A NOTE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Welcome back to everyone from the holiday break. I trust that you were able to enjoy time with family and friends, relaxing and recharging for the next stage of your learning journey. Alex, Ben and I played a few rounds of golf, watched movies including ‘Blended’ and read books together. Most importantly we watched every game of the FIFA World Cup. Congratulations to Germany for winning the FIFA World Cup.

Jump rope for Heart
Last term every student participated in the school jump off and raised funds for the Heart Foundation. Congratulations to every student as the school raised a massive $3723.40. Thank you to Mrs Lakeland and Ms House for their organisation of this event.

Canteen
A reminder to all families that the school canteen will be open Wednesday, Thursday and Friday from now on.

German measles
Please be advised that we have been made aware of a suspected case of German Measles with one of our students in Year 5. Please consult your doctor if you have concerns.

The following website, www.health.vic.gov.au, can provide more information if required or contact the Department of Health, Victoria on 1300 651 160

School Uniform
I have been noticing that several students are not wearing school uniform, can all parents and care givers please ensure that the correct uniform is being worn. Can we also ensure that only school hats are to be worn to school. Beanies can be worn before school, at recess and lunchtime during term 3 but not during class time or outside of term 3. Thank you for your cooperation regarding this matter.

HELP
The Prep area is in need of a free standing gate and little fence. If we have any carpenters, builders or handy men that could build this for us please contact me or Penny McLaren. All materials will be purchased by the school.

See you around the school.

Cameron Heath

SCHOOL EVENTS

JULY

Tuesday 22nd
Bike Ed begins (every Tuesday 12.30-1.30pm)

Wednesday 23rd
Round Robin Sports Day

Thursday 24th
Transition to Prep 2015
Open Morning and Morning Tea 9.30am-11am

Friday 25th
Ski Trip to Marysville Grds 3 & 4
Book Club Due

Wednesday 30th
Canteen Hot Diggety Dog Day

Thursday 31st
Bridges to Prep 2015 – Art 2.45-3.15pm

AUGUST

Friday 1st
Ski Trip to Marysville Grds 5 & 6

Monday 11th
School Council Meeting

Thursday 14th
Bridges to Prep 2015 – Music & PE 2.45-3.15pm

Thursday 28th
Bridges to Prep 2015 – Computers & Library 2.45-3.15pm

BOOK CLUB

Book Club is due back on Friday 25th July.
No late orders thank you. Please send correct money.

ENROL NOW FOR PREP 2015
Welcome back to term 3. All children should have received a form to participate in the Special lunch day that we are having on Wednesday 30th July. **Hot Diggerty Dog Day** where children will receive a hot dog, a hot milo, and a yummy Bakers Delight scroll. Order forms and money need to be returned to the Canteen by **Thursday 24th July**. Please make sure you fill out one form for each child, spare forms are available at the Canteen.

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**Parents & Friends Club**

Term 3 is already upon us and we have our regular get-together coffee & chat coming up pretty quickly: **Wednesday July 30th from 2pm in the Bristol**. Come along and share your thoughts and ideas in a very casual atmosphere while getting to know other parents. Children welcome.

On **Wednesday August 20th**, Eastern Health is sending us a dietician to talk to interested parents in relation to the school’s awesome lunchbox program. Everyone welcome, it would be great to see lots of HPS parents come along with lunchbox food questions.

And in the first week of September we will hold a Father’s Day Stall. We always need parents to come and man the stall, so contact me via the office if you are able to help on Thursday 4th or Friday 5th September.

Stay up-to-date with lots of school information by liking us on facebook “Healesville Primary parents and friends club”.

*Thanks, Maidi Mitchell*

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**Creative Arts**

HUGE Thanks from the Creative Arts Department to all families who have continued to donate usable recycled materials for use in the Art Room and the Performing Arts Program. Please keep sending things as your children love to re-create artworks and dress up as different characters. Please put your recyclable items into the box which is located outside the Art Room each morning.

Term 3 needs – dress-up costumes, Womens’ Weekly type magazines, ice-cream containers with lids, cardboard tubes, ribbons, buttons, cards, wrapping paper, birthday cards, egg cartons. If you think you may have something else useful for an Arts Program, feel free to add it to our collection box.

Thanks so much.

_Fenna Hogg, Arts Coordinator_

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**PLAYGROUP TERM 3**

Playgroup meets every Monday morning from 9:30 am until 11:00 am (straight after assembly).
A casual yet fun group – bring a piece of fruit to share.

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**Healesville Netball Association**

**FREE OPEN DAY**

Thursday 17th July at Healesville High Sport Stadium
4-4.45pm 8/under
5-6pm 12/under and 16/under
EVERYBODY WELCOME!

**NEW SEASON BEGINS 24th JULY**

Net-Set-Go, 12/Under, 16/Under, Mixed Open
Also seeking interest for ladies competition

All enquiries ph Yvette 0417595164
Specialist Teachers at Healesville Primary School offer your child a wide range of experiences and activities so that every child has an opportunity to succeed and excel in a variety of areas.

Visual Arts in the Art Room – Grades Preps – 6 Teacher Fenna Hogg
The Art room is always a place for mess, fun and creativity! The students are full of surprises when it comes to invention and experimentation. Preps will continue to develop their ability to use new tools and media as they create paintings, collages and 3D objects based around exciting topics such as – Monster Parties, Jiggling Jellyfishes, Worms World and Popcorn Trees. Grade 1 & 2’s will be discovering the joy of printing, the tricks of weaving, the mess clay makes and how to create stable constructions. Grade 3 & 4’s will be exploring the world of puppet making, the fun of sewing, the art of bridge building and how to make invented creatures fly! Grade 5 & 6’s are completing their clay Tribal Masks by adding paint, wool, wire, beads and other objects, next they will learn to build standing figures, learn about one point perspective and be able to plan, reflect, adjust and assess their own and others artworks. All Grade levels will learn about a variety of cultures, artists and historical settings.

