

# Hillsborough Public School Newsletter

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## Term 3 Week 3

31 July 2013

### Principal's Report...

#### Education Week

This Week is Education Week. Our day of activities will be **THURSDAY 1st August**. Our activities will start at 9.30am in our hall where we will have a brief assembly followed by performances from our choirs, band and dance group. The classes will then be available to parents to visit. I know the P&C is having a BBQ type lunch so some may wish to stay during the lunch break and picnic with the children.

#### NAIDOC WEEK

Very proudly celebrated



#### Uniform Items

Please support the school by keeping our standards high. I am more than happy to provide any items children need to be in full school uniform.

#### Disco

Our next disco is on Thursday 8th August. It will be somewhat different from previous discos. All the children will come to the one session which will commence at 6.00pm and conclude at 8.00pm. All children are to be delivered and collected by parents or a duly appointed adult. The P&C will hold a sausage sizzle meal commencing at 5.30pm. Children attending this MUST be accompanied by their parent. A cost of \$5 per child is required to be paid upon entry to the disco.

#### Our Successes Continued

I am please to advised that our Knock Our Boys Soccer Team have won their round 5 game. This means they are 1 of 15 teams still alive in the state.

Student, Jacqueline F, recently attended the Hunter Region Gifted & Talented Camp. She was Highly Commended for her entry in a creative design competition. My congratulations to all involved.

#### K-2 Excursion

The big day out will occur next Tuesday. All involved will receive a letter of information in the next day or so. Be on the look out for this as the children will be delivering it.

### Dates for the Diary

#### Thursday 1st August

Education Week Activity Day

#### Tuesday 6th August

K-2 Reptile Park Excursion  
Parents Welcome

#### Thursday 8th August

Term 3 Disco

#### Week Starting 12th August

Book Fair

#### Wed 7th & Thur 8th August

Zone Athletics

#### Tuesday 13th August

University Competition  
Mathematics

#### Monday 19th August to Wednesday 21st August

Morisset Camp Years 3 & 4

#### Wednesday 21st August

Read You Can Orang-utan K-2

#### Saturday 24th August

P&C Trivia Night

#### Tuesday 27th August

Father's Day Stall

#### Wednesday 28th August to Friday 30th August

Canberra Camp Years 5 & 6

#### Wednesday 4th September

Anti Bullying Performance

#### Thursday 12th September

Kinder Orientation

#### ASSEMBLY

Assemblies are on a fortnightly basis on a Tuesday at 2.15pm in the hall. Parents are welcome to attend. The next assembly day will be **Tuesday 20th August**. The assembly item will be performed by **2B**.

## Principals Report...

### APPs

All our students are engaged in learning through the use of iPad technology. iPads provide students with engaging, hands on learning that enables them to complete set tasks in many different technological ways. The apps that the school has downloaded onto these iPads are mostly free and can be downloaded through iTunes. Most apps are applicable to iPhones and other Smart Phones. Each week we will be highlighting a popular app that is being used in the classrooms that your child may want to share with you and engage with at home. These apps are all educational, fun and safe to use. A new app will be showcased each week.

**This weeks featured APP is Toontastic**



Toontastic: FREE  
Launchpad Toys

**Toontastic** is a fun and exciting app that enables students to create their own cartoon stories. The app creates a puppet-show like story, using characters, backdrops and music of your choice you can create a multi-scene movie! This app is used a lot in our classroom as a tool for publishing narratives, drama and engaging students in speaking and listening activities.

**Please remember to regularly visit our website.  
Have you downloaded our App ?**

*Steve Purdon*  
**PRINCIPAL**

## Library News...

### Book Week

The theme for Book Week 2013 is *Read across the universe*. The annual **Book Fair** will be held in the library.

**When: Tue 13, Wed 14 & Thur 15 August 2013.**

**Time: Before School: 8:00am - 9:00am**

**After School: 3:00pm - 3:30pm**

### K-2 Book Week Performance

K-2 students will be celebrating Book Week on Wednesday 21 August with a vibrant, colourful show *Read you can orang-utan* about the ways we communicate from School Performance Tours. The cost is \$4.00 per student, please bring payment into the office by 16 August, 2013.

### Premier's Reading Challenge

Congratulations to those students who already have a completed entry. All entries must be in at school by no later than Thursday 22 August so that they can be checked and validated before the closing date on September 1, 2013. Only 3 weeks to go. Keep reading!

*Toni Norton*  
*Teacher Librarian*

## P&C Fundraising News...

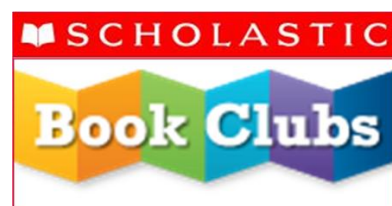
### Trivia Night

Make sure you get in soon to buy your tickets and secure a table for the Trivia Night being held on Saturday 24th August at Charlestown Golf Club from 7pm. Tickets are selling well and it promises to be a great night with some fantastic prizes up for grabs (see more details further in the newsletter). Tickets can be purchased at the office - \$20 each (\$200 for a table of ten), including finger food. All welcome.

### Disco

The P&C will hold a barbecue dinner in the COLA prior to next week's school disco. Grab a sausage sandwich for dinner and some glow products for the disco!

