# **NEWSLETTER**



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### **EAST HAMILTON HILL PRIMARY SCHOOL**









### FROM THE PRINCIPAL

As Term One draws to a close, I would like to take the opportunity to thank our students, staff and community for their support and contributions to making this term a great success! We are so fortunate to have such a connected and caring community, all focused on ensuring our students achieve great success, academically, socially and emotionally. I would like to offer a special thanks to our dedicated staff who put their heart and soul into the education and nurturing of our students. We are incredibly lucky to have such an incredible group of educators working tirelessly to empower our students with the confidence to thrive!

I look forward to seeing our community for our end of year celebration, the Easter Hat Parade at 2:15pm, Thursday, 6 April 2023. I wish each and every member of our community a relaxing and refreshing holiday and I look forward to seeing you all back in Term 2.

### **OSHC**

Earlier this month we received notification that our OSHC provider WANSLEA were unable to continue their before and after care service. Immediately following this confirmation, we commenced a process to secure a new provider. We are pleased to announce that TheirCare were successful in their application and we welcome them to our school in Term 2. Please find a welcome letter from TheirCare on the back page of the newsletter. WANSLEA will be ceasing operations on Friday, 28 April 2023. Due to licensing restraints, TheirCare are unable to start operating until Monday, 8 May 2023, at the earliest. This means that we will have one week (Week 2) where before and after school care is unavailable at our school. If this impacts your family and you are unable to arrange alternate care, please come and speak to me directly.

### **PRINCIPAL SELECTION**

The Principal Selection Process has now been completed and we are currently awaiting confirmation of who the successful applicant is. It is expected that we will find out who the appointed person is during the school holidays. A Connect notice will be sent out to inform the community of the successful applicant.

### ATTENDANCE CELEBRATION

Regular school attendance is vital to the education of our students. To ensure they have access to consistent, high quality teaching, it is essential they attend school every day unless they are unwell. Over the past two years we have been working tirelessly to increase our student attendance, to reach our Business Plan goal of 75% regular attendance. I am so proud to say that this term we have succeeded in our aspirations and have achieved 76.6% regular attendance, an increase of 25% from Term 4 2023!

We thank our families for their ongoing support in increasing our attendance. The gift of access to education is the greatest gift you can give your child! Students who have achieved over 90% regular attendance were acknowledged today with an icy pole treat and certificate. We look forward to seeing this positive trend continue for the benefit of our students and their opportunities to be successful in life.

If you or your child requires the schools support with attendance, please come and see me. The school will do all we can to support our students in attending school regularly.



### **BOOST PROGRAM**

We have been fortunate enough to secure a grant through the Fogarty Foundation to host the DSF run **Boost** Program this year. The **Boost** program is designed to provide parents of children in Kindergarten to Year One with information and resources to best support their child's early literacy development at home. Funding has been provided for 25-30 participants to attend the **Boost** workshop series, involving two half day workshops (9:00am - 12:00pm) running over two consecutive weeks, Thursday, 11 May and Thursday, 18 May. I strongly encourage all parents and caregivers to sign up to this program if they are available. Please see the team in the front office to enrol.

### Grady Scheiblehner

### **PRINCIPAL**

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### P & C NEWS

#### **EASTER RAFFLE**

The Parents & Citizens Association of East Hamilton Hill Primary School would like to congratulate the winners of the 2023 Easter Raffle.

1st Prize Winner Alana Colburg 2nd Prize Winner Matilda Quick 3rd Prize Winner Jo Smith

Over \$450 was raised!

Thank you everyone for your continued support.

The next P&C meeting is Week 3 Term 2, Tuesday 09/05/23 at 9:00am in the staffroom. Love to see you all there.

**EHHPS Parents & Citizens Association** 

### **NOONGAR LANGUAGE IN 2023**

Mrs Mippy would like to share our latest focus Noongar words for the fortnight with the school community.

Dilbi - Leaf Diet - Flower



### **BREAKFAST CLUB**

We are very low on butter we would greatly appreciate your help. Thankyou for your support and generosity with donations throughout the term.

