SPECIAL EVENTS

JUNE
11th QUEENS BIRTHDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY
12th PUPIL FREE DAY
21st SCHOOL PHOTO DAY

PRINCIPAL AWARDS

Confidence: Scott H, Tyson M, Lachlan K, and Kane L.
Getting Along: Alia S, Tahlia H, and Reuben McK.
Persistence: Xavier P.
Resilience: Ryan C, Phoenix S, and Tyler F.

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

SPORTS DAY 2012

Sports Day 2012 was held on 11th May with students taking part in a range of Tabloid Events and races.

The four teams: Nicolle, Sauerbier, Appleton and Warrikilla as always participated with passion, skill and enthusiasm.

I would like to acknowledge the hard work of all of our team Captains and Vice Captains; each of these students showed excellent leadership skills in preparing their team as well as leading them on the day:

NICOLLE:
CAPTAINS: Tom L and Chloe H
VICE CAPTAINS: Ocea C and Emma L

SAUERBIER:
CAPTAINS: Kayla D and Jake H
VICE CAPTAINS: Amber O’D and Jayse B

APPLETON:
CAPTAINS: Danielle R & Matthew H
VICE CAPTAINS: Emily J & Brodie B

WARRIKILLA:
CAPTAINS: Matt W & Zoe V
VICE CAPTAINS: Zac S & Olivia D

The ‘Attitude’ Trophy was won by Warrikilla, congratulations for a great team effort throughout the day. Warrikilla last won the ‘Attitude’ trophy in 2008.

The winner of the ‘Perpetual Shield’ for 2012 is Warrikilla. We congratulate Captains Zoe and Matt, and Vice Captains Olivia and Zac, and their team for their success on the day.

The last time their team name appeared on the ‘Perpetual’ Shield was prior to 1999.

Overall results are as follows:

FIRST: Warrikilla with a score of 233
SECOND: Sauerbier with a score of 228
THIRD: Appleton with a score of 206
FOURTH: Nicolle with a score of 192

At The Hub we are extremely grateful to the staff that has put in a great deal of time and effort behind the scenes and upfront to make the 2012 Sports Day successful.

A very special thank you goes to Scott Trenorden, Ann Fudge, Angela Thorburn and Kylie Clark for their continued promotion and support of sport here at The Hub.

We also acknowledge and thank Janet Matthews and her large group of volunteers for operating the Sports Café for cake/coffee and tea as well as the special lunch for students on the Day.

We thank all the students, parents/caregivers, visitors and staff for their participation and contribution to making the day a success for everyone.

Julie Gallaher
Principal

Julie Gallaher, Principal
TERM 2 - WEEK 4

Sarah Magnusson, Deputy Principal
RESOURCE CENTRE NEWS

Premier’s Reading Challenge

It is great to see so many students enthusiastically reading the books on the Reading Challenge List.

Premier Jay Weatherill has thrown out a new Challenge – the 12+1 Challenge – for each student to read an extra book: ‘This will enable us to reach the target of 1.5 million books read in South Australia for the Challenge in celebration of the National Year of Reading in 2012.’

Teachers will distribute the forms to students who can register when they have finished reading the first 12 books.

When your child completes the 13th book form, it can be emailed (the form is accessible electronically via the Kidspace section of the PRC website www.premiersreadingchallenge.sa.edu.au/prc/), faxed to 8226 3830 (note the changed number) or mailed to the address on the form. Students can also give the completed form to the classroom teacher and we will post them as a batch by the due date.

Parent/Caregiver Library
In case you have not noticed it, the parent/caregiver library is situated on the left inside the main door of the library just past the photocopier. A new resource Growing Great Boys by Ian Grant is now available for loan.

Bush Tucker Garden
To complement our R-7 Aboriginal Cultural Studies and to beautify the front garden immediately outside the Library/Resource Centre window, we will plant some Australian native plants traditionally used for food. I am at present researching and sourcing suitable plants.

I will be calling for student volunteers to help with the planting on Wednesday and Thursday lunch times and will be very grateful for any help or advice from parents/caregivers with an interest, skills or knowledge in this area. Please contact me if you would like to be involved.

Sophia
Teacher/Librarian

DI’S DIALOGUE

I receive Skill Sheets from Sandbox Learning from time to time and the last one had some very relevant information.

Here are some of the points:
Allow Children to Make Choices; Limit Choices; Discuss Options; Consider Other People; Praise Good Choices.

Parenting is not easy but there is help out there, www.sandbox-learning.com is one site worth visiting, particularly if you have young children.

