

East Hills Public School

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Term 3 Week 2

NEWSLETTER

2 August 2018

	Coming	Soon	
P&C Meeting	6 Aug	Stage 2 Camp	15 - 17 Aug
Microsoft Store - 6B & 6Y	7 Aug	Stage 3 Camp	21 – 23 Aug
Microsoft Store - 4/5H & 4-5Y	9 Aug	Dance Festival Ticket Purchase Due	24 Aug

Dear parents and carers,

Congratulations to our P&C for their success in obtaining another community club grant to see the continuation of the speech therapy program in our school. This valuable program provides speech therapy for students requiring receptive, expressive or articulation support. I would like to acknowledge the time and effort that goes into submitting this application and thank all those involved.

We encourage all students to actively participate in their home reading programs and online reading eggs accounts. Those students who are currently working within a *powerpack* group will be receiving take home activities to support their specific reading targets. Students are asked to enjoy these activities with their friends, siblings or parents. If you are requiring additional take home reading activities, please make contact with your class teacher. Utilising the communication via See-saw or Dojo is a great way to stay connected to your child's learning and classroom teacher. If experiencing any difficulty with vou are downloading your child's classroom app, please let us know so that we may assist.

Next week we celebrate education week. A note will be coming home with the events and activities for the week. Our open day and whole school assembly will be held on Friday 10 August. Please look out on the *skoolbag* app for reminders and updates.

NAIDOC celebrations will continue into week 4. Teachers have been working on a variety of cultural activities for students to experience and participate in. More detailed information regarding these will be sent home.

Stage 2 and 3 students are preparing themselves for their camps in the upcoming weeks. Medical notes and 'packing lists' have gone home. If you require any assistance, please don't hesitate to speak with your child's teacher or Mrs Beynon.

Teachers participated in the last of our *Visible Learning* training days with Corwin on our staff development day this term. We will continue to work together to make our students learning visible and to activate the learner and the learning.

At the end of last term we were lucky enough to have two cricket kits donated to the school. Representatives from Cricket NSW (local development manager Daniel Solway), Revesby Heights Hornets Cricket Club (Secretary, Johnathon Macdonald) & Daystar First National Real Estate (Michael Sleiman) presented myself and Mr Harris with our very own cricket kits to assist us in taking part in the local PSSA cricket competition. We look forward to an exciting first season of PSSA cricket for our school.



Yesterday our teachers participated in a workshop about our school's worm farm. We were able to engage with the setup, how to look after it, how we can integrate the learning into our curriculum and the global impact we will have as a community. Workshops will be scheduled for our students and parents in the upcoming week. We would like to thank the P&C and staff from East Hills Public School, who were a part of our grant committee, for utilising community grant money to provide this valuable resource and experience for our learning community. The worm farm will become a working part of our sustainable fruit and vegetable gardens.



Please be aware that e-cigarettes fall under the same laws as smoking. E-cigarettes or vapour cigarettes cannot be used on school sites or within 4 metres of any entry gate. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

Our learner disposition for the week is kindness.



With kindness,

Donna Casey

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AFL AUSKICK CLINIC

On Friday all students brought home a note with information about the AFL Auskick clinic to be held at East Hills PS after school on Monday afternoons from 3.15-4.15pm for 4 weeks. The school is subsidising part of this program for our students, which reduces the cost to \$15 and includes a football and pack of footy cards for every participant. Please follow the link on the note to register or see your student's teacher if you need assistance.

100 DAYS OF LEARNING

Thank you to all the parents and community who joined us for our celebration last Friday. It was amazing to reflect on the progress of all students, which was shown by how confident our students were speaking on the microphone to present their class' learning. We ended the morning celebration with a delicious cake.

After that, all classes enjoyed a free AFL clinic on the oval in preparation for the upcoming AFL Auskick clinic to be held at East Hills beginning next week.



K-2 SPORT

Students continued to celebrate our 100th day of learning through our K-2 and 3-6 sport session. School sport students from 3-6 led rotational sport stations incorporating the number 100. Students had so much bouncing and skipping 100 times, while others enjoyed hula-hooping and jumping for 100 seconds.



WHOLE SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

All parents and carers are invited to attend our K-2 school assembly at 9am on Friday 3 August 2018 and for our Education Week whole school assembly at 9am on Friday 10 Aug 2018.

