



# Halls Gap Primary School Newsletter No 36 Wednesday 27th November, 2013

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Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> November	MARC van – please return all books
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> November	Active After School self defence – session 6
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> November	GREASE dress rehearsal at Stawell Entertainment Centre 9-3pm
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December	GREASE dress rehearsal at Stawell Entertainment Centre 9-3pm
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> December	Marian College Orientation day Transition day for preps
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> December	Active After School cricket – session 6



**ALLERGIES – PLEASE AVOID SENDING NUTS TO SCHOOL**  
Just a reminder – we have a child at school with a serious allergy to nuts (anaphylaxis).  
We ask that you do not send any foods to school that contain nuts.

Dear Families,

**PLEASE REMEMBER THAT TOMORROW IS PHOTO DAY!!!** All students should be in full school uniform. We would also like the Grade 6 students to wear their official school t-shirts (not their new Grade 6 ones) or at least bring them along to put on. All money should be brought in tomorrow – if it is not here already. Each child should have their individual envelopes and please ensure any family photo envelopes are at school too.



Frau Stoffel has asked me to thank all of the students and their families who came along as part of the primary school choir to sing at the Christmas Tree Light Up Festival last night. I would also like to thank Frau Stoffel for leading the choir.

Next Tuesday is the first of our Prep transition days. We look forward to having Miles and Maggie joining us for the morning.

Please be aware that we are monitoring the cicada noise levels and will make arrangements when levels become unbearable. Currently students are being given the choice about whether they wish to play outside and the time spent outside is limited.

Ja-San Trimble  
Principal

## GREASE REHEARSALS

Our rehearsal day on Monday was a lot of fun and the kids worked very hard but we did experience some sound and lighting issues which meant that we had to spend more time than anticipated on those areas. We feel it is only fair to our performers that they are given some extra rehearsal time at the entertainment centre on the large stage. As such **we will be having an extra rehearsal this Friday the 29<sup>th</sup>**. The same arrangement as for Monday should be followed that is: students to be at the entertainment by 9am and to be picked up at approximately 3pm. No costumes are required this Friday but next Monday (the 2<sup>nd</sup> of December) is a full dress rehearsal.

**PLEASE LET US KNOW IF YOU NEED ASSISTANCE WITH TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS ON EITHER OF THESE REHEARSAL DAYS.**

## PAYMENTS DUE:

\$25.00 GREASE contribution

OTHER DATES FOR THE CALENDAR	
NOVEMBER	
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> November	School Photo Day – please note change of date
DECEMBER	
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December	GREASE dress rehearsal at Stawell Entertainment Centre
Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> December	GREASE performance
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> December	Stawell Secondary College Orientation day Transition day for preps
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> December	Grade 6 Graduation

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> at 6.00pm – Georgia Farlech is playing her violin at the Mountain Grand. If you have a spare moment go along and support Georgia.



## SCHOOL VALUES

- Honesty
  - Being true to yourself, family, friends and teachers
- Persistence

Being confident, resilient and optimistic when striving to meet challenges

  - To enjoy and celebrate with others
- Humour
  - To contribute ideas, be flexible and demonstrate leadership
- Initiative
  - To contribute ideas, be flexible and demonstrate leadership
- Commitment
  - Being dedicated to do your very best
- Teamwork

Working with and sharing with others to enhance learning for everyone
- Respect
  - Treating self, others and your environment with care and respect.

**Please discuss these on a regular basis at home as a family**



Nathan Brasien



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