Dear Parents, Students and Staff,

Well done to all those that participated in NAPLAN testing last week. The test results will be out later in the year.

Next week the year 6 students head off to Bickley for their camp. We wish them well and I hope they pack warm clothes as it can get very cold at Bickley. Parents please note that the camp will still be on even if it is raining. I am sure that the students will have a great time at camp and the activities planned focus on team building and personal challenge.

Congratulations to all those that represented the school at interschool sports last week. It is always a delight to hear about the good sportsmanship displayed by the students. Well done to those teams that enjoyed a win this week.

We have received notification of a delay to the installation of the new basketball courts. This delay is outside of our control and when we receive notification of the new date for this work I will advise the school community.

I would like to remind all parents and students that personal sports equipment and toys from home should not be at school. This will avoid any issues around lost items.

It is also timely to remind parents and students that they should not arrive at school before 8.15am. Should students arrive before this time they are to sit in the quadrangle not roam the school or wait for friends at the underpass. Parents needing to drop students off early are encouraged to make arrangements with Helping Hands.

I am pleased to announce that we have been given the go ahead to use the toilets. The new toilets are a great improvement. I am sure the students will enjoy using the new facilities.

Northlink Road Project
We have received notification that Northlink will be holding some open information sessions to discuss the road changes that will apply during the construction phase. I have attached details for any parents that are interested.

Construction on NorthLink WA is starting in mid-2016. Works will see Tonkin Highway upgraded from Guildford Road to Reid Highway. To learn how changes in the local road network may affect you, come and chat with the construction team at the following locations:

- Saturday, 21 May – 9am to 5pm - Morley Galleria, ground floor (near Ozmosiss Surf Shop)
- Thursday, 26 May – 4.30pm to 9pm – Altone Park Shopping Centre (outside the newsagency)

PALS (Partnership Acceptance Learning Sharing)
Each year the Department for Aboriginal Affairs offers schools the opportunity to apply for a grant to support a project that promotes cultural understanding and acceptance. I am pleased to announce that Mrs Cardy has applied and been successful in her PALS grant application. Mrs Cardy will be taking her class for an excursion at Kings Park where they will enjoy an Indigenous Tour.
Eagles Cup Interschool News
We travelled to Hillcrest last Friday for round 3 of the Inter-school season. We came away victorious in an entertaining game of AFL, won a nail biting penalty shoot-out in the A Soccer, recorded an amazing victory in the B Soccer and again ran second in both netball games. Great performances from Hannah, Reanna, Inna, Connor, Taylor, Georgia, Alex P, Mikhail, Brayden, Kyah, Kayden and Josh.

Next Games
We are away for our next 2 games, first to Inglewood then the return the following week at Mt Lawley. The selected players will come home with TWO (2) notes today as the Year 6s will be at camp till next Wednesday.

Recycling
Our school is participating in a competition by Colgate in partnership with TerraCycle. Simply collect your used oral care waste (any brand is accepted), send it school and I will ship it to TerraCycle to be recycled. TerraCycle recycles old toothbrushes, toothpaste tubes, dental floss containers and their outer packaging. This competition is important to us because we can help reduce the 30 million toothbrushes and 80 million toothpaste tubes being thrown away every year in Australia. Also Colgate is awarding $1000 to the school who recycles the most oral waste by 1st November 2016. Let’s work together to help the environment and win the prize! As an extra incentive your child will receive 100 faction points for every piece of oral care waste they bring to Room 1. Remember together we can make a difference!
Glynis Cardy

2016 Year 6 Camp
The final payment is now due for the 2016 year 6 camp. Payment can be made via cash, cheque, EFTPOS in the office or via direct deposit. Thank you to those families who have already made payments. If you are experiencing financial difficulties, and wish to discuss a payment plan, please see Mrs Viska in the office.

NetSetGO Netball
We will be running a NetSetGO skills based program for boys and girls turning 6 or 7 in 2016, after school on Tuesdays. This program is to teach the basics of netball and encourage a love for the game. The cost is $90 and will run from 10th May until 30th August. This fee includes registration with Netball WA, a training shirt, netball, medal and a windup at the end of the season.

If you would like to participate, please meet in the quadrangle at 3:00pm on Tuesday. We look forward to seeing you there. If you need more information, please speak with Lana in the office.

Sock Drive
Darcy and Joel Pengilly are students at Hampton Park PS and would appreciate your support in their efforts to collect socks for the homeless. They have placed a yellow bin in the office to collect any donations. The one requirement is that they are NEW socks. The socks will be given out at Dreambuilders Care soup nights in Midland, running from June until October. The boys are working hard to collect enough socks to help the community and appreciate your support. Every pair helps one person. Please send your donations to the office by Friday 20th May. Thank you for your support

Mr Glen Purdy – Principal
Resources to support safe online privacy practices
The Office of the Australian Information Commissioner has developed two resources to educate Australian youth and parents about their rights and how to protect personal identity and data online. The release of these resources supports this year’s Privacy Awareness Week (15 to 21 May). The Office of the Australian Information Commissioner, which regulates Australia’s Privacy Act, has developed two resources Ten Privacy Tips for Parents and Carers and Think you Protect your Privacy? educate Australian youth and parents about their rights, and how to protect personal identity and data online. These resources have been developed for this year’s Privacy Awareness Week (15 to 21 May) and target children aged 10 to 15 years.
You may wish to distribute these resources to parents, carers, teachers and students.
You can download the fact sheet Ten Privacy tips for Parents and Carers and the associated infographic Think you Protect your Privacy? online.
These documents can also be accessed from Connect Resources.

