



we show

Respect

we are part of a

Community

we are

Confident

we are always

Learning

NEWSLETTER

Edition 5

Friday 2nd March 2018

A NOTE FROM THE PRINCIPAL



Confidence

During the week I had the pleasure to teach Physical Education to one of our Prep classes. The confidence they showed when learning skills for the first time was amazing. I gave them an activity that required them to roll the ball around the hall. The only instruction I gave them was that the ball must roll, no bouncing. It was outstanding to see all students stepping forward with their opposite foot, bending their knees, swinging their arm back, and following through with their arm. I think we have some future throwing stars! Thank you to all Prep B students for being such outstanding students in PE.

Year 3-6 Athletics

Wow! How great are students at HPS. Yesterday at Mt Evelyn Athletics track all students from Year 3-6 participated in the HPS House Athletics Carnival. It was fantastic to see all students enjoying physical activity! One Year 6 student was talking to me today explaining that her legs are sore but in her words, 'I had the best time ever!' Congratulations to all HPS students, Staff and Parents for their support in making this day successful. A special thank you to Mr Kent for his hard work and organisation.

Mural

I am very excited to announce that School Council have secured local artist Paul Sonsie to paint the following murals on our brick rebound wall. We will keep you up dated with progress of this amazing community activity. The money raised through the Easter Raffle will contribute to funding this project.

Communication

Communication is a vital component of a successful school. HPS has been using Class DoJo for over 12 months and we have found it to be a fantastic way to communicate to our community. Other forms of communication we utilise are the school weekly newsletter, school website, email, phone calls and Facebook. If you would like assistance with any of these forms of communication please contact your class teacher or the school office.



House Points Award System - Tally So Far!

YARRA	MYER	WATTS	CHUM
34	32	30	40

UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS

MARCH

Monday 5th March

Division Swimming

School Review Parent Forum—School Library 9:15am

Friday 9th March

Prep-Gr 2 Sports Carnival: 11:30am-1:30pm

Monday 12th March

PUBLIC HOLIDAY—NO SCHOOL

Wednesday 14th March

Preps attend Wednesdays from today (fulltime)

Year 6 GRIP Excursion: 7:15am—4:00pm

Friday 16th March

Eastern Region Swimming Carnival

Tuesday 20th March

Grade 5 Art & Tech Day at HHS

Monday 26th March

Sean Choolburra Incursion

Tuesday 27th March

Healesville District Athletics

STUDENT AWARDS



PB: Mason P & Ruby R

PV: Caleb R & Lily Elliott

1T: Kevin C **1/2H:** Nate D

2G: Ella K, Asher B, Matilda G, Cooper M, Aaron B & Ella B

3B: Will B, Ruby G & Hunter E

3/4L: Riley M & Summer C **4S:** Archie K

5/6D: Alex B **5/6G:** Olivia M

5/6S: Kai S & Kaleb L **5/6W:** Charlie F

Special s

Our Art room is in need of the following:

- * Egg cartons
- * Cardboard food boxes
- * Ice-cream containers with lids
- * Cardboard tubes
- * Christmas wrapping paper
- * Christmas cards and
- * Shells

Any donations greatly appreciated.



SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL AND GET COLLECTING



We would love your help collecting Coles Sports for Schools for our school. Tell your friends and family to get involved as well, because the more vouchers we collect, the more sports gear our school will receive.

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School Council

A NOTE FROM THE PRINCIPAL *(continued from page 1)*

School Council nominations are now closed and I am pleased to announce the 2018 School Council. However we are still in need of one Community member. The Community Members are usually a parents. If you would like to nominate for this position or nominate another person please contact the school office.

DET Member	Parent Member	Community Member
Cameron Heath	Nicole Street	Sally Wannet
Barb Darling	Rebecca Collins	<i>Position Vacant</i>
Ash Dent	Kylie Short	
Sharyn Borg	Shelli Johanson	
Maidi Mitchell	Clare Hunt	
	Natalie Wells	
	Daniel Wetterings	
	Deb Cameron	

Minute Taker – Louise George

Update on the review

As mentioned in previous newsletters HPS is currently participating in the DET School Review process. During this week staff have had the opportunity to begin to reflect and celebrate on the past four years. Staff will continue to provide feedback through staff meetings while parents have the opportunity to participate in a Parent Forum, which is being held on Monday 5 March at 9.15am in the staffroom. Students will also have the opportunity to provide feedback. Sally Winch has been allocated as our Reviewer and she and I have begun the organisation of the process which begins on 28 March.

Cameron Heath, Principal

It's Easter Raffle time— 6 tickets for \$5

Please remember to write your name on your raffle tickets when you return them.



Once again we are asking for donations for the Annual Easter Raffle. Items can include chocolate bunnies, blocks of chocolate, Easter eggs, colouring books, cups and Easter related items etc. Please place them in the basket in your child's class or they can be left in the office. Tickets will be sent home today and the raffle will be drawn on the last day of term with all proceeds going towards our new Mural wall. Thank you for your continued support.

‘CONGRATULATIONS’ TO ALL

Schools can be busy places and sometimes we forget to celebrate the successes. The students at Healesville Primary have worked really hard on making our school a fantastic community and a great place to learn!

