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GROW YOUR MIND DAY

What a sensational day! Children loved being part of the whole school "Dolphin" photo taken by a drone. Part of the fun was seeing the drone attacked by our resident magpies! Special class activities, buddy recess and a terrific gathering for the family picnic was had on the day. The day was capped off with another wonderful Lap-a-thon organised by the P&C. Thanks also to the canteen workers for their efforts on the day.

NATUREPLAY

As part of the recent Grow Your Mind Day, children completed rock paintings and these are now embedded in the new path up by the Nature Play area. Thanks are extended to Mr Toby Polkinghorne (an ex-student) for constructing the new pathway to the Kindergarten and Ms Meek. Additionally, more work has been completed by Mr Coufos and Mr Aurin Baynham (who we thank enormously for his significant contribution on the day). Special thanks to Mrs Stone for coming to a TiqBiz request and offering her muscles in digging many a whole for the posts. Well done Danelle! Check out the playground - it's growing!

BOARD NOMINATIONS

There is still time for Board nominations. Please do consider these important positions and **NOMINATE!!!** I am therefore seeking **4 new nominations for parent Board membership in 2018 and beyond.** If you would like to nominate for the position, please fill out the attached Nomination Slip and forward this to the front office by 3:30pm on Tuesday 31st October. Within the slip there is a "Candidate Profile" which will assist voters in identifying what you may be able to bring to the Board. For further information regarding the Board, feel free to give me a call on 93076365 or contact a current Board member (Tara Hannent - Chairperson, Paul Stone, Brian Luinstra, Natasha Couzens, Wendy Worth, Jim Caldwell).

INTERSCHOOL CARNIVALS

Next Wednesday, 1st November the children will compete in the Interschool Jumps and Throws (held at Ocean Reef Primary School) followed by the main carnival on Friday 3rd November held at Statewide Services (next to Padbury PS - Giles Ave). Hope to see you all there in supporting our children.

ASSEMBLY

Our next assembly is scheduled for **Friday 10th November** and will be hosted by Year 4, C6.

Ron Chesny, Principal



With a focus on positivity and the realisation that none of us is alone, last Friday's Grow Your Mind Day began with a drone's eye view of our students pouring onto the oval to form a giant dolphin. The dolphin theme, so relevant to Hillarys Primary, is part of the The Big Splash campaign, a Perth Children's Hospital Foundation initiative to raise awareness of child and adolescent mental health. An aerial photo of the dolphin can be seen on the [Hillarys PS website](#). The morning continued with a rotation of mindful activities, and recess was spent with buddy classes. Funding for the activities was made possible by the generosity of Shell Australia, and we'd like to sincerely thank Lucas and Noah's mum, Jodie Hurd for her successful Community Employee Community Grants Program application. The activity rotation continued until lunchtime, when families and friends joined us for a picnic on the oval, and in the afternoon the rising temperature was no match for the endurance and determination of our annual Lapathon enthusiasts.



Term 4 Hot-Shots Tennis lessons at school! Held Monday 7:45-8:30am at school, starting 30th Oct. Great fun and all ages/ levels welcome! Details and online registration at instyletennis.com.au/ 0421 947 660 / carlo.j.piva@gmail.com Cost \$118/7wks. All registrations receive a free Hot Shots T-shirt! Choose a game they can play for life! *"With Instyle Tennis you will learn the skills, play the game, meet new friends & have fun!"*

See Attached Flyer



Interschool Athletics Events



All students involved in the Interschool Athletics events of week 4 should have received their information notes. Please remember that the Multiple Excursion Permission form that was signed by everyone in Term 1, covers these events. The only students who are required to return the permission slip attached are those who have an Emergency Action Plan and therefore may require medication, and also those for whom the emergency contact information of their parent has changed during the year. There is a \$6 charge for the bus to attend Jumps and Throws only. All competitors will walk to Statewide Services Centre for the Athletics Carnival.

Interschool Jumps and Throws	Ocean Reef PS
Wednesday 1 st November	9.30-12.45pm
Interschool Athletics Carnival	Statewide Services Centre, Padbury
Friday 3 rd November	9.30-2.30pm

Family and friends are welcome to attend both events to cheer our students on. We wish all competitors the best of luck. Go Hillarys !!

Jumps and Throws practices

Students who have been selected to represent Hillarys at the Jumps and Throws are encouraged to attend some extra practice sessions:

Wednesday 25 th October	3.00pm-3.40pm
Friday 27 th October	7.55am-8.40pm

Tunnelball Practice Sessions

Students who have been selected to join the Year 1-3 Tunnelball teams are strongly encouraged to attend practice sessions over the next 2 weeks so that they can hone their skills. Attendance and effort at these sessions will be strongly considered when finalising the teams.

Tennis lessons Sorry....info to follow

Interschool Tennis Competition....info to follow

Dolphin Design Competition Winners

Congratulations to all the students who entered our design competition. The judges had a very hard time deciding the best entries but eventually two students from each class were chosen. Peiter L from A1 and Callum S from D1 were chosen as the overall winners and were presented with a special toolbox filled with goodies and a small dolphin statue for their efforts at the last assembly. Thank you to Jodie Hurd and Shell for these donations. As a reward for their design flair all of the winners were able to spend some time with our very own "Artist in Residence" Mrs Hosking, adding features to the beautiful mosaic design that she has created as a culmination of the students ideas picking up on the theme for Mental Health Week: Connecting with nature, community and self. It has been very exciting seeing the design gradually cover the dolphin and although not totally finished we can already see how spectacular it will be. Thank you Mrs Hosking and students for your beautifully ideas and work.

