Dear Parents and Caregivers

Congratulations to all students who completed their NAPLAN testing last week.

The cooler weather has struck and along with it the start of the winter colds. Rug up nice and warm and remember to wear your school jumper or bring it to school with you.

Our Year 6’s held a cake stall last week which was a great success. They raised $282.75. A big thank you to all those who provided yummy cakes. They were enjoyed by all!

Classroom Refurbishments

Hillcrest Primary School has received funding to refurbish 7 classrooms. Rooms 6-12 will be refurbished with fresh painting and new carpet to be installed. While there will be some disruption over the next week for these classes, the ultimate goal is to create a safe stimulating learning environment. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Sporting Schools – Free Netball

Hillcrest Primary School is pleased to offer the Sporting Schools program again this term. (previously known as the AASC). Sporting Schools offers students in primary schools access to sporting activities after school.

In term 2, we are offering netball to all Year 1-3 students Monday afternoon. A healthy snack will be provided and the activity is free. The first 20 students to register will be accepted. Enrolment forms were sent home last Wednesday or are available from the website or administration.

Walk Safely to School Day – Friday 22 May

Friday 22 May is National Walk Safely to School Day and Hillcrest students are encouraged to walk to school on this day. Walk Safely to School Day (WSTSD) is an annual, national event when all Primary School children will be encouraged to walk and commute safely to school. It is a Community Event seeking to promote Road Safety, Health, Public Transport and the Environment. If it is too far to walk from home, park the car about 10 minutes walk from school and walk from there.

With the exciting new administration building and Early Childhood centre construction starting soon, Hillcrest Primary School is encouraging all students and parents to find alternative ways to get to school as parking and traffic access will be disrupted during construction this year.

Upcoming Events

P&C Meeting           Wednesday 20 May
Walk 2 School Day    Friday 22 May
Interschool Sports     Friday 22 May @Hillcrest
PEAC Testing (Y4)        28 & 29 May
Cake Stall                     Thursday 28 May
Uniform Shop open       Friday 29 May
Interschool Sports          Friday 29 May @ Hillcrest
WA Day public holiday Monday 1 June
Celebrate WA Week     2-5 June

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Canteen: 9271 8612
Dental: 9271 7184
Building Construction
Construction will start on the new administration building for Hillcrest Primary School soon. This is a very exciting time for the school, however over the coming months there will be disruptions to access and parking for parents, staff and visitors to the school. Please consider alternatives ways of getting to school including walking, riding bike, public transport and car pooling.

Interschool Sports Results
Friday 8 May 2015 v Hampton Primary School
AFL – Hillcrest 79 def Hampton 18
Netball A – Hillcrest 16 def Hampton 7
Netball B – Hillcrest 5 def Hampton 4
Soccer A – Hillcrest 3 def Hampton 1
Soccer B – Hillcrest 8 def Hampton 1

Mother’s Day at Kindergarten
The Kindergarten teachers would like to thank all the mothers who attended the Kindergarten Mother’s Day celebration. Activities included manicures, massages and cupcake decorating with their children. We hope you enjoyed the afternoon and went on to have a happy Mother’s Day.

Order your new Entertainment Book now
Order your Entertainment Book, now available from the office. Every membership sold raises $13 toward Hillcrest Primary School fundraising.

Canteen Volunteer Roster
Wednesday 20 May Rachel R
Friday 22 May Volunteer needed
Monday 25 May Kristie B
Wednesday 27 May Su C
Friday 29 May Sharon P
If you wish to volunteer please see Melissa in the canteen or phone 0413 418 037.

Uniform Shop Opening Times
The Uniform shop is open Friday afternoons:
2 – 3pm Friday 29 May & 26 June
Order forms are available online and from administration. Orders can be placed at the office anytime.

Mother’s Day High Tea
Thank you to all the mother’s, grandmothers and aunties who attended last week’s Mother’s Day High Tea. Thank you to the P&C for organising this and the amazing cakes cooked by Nadia. Happy Mother’s Day to all the amazing mother’s in the Hillcrest PS community.

Spellathon
Spellathon Testing is scheduled for Week 8, 8-12 June. Sponsorship forms will be sent home next week.

Save the Date
A P&C Fundraiser in the form of a QUIZ NIGHT is being organised for Saturday 1 August (Term 3). More details to come shortly but please SAVE THE DATE. The more the merrier!
The Hillcrest View is online
To receive your Hillcrest View newsletter by email, please register on the website. Other important information about upcoming events is also sent to our newsletter subscribers so it is a great way to stay up to date!

If you have any ideas or suggestions for the newsletter, please email hillcrest.ps@education.wa.edu.au

Helping Hands - Outside School Hours Care
Helping Hands OSHC is now operating from the newly refurbished OSH room at Hillcrest Primary School. Enrolment packs and information is available from school administration or phone 1300 612 462 for more information.

STARR FOCUS
Hillcrest Primary School has adopted a positive behaviour approach.

We have developed a STARR acronym that represents:

Safety – Teamwork – Achievement – Respect – Responsibility

Each fortnight focusses on a particular behaviour. Staff teach and model the behaviour and recognise students who exhibit it with STARR stamps on their card.

Weeks 5 & 6 focus is ‘The focus for weeks 5 & 6 is ‘Listen to instructions and follow them promptly’.

Stay tuned for our new ‘100 club’ wristbands

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Grasshopper Soccer is currently running programs at Hillcrest Primary School for Term 2 on Tuesday afternoons!
We are Australia’s #1 Non-Competitive Soccer Program!
For more information or to enrol your child, please call 0451 172 877 or email info@grasshoppersoccer.com.au!