



Healesville

PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

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SCHOOL EVENTS 2012

JULY

Friday 27th

Whole School Breakfast

Tuesday July 31st to Tuesday Aug 7th

Life Education

AUGUST

Monday 6th

School Council Meeting

Wednesday 15th

Olympics Sports Day 9:20 – 12:30

Uniform sales

Hoodies, Bomber Jackets and Polar Fleece
Jackets are now in stock.

EMA

(Education Maintenance Allowance)

The second instalment of the Education Maintenance Allowance (EMA) payment is due to be paid towards the end of August for those parents/guardians who chose the EFT payment option on their application form at the start of the year.

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 28th February 2011 will need to submit a new EMA application form.

Applications close on 3rd August 2012.

STUDENT AWARDS

PM: Flynn L **PP:** Michael K

P/1V: Joey W, Darcy V

1O: Tehmarny S

1/2T: Emily H, Nicky M

2A: Darby C, Jake H

2/3R: Ace D, Talia Mc, Angus A

3G: Lara S-N **3T:** Jordyn A

4L: Tyler R **4T:** Bronte P

5D: Caleb L

6B: Clare S

6W: Ethan B

CP-6: Jack F

A NOTE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Grade 5 Camp

A great time was had by all our Grade 5 Campers. Sovereign Hill is an exciting place for students to relive part of our Australian history.

It was pleasing to note that all students' behaviour was impeccable especially when they attended the historic school.

Thankyou to Mrs Hogg, Mr Kent, Mr Daniels, Mrs Bartlett and Stewart Barnard for their supervision of the Camp and also to their partners for giving them permission to attend.

Japanese Students Visit

Today our Grade 2 students had a visit from Japanese students who make their annual visit to Healesville High and our local community.

The Japanese students entertained our children with games and puzzles whilst our students sang songs and showed off our reptiles.

After School Sport Program

Tuesday night has 16 students doing soccer and is running very successfully, but Wednesday night has limited takers. The sessions on Wednesday were tagged as "multi skills" sessions so it may have been a bit confusing to students and their families of what this meant. It was to me!

What "multi skills" means is that each Wednesday session, students will partake in learning the skills of a different sport. We have basketball as the skill session next Wednesday so if your child wishes to attend please notify the Office.

Enrolments

As in previous newsletters we are taking enrolments now for 2013. If you know of any families who intend to come to our school in 2013 in Prep or other Grades, please inform them so we can commence our planning,

In November we will once again hold the every Friday afternoon Pre school sessions leading up to Prep Orientation Day on **Tuesday 4th December**.

We also plan to have a pre school activity during National Literacy Numeracy Week (**27th August – 2nd September**)

For Sale

White Corrugated Iron Water tank 12 months old. 16,000litres.

Price \$1300 ono. Ph 59624053

Peter Leonard, Principal

CANstruction Team Update:

Thank you to everyone who donated cans last term. After creating a sculpture, the team will donate the cans to HICCI for the winter appeal.

The team of grade 5/6 students are looking for a builder or engineer from the local community who would be willing to meet with them once or twice to help develop their construction ideas.

If you are able to help, please see Rebekah Clarke.

CANTEEN

July 30	Courtney Campbell	
July 31	CANTEEN CLOSED	
Aug 1	Cathryn Cosson	Zoe Caldicott
Aug 2	Donna Kennedy	Sharee Anderson
Aug 3	Tania Frogley	Sue Crossland

Literacy and numeracy at home

- Top Ideas

Get everyone in your family to learn a tongue twister and see who can say it the fastest. You could start with:

**'Can you can a can as a canner
Can can a can?'**



PMP NEWS

PMP Helpers

Thurs 2nd Aug: Heather C, Melanie W, Stacey E, Isla C & Kirri S

Fri 3rd Aug: Steve M, Kylie M, Jenny D, Sharee A & Danielle M

Many thanks, Mrs V – PMP Coordinator

TENNIS COACHING

Healesville Tennis Club, Queens Park

FREE Junior Tennis Racquet with new enrolment

Wayne Broom – 0437 008 788

email: healesvilletennis@live.com.au



**Collect Double
Vouchers
Until 14th August**

OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CHILD CARE PROGRAM

The following activities are planned for next week

Monday	Playdough
Tuesday	Treasure Hunt
Wednesday	Cooking Activities
Thursday	Painting & Drawing
Friday	Outdoor Games

Judith Ambrose, OSHCCP Coordinator

Healesville High School Presents

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

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



Don't Forget It's Breakfast At School Tomorrow!

Breakfast will be served in your classroom from 8:15am – 8:50am.

Remember to bring along a bowl, spoon and cup in a plastic bag.

Tomorrow the Life Education Van commences its annual visit to Healesville Primary School. Over the next eight days all classes will be visiting the van to participate in a variety of activities specifically designed to teach children important facts about their body, nutrition and keeping healthy, as well as helping them to develop valuable life skills.

The cost of **\$5:00** per child has been heavily subsidised to make it more affordable. If you have not paid already, please send payment in an envelope with child's name, amount and grade filled out as soon as possible.

**Reminder: LIFE EDUCATION PARENT INFORMATION SESSION:
Friday, 27th July at 10am in the van**