

# NEWSLETTER

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## SCHOOL EVENTS 2012

### AUGUST

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup>

Senior sport HPS v Woori Yallock at home

Monday 6<sup>th</sup>

Life Education

School Council Meeting

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup>

Olympics Sports Day 9:20 – 12:30

### EMA

(Education Maintenance Allowance)

### Applications close Tomorrow

Parents and guardians who lodged an EMA application at the beginning of the year do not need to lodge another EMA application to receive the second instalment EMA payment **unless circumstances have changed.**

Parents/guardians whose children have transferred to this school since 28<sup>th</sup> February 2012 will need to submit a new EMA application form.

### 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](http://www.yarraranges.vic.gov.au/Residents/Public_Health/Headlice)

### STUDENT AWARDS

**PM:** Ethan H  
**P/1V:** Jack C, Jamison H  
**1 O:** Ettie Mc  
**1/2T:** Kai B, April A, Elimelech A  
**2A:** Lily C, Issy S  
**2/3R:** Aimee Mc, Ella B, Maddy S  
**3G:** Lillian M      **4T:** Hanna D  
**5D:** Joshua S      **5K:** Justin T  
**6B:** Molly H      **6W:** Tameika S

### A NOTE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

#### Netball Success

Congratulations to the Senior Girls Netball team who defeated Lilydale in a close match 21- 17. Our team was off to a good first half and Lilydale could not catch them.

Tomorrow they play Bimbadeen Heights at our home ground (top asphalt). If they win this they will move further on to the Regional championships. Win/ lose or draw, the girls are a perfect example of how to apply yourself for success. They have been practising with Mrs Williams in their recesses for some time now and have formed themselves into quite a successful team.

They should be very proud of their present efforts!

#### Satellite- P/6 Project

Last Friday Julie Backhouse our P/6J teacher presented the work achieved in our Satellite project at a conference with Monash University. The project commenced at our school February 2011.

This project with the support of Mt Evelyn Special Developmental School is providing education programs for the SDS children in their local Healesville District.

We are very happy with the progress of the program and the learning opportunities it offers all our children at Healesville.

The Satellite program (only one of five in Victoria) was guaranteed continued support from the Education Department, so it now gives us great opportunity to extend our work. We received a further Grant of \$7500 to complete the renovations to the P/6J Room.

#### Enrolments

Just another reminder that Healesville Primary is now taking enrolments for Prep and other Grades for 2013. At this stage of the year we need to start planning and budgeting for programs and staff. So it is important to ascertain our future enrolments.

We have 368 students enrolled at Healesville Primary school. This is an ideal number to know all our students and provide an array of Specialist and support programs to meet their individual needs.

*Peter Leonard, Principal*



**Olympics  
Comes to HPS  
Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> August**



## CANTEEN

<b>Aug 6</b>	Terri Minney	
<b>Aug 7</b>	<b>CANTEEN CLOSED</b>	
<b>Aug 8</b>	Dannielle Mullens	
<b>Aug 9</b>	Marilyn Caldicott	
<b>Aug 10</b>	Lisa Clements	Lyn Brendish

### Literacy and numeracy at home - Top Ideas

Follow the Olympics and practice your maths. Keep track of the medal tally, read measurements of time, distance and weight, compare scores and calculate the winners.



## PMP NEWS

### PMP Helpers

#### **Thurs 9th Aug:**

Isla C, Michelle B, Jody H, Kylie S & Courtney S

#### **Fri 10th Aug:**

Jessie , Nicole S, Donna K, Deb M & Naomi W

*Many thanks, Mrs V – PMP Coordinator*

### Need your child's immunisation certificate?

Parents who need their child's immunisation certificate, can order the required from the Australian Childhood Immunisation Register by phoning 1800 653 809.

Alternately they can order a statement online through the Medicare website.

The Australian Register commenced in 1994 and holds records from ALL immunisation providers in Australia and records for any primary school aged child can be accessed at this site.

If a student has not been immunised or has been immunised overseas and the Register does not hold the records please contact Rose Thompson at the Yarra Ranges Council for assistance on (03) 9294 6475.



