Dear Parents and Carers,

PARLIAMENT HOUSE VISIT

Our school leaders had a wonderful opportunity to visit Parliament House as guests of Mr Ian Kaye, State Member for Greenslopes. The opportunity to visit the Legislative Assembly, the Legislative Council, tour the stately rooms and learn about governance at the state level is something they will always remember.
KEEP A WATCH ON OUR SCHOOL THESE HOLIDAYS

With the holidays fast approaching, we need you to look out for after-hours crime in our school. If you see anything suspicious, please call School Watch on 13 17 88.

The School Watch program is a partnership between the Department of Education, Training and Employment, the Queensland Police Service and the State Government Protective Security Service. It aims to reduce vandalism, theft and arson in Queensland schools.

If you do see something suspicious, please don’t attempt to intervene. Call the School Watch number and let the local police or State Government Protective Security Service deal with the matter. Keep the number handy—13 17 88—and let’s work together to help create a safer school community.

G20 CULTURAL CELEBRATIONS

Make the most of Brisbane’s historic G20 Leaders Summit by taking part in the free G20 cultural celebrations in Brisbane on 24 October to 16 November, with a diverse program of free music, dance, circus performances and visual art events.

END OF TERM

With the end of term fast approaching please ensure that you notify teachers and the office of any early departures prior to the spring vacation and finalise any outstanding accounts. Children return to school on TUESDAY 7 October.

Regards
Edward Danielewski
Deputy Principal

ASBESTOS FOLLOW-UP

As you will be aware from my letter of last week, some asbestos bearing material was found in soil on a degraded slope. The area in question is still barricaded. A company has been engaged by Building Assets Services (BAS) to ensure the area is safe. This company is well respected and has much experience in this role and will be revisiting the school on Sunday morning. I hope early next week to receive a clearance certificate for the area concerned.

EXCELLENCE EXPO FEEDBACK

While Excellence Expo is still fresh in your recall please take the opportunity to fill out a feedback form provided to you with the newsletter and on Facebook.

Regards
Anthony Gribbin
Principal

P&C Father’s Day Stall 2014

Thank you to the school community for your amazing support of the Fathers’ Day stall. It was very well received by the students who enjoyed the shopping experience with many selecting several gifts. Nearly 1000 gifts were sold and the fundraising amount was $3605. Special thanks to the contributions of Shannon Pettigrew, Nikki Topp and Tanya Faccio who have worked on the Mothers’ Day and Fathers’ Day stalls for the last four years and have now “retired”.

Fathers’ Day Stall Committee

Calendar

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DATE CLAIMER
BOOK FAIR 2014

Book Fair arrives at the school on Tuesday 18th November. The remainder of that week will be preview days.

BUYING WEEK: Monday 24th - Friday 28th November
Provider - Scholastic
Venue - School Library

SCHOOL WATCH – 13 17 88

P&C Contacts

Email: pandc@hollparkss.eq.edu.au

Swim School: 3421 6262
hollandparkpool@gmail.com
Enquiries 3 – 5pm Mon – Fri term time

Swim Club website:
www.hollandparkswimclub.com

Uniform Shop: (07) 3397 7426
Open Mon, Wed and Thurs, 7.00am – 9.30am term time

Tuckshop: 3421 6263
Open Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs and Fri

The P&C meets at 7:30pm on the 4th Wednesday each month.
**Sports Report**

It was Holland Park students time to shine again! Congratulations to all students that attended the Metropolitan East Track and Field trials held on the 4th and 5th September.

Jake Ward – High Jump  
Christina C – 800m & Discus  
Samuel C – 800m  
Lila U – 200m & 800m  
Jaden W – 800m  
Jasper W – 800m & Multi Event  
Shatalii M – 800m  
Abby C – 100m

Holland Park showed their strengths with the following students placing in finals. Sam C, Lila U, Christina C and Shatalii M. It was great to see some ‘Personal Best’ results at this event.