Over the last two terms they have been participating in a program called Rock & Water. This program is designed to assist students with their socialisation and well-being. Students participate in interactive games and activities, followed by a discussion. It has proved to be a great success in helping students deal with any problems they may have had, particularly in the yard at recess and lunchtime. It is fantastic to hear them using the language and see them using the strategies they have learnt in Rock & Water in a variety of other situations.

The Year 5/6 students have also been learning about developing a Growth Mindset. A fixed mindset is one where we believe that our innate abilities, talents and intelligence are fixed. They are either good or talented at something or they're not. A growth mindset is the belief that intelligence, skills and talents are changeable with effort, perseverance and practice.

Students are also receiving house tokens for their positive behaviour and those students who receive 10 tokens have their name and photo displayed outside the office and are deserved 10 Token Club members.

The evidence of the improvements these programs have made, as well as the hard work and dedication of all stakeholders at Healesville Primary School (Students, Parents and Teachers) is outstanding. The number of incidents in the last 12 months has reduced by over 35% and the number of suspensions in the last three years has reduced by over 75%.

Congratulations to everyone for their hard efforts in making Healesville Primary School such a fantastic community to be a part of. Keep up the great work!

Troy Stafford

Year 3/4 Co-Ordinator

Dear Parents/ Guardians,

As part of our school review process we are holding a parent forum next Monday.

This will be an informal meeting that will provide an opportunity for parents to give us feedback that will help us plan for the future.

All parents are welcome to attend.

When: After assembly

(approx 9:15am),

Monday March 5th

Where: School library





HEALESVILLE AUSKICK 2018

Clinic 1 (Fri 16th March) & Clinic 2 (Fri 23rd March)
5pm-6.30pm @ Don Rd Sporting Complex

Term 2 Clinics – Saturday's 9.30am-11am @ Queens Park

COACHES NEEDED

FOR KINDER, GIRL GROUP & GRADE 3-6 GROUP

For More Details Contact: Justine Roberts 0433 554 986

Register & Pay Online www.aflauskick.com.au

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SOCCER TRIALS

PLAYERS AGED 8+

**4TH MARCH
12-2 PM**

**NEW
PLAYERS
WELCOME!**



**DON ROAD SPORTS COMPLEX
249-263 DON RD, HEALESVILLE**

**FOR NEW & RETURNING PLAYERS. JUNIOR & SENIOR LEVEL.
NO RSVP NECESSARY. CANTEEN OPEN FOR COFFEE & SNACKS
BRING ALONG SOME FRIENDS & GIVE SOCCER A GO!**



HEALESVILLE PRIMARY SCHOOL CANTEEN MENU

Open Thursdays and Fridays Only

Wholemeal Sandwiches, Rolls and Wraps **

Choices of Salads are:

Lettuce
Tomato
Carrot
Cheese

Choices of Meat:

Ham
Chicken

Salad only	\$3.70
Meat and Salad	\$4.00
Vegemite Sandwich/Roll	\$2.00

Wholemeal Toasties **

Ham & Cheese	\$3.50
Chicken & Cheese	\$3.50
Tomato & Cheese	\$3.20
Ham Tomato & Cheese	\$3.80
Chicken Tomato & Cheese	\$3.80

HOT FOOD

	Mini Homemade Sausage Roll	\$1.50
	Mini Meat Pies	\$1.10
**	Mini Pizza - Tomato Base	
	Ham & Cheese	\$1.50
	Cheese & Herb	\$1.50
**	Hot Dog in wholemeal roll	\$3.60
	Steamed Dim Sims	\$1.10
**	Home made Lasagne	\$4.00
	Home made Fried Rice	\$4.00
**	Crumbed Chicken Tenders	\$1.50 GF

HOT FOOD - FRIDAY ONLY

**	Mini home made beef burger with tomato sauce cheese & salad	\$3.70
**	Mini Chicken Schnitzel burger with lettuce & aioli	\$3.70

DRINKS

Flavoured milk	\$2.60
Choc, banana, strawberry	
Juice Boxes	\$2.00
Apple	
Orange	
Tropical	
Apple / Blackcurrant	
Sml Water bottle	\$1.00
Hot Milo	\$1.50

SNACKS

Yoghurt	\$2.50
Vanilla	
Strawberry	
Fresh Fruit Salad	\$2.50
Home made muffins	\$1.50
Berry or Apple	
Home made mini muffins	\$0.50
Berry or Apple	
Home made Banana bread	\$1.50
Home made Coconut date balls	\$0.80
Home made Iced cup cake	\$1.50
Home made Lemon Slice	\$1.00
Home made Choc Weetbix slice	\$1.00
Home made Anzac Cookie	\$1.00
Home made Choc Chip Cookie **	\$1.00
Home made Pikelets	\$0.20
Home made Popcorn sml *	\$0.10

SNACK PACKAGED

Liquorice Piece	\$0.10
Veggie Chips *	\$1.00
Messy Monkeys *	\$1.00
Burger Flavour	
Cheese Flavour	
Pizza Flavour	
Healtheries Potato Curls *	\$1.00
Chicken	
Popcorn *	\$1.00

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