



Haigslea Newsletter

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From the Principal

Student Leaders

Last Week we held a formal ceremony to induct our 2018 Leaders. We thank Cr Pahlke for joining us as well as our family, friends and community. We know our 2018 leaders will serve us proudly.



Swimming

Swimming continued this week and all of the students had a great time. Swimming will run all term, every Tuesday. We need to ensure that all items are **clearly marked with their name**. We have had many items returned as lost property without names. Payment can be made by leaving your marked envelope in the box in the office.

Absentee and Late Arrival

It is the schools and parents responsibility to ensure that all students are at school all day, every day. Obviously things pop up and it isn't possible to attend. If your child will be absent please ensure you contact the school to let us know. This is best done on the school phone: 5464 4283 or in person at drop off. Remember, class commences at 8:50am and the expectation is that we are at school ready for learning at this time. If you arrive after this time it will be recorded as an absence for half or part of the day. If you are running late, please sign in at the office upon arrival and head to class. Remember, on time every time.

Clean Up Australia Day

On Friday all students at Haigslea will participate in Clean up Australia Day. This day is an important day in our calendar as it reminds us of the impact we are having on our environment. At the end of the day we will analyse what litter we are finding in and around our school.

Crazy hair day

Wednesday 14th is Worlds Greatest Shave. To support this wonderful cause that assists many people in our lives, we will be holding a **CRAZY HAIR DAY**. All children are invited to come to school with crazy hair for a gold coin. Please note, that children must come with crazy hair, we will not be doing hair at school.

Congratulations Aylah

We are extremely proud of Aylah's achievements this week. Aylah is a Year 1 student at Haigslea and has this week cut of 36cm of her luscious locks to assist children who are sick and need her help in making wigs. Thank you to the variety club and Aylah for the selfless work they do. Great Work!



Coles Sports for Schools

This year we are again participating in the Coles Sports for Schools Campaign. This is a fantastic fundraiser for our school where we can receive sporting equipment for our school. We need your help, and the help of family, friends and neighbours. The more tokens we receive the more equipment we can receive. So get on into your local Coles and be sure to collect your tokens. Then simply bring them to the school office and drop them in the box, or if you shop at Riverlink, leave them in our school box there. Lets get collecting!



Calendar

FEBRUARY

27th Swimming

28th Music



MARCH

1st LOTE

2nd Clean Up Australia Day

2nd Year 6 Leaders Day

8th LOTE

13th Swimming

14th Worlds Greatest Shave—Crazy Hair Day

15th LOTE

16th Bully No Way Day! - Wear Orange

Announcement: Term 1 Music Bus Enrolments Open

The Music Bus are taking new student enrolments for Term 1. The program is open for all students from K to 6. Running weekdays at School. The Music Bus have limited availability in Singing, Keyboard, Guitar, Drum and Ukulele and so it is advised to enrol asap.

The Music Bus is a wonderful music program that many of our students are already enjoying – a brilliant and cost-effective way for students to get fun and specialist music lessons without parents having to travel all over the area after school. Cost of lessons is only \$16 per week (Drums \$18).

If you're interested in your child having music lessons through The Music Bus, check out their website at www.themusicbus.com.au or call 1300 168 742



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P&C News

Thanks to those who were able to make it to our AGM last week. On behalf of everyone in the P&C I want to say thank you to all of the outgoing office-bearers. It was fitting that we were able to acknowledge the dedicated service of Dean and Belinda Rutherford over the past many years by recognising them with life membership.

The office-bearers for 2018 are as follows:

President: Alana Wahl

Vice President: Andrew Bourke

Treasurer: Cheryl Draheim

Secretary: Erin Davis

Fundraising Coordinator: Kylie Jenkins

Tuckshop Convenor: Donna Bradley

Uniform Officer: Leonie Smith

For those who haven't been members in the past or anyone who hasn't yet renewed their membership for 2018 please feel welcome to do so. We know everyone is busy but the great thing about Haigslea P&C is that, because there are lots of enthusiastic people involved, no one is ever roped into taking on more than they would like to. Having a strong membership base means we get input that is reflective of as many parents and community members as possible which means better outcomes for the kids. We know that not everyone can attend the regular meeting times (currently 1pm, 2nd Thursday each month in the library) but minutes are distributed to members and thoughts and ideas are welcome to be tabled at any time. We also have a fundraising working group meeting on alternate Tuesdays at 2pm usually over a cuppa outside the tuckshop - all welcome.

Upcoming dates of interest -

6th March: Next fundraising working group (all invited)

8th March: Next General meeting

20th March: Easter Cadbury chocolate drive starts (this is one of our major fundraisers for the year). Chocolates can be collected outside tuckshop after school.

In closing, we look forward to another great year ahead, continuing to deliver great outcomes for the school and the kids and hopefully having a bit of fun in the process!

Thanks,

Alana Wahl,

on behalf of Haigslea P&C

P&C Executive Officer Nomination Form

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* *Nominations to be handed to office by wed 14th Feb* *

Haigslea State School P&C Association

Name of school

I wish to nominate _____ as a candidate for the position of:
Candidate's name

- President
- Treasurer
- Secretary
- Vice-President

_____ Additional Officer/s as determined by the Association
(additional Officers are not considered part of the P&C Executive Committee)

Candidate

I accept the nomination for the position of _____

Name: _____ Signature: _____

Moved by:

Name: _____ Signature: _____

Seconded by:

Name: _____ Signature: _____

Notes:

- The candidate, nominator and seconder must be members of the Association.
- Candidates may nominate themselves.
- "Moved by" and "Seconded by" may be completed before, or at the meeting.