A NOTE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Term 4 Planning Update
As mentioned in our Newsletter two weeks ago, Bek Clarke will be acting as Principal for Term 4 whilst I am on Long Service Leave. In her replacement as acting Assistant Principal will be Mr Tom Gamble from Grade 5/6.
Mr Gamble’s first commitment will be to his classroom over this period but will include some additional time to undertake administrative duties. Parents of the Grade 5/6 class will be informed further through Tom of the plans, but can be rest assured that the commitment Tom has made with the class will still be undertaken.

Painting
Over the next 2 days our Senior toilet block will be repainted. Our senior students have chosen the colour scheme – “Shades of blue”. It will certainly be more upmarket than the current drab colours that have been on the walls for over 10 years.

Gymnastic Champs
Congratulations to Jacob Sheldrick and to Holly Estcourt on reaching the National Club Championships. They are a part of the Healesville Gymnastics Centre team which will compete over in Perth during our coming school holiday break.

Sunsmart
Our Sunsmart program operates during Term 4 and Term 1, so next Term children will need to once again return to school with a broad brimmed hat.
Hats can be purchased from our Uniform shop:
Bucket Hats $7

SCHOOL EVENTS 2013

SEPTEMBER
Thursday 5th
Grade 3 & 4 Tabloid Sports @ UYSC
Monday 9th
School Council meeting
Thursday 12th
Grade 3 poetry recital 9-11 am in Hall
Friday 20th
End of Term 3

OCTOBER
Monday 7th
Start of Term 4
Monday 21st to Friday 1st November
Junior School Swimming

NOVEMBER
Monday 4th
CURRICULUM DAY – PUPIL FREE DAY

CYBER SAFETY NEWS - KIK
In the news recently there have been stories about the potential dangers of the social networking app KIK. The KIK app allows people to send free texts, photos and videos. Parents should be warned that some people are using this app to commit offences against children. KIK states that it is for people above 13 years of age. However some children under 13 are creating accounts.
We would encourage you to monitor your child’s use of social media and have open discussions with your child.

For more information and safety tips, go to cybersmart.gov.au

STUDENT AWARDS
PA: Calvin H, Mia K  P/1B: Alex B, Olive L
1C: Mia E, Rob C  1D: Darcy W, Imogen B
2A: April A, Emily H  3A: Charlotte E
4B: Angus A, Xin Sun  4C: Holly W
5B: Bailey K  5/6A: Maddison C
6C: Alex G
Parents’ & Friends’ Club

Congratulations to our Father’s Day raffle winners:
1st Kodi C, 2nd Ishie S, 3rd Rebecca J,
4th Jack H, 5th Jai S, 6th Millie M

We would like to sincerely thank the following businesses who generously donated goods & vouchers to make our raffle possible:
- Valley Xpresso, Healesville Building Supplies, Country Smart, Barrique Wine Store, Mugshot Hair, Healesville Stockfeeds & Farm Supplies, Reece Plumbing, Menz Cutz, Subway Healesville, Carousel Icecream, Beechworth Bakery Healesville, Mountain Bait & Tackle, Yarra Valley Quality Meats, Cellarbrations.

Please support these businesses that support our school.

Thanks to everyone who supported our stall, the kids love choosing & buying their own gifts and the school benefits from any profits.

Coming up next term will be a school movie night.

Thanks, Maidi Mitchell

Healesville Cricket Club

Registration Day - Saturday 7th September
1pm till 3pm at Queens Park club rooms

Boys and girls from ages 8 and over are invited to join our Junior Teams.

FREE PLAYING TOP WITH EVERY REGISTRATION
www.healesvillecricketclub.com.au or healesvillecc@iprimus.com.au

Mathletes of the Week!

This week we saw just two students reach the mystical 1000pts mark. Well done on getting Bronze Certificates:
- Bailey M
- April A

Tom Gamble

THE COMPASS AWARD

There will be a meeting for all students and parents who have expressed their interest in The Compass Award next Thursday, September 12th at 3:45 in the library. Emma Myers from The Compass Award will be showcasing this fabulous leadership program.

Jo Lakeland

Welcome a new team member

We are pleased to announce that Ellen D’Alterio has joined the Camp Australia Healesville team. Ellen has a great wealth of training and experience with Primary School children in the Yarra Valley. Ellen will be taking on the responsibility of coordinating the Before School Care service at Healesville and be assistant coordinating during After School Care. Ellen will also be coordinating during the upcoming Spring Holiday Club. Have you made your Holiday Club booking yet?

This week ‘Stars of the Week’ award winners are Benjamin Jacob and Will Prior who are always amazingly creative and original in the designs that they build using the many different craft resources available.

Congratulations Ben and Will!

Cheers from the Healesville Camp Australia team

Grade 6 Canberra Camp 2013
18th – 22nd November

Students from our school will soon be undertaking an educational tour of the national capital. While on this tour they participate in a variety of educational programmes focused on Australia’s history, culture, heritage and democracy.

The Australian Government recognises the importance of all young Australians being able to visit their National Capital as part of their civics and citizenship education. To assist you (the parent) in meeting the cost of the excursion the Australian Government is contributing funding of $30 per eligible student under the Parliament and Civics Education Rebate (PACER) programme toward the travel expenses incurred. This contribution will be paid directly to the school upon completion of the excursion.

We would like to thank the Australian Government for their support of this program.

Activities the students are involved in are as follows:

We hope that the excursion is a rewarding experience for all students.
**Beetroot Chocolate Cake**

3-4 medium beetrots finely grated  
1 ½ cups castor sugar  
2 eggs  
1 cup vegetable oil  
1 tsp vanilla essence  
2 cups plain flour  
5 tbsp cocoa  
1 ½ tsp bi corb soda  
Pinch of salt

- Preheat oven 180 degrees  
- Place eggs, sugar, oil and vanilla in large mixing bowl.  
- Use electric mixer and beat 1 minute  
- Stir in finely grated beetroot.  
- Sift flour with cocoa, bi carb soda and a pinch of salt.  
- Fold in egg mixture and pour into cupcake moulds.  
- Cook for approximately 25 minutes (test with skewer)  
- Dust with icing sugar.

**Mini Fritata's with Beetroot Leaves**

3 eggs  
¼ cup milk or cream  
¼ tsp salt  
1 cup grated cheese  
Washed and shredded beetroot leaves to your liking.

Mix all ingredients together, add beetroot leaves and pour into patty cups.  
Cook for approximately 15-20 minutes.
LIBERTY FAMILY CHURCH PRESENTS

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 7 @ 6:30PM-9:00PM
LIBERTY FAMILY CHURCH
(1 LILYDALE ROAD, HEALESVILLE)
FREE EVENT

LIBERTYFAMILYCHURCH.NET.AU/EVENTS

FAMILY FUN DAY

SATURDAY 14TH September 2013
HEALESVILLE RSL
10AM-4PM

ANIMAL FARM
MARKET STALLS
FAIRY FLOSS
FACE PAINTING
CLOWN
JUMPING CASTLE
SAUSAGE SIZZLE
JUMBLE SALE
LIVE MUSIC

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& help families of children with life-threatening illnesses.
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