THE HUB NEWS 2012

We value
Relationships and Friendship, Responsibility and Respect

Julie Gallaher, Principal
TERM 2 - WEEK 6

Sarah Magnusson, Deputy Principal

SPECIAL EVENTS

JUNE

4th  Right Bite Strategy Information Session
     7pm – 8pm

11th  PUBLIC HOLIDAY

12th  PUPIL FREE DAY

15th  Family Film Night

21st  Individual and Family Photos

22nd  Sports and Group Photos

PRINCIPAL AWARDS

Confidence:  Monique H, Chloe K, Caleb H, Kieran F, Troy S, Jamie D, Jaimee B, Matthew V and Maddi C


Resilience:  Clement C

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

PHYSICAL EDUCATION AT ABERFOYLE HUB

All students at Aberfoyle Hub R-7 School in 2012 are involved in at least one lesson per week of specialised Physical Education. Each lesson has a fitness component, a skills component and a games component.

In PE lessons, students develop their physical fitness via a range of activities and games, and can regularly be seen puffing and sweating during PE lessons.

Participation is maximised at every opportunity, as students are actively involved in fun, challenging and engaging fitness activities.

All students R-7 will be exposed to a range of sports, where they will learn the skills and techniques required to play the sport at a competent level in the school yard, at home with their friends and family or at a local sporting club.

Some of the sports that students will be involved in this year include Cricket, Athletics, Basketball, Softball, Netball, and a range of racket sports, Volleyball, Gymnastics and Dance.

In the early years, there is a major focus on hand eye coordination, movement and body awareness. Learners have great opportunities to practise their catching, throwing, kicking and hitting skills in a range of settings.

Finally, within lessons a game sense approach is undertaken, where students are involved in modified games simulations that improves their skills, and also teaches the tactics that the sports require.

Lessons are designed to be enjoyable, to be challenging and interesting for all students.

Students have showed they are receptive to and are enjoying PE lessons this year.

It has been pleasing to see the skill level of all students greatly improve, as they persist and are willing to try their best.

Scott Trenorden  endorsed: Julie Gallaher
Physical Education Teacher  Principal

E-MAIL NEWSLETTER

Our current newsletter (Week 6) is being distributed via e-mail to those Parent/Caregivers that requested this service.

If you would like e-mail delivery of the newsletter please contact the Front Office either by e-mail on info@ahs.sa.edu or on 82705055 and we will add your name to the list.

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DI’S DIALOGUE

In the coming weeks we will be continuing with our focus on Community at the Hub by introducing World Vision’s 40 hour Famine ideas to the students.

This organisation has been running for many years and is well known for their efforts in raising money to help overseas countries. This year the focus is on Ethiopia, a poor African nation.

I have three groups of senior students who will be undertaking various tasks to educate their peers.

You may see posters appearing around the school announcing “CATCH THE VISION” this is the catchcry for the project. The Year 4-7’s heard from the World Vision Youth Ambassador at their last assembly of her experiences in Ethiopia and are hopefully fired up to help the cause as best they can.

We will be holding a seminar with the SRC executive team sharing a simulated experience of what life in Ethiopia might be like.

World Vision is a Christian organisation and therefore there may be some Christian input in the seminar, if you would like to ask any questions concerning this please see me.

Di Brinkworth
Christian Pastoral Support Worker

MESSAGES TO STUDENTS

We understand that from time to time urgent messages need to be delivered to your child/ren in class.

Not only receiving late phone calls at the end of the day makes it very difficult to ensure these messages are delivered to your child/ren but also the constant disruption to the class does impact significantly on the teaching and learning occurring in the classroom.

Please be mindful that all messages to students need to be made before 3pm.

Sarah Magnusson
Deputy Principal

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

SCHOOL FUNDRAISING

What a fantastic Mother’s Day stall! Thank you to all the students who shopped, shopped, shopped! They were all very excited to purchase things for the special woman in their life, which was great to see.

A HUGE thank you to the volunteers who helped run the stall - Kathy, Shirley, Sam, Chris, Saudah and Lucretia.

So far, all your fundraising efforts have helped us raise just over $1000!! This is a whopping effort and we could not have done it without all of your support.

Don’t forget to SAVE-THE-DATE for the fun family film night!!! Friday 15th June.

Tickets will be on sale soon from the front office.