## Collect Double Vouchers Until 14th

## OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CHILD CARE PROGRAM

The following activities are planned for next week

<b>Monday</b>	Indoor / outdoor games
<b>Tuesday</b>	Harma beads
<b>Wednesday</b>	Painting & drawing
<b>Thursday</b>	Playdough
<b>Friday</b>	Treasure Hunt

*Judith Ambrose, OSHCCP Coordinator*

Healesville High School Presents

For more information go to our website or call (03) 5962 4088



### THURSDAY, August 30<sup>th</sup> – 7:30pm

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

### FRIDAY, August 31<sup>st</sup> – 7:30pm

**SATURDAY, September 1<sup>st</sup> – 2:00pm & 7:30pm**  
Family - \$60.00, Adult - \$20.00, Child - \$15.00

Tickets available at [www.healesvillehs.vic.edu.au](http://www.healesvillehs.vic.edu.au)

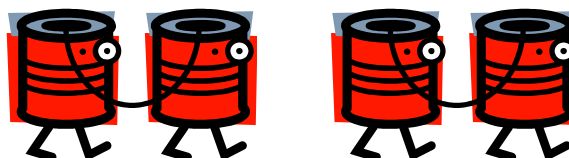


## CANstruction News

This Saturday morning our CANstruction team will be collecting cans outside Coles in Healesville.

Please encourage anyone in the local community who would like to contribute cans of foods to bring them. We are also looking for a builder or engineer who could assist our team in designing our construction. If you're able to help, please call

Rebekah Clarke on 5962 4053



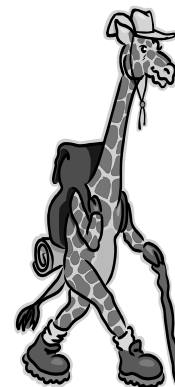
## LIFE EDUCATION AND BREAKFAST NEWS

Breakfast At School has become an annual event to celebrate the Life Education Van coming to visit HPS and also to promote the importance of starting each day with a healthy breakfast.

Harold came along and was so pleased to be able to meet lots of children from our school.

We were once again overwhelmed by the generosity of a number of local businesses.

- Ben and Kate from Healesville IGA for donating cereals, jams, margarine and vegemite.
- Toscano's for donating the fruit.
- Wild Grains Bakehouse and Baker's Delight for donating the bread.
- Yarra Glen Dairy for donating the milk and the fruit juice drinks.
- Without their help, this special event would not be possible, so please support them whenever you can.



Thank you also to the many parents that very kindly came along, some armed with toasters, to help cook, serve and clean up during the busy morning. Your assistance is always tremendously appreciated, because without your help also, special events like this would not be possible.

**The Life Education sessions have commenced so please send along \$5 per child if you have not already paid, as the school needs to finalise the account for payment.**

*Thank You*

## Sports news

### Interschool Sport

Tomorrow our senior students will be playing against Woori Yallock Primary here at home. Unfortunately there will be no Soccer and T- ball matches because Woori Yallock Primary do not have teams in these sports.

Netball and Volley Catch will be played here at school and Football will be played at Healesville High School.

Games start at 1.30 pm.

### Round Robin Tournament

**There was great excitement at HPS with the excellent results at the Round Robin event.**

- Netball

Red team won 5 out of 5 matches.

15-4, 14-2, 16-1, 10-0, 14-0

Blue Team also won 5 out of 5 matches.

9-0, 8-1, 8-3, 3-0, 8-7

All girls played very well and used the skills learnt in practise matches here at school. "I was very proud of them" said. Mrs Williams

- Foot ball and Volley teams were undefeated.
- Soccer team won 2 and lost 2 matches.
- T Ball team drew 1 game and lost 3

All the students enjoyed the day, which was well organised.

### Netball Play off

On Tuesday our Netball team played against Lilydale Primary in the District Semi Final and won 21- 17. As a result, the District Final will be played here **tomorrow** at 11.30 am. This will be a big day for our Netball team because they also play Woori Yallock at 1.30 pm. Congratulations to all of the girls involved and Mrs Williams for their hours of work and training leading up to the Winter sport season.

*Chris Kent*