

Hillsborough Herald



Term 4 Week 2 2012

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NAIDOC

This week we are celebrating NAIDOC week. All our Aboriginal students have been offered the opportunity to meet with the Aboriginal children from our neighbouring schools and visit the Awabakal Centre at Dudley. Further, all our children will be engaged in tasks that demonstrate the rich Aboriginal culture that exists in our local region. I thank Mrs Miller for arranging this for us.

Primary Swimming

The swimming program will start this Friday. Families will have all received information relating to this. I think this will be an enjoyable sporting activity even more so if the weather continues to be warm to hot as it currently is.

Bandfest 2012

Our band competed in the Hunter Region Bandfest yesterday. I am very pleased to advise they won their section. Congratulations to Mr Daniels and all the children involved. Further, the support of parents is greatly appreciated.



School Musical

This year our musical will be held on two consecutive evenings being Wednesday 5th and Thursday 6th December at 6pm. All children are expected and needed to attend on both evenings. Tickets are now on sale at \$5 each. They can be purchased at the office or you can send along the order form further in this publication.

Hunter Life

You will recall the children recently visited HL. All children were able to enter a related colour in competition as a follow up. I am pleased to advise Mia Byrne from 1A has won this and a prize to the value of \$300 is coming her way. Congratulations

Interrelate

This was very successfully run here last year and due to popular demand will be run again. These folk are specialists in presenting sexuality education to primary children in the company of their parents. Please see full details further in this publication. The P&C is subsidising this so families attending need only pay \$10. The first session is for Yrs 3 & 4 and the second session for Yrs 5 & 6 although families may attend both sessions for the one fee of \$10.

Annual School Report

I am about to commence the task of developing the 2012 ASR. Part of this process involves the school analysing its performance. This involves parents, students and school staff completing surveys. This provides information which is used to modify programs and practices. This year we will be seeking the views on how we manage Kindergarten Orientation and how well we implement the teaching of reading. I will advise on how and when we will be gathering your views on these areas.

2013 Athletics Carnival

Consideration is being given to changing how we run our Athletics Carnival. Should we continue as we are in having it at school in two sections or should we have the whole school use the Glendale facility? I will be very interested in your views on this. I will give all an opportunity to give their opinion in the next few weeks. In the meantime please consider.

Selective High School 2014

Parents of current Y5 children considering applying for a selective 2014 High School can apply on line from today.

Further information about the selective high school placement process is available on the Internet at: <http://www.schools.nsw.edu.au/shsplacement>.

Just a thought

*If the grass is greener on the other side
you can bet the water bill is higher.*

Steve Purdon

Principal

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Friday 19th October to Friday 30th November	Yrs 3-6 Swimming Friday's Only 12pm-1pm
Thursday's 25th October to 22nd November	Kindergarten 2013 visits 2.15pm
Friday 26th October	Bookclub Due
Monday 5th November to Friday 16th November	K-2 Swimming 12pm -1pm
Wednesday 14th November	Interrelate (in the hall) Yrs 3-4 6pm-7pm Yrs 5-6 7.15pm-8.15pm
Monday 26th November	P & C AGM 6.30pm P & C Meeting 7pm
Wednesday 12th December	Year 6 Farewell
Wednesday 5th December & Thursday 6th December	End of Year Concert 6pm
Friday 14th December	Presentation Day
Wednesday 19th December	Last day of Term 4 for Students
Friday 21st December	Last day of Term 4 for Staff
2013	
Tuesday 29th January	First day of Term1 for Staff
Wednesday 30th January	First day of Term 1 for Kindergarten and Year 6
Thursday 31st January	First day of Term 1 for Year 1 to Year 5
Monday 4th February to Friday 8th February	It's Academic 4pm-4.30pm on Prime 7
Wednesday 6th February	Swimming Carnival Yrs 3-6

This Organisation Supports Our School

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Reasonable rates & quick, friendly service

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ASSEMBLY

Assemblies are on a fortnightly basis on a Tuesday at 2.15 in the hall. Parents are welcome to attend. The next assembly day will be on **Tuesday 30th October**.

THIS WEEK'S ASSEMBLY AWARD WINNERS

KH	Max V	Abril C
KD	Nicholas H	Halle S
KM		Georgia B
1F		Georgia C
1A	Jasmine A	
2/1M	Nicholas R	Joshua M
2B	Izaak V	Abbie H
3S	Matthew F	Georgia B
4M	Abbey B	Ben M
6/5D	Abbie S	Brendon R
6/5E	Dylan B	Callan P

COMMUNITY NOTES

LMCC NEWS

1 Million Women

Register for the girls get together '[Recipe for change](#)' 16-18 November 2012, to promote living better for ourselves and the planet. Hosts will go into the draw for prizes and discounts.

