

Heritage College Cooranbong



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Heritage College Newsletter

A Christadelphian School

From the Principal: Greetings from Perth, WA

Today I left to visit brethren and sisters in Perth to help them with plans to set up another Heritage College. Planning for the Perth school has been underway for many years now, but is now set to culminate in a new school starting in 2006 (God Willing). The Perth school will be more like our school as it will be of similar numbers and consist of composite classes. I will be back on the weekend and at the Athletics Carnival on Monday.

Don't forget about the early start on Monday for the Athletics Carnival that will be held with Sydney HC at the Crest sporting complex at Bankstown. Please send in permission slips tomorrow so bus seating can be finalised. This should be a pleasant day of sporting activity and a good chance for our students to compete against a bigger field.

The Soccer Gala Day was a huge success. The students really enjoyed the chance to play against more competitive teams. Thanks to Felisa Relton and Scott Madden for organizing the day and the mums and dads who went along to help out.

The Primary had a special day last Tuesday traveling the district finalizing their "News" stories for their current unit in HSIE.

Its not too late to book into the Sydney

Website address:

www.heritage.edu.au

Theme for the Term:

"Heroes of Faith"

— *By faith Samson destroyed many of
Israel's enemies—*

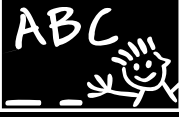
Heritage College Musical which will be held this Saturday. There are two performances—one in the afternoon and evening. Tickets can be purchased by contacting the Sydney school.

Next Thursday there will be a field trip for the Middle School students as part of their Science and Geography units this term. They will be visiting Caves beach and surrounding areas to view rock platform and dunes and investigate formations and plant/animal activity. A note will be sent home on Tuesday with the details.

The High School students have been very busy with their exams this week. Reports will be issued on the last day of Term.

See you at the Athletics Carnival, Simon Dodson,
Principal.

**COMBINED
ATHLETICS
CARNIVAL
MONDAY
27TH
BANKSTOWN**



Tena Koutou Katoa. Monday morning at school this week kicked off with a information session from the Heart Foundation. TOM visited to tell us about the up-coming fundraiser for Jump Rope For Heart. *Sponsor-ship forms for this will be sent home tomorrow so you can collect sponsors throughout the holidays.*

Tom brought with him HAPPY HEART, the giant red-velvet heart who has stripy legs like Pippy-Long-Stockings! A mystery person (Amy Schofield) helped Happy to move around and play some tricks on Tom. It was very funny! We learned some tricky tricks and saw all the prizes we can get if we collect sponsors. Got some great photos of your children—if not appearing in this newsletter then they will be on display at school and in upcoming publications/internet.

The actual 'Jump Off' will happen in the first weeks of next term and will tie in beautifully with **our theme for Term 3—HEALTHY AND SAFE**. This will include **visits from people related to Fire, Ambulance and Police, water safety**, making healthy food choices. And then we are going to GROW SOME YUMMY VEGES of our very own at school and make a GIANT FRUIT SALAD!! Lots to look forward to Infant Class ...

VISITORS—In the first week of next term we'll have a troupe of skipping/aerobics people to give us a demonstration of their skills to inspire us to be healthy and active. Busy busy busy. Take care everyone... Haere ra! Carrie

HRIS SOCCER GALA DAY:-

The Soccer Gala Day was a big hit with the students. They enjoyed the challenge of playing against other teams and even though we didn't manage to win any games we did score some goals, gained some valuable skills and had a lot of fun. Thanks to the mums and dads who came along to watch and to Uncle Morrie for driving the bus.

Primary Filming Day

Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the Filming Day last Tuesday. Despite the windy conditions, reporters were out and about at various locations. We had some big interviews with 'Sonny Bill Williams' and 'Michael Clarke', as well as watching an important protest with Lake views! Everyone did a great job on the day and had a nice break away from the usual routine :-)

A Big THANKYOU goes to Rhonda Pogson and Kerrin Blacket for coming along with us. Also, thank you to Uncle Morrie for driving the bus all over Newcastle!

Lots more work with filming needs to be done at school and we plan to do this until the end of term...very exciting.

REMINDER:

ATHLETICS CARNIVAL is held on this coming Monday and the Primaries are all revved up to go with lots of training and practised behind them from Yvonne. This should be a great day and I have a great feeling we're going to get some big points!!! Good luck to everyone and remember to have fun! Felisa

COMBINED

ATHLETICS CARNIVAL.

This is a compulsory **WHOLE SCHOOL ACTIVITY!** This is a great opportunity for students to participate in events with keener competition, and a good chance for our children to socialise with students from Sydney HC, as well as being a fun day!

