

**Henty
Public
School**

Kalori

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28 July 2009

Whats on at HPS?

Dance commences	29 / 7
Albury/Wodonga Eisteddfod	31 / 7
UNSW English	4 / 8
P & C Meeting	5 / 8
UNSW Maths	19 / 8
Book Fair	Week 5
Bernie O'Connor Foot- ball/Netball	4 / 9

Principal's Message

Welcome to Miss Harding

Jemma Harding will be replacing Mrs Morison this term. She is a keen sports person and an accomplished piano player. Jemma has spent many hours with Mrs Morison and Mrs Liston ensuring that the transition for the students is as smooth as possible.



BUNNINGS BARBECUE

Thank you to the following parents who have volunteered to assist on Saturday 1st August with the Bunnings barbecue:-

Natalie or Clee Martin 8—10 am

Sandy Newton 10—12 noon

Kellie Penfold/Rohan Bahr 12—4 pm

Jacinta Singe 1—4pm

Ken & Sam Jones 12—4pm

If anyone is able to assist in the early time slot of 8-10 am; please contact the school as soon as possible.

Head Lice

Head lice continue to cause problems for some families. In an effort to stop the spread before we get further into the term, we will have a head lice inspection on Thursday morning. Parents will be contacted if head lice or eggs that haven't been treated are present.

Regards, Gail



Mission Statement: *Quality Teaching, Quality Learning for all in a safe, happy and supportive environment.*

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Class Notes

Kindergarten

Lucinda Coggan

Welcome back to Term 3. I hope you all had a nice break.

This term our first COG's unit is 'Moving'. The children will learn how movement can produce an effect on their bodies and how energy is used to move objects.

The first sight words for the term are 'friend' and 'some'.

Spelling homework will begin again this week. This week there will be no maths homework.

This week the children start dance. This will be each Wednesday morning. Please make sure you have paid and children are to wear sports uniform for dance lessons.

Year 1 – 2

Jemma Harding

I would like to welcome all students back for Term 3 and I am sure everyone had a great holiday.

Firstly I would like to introduce myself. My name is Jemma Harding and I am currently studying at Charles Sturt University in Wagga Wagga. I am from a small town just west of Dubbo, called Narromine. I have an interest in various sports as well as cooking, reading and, of course, relaxing.

Particular activities for this term will include dance on a Wednesday and sport on a Friday. Our COGS unit this term will be 'Getting Along', which focuses on developing a network of people who we can trust and who helps to keep us safe. The text type we will be learning and writing about is 'Procedures'. Homework will begin next week.

A big HAPPY BIRTHDAY to Trinity who had her Birthday in the holidays.

I am very excited to be working with Year 1-2 for the duration of this term. I am looking forward to getting to know each student as the week's progress.

Class Notes

Year 3 — 4

Theresa Kane

- Welcome back to school for a busy and fun term.
- All children have been given their homework today. It is to be completed and returned on Friday.
- The children will be completing times tables tasks during the week. The time taken to complete the task and the accuracy will be recorded and the children are encouraged to improve their work each week. I encourage revision of their tables at home.
- All children should be reading at least five nights every week. When books are completed they can be changed from the selected in the classroom. Please ask your children to discuss the book that they are reading.
- Library is on Wednesday and I encourage our class to improve their library borrowing this term.
- It is important that all of the children are prepared for school. Essential items that they need are pens, a lead pencil, a ruler, a glue stick and a highlighter. These items can be purchased at a reasonable price from the school office.

On Friday the children in the band will travel to the Albury Eisteddfod.

Year 5 — 6

Jolonna Truin

Welcome back. I hope that everyone had a very enjoyable holiday.

This term will be a busy term.

We will be having dance on Wednesdays. Please ensure you have paid for this wonderful activity and sports uniforms are to be worn.

The Bernie O'Connor carnival will be held later this term.

Rehearsal for our production will be occurring this term.

This Friday our school band will be performing in the Albury-Wodonga Eisteddfod. Good luck to everyone.

Jess and Isabelle were successful in the Rotary Spelling Competition. The girls will now compete in the next round to be held in August. Good luck.

Our COGS unit this term is "Traditions and Heritage". We will be looking at democracy and some famous Australians.

Please remember that the excursion will be held in the last week of this term.

This will be a fantastic excursion. Please ensure payments are made in the coming weeks, if you have not already paid in full.

GRAB BAG

Congratulations to the following grab bag winners for week 11:-

Kinder	Alexandra Zaid Hannah Kyle
Year 1-2	Casey Callum Trinity Israel
Year 3-4	Naomi Madeline Emily David
Year 5-6	Montanna Emily Jayden Stephanie

Five Ways Excursion

The students had a great time at the Five Ways on the last day of term. Many of the trees planted in previous years have survived but many more didn't. We will plant more in the spring.

P & C MEETING

The next P & C Meeting will be held on WEDNESDAY 5TH AUGUST in the school library. Minutes of the previous meeting are attached. Please keep this date in mind for attendance.

Albury Wodonga Eisteddfod

The School Band will be performing at the Albury Eisteddfod on Friday 31st July 2009. All children will be required to be at school by **7:50 am** to catch the bus.

