Notice of Materials and Services Charges for 2018		
Notice of Charges for Reception To Year 7		
HEADING	ITEMS AND SERVICES	COST (\$)
Printed and electronic materials related to the educational program and which are provided for the student	Workbooks	\$14.00
	Text Book Hire / E-Book Access	\$0.00
	Photocopied Material	\$37.00
	SUBTOTAL (ZPREM)	\$51.00
Stationery items that are provided for the student	Stationery Items	\$37.00
	Other [please Specify]	\$0.00
	Other [please Specify]	\$0.00
	SUBTOTAL (ZSTAT)	\$37.00
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	\$108.00
	Access to Machinery	\$0.00
	Access to Equipment	\$0.00
	Curriculum/Subject Supplies and Services	\$85.00
	Other [please Specify]	\$0.00
	Other [please Specify]	\$0.00
	SUBTOTAL (ZACMS)	\$193.00
Materials for inclusion in the school library and to enable use by the student	Library resources including access to borrowing library resources	\$44.00
	SUBTOTAL (ZACLI)	\$44.00
Total Materials and Services Charge (excluding Subject Charges)		\$325.00

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
	\$0.00
	\$0.00
	\$0.00