



Halls Gap Primary School Newsletter No 29 Tuesday 15th September, 2015

TERM 3 2015	
Wednesday 16 th September	Rural student experience day at Stawell Secondary College
Thursday 17 th September	MARC Van School Council
Friday 18 th September	Last day of term 3 – early dismissal Footy Colours Day
Monday 5 th October	First day of term 4 Gr 3-6 students head to Kangarooobie



ALLERGIES – PLEASE AVOID SENDING NUTS TO SCHOOL
Just a reminder – we have a child at school with a serious allergy to nuts (anaphylaxis)

STUDENTS WILL BE DISMISSED AT 2.15PM THIS FRIDAY

Dear Families,

I hope most families got to enjoy the opportunity of an extended weekend. Teachers were in Donald, at Donald Primary School having a look at their spelling, literacy and well-being programs. We were given lots of things to discuss and research. Donald PS staff were very welcoming and happy to share with us. We got to have a look at the developing “Bush School” area which has also given us something to think about.

The grades 3 to 6 students thoroughly enjoyed their afternoon playing petanque with Tim, Ken, Kevin, David and Cheryl. Some of our students showed that they were naturals but it was pleasing to note that everyone improved very quickly with the handy hints given by our more experience instructors. Well done to Paddy and Spencer who were our tournament champions in the end!



Please don't forget that this Friday is the last day of term. Students will be dismissed at 2.15pm. It is also **Footy Colours Day!** Can't wait to see all of the Black and White!! 😊 Students need a gold coin donation which will go towards supporting the Fight Cancer Foundation.



This Friday we will be making pizzas for lunch. Students will not need to bring their lunch – but they will still need their snacks for the day.

Please note that the Grades 3 to 6 students, Mrs. Trimble and Frau Stoffel will not be at school on the first three days of term 4. We will be having a fantastic time on camp at Kangarooobie. Watch our Facebook page for updates while we are away.



Have a fantastic break everyone!

Ja-San Trimble
Principal



NOW CLOSED. THANK YOU SO MUCH TO EVERYONE WHO COLLECTED STICKERS FOR US! 😊

TERM 4 DATES	
Friday 9 th Oct	Maths Olympics – Grades 5 to 6 at SSC
Friday 16 th Oct	Regional Athletics – Archie, Eugene and Isobel
Sunday 1 st November	Market
Tuesday 3 rd November	Melbourne Cup public holiday
Tuesday 10 th November	T20 cricket – Grades 4-6

JUNIOR SCHOOL COUNCIL NEWS

FOOTY COLOURS DAY

On the last day of term 3 (the 18th of September) the Junior School Council will be hosting a Footy Colours Day. On this day everyone should wear the colours of their footy team. Please bring a gold coin donation for the Fight Cancer Foundation. Everyone will be participating in some footy skills and games. We will also be doing something else but we want to keep this a secret. We hope everyone will be able to come! Thank-you, Junior School Council 😊



The Stawell Leisure Complex is now preparing classes and groups for the Term 4 Summer Swimming program (Water Familiarisation & Stroke Development). The Programs offered are specifically designed for children starting from as young as 6 months old all the way up to High school aged children. If you or someone you know is interested in learning to swim please contact the Stawell Leisure Complex on (03) 5358 0550.



TICKETS

Online at
www.trybooking.com/156076

Cash sales at
Stawell
Neighbourhood
House

Adult: \$17
Conc: \$15
Teen: \$10
Child: \$8

At the door—
additional \$2 per
ticket

Book and Lyrics by Markus Weber – Music by Michael Summ

BASED ON THE STORIES BY RUDYARD KIPLING

JUNGLE BOOK

The Musical

Stawell Entertainment Centre

Evening shows – 8 pm
Saturday 3rd - Friday 9th October
Matinee shows – 2 pm
Sunday 4th - Saturday 10th October

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Director
Deb Armstrong

CAST

Mowgli
Saige Omernik
Charlotte Harwood

Bagheera
Sue Horvath

Baloo
Greg Little

Shere Khan
Tracey Erkelens

Kaa
Dianne Stewart

King Louie
Richard Robinson

Colonel Hathi
Helen-Maree Smith

Animal Chorus
Naomi Altmann
Sarah Little
Alanis Williams
Amanda Bertram-Mannon
Hayley Little



Horsham Regional Art Gallery September Holiday Program

Block Printing for Beginners

Tuesday 22 September, 10.30am—12pm or 2 – 3.30pm
 For children aged 6 – 10 years.
 Using block printing foam and collage materials, create a view of "your home" in response to Geoff Newton's paintings in our current exhibition *Country Practice*.
 Cost \$5.00 per session. Bookings essential.

Collage Book Making

Thursday 24 September, 10am—12pm or 2 – 4pm
 For children aged 8 – 13 years.
 Create your very own artists book using drawings, text and collage.
 Cost \$5.00. Bookings essential.

Racing Pigeon Reduction Prints!

Wednesday 23 September, 1.30 – 4pm
 For children aged 10 – 13 years.
 From Fantails to Tumblers, pay homage to the pigeons of the Horsham Homing Club included in the exhibition *Country Practice*. Draw your design then use reduction print making techniques on lino to create a two colour pigeon print. Sharp tools cutting tools are used—not suitable for small children.
 Cost \$7.00 per session. Bookings essential.

Horsham Regional Art Gallery

Jubilee Hall, 21 Roberts Avenue Horsham. Phone 5362 2888

IMAGE OVER: Stuart Russell and Kate Davy, Horsham Homing Club (Flag), 2015



END OF TERM 3 HOLIDAY PROGRAM Stawell Library presents...



JIM THE MAGICIAN
 on Tuesday 22 September
 @
 10.30am
 (Free)

Jim the Magician is the stage persona of James Conomy. He got his start as a magician in the 1970's after being inspired by a biopic about legendary escapologist Houdini!

CREATE A COMIC
 on Tuesday 29 September
 @
 2.30pm
 (\$2)

Bring your lego, small dinosaurs, etc. to use in making comic strips!



Must Book on 5358-1274
 WIMMERA REGIONAL LIBRARY CORPORATION

Story-time remains the same over the holidays, Thursdays & Fridays 10.30am start.
 All welcome!



Your Family is invited to
 take home a

big brother or big sister!

Give your children a wonderful opportunity to have a warm and amusing 'big brother or sister' live as part your family for a few months. Specially selected international exchange students, including from Europe, are arriving in February next year to live with our local families, learn and share cultures for a limited period of time for 3, 5, or 10 months. Discuss with your family and call Dept. of Education-registered Southern Cross Cultural Exchange on 1800 500 501 (toll free) or email scceast@scce.com.au www.scce.com.au