Congratulations to our class winners.

Calum & Emee	D1	Mia & Georgia	D2
Adrienne & Olivia	D3		
Sukhmani & Florence	B4	Kostya and Alaska	B5
Finn & Mimi-Jean	B6	Xavier & Gracie	B1
Paige & Ruaridh	B3	Hana & Leah	C6
Amelie & Sophie	A3	Cora & Jack	A4
Pieter & Jasmine	A2	Billee & Sophie	A1
Colby & Imogen	C4	Michael & Ava	C5
Sophie & Ben	C3	Christel & Casey	C1
Hallie & Hayden	B2	George & Maisey	A5
Aingeal & Asha	C2	Blathnaid & Eli	A6

Japanese at Hillarys - Sensei's News

Welcome students from Gunma Kokusai Academy

For two weeks we are hosts to nine students from Gunma Kokusai Academy. They are staying with local families and attending class with their hosting brothers or sisters, as well as enjoying excursions and joining our Japanese classes. Hillarys students are enjoying practising their Japanese and playing traditional Japanese games with our visitors.

Please say "Konnichi wa" to Moa, Yuka, Rin, Osuke, Reima, Takeru, Kakeru, Masa and Motoki and their co-ordinator Mami when you see them around the school. A very big thank you to our hosting families for making their visit possible and to our teachers and students for their co-operation.

Thank You!

Natureplay

This project could not have been completed without the time and effort and generous donations by so many people in particular:



Danelle Stone
Alicia Insel
Jacinta Coulin
Pete Melville
Toby Polkinghorne
Ali McRedmond and family
Lisa Doncon
Aurin Baynham

A huge heart-felt thanks to you all.

If you have not seen the Natureplay area please go and check it out.



Kindy News

We would like to say a big thank to Dave Ellis for making our Musical Chimes for the Nature Play area in the Kindergarten. The children are having a lot of fun .



The Kindy children have had a wonderful experience seeing eggs hatch into chicks. They have discussed the life cycle of a chicken and many other animals. They have had the opportunity to hold and nurture the chicks which the children have really enjoyed.



LOWES SCHOOL WEAR - Joondalup



Congratulations to the raffled parking bay winner.

This space is reserved for vehicle registration 1ECS 713 and 1COU 725 ONLY.

Arty Pants is now at Hillarys Primary School!

After school art classes in the art room on **MONDAYS 3.20 - 4.50PM**
Painting, drawing, clay work, and much much more!
8 week courses every term.
\$198.00 including all materials - **BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL!**

Please contact: Della 0400 232 9142 or Bee 0415 286 206
www.artypantsinperth.com

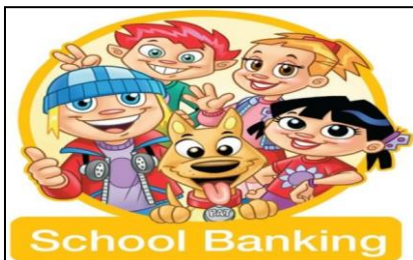


**We would like to congratulate our Principal's Award winners: Aiden G B6
Yui T A5**

Merit Awards

Congratulations to the following Merit Award recipients
at the Assembly held on 20th October 2017.

Serene B	Batavia 3	Ben B	Batavia 3	Summer D	Batavia 4
Issac H	Batavia 4	George W	Batavia 5	Izaac C	Batavia 6
Saige M	Amity 4	Sara D	Amity 5	Ethan D	Amity 6
Sophie Z	Amity 6	Terry V	Cygnets 1	Lilit T	Cygnets 1
Lily D	Cygnets 2	Madison B	Cygnets 3	Toby G	Cygnets 3
Alysia L	Duyfken 1	Christopher G	Duyfken 2	Georgia L	Duyfken 2
Adrienne T	Duyfken 3	Leah Mc	Duyfken 3		



School Banking day is every Thursday

Follow this link to open a commonwealth bank account
<https://www.commbank.com.au/personal/kids/school-banking.html>
All accounts are now opened online so it's much quicker and easier.
Enquires to Siobhan - siobhanward1973@yahoo.com

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TERM PLANNER – TERM 4 2017

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Week One	9 Oct PD DAY	10 Oct Board Meeting Newsletter	11 Oct	12 Oct	13 Oct Grow Your Mind Day Lapathon
Week Two	16 Oct	17 Oct Cockburn House Year 1/2	18 Oct Cockburn House Year 1/2	19 Oct	20 Oct Assembly B6 Year 4 Zoo Excursion School Disco
Week Three	23 Oct	24 Oct Newsletter	25 Oct	26 Oct	27 Oct Whiteman Park Excursion – Year 3
Week Four	30 Oct P & C Meeting	31 Oct	1 Nov Interschool Jumps & Throws	2 Nov	3 Nov Interschool Athletics Carnival
Week Five	6 Nov	7 Nov Graduation Photos Newsletter	8 Nov (back-up J&T)	9 Nov	10 Nov (back-up Athletics) Assembly C6
Week Six	13 Nov	14 Nov	15 Nov	16 Nov	17 Nov
Week Seven	20 Nov	21 Nov Newsletter	22 Nov Kindergarten Orientation	23 Nov	24 Nov Assembly D2
Week Eight	27 Nov	28 Nov Board Meeting	29 Nov	30 Nov	1 Dec
Week Nine	4 Dec FAMILY CONCERT	5 Dec Newsletter	6 Dec	7 Dec Network Meeting	8 Dec Assembly D1
Week Ten	11 Dec	12 Dec	13 Dec YR 6 GRADUATION	14 Dec	15 Dec PD Day (Teachers only)



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