Parents are asked to please send in the permission notes with travel details for their families. We need this information so we can organise seating on the buses. **Please do not assume that you just turn up—we need to know in advance how many people are planning to catch the buses and at which stops they will be picked up from.**

Students are reminded to wear their sports uniform—please wear shorts or skirts for track and field events.

BRING WARM CLOTHING AS WE WILL BE OUTSIDE ALL DAY.

There is a Canteen running on the day that will sell sausage sandwiches, drinks and a limited range of snacks.

Cost for the day \$2.00 (Students only —adults free)
Parent Officials:

Judges: S. Dodson, Jo Wiltshire

Finish Official: S. Tappouras

Relay Change: Ari and Scott

Recorder: Vicki Spark

Age Supervisors:

5-7 yrs: C. Jackson, P. Dodson,

Hannah Mitchell (am)

8-10: Felisa Relton

12-13: Lisa Mansfield

A note of "Job Descriptions" is added to these people's newsletters.

Thank you for your assistance.

FAIR—ONLY 11 WEEKS TO GO!

We need YOUR help!

If you can **embroider, sew, cook, make woodwork toys, paint, create cards, or anything else!** Please call me. Every stall needs donations and assistance both now and on the actual day of the Fair.

Please let me know if you are happy and available to go on a roster to help look after a stall on the day.

We also need volunteers to help set up, collect tables etc the day before the Fair.

I also REALLY need someone to volunteer to run the ticket booth for the kids' rides.

Please call me—4340446

Thanks Anna

CALLING ALL ARTISTS!

We are thinking of having a display and **auction of ART WORKS** (paintings, pottery, drawings, creative crafts) by our local artists. If you are interested, or know anyone who may be, in submitting a piece please ring me so we can gauge the response and see if this is a viable activity. Thanks, Anna Stretton. Ph: 4340446

PROFESSIONAL PHOTOGRAPHY STALL FOR FAIR !

We have had an offer from one of our former students to run a "Portrait Photography" stall at the Fair. Kim Glachan has set up her own business "K image" and will be giving individuals and families the opportunity to have professional portraits taken either on the day of the Fair or arrange appointments in her new studio.

Kim will donate a % of sales to the school. So if you are thinking of having a portrait done—here is your opportunity!

If you can't wait until the Fair there is an information flyer attached so you can arrange an earlier appointment.

Westfield
"Shop for your School"
ENDS THIS SUNDAY !

26th June

***Bonus week—10 points
for every dollar spent!***

***Hand in docket by
Sunday!***

GEOGRAPHY / SCIENCE FIELD DAY:

Next Thursday 30th June, the Middle School students will be participating in a trip to the beach and rock platforms around Caves Beach and the Central Coast.

A detailed flyer will be sent home next week with permission note attached.

There is no cost for this excursion.

The excursion is a joint venture between the Science and Geography class, and will be attended by Mr. Madden and Mr. Pearce.

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See the attached detailed flyer for lots of important information!!!

COST:

Child \$ 15

Student: \$20

Adult: \$25

Family: \$70 (Immediate family)

LIMITED SEATING—GET IN QUICK. BOOK NOW !!!

**COUNTDOWN TO
SEUSSICAL**

49

**DAYS
TO GO!**

**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY
TO:-**

**Aunty
Jenny
Higgs**

for next Monday
27th June.

**Collect—A —
Cap
Keep those caps
rolling in.**

10c
per cap

BUS PHONE NUMBERS

**Cut out and keep
on the fridge!**

**Gosford Bus:
0418686387**

**Newcastle Bus:
0439068992**

**Local Bus:
0416223877**

— Joke of the Week —

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available in the web version.

See more photos on the webpage: www.heritage.edu.au

Future Events:

Saturday 25th June Sydney HC Musical
Monday 27th June Combined Athletics Carnival—Bankstown.
Friday 1st July Last day of Term 2—2pm finish.
REPORTS
Thurs 30th June Geo/Science Field Day Caves Beach
Monday 18th July Staff Return
Tuesday 19th July Students Return

Assignments Due:

24.06 Yr. 9-10 Geography Kakadu Research Paper

Photo Gallery

PRIMARY STUDENTS WITH THEIR 'STATES OF AUSTRALIA' PROJECTS



Patrick Tappouras, Joanna Dodson, Andrew Pogson and Joshua Schofield

Shane Pogson, Annie Madden and Ben Olsen



Josh Mongan, Sam Kirkwood and Jake Kirkwood

Caleb Blacket, Kate Lord and Anthony French