The following children will receive a Certificate for taking part in the ICAS Science exam:

K-2 Assembly on: Friday 3.8.18

Isabella Ly - Merit Moustapha Alameddine – Participation

School Assembly on: Friday 10.8.18Amy Trinh –CreditAmeena Abdulwahab –MeritIssa Barry –ParticipationHusayn Etri -ParticipationGeorge Mendoza –Participation

The following children will receive a Bronze Dollarmite Certificate:

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K-2 assembly

P&C NEWS

Well an exciting time for the P&C and the school with the Outdoor Learning Space and Sustainable Garden project becoming a reality.

We are pleased to report the outdoor seating has been installed and the worm farm is now operational. Other items have also been purchased to support both these areas all funded from our \$18,000 Community Building Partnership Grant.

We hope the School Community enjoy the opportunities these areas provide. Thank you to the community for supporting the project and to the P&C members and School staff that assisted in making it happen.



We are also pleased to announce that we have been successful again this year in the NSW Club Grants program and will be receiving \$15,000 from Revesby Workers Club to continue our in school speech therapy program for another 12 months. Our thanks goes to Revesby Workers Club for their continued support.

A reminder our next meeting is on this coming Monday 9:15am, 6 August in the staffroom, everyone is welcome.

P&C Contact Details

For any information regarding the P&C, please find any of the committee members around the playground before or after school or email us <u>easthillspandc@gmail.com</u>

CANTEEN NEWS

Our Fresh Food promotion will commence next week, anytime your child orders a lunch which includes fruit or vegies they will go in the draw to win prizes and will also be able to get instant prizes as well.

Some examples of foods which can be ordered for this promotion are-

Sushi, salad sandwich, fruit salad, burgers with full salad and many more.

This is a fun promotion which also teaches students to eat a variety of healthy foods.

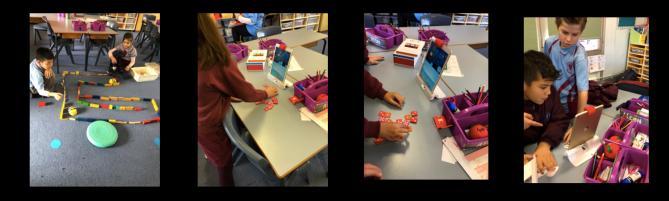
For more details see posters at the canteen.



Class News 2-6P

2-6P have been doing amazing things inside and outside the classroom so far this year. We have all made progress and are well on our way to achieving our individual learning goals.

We have been learning how to code and problem solve using technology such as Beebots and OSMOS. We have been learning how to code with Beebots and we have been designing mazes for our Beebots. We have also had the opportunity to problem solve and work collaboratively using OSMOS. We enjoy helping our friends work their way out of the 'learning pit' when they become stuck.









REVESBY HEIGHTS HORNETS PRE-SEASON CRICKET ACADEMY 4 week training Academy open to all Primary aged students, boys and girls for a free come and try/pre season clinic run by accredited CNSW coaches. All students are welcome including any wanting to give it a go or those already or intending on registering with another

Where: Panania Primary School - Corner of Picnic Point Rd and

When: Commencing Monday 6th of August 2018 and running for 4 consecutive weeks (concluding on the 27th of August)

Cost: FREE OF CHARGE - Limited spaces available so register early to avoid disappointment

Register: visit www.playcricket.com.au and search for Revesby Heights Hornets, proceed to juniors and register on free Academy link - all participants must register online prior to the event

Additional Info: email revesbyheightshornetscricket@gmail.com or contact Jonathon Macdonald 0403 180 914

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The events set for this celebration include;

Memorial March and Fete - Sunday 5th August 2018

The Celebrations will commence with a march starting at the University of Western Sydney Bankstown Campus and will conclude at Milperra Public School, located in Pozieres Avenue Milperra. This event will commemorate the soldiers who settled in the suburb. The march will be led by our School Captains, Vice Captains and Prefects together with the students of Milperra Public School. The march will conclude at Milperra Public School, where the school and community will celebrate with an all-day fete which will include market stalls, food, rides and entertainment. The fete will begin at 10.00am and conclude at 4.00pm

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A formal assembly will be held to commemorate this occasion with our School Leadership team hosting the assembly. Invitations have been extended to special guests, parents, grandparents, carers and community members, past students, teachers and other members who wish to join us for this special occasion.

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Other items

Pavers

There is an opportunity to purchase a paver and have your name stamped in history, the pavers will be laid in a designated area. Families of current students, past students and community members have all been given the opportunity to purchase a paver. This offer has been extended. You will have the opportunity to purchase these at our fete on Sunday 5 August.

Mural

The students of the school will have their hand prints displayed in a mural which will be placed on the wall at MPS to mark history.

Polos Shirts

Polos shirts. Students of the school and teachers will be presented with a polo shirt to be worn throughout the school year on designated days to commemorate this occasion.

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