Breakfast Club Team

## IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER FOR TERM 1

- ♦ Wednesday 5 April Attendance Rewards
- Thursday 6 April Easter Hat Parade & Raffle

#### TERM 2

- Monday 24 April School Development Day (students do not attend)
- ◆ Tuesday 25 April ANZAC Day Public Holiday
- Wednesday 26 April Term 2 Students return
- ◆ Friday 28 April ANZAC Day Service
- ◆ Tuesday 9 May P&C Meeting 9:00am
- Wednesday 10 May School Board Meeting 5:15-6:30pm
- ◆ Thursday 11 May BOOST
- Friday 12 May Room 13 Assembly
- ◆ Thursday 18 May BOOST
- Friday 19 May Pirate Day
- ◆ 22 to 26 May Mindfulness & Wellness Week
- ◆ 22 to 26 May Swimming Lessons PP, Rm 17 Rm 13 & Rm 9
- ◆ 29 May to 2 June Swimming Lessons Rm 1, Rm 16, Rm 14 & Rm 15
- ◆ Friday 2 June Room 1 Assembly
- Monday 5 May Western Australia Day Public Holiday
- ◆ Tuesday 6 June P&C Meeting 9:00am
- Wednesday 14 June School Board Meeting 5:15-6:30pm
- Friday 23 June CARE focus Assembly
- ◆ 26 to 30 June NAIDOC Week
- Monday 26 June 22 to 26 May Reports sent to Parents
- ◆ 26 to 27 June Kaper Class Rewards
- ♦ Wednesday 28 June Attendance Reward
- ◆ Thursday 29 June School Cross Country
- ◆ Friday 30 June Last Day Term 2
- ♦ Uniform Shop is open in Weeks 2, 4, 6, 8 & 10, from 8.30 10.00am located in the Library.
- Canteen open Wednesdays and Fridays each week.
- \* For all other important dates that may arise we will update the Term Planner as needed and send notes home.

## MERENY- AP YANGINY (CANTEEN) NEWS

Canteen cut off times for ordering food on the canteen days Wednesdays and Fridays is 7:00am for the online ordering on "My School Connect" and 9:00am at the Canteen window. Unfortunately, the EHHPS Canteen team cannot take late orders.

Visit My School Connect:

https://myschoolconnect.com.au/east-hamilton-hill-ps-canteen

**Sharon Borehan**Canteen Manager



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### **CONGRATULATIONS**

to the following students for receiving Honour Certificates on Friday, 24/03/23

Pre-Primary	Lucas
Room 1 Year 1	Nadya
Room 13 Year 2/3	John
Room 14 Year 2/3	Dominic
Room 15 Year 4/5	Lukayla
Room 16 Year 4/5	Andy
Room 17 Year 4/5	Flynn N
Room 9 Year 6	Jayden
PE	Jemiraquai
Music	Braxton
Science	Toby
Noongar Language	Lovelle
Visual Art	Janelle
Performing Art	Jack T

Tod CARE Certificates for:

### **COOPERATE!**



Pre-Primary	Isaiah Jakob Annie
Room 1	Spencer Rose Adeline
Room 13	Angel Chloe J Piper
Room 14	Sacha Hugh Isla Mc
Room 15	Braiden Ferne Ngawhetu
Room 16	Levi Louis Mia R
Room 17	Kash Tom Elsie
Room 9	Jimmy Anthony Samson

## CARE Assembly & Harmony Day 24 March 2023



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### A BIG Hello and Welcome to **TheirCare**

Dear Families and Caregivers of East Hamilton Hill Primary School,

We would like to say a big Hello from the team at TheirCare, we are excited to be East Hamilton Hill Primary Schools new onsite Out of School Hours Care service.

Our OSHC Team are ready to welcome your family to our OSHC service, to learn about your family's goals for OSHC and your child's unique interests. TheirCare aims to provide leisure based, social learning experiences for children in Outside School Hours Care through the dedication of our qualified educators so that we can support each child's spiritual, physical, social, intellectual, and emotional abilities.

Important updates for all families who will need to access OSHC:

- Enrolment Information: Enrolments will open on the 24/4/2023. Please stay tuned for more information to come regarding enrolments and bookings.
- Families utilising the current provider: Unfortunately, we are unable to directly transfer your bookings from your current OSHC provider. Please ensure you complete an enrolment and online bookings to secure your spot.
- Our educators cant wait to make your child and family feel welcome and respected while using our service. Our customer service team is available at all times to answer any questions you may have.
- Our Before school care will open at 6:30am bell times and will be \$24 per session before childcare subsidy.
- Our After school care will open at bell time 6:00pm and will be \$34 per session before childcare subsidy.

Over the coming weeks you will receive more information regarding TheirCare's Before School and After School Care Program at East Hamilton Hill Primary school.

We are looking forward to meeting you all!

Kind Regards,

TheirCare East Hamilton Hill OSHC Team.

Check out our family information: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PIme1bzi\_8w





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