These Organisations Support Our School



Maintenance Plumbing ~ Gas Fitting ~
Drainage ~ LPG ~ Hot Water Systems

Ben Burns Plumbing Service

PH : 0403 651 395

PO Box 3188
Valentine NSW 2280

License # 246216C
ABN # 40580627051

TENNIS COACHING

Percy Street Hillsborough

VACANCIES

Fri- 9am Ladies 4pm Juniors
Sat- 9am Juniors 10am Intermediate (Jnr)

OR

Form a group (Min 3) and arrange a time
 Motto: FUN - FITNESS - SKILLS

George Williams 4942 1634 (24/7) TCA

TERM 4 CANTEEN ROSTER**CANTEEN OPEN****WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY**

Julie Onslow Ph: 0407 215 924

Email: julie-anne.onslow@det.nsw.edu.au

Lyn Frendo Ph: 0411 129 001

Email: g.frendo@bigpond.com

If there are ever any changes or you cannot make your day, please let me know as soon as possible

<u>Wednesday 17th Oct</u>	<u>Thursday 18th Oct</u>	<u>Friday 19th Oct</u>
Liarne Hammond Ian Wilson	Heidi Garnett Michelle Reed Rebecca Pasovski	Melanie Arthur Melissa Ward Eleni Zissis Renee Bailey
<u>Wednesday 24th Oct</u>	<u>Thursday 25th Oct</u>	<u>Friday 26th Oct</u>
Ian Wilson Liarne Hammond	Tony Dine Jenny Charge	Lidija Pearson Tara Finn VOLUNTEER NEEDED
<u>Wednesday 31st Oct</u>	<u>Thursday 1st Nov</u>	<u>Friday 2nd Nov</u>
Amanda Rounsley Sally Hinds	Tracy Wink Liarne Hammond	Sally Hinds Lyn Frendo Amanda Rounsley
<u>Wednesday 7th Nov</u>	<u>Thursday 8th Nov</u>	<u>Friday 9th Nov</u>
Ian Wilson Liarne Hammond	Tony Dine Jenny Charge	Amanda Rounsley Michele Edson Michelle Hogan
<u>Wednesday 14th Nov</u>	<u>Thursday 15th Nov</u>	<u>Friday 16th Nov</u>
VOLUNTEER NEEDED Liarne Hammond	Heidi Garnett Michelle Reed Rebecca Pasovski	Melanie Arthur Melissa Ward Eleni Zissis Renee Bailey
<u>Wednesday 21st Nov</u>	<u>Thursday 22nd Nov</u>	<u>Friday 23rd Nov</u>
Ian Wilson Liarne Hammond	Tony Dine VOLUNTEER NEEDED	Lidija Pearson Tara Finn VOLUNTEER NEEDED
<u>Wednesday 28th Nov</u>	<u>Thursday 29th Nov</u>	<u>Friday 30th Nov</u>
Ian Wilson VOLUNTEER NEEDED	Tracy Wink Liarne Hammond	Sally Hinds Lyn Frendo Amanda Rounsley
<u>Wednesday 5th Dec</u>	<u>Thursday 6th Dec</u>	<u>Friday 7th Dec</u>
Ian Wilson Liarne Hammond	Tony Dine Jenny Charge	Melanie Arthur Melissa Ward Eleni Zissis Renee Bailey
<u>Wednesday 12th Dec</u>	<u>Thursday 13th Dec</u>	<u>Friday 14th Dec</u>
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When sexuality is the question...



**interrelate
has the
answers!**



Interrelate is a specialist organisation with over 85 years experience teaching sexuality education in NSW schools. Interrelate educators are highly trained and skilful presenters.

The topic of sexuality will be handled with sensitivity, openness and humour. The programs offer an interactive approach to learning, with a variety of audio-visual materials, discussion and games. A range of books on sexuality education and parenting will be for sale.

Evening programs provide age-specific sessions of about one hour's duration.

Interrelate will be offering the program at
Hillsborough Public School

In the Hall - 14th November 2012

- Primary 1 session 6pm - 7pm
- Primary 2 session 7.15pm to 8.15pm

- **informative**
- **entertaining**
- **family focused**
- **designed to encourage parent/child discussion**

**Keep a look out for flyers (coming home with your child before the program) outlining session content*

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School Musical Tickets Order Form

Child's Name: _____ Class: _____

Quantity: _____ @ \$5 ea Wednesday 5th December 6pm

Quantity: _____ @ \$5 ea Thursday 6th December 6pm

You can make payments by Credit Card. Please fill in your details and return with permission slip.

Students name: _____ Class: _____

Cardholder name: _____ MasterCard / Visa (please circle)

Card Number: _____ Expiry date: ____/____/____ Amount: _____

Signature: _____ Date: ____/____/2012