ICT – Grades Preps – 6 Teacher David McGibbon
ICT classes in Term 3 are a time for excitement! The Commonwealth Games are almost upon us, and classes in ICT will be looking at different aspects of the Games from an ICT viewpoint. The Grade 5/6’s have completed their Slide Show’s and will be assessed next week. Soon they will begin work on a website called "Admongo". We will continue to work with iPads across all year levels, learning more and more about this wonderful technology. 3/4 students will investigate a program called Microsoft Visio. Who knows, they may even design a new bedroom! Grade 1’s & 2’s will continue to develop their skills in Word, PowerPoint & Excel. The Prep’s are getting really confident in using the mouse, and this will help in Term 3 as they begin to investigate the possibilities of EduSTAR.
"The only way to do great work is to love what you do" - Steve Jobs. (Mr Mac - ICT Teacher)

Physical Education and Sports – Grades Preps – 6 Teacher Tanya Dale
Juniors - gymnastics (floor work, balancing and rhythmic gymnastics) as well as some throwing and catching skills with various balls
Middle - as above as well as some football clinics to be additional to phys ed program. These clinics will run for 6 weeks.
Upper - as above as well as some cricket clinics in August for four weeks to be additional to usual phys ed time.
This week will be games for the juniors tomorrow and there will be table tennis clinics for Grades 3-6 on Tuesday as a one off session. These will run in the usual phys ed times.

Performing Arts – Grades Prep – 4 Teacher Kerry Thomas
The Performing Arts Program includes the areas of Dance, Drama, Music and Media. During Term 3 Grades Preps - 4 will be concentrating on instrumental music and voice over all levels. This will include learning and understanding of beat and pitch, and rhythm and silence when singing and playing tuned and untuned percussion instruments. All grade levels will take part in creating and making performances to present to a variety of audiences. They will listen to a range of musical genres and identify differences in styles of music and cultures. Choir will be held on Mondays at recess for Grades 3 – 6. Singing and Instrumental music 'gives wings to the mind and flight to the imagination'.

Performing Arts – Grades 5 & 6 Teacher Fenna Hogg
Performing Arts at this level requires students to make and create their own performances in the areas of Dance, Drama and Music using a variety of genres, styles and cultural contexts. This term we will be planning, making and performing Soundscapes using a variety of instruments, objects and media including voice and body percussion. These soundscapes will be videoed and presented. During the second half of Term 3 students will plan, make and present mimes and scenarios using the ideas from Kabuki theatre (Japanese Dance and Drama). They will create large puppets and write scripts ready for presentation.
PROGRAMS FOR 2014

Sunday Afternoon Family Social
- Bring Mum, Dad, the Grandparents, anyone... for a social hit of Table Tennis every Sunday afternoon.
  When: 2.00 pm - 4.00 pm
  Cost: $8.00 per Person or $25.00 for 4 Persons

Tuesday Night Social Competition
- A very exciting and new format played in less than 1 hour.
  Round Robin Teams event.
  When: 7.30 pm
  Cost: $8.00 per Night (includes CDTA Membership Fee)
  Format: 2 Person Teams

Thursday Afternoons (New)
- Group Coaching Sessions.
  When: 5.30 pm - 7.00 pm
  Cost: $10.00 per Person

LOCATION

The Kilsyth International Table Tennis Stadium is a first class facility with over 20 world standard courts, each fitted out with the latest competition table tennis tables and score boards.

The stadium also has an abundance of seating to view the courts, from many vantage points and heights, adding to your experience of this venue.

The Kilsyth Sports Centre is located in the Eastern Suburbs of Melbourne on Liverpool Road just off Canterbury Road, in Kilsyth, Victoria.

INTRODUCTION

Hello and welcome...

We would like to invite new, current and previous players and members to join us at the Kilsyth International Table Tennis Stadium for a whole lot of fun and activity.

Playing table tennis is a fun low impact sport which benefits not only physically but the mental health that we all need in our daily lives.

Come along and allow us to show you the beauty of Table Tennis or for those who have played before, you can work on improving your skills and games. Bring along friends or family young or senior. We like to encourage all to... Try, Play & Enjoy!

MICHAEL BELOT
Development Officer & Qualified Coach

ACTIVITIES AND...

CHILDREN’S PROGRAMS

Children participate in various games and structured exercises which helps enhance reaction and decision making skills. Our program also instills confidence, self esteem, discipline, co-ordination and a positive attitude which helps children in everyday life in a healthy, safe and non-contact environment.

Through various training, playing and competition pathways, Croydon & District Table Tennis offers players of all levels and ages the opportunity to advance their passion for the sport.

EQUALITY THROUGH SPORT

All of the centres programs are used to engage the “CALD” Community Cultural & Linguistically Diverse groups and are made possible with funding from Table Tennis Australia and the Australian Sports Commission.

FACILITIES

MICHAEL BELOT
- NCAAS Level 2 & Diploma V Sports Coaching
- 2002 Table Tennis Coach of the Year Award
- 2004 Victorian State Sport Coach
- 2006 National Training Camp Coach (AS & Corbenal)
- Founder of the VICTA Table Tennis Academy
- Player for CDTA for over 20 years

Try, Play, Enjoy....