Di Brinkworth
Christian Pastoral Support Worker

HUB GRUB NEWS

What a great Sports day was had in the Canteen and the Hub grub Cafe.

Many thanks go to Geoff Lock and Rick Vegter for cooking the BBQ.

HUGE thanks must go to Deb Lamps for all of her help on Thursday and Friday with running the Canteen, and to Trudy Evereniadis and her mum Maud for setting up and running the Café and also to Shirley Booth for making 100’s of jellies and team coloured muffins.

Thank you for all the wonderful culinary delights that were donated, we were able to offer a large array of cakes to our visitors.

And lastly, a big thank you to all the volunteers who popped in during the day to lend a hand, without any of you we would not have had such a successful day.

New items: Bucket of hot wedges $1:00
Light banana flavoured milk $2:00

Janet Matthew
Canteen Manager

MATHS TIP

Make Maths a part of your child’s day!

Encourage your child to tell or show you how he or she is using maths.

Include your child in everyday activities that involve maths – making purchases, measuring ingredients, counting out plates and utensils for dinner, estimating how long it will take to get to your destination.

Vicky Bashford
Teacher

WOOLWORTHS EARN AND LEARN

Woolworths Earn and Learn is back for 2012. It’s simple to participate: from the 9th May. When you shop at Woolworths please collect stickers from the checkout operator and place them on a sticker card (available from the front office).

There’ll be one sticker for every $10 spent (excluding liquor, tobacco, and gift cards). Once completed, please place the sticker cards in the collection box, either at school or at The Hub Woolworths.

Last year we selected some great resources for our library. Please ask friends and family members to collect these stickers as well.

UNIFORM SHOP

Our uniform shop is run by wonderful volunteers. The opening times are:
Monday 9:00am – 9:45am
Wednesday 3:00pm – 3:45pm

Order forms and price lists are available from the Front Office.
**CATCH THE VISION DAY WITH WORLD VISION**

On the 3rd May Emma, Brad, and Sheyda joined by Charlee went to the Seeds Uniting Church to learn about World Vision’s 40 hour Famine project for this year. The country chosen is Ethiopia and we enjoyed an acting simulation game. It was very challenging to experience a little of what it is like over there.

We also heard from Jacinta who is the Youth Ambassador for World Vision in 2012.

We have come back with many ideas for fundraising and information sharing with the school community. We have invited Jacinta to speak at the assembly on 25th May with the Year 4 to 7 students.

Charlee D
Yr 7 student

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**2012/2013 ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS**

Entertainment Books – Worth their weight in Gold!

We now have in stock new supplies of the 2012/2013 Entertainment book. Purchase your new 2012/2013 Entertainment Book now, it is the best Book ever.

Aberfoyle Hub R-7 School is raising funds by selling the 2012/2013 Entertainment Book. Selling for $65, the proceeds from the sale of the Entertainment Books will help fund new Sports equipment for our students.

Entertainment Books contain hundreds of 25-50% off and two-for-one offers from popular restaurants, cinemas, hotel accommodation, the arts, and sporting events.

Heather Brown
Finance Officer

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**YEAR 7 TRANSITION**

A reminder that all forms for entry into High School in 2013 must be returned to our front office by Friday 18th May.

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**SAPSASA SPORTS**

**SAPSASA Athletics**

As reported in the last newsletter, Aberfoyle Hub did extremely well in the district Sports Day held on the first Tuesday of this term.

The school placed equal second in a field of 13 schools. Altogether, 9 athletes from our school were selected to be part of the Southern Valley Team on State Day (10th May).

Those previously mentioned were Abraham W, Olivia D, Rebecca C, Chloe H and Kayla D. Also included were Kaleisha C, Max C, Matthew R and Ocea C.

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**SPORTS RESULTS**

**BASKETBALL**

7/5/2012

Hub Hawks Year 6/7 Green – Coached by Mark Donovan

| Results: | Hub Green 48 def Sunrise 10 |
| Scorers: | Haeleah J 18, Amber O 13, Bradley H 8, Olivia D 4, Zac S and Tyler B 2 |
| Best Players | Very good team effort. |
| Comments | Great result after a very good team effort, our team had too much height and too much speed for our opposition today. |

8/5/2012

Hub Hawks Year 2/3 – Coached by Mark Donovan

| Results: | Hub Hawks 86 def Woodcroft 2 |
| Scorers: | Tyson D 24, Bailey O 22, Brooklyn M 22, Sam J 10 and Aiden M 8 |
| Best Players | All played well. |
| Comments | Congratulations to our young Hawks, what an amazing result. Keep up the good work. |

