

NEWSLETTER

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SCHOOL EVENTS 2012

AUGUST

Wednesday 15th
Olympics Sports Day 9:20 – 12:30
Friday 17th
Senior Sport @ Warburton
Thurs 30th and Fri 31st
Father's Day Stall

2013

Prep Enrolment Day

Tuesday 14th August

Head Lice Video

Yarra Ranges Council has released a video designed to help parents with the treatment of head lice.

Head lice is an ongoing and often reoccurring problem at most schools. This 3 minute video shows the conditioner process and clearly outlines each step for parents to follow.

Parents are encouraged to view this clip on 'YouTube'
http://www.yarraranges.vic.gov.au/Residents/Public_Health/Headlice

STUDENT AWARDS

PM: Phebe R
PP: Jake C
P/1V: Keith M, Joel D
1 O: Ava W
1/2T: Xavier G, Matthew N
2A: Ella K, Josh K
2/3R: James B, Paris W
3G: Jack H
3T: Holly W
4L: Will B
4T: Gabriella B
5D: Tennyson A
5K: Indigo T
6B: Kobe B
6W: Dean P

A NOTE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Coming Events:

Literacy Numeracy Week

Book Character Dress Up Day

We are having a Book Character Dress up Day on Friday August 31st for the Whole School but also will invite Pre school children for a separate afternoon session.

The afternoon session will be from 2.15pm to 3.15pm and the littlies will be able to come along as their favourite character and enjoy stories and activities. Everybody is invited

Melbourne Storm

Melbourne Storm will run clinics for our grade 3 and 4 children on the 23rd, 30th August and 6th September. These children will go through the fundamentals of the game in the first 2 sessions and conclude with an In house competition on the last session. The children play a Tag rugby which involves both boys and girls.

On November 1st Melbourne Storm will hold a Gala Day at Badger Creek Primary School. This will involve our Grade 5 and 6 children and 3 other schools.

There will be:

Grade 6 Boys Tackle team
Grade 5/6 Girls Tackle team
Grade 5 Boys tackle team
Grade 5/6 Mixed Tag team.

School Council Meeting

Issues discussed at School Council last Monday evening were:

- Leasing Computers – the school is looking at leasing 60 computers in an effort to keep our equipment up to date with the Software usage. Some of our computer equipment is aged, dated and not performing to the requirements of Software used in classroom programs.
- Bus Shelter – we are presently looking at prices for a Bus shelter outside the school in High St.
- School Fair and fundraising ideas. Our School Fair is on Saturday 27th October.

Junior School Council

Our Junior School Council met last Monday at Lunch recess and came up with some of the following ideas:

- Better computers in classrooms
- Looking after the Gardens and trees
- More swirly slides for the Playground
- Fix up the Tunnel on the Play Equipment

Peter Leonard, Principal



Olympics
Comes to HPS
Wednesday 15th August



CANTEEN

Aug 13	Tamara Hoffmann	
Aug 14	CANTEEN CLOSED	
Aug 15	Lorraine Simcoe	Jenny Forbes
Aug 16	Susan Ferguson	
Aug 17	Clare Green	Rochelle Potter

Vikki Chandler - Canteen Manager

Literacy and numeracy at home - Top Ideas

Practice your describing skills (these will be useful in writing and in conversation).
Try lying on the ground and describing the clouds in detail or describe what it's like to eat your favourite food.



PMP NEWS

PMP Helpers

Thurs 16th Aug:

Rochelle P, Heather C, Lorraine S, Melanie W & Kirri S

Fri 17th Aug:

Sharee A, Corinne S, Steve M, Kylie M & Jenny D

Many thanks, Mrs V - PMP Coordinator



Invitation HPS Olympics.



WHERE: Bottom Asphalt near oval

WHEN: Wednesday, 15th August
9:15am - 12:30pm

(if wet - **BACK-UP DATE:** Thursday, 16th August)

Come along to watch and cheer as all the children participate in our own mini Olympics ceremony and events.

Children will be competing in their house teams, so they need to **come dressed in sports clothes and colours** that represent their team. This could include adding ribbons and streamers.

Please ask classroom teacher if you need more information.

OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CHILD CARE PROGRAM

The following activities are planned for next week

Monday	Indoor/Outdoor Games
Tuesday	Treasure Hunt
Wednesday	Cooking Activity
Thursday	Painting & Drawing
Friday	Craft Activity

Judith Ambrose, OSHCCP Coordinator

Healesville High School Presents

THE WIZARD OF OZ

THURSDAY, August 30th, 7:30pm
FRIDAY, August 31st, 7:30pm
SATURDAY, September 1st, 2:00pm & 7:30pm

Tickets available at www.healesvillehs.vic.edu.au

For more information see our website or call (03) 5062 4088

THURSDAY, August 30th - 7:30pm

Family - \$50.00, Adult - \$15.00, Concession/Child - \$10.00

FRIDAY, August 31st - 7:30pm

SATURDAY, September 1st - 2:00pm & 7:30pm

Family - \$60.00, Adult - \$20.00, Child - \$15.00



Sports News

Last Friday we played Woori Yallock Primary at home. All of the teams, Football, Netball and Volley Catch had good wins. Congratulations to all players.

We do not have games tomorrow.

Chris Kent

LOST

Ettie McCarthy's school jacket is missing. Can it please be returned to grade 1.0 if found.

Thank you!

Spare Clothing

We are in great need of used size 6 and 8 track or any long pants to use as spare clothing. Please oblige if you have any.

Thanking you in anticipation, Val Lockwood

Leigh Hobbs - Author / Artist

visits Healesville Primary School on

Tuesday 28th August

All Grades Attending - Cost \$3 per child

The cost of this incursion has been subsidised by the Parent's Club.

Request for payment will be sent home soon.