It is sure to be a great night out!

Rebecca McNeil-Gordon
On behalf of the Fundraising Committee

OSHC NEWS

IMPORTANT REMINDERS FOR OSHC FAMILIES

Tuesday June 12th is a Pupil Free Day and OSHC will be open if we have 15 or more children booked in by June 7th. Please let us know ASAP if you require care on this day.

JULY VACATION CARE

Bookings will be open for the next school holiday program on Monday June 4th. Please make your bookings as soon as you can to assist us with excursion bookings and staff rosters.

We still require some interested Parents/Caregivers to be involved in our Advisory Committee. We meet twice a term on Monday nights from 6.00pm until 7.00pm in the school staff room.

Even if you can’t make every meeting, your opinions and comments provide valuable information when we evaluate our Policies and Procedures.

Come and see Kathy or Karen for further information.

Kathy Strapps
OSHC Director

WOOLWORTHS EARN AND LEARN

Woolworths Earn and Learn is continuing.

It’s simple to participate: When you shop at Woolworths please collect stickers from the checkout operator (please ask friends and family members to collect as well) 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.
**SCHOOL PHOTO’S**

School Photo’s will be held on:

- **21st June** for the Individual and family photo’s &
- **22nd June** for Sports and Group photo’s

Order envelopes will be sent home and Credit Card slips are available in the front office.

**SPORTS RESULTS**

**BASKETBALL**

14/5/2012

Hub Hawks Green year 6/7 – Coach by Mark Donovan

**Results:** Hub Hawks 46 def Coorara 22

**Comments:** Very good game played by all.

**BASKETBALL**

15/5/2012

Hub Hawks year 2/3 – Coach by Mark Donovan

**Results:** Hub Hawks 34 def Coorara 9

**Scorers:** Tyson D 16, Bailey O 13, Brooklyn M 4 and Stephani M 1

**Comments:** Well played by all. Three of our young hawks unavailable today which wasn’t a good start, but a BIG thank you to Chloe M for helping us out.

**BASKETBALL**

21/5/2012

Hub Hawks Green year 6/7 – Coach by Mark Donovan

**Results:** Coorara 32 def Hub Hawks 28

**Best Players:** Great team effort

**Comments:** We came up against a very good team tonight. They were taller, quicker and a bit more polished than our hawks. A good come back after a slow start.

**BASKETBALL**

22/5/2012

Hub Hawks year 2/3 – Coach by Mark Donovan

**Results:** Hub Hawks 39 def Woodcroft 18

**Scorers:** Bailey O 21, Tyson D 12, Brooklyn M 4 and Aiden M 2

**Comments:** Great game by our young Hawks tonight, a tough game and the results don’t show how competitive the game was.

**COMMUNITY NEWS**

**Zanshin Freestyle Karate**

Hi, I am celebrating my 20th year of teaching Martial Arts at the Aberfoyle Hub Primary School. I started teaching at the school in 1992 and we are still here!!

If you are looking for something that offers students, self defence skills, discipline, strength, co-ordination and an increased ability to concentrate, this is it. Come and see why I have been operating for 20 years. All instructors are accredited with MAIA (Martial Arts Industry Australia) and the curriculum developed is, whilst demanding at times, centred on having fun!!

“So why not give it a go!! First month training is free”

We train every Monday from 5.30pm, offering beginners, intermediate and adult classes.

If you would like to know more you can go to www.zanshinfreestylekarate.com.au or give me a call on: 0404017328.

Brett Harrison (Head Instructor, 5th Dan Black Belt)

**FREE INFORMATION SESSION INVITATION**

You’re invited to attend an information session on:

**The Right Bite – Healthy Food and Drink Supply Strategy for South Australian Schools and Preschools**

**Wednesday 6th June 2012 at 7pm – 8pm**

Aberfoyle Hub R-7 Staff Room

Leah Cassidy - Program and Policy Manager Health, Physical Activity and Wellbeing Curriculum will be here to lead an information session on the Right Bite – Healthy Food and Drink Supply Strategy.

There will be opportunities for interested Parents/Caregivers and school representatives to ask questions in relation to the strategy and it’s implications for us at Aberfoyle Hub R-7 School.

If you would like to attend, please RSVP the Front Office on 82705055 by Monday 4th June.

Sarah Magnusson
Deputy Principal

**DIARY DATES**

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