

# Hillsborough Public School Newsletter

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**Term 2 Week 5**

**28 May 2014**



## Dates for the Diary

**Every Friday from 2nd May—  
30th May**  
Sport For life Yrs 3-6

**Thursday 29th May then each  
Friday till 27th June.**  
Sport For life Yrs K- 2

**Thursday 5th, Friday 6th,  
Tuesday 10th & Wednesday  
11th June**  
Life Education Program

**Thursday 12th June**  
Responsible Pet Show

**Tuesday 17th June**  
Matter of Seconds  
Council Water Safety Program

**Friday 27th June**  
Last Day of Term 2

**Monday 14th July**  
Staff Development Day

**Tuesday 15th July**  
Students return Term 3

**Thursday 31st July**  
Civic Theatre—Wombat Stew

**Wednesday 27th August—  
Friday 29th August**  
Years 3 & 4 Sydney Camp

**Wednesday 3rd September—  
Friday 5th September**  
Years 5 & 6 Gosford Camp

## Food for Thought in Stage Two

*Our Stage two classes sampled breads of the world this week as part of their integrated English unit.*

## Principal's Report...

This week our Stage Two classes had the chance to sample breads from around the world as a delicious introduction to their English unit focusing on Informative texts. Students were able to sample a variety of breads including bagels, naan, pita, baguettes, and even the German pumpernickel bread that had students discovering not everything that looks like chocolate tastes like chocolate.



*Students enjoying flavours from other lands*

*Pumpernickel was not a crowd pleaser*



**School Banking is on MONDAY**



**UNIFORM SHOP HOURS**

**Thursday  
8.30am - 9.30am**

**Don't forget fruit break!**



**LOST SOMETHING?**

**There is a lost property box located in the office in sickbay.**

**Please remember to label all items that are brought to school so that they can be returned to your child if they go missing.**





## Principal's Report...continued...

This past week has seen our students achieving great things in a couple of interschool competitions.

Firstly we entered a team in the science and engineering Straw Tower Building competition. Their brief was to build a tower using only straws and glue. The tower could not weigh more than 60 grams and was judged on how much weight it could bear. It was an amazing piece of engineering as the group had to research tower structures and create their entry. The resulting tower was able to carry 2.95 kgs and was placed third in the competition.



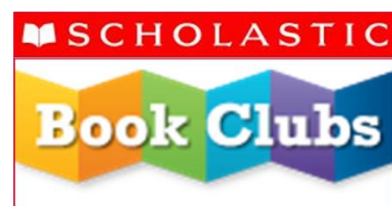
*Our straw tower builders*

Stage Three also entered a team in the Law Week challenge 'Clued Up Kids'. Teams were given a crime to investigate, the 'coward punch' assault of Wiil Winn. Their clues came in the form of witness statements and police evidence from Constable Gunna Catchem. Students had to solve the crime and present their findings in Belmont Court House. Our team worked very well together making us all proud with their great presentation.



*Our team present their case to the magistrate*

**Book Club has been delivered and ready for pick up.**



The next P&C meeting will be held Friday 20th June at 8.30am in the Library.

**ALL WELCOME TO ATTEND!**

### 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 **on Tuesday 3rd June**. The item will be performed by **3M**.



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## Principal's Report...continued...

Just a reminder that our Life Education program begins next week. For the first time in several years Healthy Harold is coming to us! The Life education van will be here in our playground from Thursday next week, providing engaging and highly relevant programs to our classes.

It has come to my attention that several students are taking 'short cuts' as they leave school in the afternoon by hopping the fence at the bottom of the hill. This poses a safety risk as that part of the playground is not patrolled, so any accidents or incidents that may happen there are not dealt with. Neither should students be entering the teachers' carpark of an afternoon. This is not a pick up zone [if you have special needs you would like to have considered please see me]. Our staff are at the front gate to supervise students, this is where we can check that every child is picked up and gets on their way home safely. Our expectation is that every child who is going home after school [ie: not going to OOSH] will leave our school through the front gate and teachers will be directing all students that way. Your support in this matter is appreciated.

And finally, a new addition to our newsletter this week is our 'Class of the Week'. Each week one class will get the chance to share the fabulous work they are doing with our school community. This week we feature the amazing work of our Kindergarten classes. It is no wonder Mrs Hewitt and Mrs Mills are so proud of them!

Lucinda Farrell

Relieving Principal

### Toys At School

There have been some recent problems with students toys being lost or damaged at school. While not wanting to discourage students from bringing an appropriate toy or hobby that they can enjoy with friends at lunch times, I would like to stress how important it is for students to think carefully about what to bring to school and how they are going to look after it. Also please make sure everything you bring is clearly labelled.