23/4/2012

Hub Hawks Blue – Coached by H. Tonkin

| Results: | Hub Hawks Blue 33 def Coorara 10 |
| Scorers: | Jake H 9, Jaimie B 8, Jake Ha 8, Jared T 4 and Kobe T 4. |
| Comments | We played really well as a team against Coorara who only had 4 players |

7/5/2012

Hub Hawks Blue – Coached by H. Tonkin

| Results: | Breaview 28 def Hub Hawks Blue 6 |
| Scorers: | Kobe T 2, Shania 2 and Jake He 2. |
| Comments | We struggled against a much better team and we still have a few things to work on, but we are getting much better with our team work. |
NETBALL
5/5/2012
Hub Year 6/7 coached by Kathy Dowding

Results:  Hub 23 def Eden Hills 14
Scorers:  Emma C 15, Casey D 2, Kate P 3, & Bethany H 3
Comments: Great game by all especially as some of the girls have not played before.

NETBALL
12/5/2012
Hub Year 6/7 coached by Kathy Dowding

Results:  Braeview 19 def Hub 15
Scorers:  Kate P 2, & Bethany H 3 & Emma C 7
Comments: Due to the Campus having to exit the competition we had a great game with all players. A fantastic effort from all of the girls as it was only their second game.

OUT OF SCHOOL SPORTS FUNDRAISER
A notice was sent home on Tuesday 15th May regarding Scrap Metal Collection day next Monday 21st May as part of our fundraising for Out of School Sports.

Items include:  Fridges/Freezers
Washing Machines
Bikes
Fence/roof sheeting/steel shelving
Tools/car parts
Lawn mowers
Microwaves/gas or electric stoves
Anything made of: Copper, Brass, Lead, aluminium or 80% steel
Deposit bottles and cans

Please return your slip to Front Office before Friday 18th May. Any questions please call Neil Purvis 0408204026

OSHC NEWS
OSHC will be offering care on TUESDAY 12TH JUNE PUPIL FREE DAY

OSHC was offered on the last Pupil Free Day on Friday 4th May, but was cancelled as only 9 children were booked in by the Monday. We require 15 bookings to open to cover the costs involved in running the service. It was unfortunate for those families that needed care on that day as they had to make alternative arrangements for their children’s care.

Please ensure that you book your children in before the 5th June to enable us to operate on this day.

PAPER - PAPER - PAPER

We are running very short of scrap paper. If anyone has any spare paper A3 or A4 size that we could use we would be extremely grateful.

Kathy Strapps
OSHC Director

COMMUNITY NEWS
NEW SMOKE FREE LAWS FOR PLAYGROUNDS AND COVERED PUBLIC TRANSPORT STOPS
As from 31st May 2012 new State Government legislation will come into effect that:
- bans smoking within 10 metres of children’s public playground equipment
- bans smoking under covered public transports waiting areas, including bus, tram, train and taxi shelters and other areas used to board or alight from public transports that are covered by a roof
- gives local councils and other incorporated bodies the ability to apply to have an outdoor area or event declared smoke free

For further information or fact sheets visit www.tobaccolaws.sa.gov.au or call the hotline on 1300 363 703.

DIARY DATES

MAY
18th NAPLAN CATCH UP
R-7 Assembly in the Hall 10:50am
21st SAPSASA Netball
Scrap metal collection day
24th R-3 Assembly in M.P.R. 12:10pm
25th 4-7 Assembly in M.P.R. 10:50am
    Special School Uniform Day
30th Grounds and Facilities Committee Meeting
3:30pm
31st SAPSASA Cross Country

JUNE
1st First Transition visit 9:00am - 10:30am
    Parent/Caregiver Meeting 9:00am –10:30am
    Canteen Committee Meeting 2:00pm
    Cluster schools Aboriginal families luncheon in Multi Purpose Room 12:30pm – 2:00pm
4th O.S.H.C. Committee Meeting 7:00pm
    Sports Committee Meeting 8:00pm
5th Finance Committee Meeting 6:00pm
6th ICAS Science
7th R-3 Assembly 12:10pm Multi Purpose Room
8th Second Transition visit 9:00am – 11:00am
11th PUBLIC HOLIDAY
12th PUPIL FREE DAY
13th Governing Council Meeting 7:00pm
15th Third Transition visit 9:00am – 11:00am
R-7 Assembly in Hall 10:50am
18th ICAS - Writing
19th ICAS - Spelling
21st SCHOOL PHOTO DAY
    R-3 Assembly Multi Purpose Room 12:10pm