P & C News

Mother’s Day Stall
I hope that all the mum’s had a lovely Mother’s Day and enjoyed the gifts that the students purchased from our Mother’s Day stall. Thanks to the parents, staff and those from Helping Hands that helped out on the stall. We raised $550 from the stall which is a great contribution to the P&C.

Canteen
I hope all the students that ordered one, enjoyed the canteen special yesterday. The P&C is looking closely at our menu and how we can improve options for students to ensure there is variety and options for all the taste buds around the school.

We will be running another special later this term and for a change having a sausage sizzle on the last day of term. Keep an eye out for the pre-order forms closer to the date. If you are able to help out at the canteen on special days, see Lou in the Canteen.

It’s important that our canteen makes enough sales throughout the term in order to remain viable so every order you make helps. Thanks for your continued support.

Election BBQ - Saturday 2nd July.
With the announcement of the 2016 Federal Election, the P&C will be looking to have a BBQ for all the people who will make the journey to the school to cast their vote. I hope to include: Bacon and Egg Rolls, Sausage Sizzle, Coffee, soft drinks, cake stall and raffles.

More information will come soon on how you can help. We will organise a roster for any volunteers who can help us out on the day so please put the date in your diary.

Student Designed Bricks
Back in 2014, many students created a design to be put on a brick paver and was to be a permanent path at the school. There has been many many delays and issues in getting those bricks. The good news is that they are expected to be here by the end of term. Apologies for the delay but fingers crossed we get the delivery and begin planning on getting them in the ground.

School Banking
EVERYDAY OF THE WEEK starting next week. So if you can't make it in on Wednesday morning for our regular banking morning you can leave your deposit book in the school banking locked box.

It's great to see lots of enthusiastic children banking regularly each week. To encourage more children to join school banking we are sending home Dollarmites Commonwealth Bank starter packs for those students who haven't yet signed up.

School banking not only benefits your children learning to bank and save money each week, they also earn rewards by receiving a token each deposit and every 10 tokens they can redeem a reward. The school also benefits from your children banking
$5 for every account activated via the program

5% of every deposit made at school (up to a maximum of $10 commission per individual deposit) or;

A minimum commission payment of $25 per quarter (provided at least one deposit or new account is received from the school per quarter).

Our school banking day is Wednesday morning in the school library from 8am. If you’re unable to get to banking on a Wednesday morning before school we are going to be installing a locked box for you or your child to drop their deposit book in and it will be collected and banked on banking day. Deposit books will be returned to your child's classroom after banking day.

Hampton Park Helping Hands

This week at Helping Hands we are participating in:

- We are aiming to try at least 1 new type of fruit a week so far we have tried nectarine, black berries and kiwi, I wonder what will be next.
- Looking at how we can be environmentally sustainable and care for our environment.
- We also have a new upcoming project WATCH THIS SPACE.

What is coming up at Helping Hands?

Extra-Curricular activities:

- Breakfast club Wednesdays... Mini Muffins
- Foto Booth Fridays

Quality area 2 Children’s health and wellbeing

What does this look like?
We are experimenting with new fruits and veggies, hoping to introduce a wide variety of NEW things to the children’s afternoon tea. We are compiling a list of likes and dislikes.

MEET OUR TEAM

Samantha Smedley
Coordinator

Stephanie Blake
Educator

Vacancies available now!

P: 0428 614 999
E: hamptonpark@helpinghandsnetwork.com.au
Community News

Kiara College Enrolments
Kiara College, in partnership with tertiary education and industry sectors, supports students to follow their aspirations and pathways for a wide range of careers. This includes approved Specialist Programs in Agriculture and Basketball.

The school will be running a second Information Session for Parents of Year 5 & 6 Student’s on

Wednesday 24\textsuperscript{th} May

- Session 1 9:30am – 10:30am
- Session 2 12:00noon – 1:00pm
- Session 3 3:30pm – 4:30pm

Light refreshments served. For further information please contact Richard Kardol, Associate Principal.

Morley Senior High School Specialist Programs & School Tours for Year 5&6 Students

Exchange Student – Hosting Opportunities
Student Exchange Australia New Zealand will be receiving short stay exchange students in June from France, Italy and Germany and we are urgently looking for families who would like to welcome an international student into your hearts and your home. Our new arrivals are all waiting anxiously for news of their Australian family that will host them during their exchange program.

For every exchange student there is a host family somewhere in the world willing to open their home and their hearts to an adventurous young person. Host families are what make the exchange experience possible.

All students have at least basic levels of English and are looking forward to becoming part of your family and experiencing life as an ‘Aussie kid’. Our group of students cover a wide variety of interests and hobbies

You can find out more about our organisation by visiting www.studentexchange.org.au

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**Nominate a GREAT TEACHER TODAY.**

Do you know a teacher you’d like to thank? A Day Made Better gives you the opportunity to thank a primary or secondary school teacher who is making a difference. If chosen as one of 10 winners, they’ll receive $5,000 worth of supplies and an Apple iPad for their classroom. Help us recognize these inspiring people by nominating them today.

Nominate a teacher you’d like to thank before June 17th
Great teachers are worth celebrating.
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