**BE THE BEST  
YOU CAN BE!**


**Skill, discipline, confidence, fun and  
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The Avalon Circus Academy has been generating athletes, acrobats, entertainers and well rounded young people in the Hunter for almost 20 years.

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Avalon Circus  
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# Canteen Roster

TERM 2 ROSTER

## THURSDAY & FRIDAY

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<u>Thursday 29th May</u>	<u>Friday 30th May</u>
Heidi Garnett Michelle Reed Rebecca Pasovski	Tara Finn Leisa Anderson Lidjia Pearson <b>VOLUNTEER NEEDED</b>
<u>Thursday 5th June</u>	<u>Friday 6th June</u>
Jenny Charge Amiee Buckerfield Melinda Smith	Kelly Gibson Lauren Halloran Narelle Kirsch Melanie Evans
<u>Thursday 12th June</u>	<u>Friday 13th June</u>
Jan Newbold Fiona Freeman Margaret Parkes	Mel Arthur Mel Ward Renee Bailey Eleni Zissis
<u>Thursday 19th June</u>	<u>Friday 20th June</u>
Melinda Smith Melanie Evans <b>VOLUNTEER NEEDED</b>	Tara Finn Leisa Anderson Lidjia Pearson Kelly Gibson
<u>Thursday 26th June</u>	<u>Friday 27th June</u>
Heidi Garnett Michelle Reed Rebecca Pasovski	Sally Wallace Adam Pirona Helen Singleton Amanda Rounsley

Notes sent home  
this week:

Wombat Stew  
(K—2)

Notes to be  
returned:

Sport For Life  
(return asap)

Life Education Program  
(return Monday 2nd June)

Wombat Stew  
(return Friday 27th June)



ACCREDITED BEFORE SCHOOL, AFTER SCHOOL & VACATION CARE!

6:30AM-9:00AM BSC

3:00PM-6:00PM ASC

6:30AM-6:00PM VAC

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### Late Arrival & Early Pick Up of Students

Parents/carers are advised that children who arrive late to school need to come to the office to get a "Late Arrival" note, regardless of whether they are accompanied by an adult.

If you are picking up your child early from school, parents/carers or a designated person MUST come to the office to get an "Early Leaver" note before collecting their child. Teachers will not allow your child to accompany you unless you provide them with the Early Leaver note.



## P&C News...

Hillsborough Public School have a Fair coming up in October. Thank you to all those who came to our meeting on Monday night, it is always lovely to see new faces and we appreciate you all taking the time. We discussed some great ideas and are now planning for a fun filled afternoon with competitions, stalls, performances, face painting, cupcake decorating, BBQ and lucky dips to name a few. While our planning is in full swing we welcome any new ideas and offers for help.

There will be class run stalls and community run stalls on the day, these will be available for a fee and we only have a limited number available, if you are interested in holding a stall or want to help please email Danielle [dwhiting75@gmail.com](mailto:dwhiting75@gmail.com) or Julie [julieandmick4@bigpond.com](mailto:julieandmick4@bigpond.com).

### Sushi on the Menu

The P&C would like to congratulate Dylan N and Riley T in Year 6 they have both been selected in the Under 12 Northern NSW Football Squad to compete at the Saitama International Junior Football Tournament in Saitama, Tokyo in July.

The boys were selected following a 4 day camp in Armidale in January.

Boys from all regions across Northern New South Wales were selected to attend the camp in January.

The Saitama tournament is held annually in Japan, with 16 local and international teams competing and is a very prestigious tournament.

To raise funds to help get the boys to Japan, the school canteen will be selling Sushi over 4 consecutive Fridays for lunch.

Commencing Friday 6th June students will be able to order Sushi lunch at the canteen from Akira Sushi at Mt Hutton. Cost of each roll of Sushi is \$3.50 and a selection of Sushi varieties will be available to order. Students are required to have their orders to the canteen by Thursday morning in the canteen order box with full payment as the Sushi will be delivered fresh to the school Friday morning in time for lunch at 11.00am.

An order form with a menu is attached to this newsletter. If your child wishes to order a drink or any additional food they may do so by submitting an additional order to the canteen on the day.

Thank you for your support and good luck Dylan and Riley.