**No Book Club Orders will be issued in Term 3 as we are having a Book Fair in Week 5**



The next P&C meeting will be held Monday 9th September from 7pm

**ALL WELCOME TO ATTEND!**

**School Banking is on MONDAY**



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**UNIFORM SHOP HOURS**

**Thursday  
8.30am - 9.30am**



TERM 3 CANTEEN ROSTER  
**THURSDAY & FRIDAY**

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TERM 3	
<b>Thursday 1st August</b>	<b>Friday 2nd August</b>
Tracy Wink Margaret Parkes Fiona Freeman	Lidija Pearson Tara Finn Leisa Anderson
<b>Thursday 8th August</b>	<b>Friday 9th August</b>
Melinda Smith Jenny Charge Margaret Parkes	Sally Hinds Lyn Frendo <b>VOLUNTEER NEEDED</b>
<b>Thursday 15th August</b>	<b>Friday 16th August</b>
Melinda Smith Margaret Parkes Fiona Freeman	Michele Edson Amy Tanchevski <b>VOLUNTEER NEEDED</b>
<b>Thursday 22nd August</b>	<b>Friday 23rd August</b>
Heidi Garnett Michelle Reed Rebecca Pasovski	Melanie Arthur Melissa Ward Eleni Zissis Renee Bailey
<b>Thursday 29th August</b>	<b>Friday 30th August</b>
Tracy Wink Melinda Smith Fiona Freeman	Lidija Pearson Tara Finn Leisa Anderson
<b>Thursday 5th September</b>	<b>Friday 6th September</b>
Melinda Smith Jenny Charge <b>VOLUNTEER NEEDED</b>	Sally Hinds Lyn Frendo <b>VOLUNTEER NEEDED</b>
<b>Thursday 12th September</b>	<b>Friday 13th September</b>
Melinda Smith <b>VOLUNTEER NEEDED</b> Fiona Freeman	Michele Edson Amy Tanchevski <b>VOLUNTEER NEEDED</b>
<b>Thursday 19th September</b>	<b>Friday 20th September</b>
Heidi Garnett Michelle Reed Rebecca Pasovski	Melanie Arthur Melissa Ward Eleni Zissis Renee Bailey

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**WARNERS BAY PHYSIE AND DANCE**  
PHYSIE IS GREAT FUN - WHY NOT TRY SOMETHING NEW?  
'Physie' is a combination of ballet, aerobics, gymnastics and jazz  
dance all rolled into one!  
Classes range from 3-4 Years through to Ladies.  
Team and individual events available at a low cost.  
Enquiries are welcome to Mandy on **0408 206 349**.

# TRIVIA Night



**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> August, 7pm**  
**Charlestown Golf Club**

## **Prizes up for grabs so far include...**

- A framed photo and bib signed by the 2013 NSW Swifts netball team
- 2 x NSW Swifts pencil case sets
- Newcastle Knights tickets and genuine first grade training singlet
- A voucher for a beauty treatment at Ella Bache Charlestown
- A family pass to the Australian Reptile Park
- A family pass to Hunter Ice Skating Stadium
- 2 x income tax preparation/lodgements from Williamson Chaseling Chartered Accountants
- A men's skincare pack from Milk & Co by Michael Klim
- A selection of wine from Wine Selectors
- A framed print and a cosmetic purse from Sally & Jane
- A skincare pack from Skin Juice Nutraceuticals
- Movie tickets for Hoyts Charlestown and Lake Cinema
- Games of golf at Charlestown, Belmont and Waratah Golf Clubs
- A gift voucher for Wests Leagues Club restaurants
- A gift voucher for The Gunyah Hotel
- A gorgeous pot from Poppy's Garden Centre
- Private tastings at Peterson House
- 2 x in home lighting consultations from Beacon Lighting
- A gift voucher from The Games Shop at Charlestown Square
- Lots of Jim Beam and Jack Daniels merchandise



**...and much more still to come!**

**DON'T MISS OUT ON THE FUN & PRIZES!**

**Tickets still available at the office –  
\$20 each OR tables of ten \$200**





## YOU'RE INVITED

to help celebrate

**50 fabulous years of**

**Hillsborough Public School**

and have some fun at a

# TRIVIA NIGHT!

presented by Hillsborough Public School P&C

**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> August**  
**7pm for 7.30pm start**  
**CHARLESTOWN GOLF CLUB**

Barker Avenue, Hillsborough

**Tickets: \$20 each**

**INCLUDES FINGER FOOD, PRIZES,  
GAMES & MORE!**

**Tables of 10 or come and make  
new friends! All welcome!**

Tickets available from the office  
(numbers are strictly limited)

**SORRY, NO CHILDREN**

For further information phone Julie Byrne 0414434497

## TRIVIA NIGHT PAYMENT DETAILS

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to purchase \_\_\_\_\_ ticket/s @ \$20 each  
Total enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please seat me with the following people:

\_\_\_\_\_

OR

I would like to purchase \_\_\_\_\_ table/s of 10 @ \$200  
Total enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Names of table guests:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Payment Method: Cash / Credit Card / Cheque**

Cheques to be made out to Hillsborough Public School P&C Fundraising

**Credit Card Payments:**

Card Type: MasterCard / Visa

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