All band members will need a pair of black pants to wear during the performance. No track suits - no colours. They will be needed for future performances. They can wear these pants all day with their normal uniform. Performance shirts will be given to them upon arrival at the venue. Children will need to take morning tea and lunch with them on the bus.

Travel will be by bus. Cost will be \$4.00. Parents may accompany us on the bus. Please indicate on the note if you wish to travel on the bus and return money with note.

Please sign and return the note sent home last term by **Wednesday 29th July 2009**.



EXCELLENCE

Values Awards

Congratulations to the following students who have been recognised for displaying values:

Week 11 Term 2

Lachlan

Charlee

Ellen

Jed

Lucy



Principal's Awards

Congratulations to the following students who will receive a Principal Award this week:-

**Ky
Millie**

Sport

BERNIE O'CONNOR
FOOTBALL & NETBALL
CARNIVAL YEARS 3—6

Next term we will be competing in the Bernie O'Connor carnival. If you are able to help at this carnival please return the note to the school office. I know there are some parents who have already spoken to me already about helping, could you please also fill out a note. Thank you.

CROSS COUNTRY

On Friday Nakita will be representing the Riverina in Cross Country at Eastern Creek, Sydney. We wish Nakita good luck.

Miss Truin
Sports Coordinator

DANCE K—Yr 6

Dance commences tomorrow. If you have not returned your note and money before tomorrow morning, your child will not be included.

Cost involved is \$3.00 per week per child per lesson over 10 weeks. Total \$30.00 per child.

Dance will be conducted over 10 weeks commencing Week 1 Term 3. Lessons will be of 40 minute duration. **Sports uniform should be worn on Wednesday for dance.**

Please return the note on page 7 by TOMORROW for your child/ren to participate in this program.

Active After School

Active After School commence **MONDAY 3RD AUGUST** from 3:45 pm to 4:45 pm.
21 applicants have been accepted.

Tayla
Thomas
Scott
Alexandra
Ryan
Callum
Sheri
Jed
Hayden
Lachie
Sam
Nessa
Ellen
Sarah
Rebecca
Zali
Ky
Charlie
Joshua
Nakita
Taylor

ACTIVE AFTER SCHOOL HAS NO VACANCIES LEFT. THANK YOU TO ALL THOSE WHO PROMPTLY RETURNED THEIR FORMS.

CANTEEN

Thank you to those parents who have volunteered to assist with canteen. Term 3 Roster is:

Monday 3 /8	K Penfold
Monday 10/8	S Fifield
Monday 17/8	D Coghlan
Monday 24/8	S Newton
Monday 31/8	K Brennan
Monday 7/9	C Coe
Monday 14/9	T Hasler
Monday 21/9	NO CANTEEN
Monday 28/9	M Bedggood

If you have any difficulties filling your day, please arrange a swap with someone else.

BILLABONG LITTLE ATHLETICS

A meeting will be held on Tuesday 28th July commencing at 7:30 pm
in the school library. Everyone welcome to attend.

HENTY SWIMMING POOL GENERAL MEETING

A meeting will be held on Wednesday 12th August 2009
at the Doodle Cooma Arms Hotel commencing at 7:30 pm.

All welcome to attend.

HENTY AUSKICK

Tickets for the wood raffle need to be back in at training on THURSDAY.

Unsold tickets will be sold at next home game. Drawn 6th August.

Phone Kerry Bourke 0417125529.

**PERMISSION NOTE FOR DANCE
KINDERGARTEN TO YEAR 6—TERM 3 2009**

Return to school by **TOMORROW**

Names of Children

Year

I give permission for child/ren _____

to attend 10 weekly dance lessons at the school during Term 3, 2009 with Australian School Dance.

I enclose \$30.00 per child

I will be paying weekly in the amount of \$3.00 per child

Signed

Date:.....

(Parent/Guardian)



BUNNINGS BARBECUE

I am willing to assist with the barbecue at Bunnings, Wagga Wagga
on Saturday 1st August, 2009.

I am able to assist between the following times:-

8am—10 am 10am—12 noon 12 noon—2 pm 2pm—4 pm

Name: _____



**BERNIE O'CONNOR FOOTBALL/NETBALL CARNIVAL
FRIDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER 2009**

I am willing to assist with coaching for the carnival

I am willing to umpire for the carnival

Name: _____

Our Friendly School

AIM: To provide tips for parents to help build self-esteem in their children.

BUILDING YOUR CHILDREN'S SELF-ESTEEM

As parents you can help your children build their self-esteem so they have sufficient confidence to deal with a bullying situation and to communicate with people in their support group.

WHAT CAN PARENTS DO?

- Encourage your children to take on challenges and to 'have a go'.
- Show your children that you believe in them. Help them to find solutions to problems rather than giving them the answers. As questions like, "What could you do?" or "What do you think?".
- Set aside time to listen to your children and show them that you value what they have to say.
- Foster their growing need for independence. Begin with basics like caring for their own belongings.
- Set realistic goals for your children and when they old enough help them to set their own goals.

Remember children learn through observing and absorbing the values of their parents, teachers and other adults who are important in their lives. These skills contribute to building your children's own self-esteem.