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## Monday 18th November 2013

#### **HELLO EVERYONE**

Welcome Ms Kylee Hughes to Hannam Vale Public School! ...and Thanks also to Katie who will be helping Kylee this week, assisting with the smooth changeover of our School Administration Manager Position.

#### SWIMMING SCHOOL

Stingrays, Seals, Dolphins and Marlins are swimming on this week! Thanks for being on time everyone! This is the tricky week – remember towels, and that we continue to **leave** school at 8.45a.m. WE have quality teachers, and are undertaking a quality program. GREAT WORK! Last week I thanked Jenny Schulha for all her preparation with the Program – that was all very well but I need to make a correction it is Jenny **Schouten.** Apologies Jenny!

Congratulations all those who have progressed with their swimming skills! Certainly there has been great improvement made by most students!

**\*\*\***On **Friday** the organisation will be different for the day. We will be having a Swimming Carnival to finish up proceedings! This will NOT be "the same as last year" for a number of reasons.

We will arrive at the Pool earlier than we have been. Bus will need to leave at 8.20 a.m. on that day. We will be competing in events from 9.00a.m. 'til 11.00a.m. when we will have lunch!

John's River P&C will be cooking sausage sandwiches. These will be on sale.

Lunch will be on the grass at the pool. Kendall Public School will be arriving as usual at 11.00a.m. and students from Kendall will be having their lessons as normal – so we will not be in the pool for that time.

#### **BOOK PARADE COSTUME WINNERS**

Kindergarten – Oliver Somers Year 1 – Jorja Fletcher-Griffiths Year 2 – Adam Partlett Year 3 – Piper Darcy Year 4 – Connor McInnes Year 5 & 6 – Ben White





#### **BOOK FAIR A WONDERFUL SUCCESS!**



Thanks to Katie and Donna White for organising our very successful Book Fair and thanks to all parents and community members who purchased books throughout the week!

We would like to thank Londa Phillips for her book donation and also the community who donated at the Hannam Vale Store.

**STAR of the WEEK** is Emily White from Kindergarten, for excellent organisational skills and always being ready for swimming.

#### COMINGS AND GOINGS.....

Thanks to Mrs. Cathy Walker for stepping in to teach on Thursday and Friday! Very happy to have you with us at H.V.P.S

Our new printer/photocopier/FAX machine has arrived and has now been installed! YAHOO!

#### **KITCHEN AND GARDEN LESSONS**

#### Kitchen and Garden Lessons have NOT been taking

place in Week 6 and Week 7 as we have been at Swimming School! Vegies are really coming on though with this lovely rain!!



Please, keep those Christmas raffle goodies coming in!

Thanks everyone for your continued help, support and friendship,

Pam Everingham Teaching Principal



### STAR OF THE WEEK !!! Emily White, Yr K



# So, Emily, how do you feel about being chosen star of the week?

Good!

#### Why were you chosen for this award?

For excellent organisational skills and always being ready for swimming.

#### Who are your best friends?

Laura, Lily-Rose, Jasmine, Piper and Elen.

#### What is your favourite subject?

Sport

#### What is your favourite home activity?

Helping Mum doing the cleaning.

#### What do you want to be when you grow up?

A teacher at Hannam Vale School.

### **COLLECTION REMINDERS**

- 1. Medical Update forms
- 2. Guitar Lesson Payments (Tm4=8wks)
- 3. Swimming Payment \$35.00

### **REGULAR SCHOOL EVENTS**

Mondays	Scripture 12.30 pm
Mon,	School Fitness program
Wed	First 20 mins in the mornings
Tuesday Morning	STUDENT BANKING - Please hand in to the office before school LIBRARY LESSON - Please bring books in library bag
Fridays	Student homework to be returned to school
Fridays	Sport Session first hour of the day

### UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS

Dates	Term 4
Mon 25 Nov	Visit from Director Mr Mark Youngblutt
Tues 26 Nov	Assembly
Wed 27 Nov	Afternoon Tea – 2.30 pm
Fri 6 Dec	Reports Home

## <u>P & C NEWS</u>

The P&C would like to welcome our new office manager Ms Kylee Hughes. We wish you all the best as you settle into your new role.

#### CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

Ticket booklets will be coming home next Monday so this is really our last week to secure donations from businesses. Please see what you can do.

#### HVPS P&C COOKBOOK

Please take some time to look at the sample cookbook of 'tried and true' recipes in the office and complete an order form which is attached to the newsletter. They will make great gifts for the cooks in your family and we really appreciate your support.

#### SPORTS SHIRTS

It has been great to see so many students wearing our new shirts on Fridays – they look great! If you would like a shirt for your child please see Donna or myself.

#### **BUNNINGS BBQ**

We have just been allocated two dates for next year. Sunday the 5<sup>th</sup> of January and Saturday the 15<sup>th</sup> of March. Could you please let me know ASAP if you will be available to help on the January date as I need to let the organiser know if we still want it.

Thanks for your support.

Michelle Dennis, P&C President