

# HAIGSLEA STATE SCHOOL

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## NEWSLETTER

### Date Claimers

#### MONDAY

8<sup>th</sup> June - Queen's Birthday Public Holiday

13<sup>th</sup> July – First day of Term 3

#### TUESDAY

25<sup>th</sup> August – Ipswich Little Theatre (P-4)

#### WEDNESDAY

#### THURSDAY

16<sup>th</sup> July = Moreton vs Warrego Sports Day

PARADE- Weekly  
9:00am

NEWSLETTER -  
Monthly

#### FRIDAY

BANKING –  
Weekly

TUCKSHOP-  
Weekly

26<sup>th</sup> June – Last day of Term 2

### Newsletter – June 2015

The end of term is fast approaching and it is hard to believe that we are almost half-way through the year. Over the next few weeks we will be completing assessment tasks in class. It is important that students attend everyday so they don't miss the opportunity to demonstrate their learning for semester reporting. If students are unwell, please contact the school to notify of their absence. Mrs Spelleken will be contacting families with student unexplained absences over the next few weeks.

### Uniforms

As we are now in winter, it is important that students are prepared for the colder temperatures at school. Please ensure students have layered clothing that they can remove as the day warms up and that all items – hats, jumpers, track pants etc. – are clearly named. Students should be wearing jumpers and track pants in our school colour – bottle green. Please refer to our uniform policy in the pin board under the school.

### Gardener

This term we extend a warm welcome to a new staff member at Haigslea. Jo Gregory will be working as our School Gardener each Friday afternoon. Jo has great experience in landscaping and horticulture and will be utilising her skills to improve the look, functionality, and safety of our school grounds for students. We can already see great improvement from Jo's work and look forward to seeing further progress as the year goes on.



## **AEDC**

Australian Early Development Census (AEDC) data is now being collected by teachers across Australia. The Census is aimed at students in their first year of schooling, Prep in Queensland, and collects information around five different elements that are important for children's development. These are physical health and wellbeing, social competence, emotional maturity, language and cognitive skills, and communication skills and general knowledge. The value of the AEDC is that it provides information for schools, communities and governments to pinpoint the services, resources and support for children and families to help shape the future and wellbeing of Australian children. Miss Vine will be completing the AEDC data collection over the next few weeks. Parents of children in Prep will receive a letter explaining the process in more detail. The results will be available later in the year through the AEDC website [www.aedc.gov.au](http://www.aedc.gov.au).

## **Report Cards**

Report cards from Semester 1 will be sent home in the last week of term. Parents who would like to discuss their child's report with their class teacher can make an interview time in Week 10.

## **P&C Day**

I would like to acknowledge the Haigslea P&C for their hard work and effort in celebration of P&C Day (Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> May). Our P&C not only operates the school tuckshop, book club and uniforms, but many fundraisers throughout the year, and conducts working bees. The member's contribution to our school is greatly appreciated by staff and students. Thank you!

## **Prac Teacher**

Mrs Turpin has been working in the P-2 class this term to develop her skills in preparation for her teaching career. I would like to thank Mrs Turpin for her work and professionalism as she nears her last week of prac in Week 9. The students have thoroughly enjoyed and benefited from having another teacher in the classroom. I wish Mrs Turpin all the best in her future teaching career.

## **Cross Country**

Congratulations to Nate, Hayley, Tyron, Travis and Dalen who competed at the District Cross Country Carnival in May.

## **Holidays**

I hope everyone enjoys a relaxing and enjoyable break over the upcoming holidays. We look forward to seeing you back refreshed and ready-to-go in Semester 2.

Kind Regards,  
Emma

**PLEASE MAKE SURE WE HAVE YOUR  
CURRENT PHONE NUMBER AND ADDRESS**

### **OFFICE HOURS**

**MONDAY 8:30 – 4:00**

**THURSDAY 8:30- 3:30**

**FRIDAY 8:30 – 2:30**

**Quote for Today: IT IS BETTER TO LIVE  
RICH THAN TO DIE RICH – Samuel Johnson**

### **STUDENT BANKING**

Student banking is usually on Friday's. If there is an away from school event, then banking will be the following Monday. Collect a token for each deposit, when you have 10 you can redeem them for a prize. Be in the running to win a trip to Disneyland if you make 25 deposits during the year.

**Haigslea State School**  
**P & C Association**

### **TUCKSHOP**

**Tuckshop is each Friday. Orders with money are to be returned by Wednesday please.**

### **MOTHERS DAY STALL**

**We'd like to thank Julie and Thelma for the donation of lovely items for our Mother's Day stall. Thanks also to the families that supported it by making a purchase.**

### **WHEAT BAGS FOR SALE**

**There are wheat bags for sale in the office. \$15.00 each. These were kindly made and donated by Julie Ferguson**

### **PIE DRIVE**

**We are holding a pie drive. Forms are attached, all orders and money to be**

returned by Monday, 15<sup>th</sup> June. Orders to be collected on Wednesday, 24<sup>th</sup> June.

### ROSEWOOD SHOW HELPERS

Thanks to those that have already notified us of when they can help. Attached is a roster to fill out and return if you are able to help on any of the show days, 19<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> June 2015. We will also need cupcakes, slices etc to sell on those days.

### WARREGO VS MORETON SPORTS DAY

We will open the tuckshop for sports day, Thursday, 16<sup>th</sup> July. All food is to be pre-ordered, forms will be sent home the last week of school this term, please return them at the end of that week please. No money to be sent back, items are paid for when collected on the day.

Cup cakes, slices etc to sell on the day would be appreciated if you can help with that, please send them on the morning of sports day.

There will be no tuckshop that Friday.

### CASH FOR CANS

We are continuing our cash for cans fundraiser. Please crush the cans if possible.

### IGA Tokens

Remember to have your Drake IGA barcode token scanned when you shop at Drakes IGA, anywhere. The school receives 1 cent for every \$10.00 spent. Please ask for extras for family and friends.

### COMMUNITY NOTICES

The annual **Welcome to Ipswich** event is on again. Come along to the ceremony and enjoy all the festivities of a family fun day on Saturday 27 June.

**Date:** Saturday, 27 June 2015

**Time:** 11.00 am – 2.00 pm

**Venue:** Queens Park Rotunda , Goleby Ave, Ips

**FREE Activities:**

- Indigenous Smoking Ceremony
- Multicultural entertainment, including performances and drumming workshop
- Face Painting
- Henna Painting

- Ethiopian Coffee Ceremony
- Ipswich Nature Centre Tours
- Cake and Sausage Sizzle
- Cultural Games, Craft and Sports

**Wanted:** Old (working) laptops will be collected at the event to donate to the AusCongo Network to support their Youth Internet Cafe in Democratic Republic of Congo. For details go to [www.auscongo.org](http://www.auscongo.org)

**everyone is invited, everyone is welcome!**

### **PLEASE COLLECT YOUR COPY OF THE "MORETON BORDER NEWS" FROM THE OFFICE COFFEE TABLE**

**Tennis Court**

**For Hire**

Contact: Vickie 54644709

Karen 54644854

### **Uniform Shop**

For uniform purchases please contact Belinda on 0438 898 604 or see Belinda before or after school.

If your Children have outgrown uniforms and they no longer wear them, please consider donating back to the School.

## **ENROL NOW**

### **HAIGSLEA STATE SCHOOL**

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