Hillcrest Primary School

Hillcrest PS Newsletter Wk 5 Term 4 2015

Hello Subscriber,

Please read the latest news from Hillcrest Primary School in the newsletter below and please keep up to date with the latest news on our website.

The front page of the website has a quickview of upcoming meetings and events that can be added directly to your calendar.

Regards,
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Year 6 Camp parent meeting

All year 6 parents are invited to attend an information meeting to discuss year 6 camp. Details about the camp will be explained and this will be the opportunity to have any questions answered. Please advise your child's teacher or the school if you are unable to attend 9370 2330

Parent Information Meeting
6.30 - 7.30pm
Wednesday 18 November 2015
HPS staff room
Add to my calendar

The P&C Meeting will follow at 7.30pm and parents are invited to stay and attend.

Merit Award Winners - Weeks 3 & 4, Term 3 2015

Our merit award winners are recognised for their outstanding contribution to the school and displaying STARR qualities. In the past fortnight they have been recognised as the most outstanding by their teacher.
Congratulations to all the merit award winner recipients for this week.

Merit Award Winners 2015

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Music: Count us in 2015

Hillcrest Primary School was involved in the ‘Count Us In 2015’ musical collaboration involving 550,000 school students from over 2,100 schools around Australia on Thursday 29 October. All choir and musical students were involved in a fantastic celebration of music led by music teacher Mrs Neo.

Congratulations to all involved!

Click here to read more about this program

It's MOvember

Mr Bralic, Mr Watkins and Mr Maffei are the “Hillcrest Mo Bro’s” for the month of November. They will (be trying to) grow a moustache and raise money for men’s health programs and awareness.

If you wish to donate, please click this link on the official Movember Foundation website.

Special mention to Mr Maffei who has shaved his goatee for the first time this century!!

2016 Parent Information Meeting

Parents of children who will be attending Kindergarten and Pre-Primary at Hillcrest Primary School in 2016 are invited to a parent information meeting. It is requested that children do not attend this meeting.

Parents will receive an information package and important documents regarding your child’s attendance next year.

Kindergarten Meeting
Friday 20 November 2015
10.30am, Hillcrest PS library
2 Bay View Street, Bayswater

Pre-Primary Meeting
Friday 27 November 2015
9.30am, Hillcrest PS library
2 Bay View Street, Bayswater

If you no longer require your placement for 2016, we would be grateful if you could contact the school on 9370 2330 to enable us to place another child.
Halloween Disco 2015

The Halloween Disco run by the P&C was a very successful night with the whole school at one disco (rather than the 2 discos).

A big thank you to Ben Morris, Laura Klucznik, Andrea Lippiatt, Melissa’s family, Les Kounis and the P & C. These functions can never happen without people volunteering their time and effort.

Martha the Witch made her debut at the Halloween Disco this year. Martha was kindly donated by a student where Andrea works and it took him 9 months to make.

Halloween Disco photos

Construction Update

Construction of the Early Childhood Centre and Administration Building is progressing very well. Both buildings will be ready for the start of the 2016 school year and the staff room will also be refurbished early in 2016.

In the new Early Childhood Centre, the nature playground is now taking shape and all furniture and fittings have been ordered and we are awaiting delivery.

The walls of the new administration building are almost complete and we can now see the new access way that will open for students next year through to the main quadrangle.

Thank you again for your patience while this construction continues. Miss Ford is taking and updating photos of the progress and a photo gallery will soon be uploaded to the website.

Sporting Schools - free after school cricket

As part of the Sporting Schools program, Hillcrest Primary School is offering FREE after school cricket for year 1-3 students.

The first session is Tuesday 10 November and the program will run for 4 weeks until Tuesday 1 December 2015.

To participate, students must return the completed participation form attached and advise of any relevant medical conditions.

Enrolment form

PEAC Results

Congratulations to the following year 4 students who have been identified for the 2016 PEAC program.

- Amy M
- Annalise N
- Rosie S

PEAC is intended to provide for the special learning needs of the most able students. Students are deemed suitable for PEAC if they achieve in the 99th percentile and above in Standard Progressive Matrices and/or the 97th percentile and above in the Test of Learning Ability.

Year 6 Graduation Assembly

All parents and family members are invited to the Year 6 graduation assembly, to be held at Hillcrest Primary School in the undercover area on Wednesday 16 December 2015.

The assembly will start at 11am and conclude approximately 12.30pm.

Please come and share in this memorable occasion.
Canteen - New Summer Menu

The new summer canteen menu has been announced and is attached.

The canteen is open Monday, Wednesday and Friday and orders can be placed up to 2 weeks in advance through the online canteen.

Thank you to all who have volunteered to help in the canteen this term. There are still some spots to be filled so if you are interested in helping out, please contact Melissa 0413 418 037.

Not attending Hillcrest in 2016?

If your child is currently in Kindergarten, Pre-Primary or Year 1 - 5 but will not be returning to Hillcrest Primary School in 2016, please let the school know as soon as possible we are now planning for next year.

Please contact Mrs McKenzie in administration by email or phone 9370 2330; or let your teacher know.

Thank you for your assistance.