### **Slice Drive:**

Notes and order forms were sent home with the children on Friday about our 'Supa Slice Drive' fundraiser. We would love you to ask your friends, family, neighbours and workmates to support our school and buy some of the delicious slices, biscuits or cookies. Order forms and money must be returned to the office by **FRIDAY 6TH JUNE** (next Friday) to ensure delivery in the last week of term. Extra order forms are available in the office. Products range from \$5.00 to \$8.50 and slices come plasticwrapped and sealed in reusable decor containers. They can be kept in the fridge for two weeks or can also be frozen.



### **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!

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## A Snapshot of Kindergarten

Our two Kindergarten classes KM and KH have certainly settled in beautifully to school life. Both Mrs Mills and Mrs Hewitt are super proud of how enthusiastic, hard working and caring all our Kindergarten students are. This term we have been hard at work engaging in units of study 'Ourselves', 'Our Five Senses', 'Healthy Habits' and an Author Study on Eric Carle. Our Kinder's are hard at work becoming fantastic super star readers and writers. Our two Kindergarten classes love coming together to share in learning experiences and if you get a chance to pop into our classrooms it is like walking into an Art Gallery with all the amazing artworks we have been creating.







The NEW Entertainment™ Memberships are here!

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### **ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS**

Entertainment Books will be sent home this week, one per family. If you do not want your Entertainment Book please send the book back to the office or your child's teacher asap.





## Milo in2CRICKET is coming to Charlestown Indoor Sports Centre

The MILO in2CRICKET program will offer boys and girls aged 5 to 10 years the opportunity to learn lots of new cricket skills like batting, bowling, catching and throwing whilst most importantly – **HAVING FUN!**

This program will operate on Friday afternoons for 6 weeks at Charlestown Indoor Sports Centre from 4pm till 5pm commencing on May 16<sup>th</sup>. This program will be run by Cricket NSW staff with the cost \$80 per child (includes Milo in2CRICKET participant pack - shirt, hat, bat, ball, drink bottle & bag)

Parents can register their child/ren online at [www.in2CRICKET.com.au](http://www.in2CRICKET.com.au)

Please direct any questions to Neil via email at [Neil.McDonald@cricketnsw.com.au](mailto:Neil.McDonald@cricketnsw.com.au)

Sunday  
8th June  
2014

10am ~ 2pm  
Railway Sheds  
Newcastle  
Foreshore

sidsandkids®

red nose day

HUNTER REGION

An event to raise funds and awareness  
for SIDS and Kids Hunter Region.

Entertainment by  
Ruby the Clown

Come and meet  
Carly & Tressie  
from MKR

Magician  
Airbrush Tattoos  
Reptile Display  
Face Painting  
Craft Corner  
Sausage Sizzle

SIDS and Kids Hunter Region is a not-for-profit organisation which provides ongoing bereavement support for those in the Hunter Region affected by the death of a baby or child during pregnancy, birth, infancy or childhood; for example: Miscarriage, Stillbirths, Neonatal deaths, SIDS, Accidents, Illnesses and Drowning.

For More Info Call 02 4969 3171

Free Entry

## SUSHI ORDER FORM

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ CLASS: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

SUSHI ROLLS \$3.50 EACH:

	Quantity
Chicken Schnitzel	_____
Chicken Avocado	_____
Chicken Teriyaki	_____
Tuna Avocado	_____
Tuna Cucumber	_____
Tempura Prawn	_____
Vegetable	_____
Smoked Salmon Avocado	_____

TOTAL COST \_\_\_\_\_



**Thank you for supporting  
our fundraising effort!**

Enjoy our Baked Fresh range including Smarty Pants, Freckle Face & Muesli cookies, all with no artificial colours or flavours. Packed in resealable ziplock packs, they taste like they have just come out of the oven! There are 10 delicious cookies in each pack.

All our popular slices are freshly baked with the finest ingredients, then plastic wrapped and hygienically sealed in re-usable deco® 750ml containers. Slice size is approx. 165 x 80 x 25mm.



latté slice



hedaehoa slice



peppermint slice



caramel slice



rocky road slice



raspberry crumble slice



Lemon slices



brownie slice



chac viennese fingers



butter vo vos



mini neonish tarts



mini mixed iam tarts



mixed assorted shortcakes

Try a 30 gram Triple Chocolate or Macadamia & White Chocolate Chunk cookie from our new Café range in your lunch box. Individually wrapped for your convenience, these are a delicious treat in between meals! There are 10 cookies in each pack.

ORDERS ON BEHALF OF FAMILY,  
FRIENDS AND NEIGHBOURS

Recommended Retail Prices (valid to 31/12/2014) ▶

[illegible]

Total quantities of each product ▲

[illegible]

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ GROUP/CLASS: \_\_\_\_\_

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6 JUN 2014  
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