We saw another great effort from Shatalii M who has now been selected into the Metropolitan East Track and Field Team for 800m.

Congratulations everyone!

Matt Walker  
HPE Specialist Teacher

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**Tuckshop Talk**

Please note: this roster may not reflect recent changes.

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**HELP NEEDED**

If you could spare 2 hours in the morning on the following days please let Mel know on 0408628800 / 34216263.

Monday September 15th and Wednesday September 17th.  
Your help is greatly appreciated.

Melisa  
0408628800 / 34216263

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**School holiday fun**

**Holland Park Library**

Origami paper cranes  
Tuesday 23 September 3.30-4.30pm*  
Ideal for children aged eight years and over.

Crafty kids: treasure box  
Thursday 25 September 2-3pm*  
Ideal for children aged 6-12 years.

Finger puppets  
Tuesday 30 September 2-3pm*  
Ideal for children aged 8-12 years.

*Bookings essential.  
Call Holland Park Library on (07) 3403 7798 for more information.  
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Lost and Found

We have had two items handed in to the administration office -

1. A ring that was found in the prep precinct
2. A pipe that was part of a costume was found after the Trivia Night.

These can be collected from the office.

OUR LADY OF MT CARMEL CATHOLIC CHURCH COORPAROO
SACRAMENT PREPARATION

Our Lady of Mt Carmel Parish, (312 Cavendish Road, Coorparoo), wishes to advise that enrolments in the Sacramental Program for Reconciliation (2014), Confirmation and Eucharist (2015), are now open. Children in Year 2 of Illusion who attend Mt Carmel Church and have been baptised are eligible for enrolment. If you wish your child to participate in the program, please contact the Parish Office on 3397 1587 (Tues–Fri) to obtain enrolment forms. Any queries can also be directed to this number. These forms are due back no later than Friday 18 September 2014.

HIP HOP DANCE CLASS

Come down to Mt Gravatt PCYC to get your groove on and learn some cool moves.

(Please bring a water bottle and comfortable clothes.)

Date: Tuesday 30th September
Time: 1-3pm
Cost: Free
Venue: Mt Gravatt PCYC- 90 Klumpp Road
Bookings are essential: 3420 4655

A team of researchers at Griffith University are investigating a parent-based program for young children with Asperger’s Syndrome/High Functioning Autism and comorbid anxiety difficulties. Anxiety is common in children with Asperger’s Syndrome/High Functioning Autism and can lead to difficulties in friendships, family life and school. However, the earlier anxiety is treated the less impact it is likely to have on a child’s development and future. The Fun with Feelings Team is seeking parents of children aged between 4 and 6 years to partake in the study.

The treatment program involves parents attending 10 weekly, group sessions that run for approximately 90 minutes. Parents will also be asked to complete questionnaires up to 3 times during the study at times separate to the treatment program.

This is being offered free for families who are eligible to participate.

For more information contact Julia Cook or Dr Caroline Donovan
Phone: 37955328
Email: funwithfeelings@griffith.edu.au

GROSS CARTOONING WITH CARTOON DAVE

Holland Park Library

Join Cartoon Dave for the grossest cartooning workshop on the planet.

WARNING: This cartooning workshop will teach you to draw gross stuff like snort, zombies and more.

Saturday 30 September
10.30–11.30am

* Bookings essential.
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Metro South Oral Health Hub

Who is eligible?

• All children aged 4 through to year 10
• Students/year 10
• Students/year 12
• Students/year 12

Children’s Dental Benefits Schedule

0-3 year olds

3-4 year olds

5-5 year olds

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Metro South Oral Health Hub

Who needs to attend the appointment?

A parent or legal guardian is required to attend every dental appointment.

How do I make an appointment?

You can now book an appointment for you or your child at a time and location convenient for you. For all appointments, please call 30300 850.

1300 300 850

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Free dental care to children throughout our region.

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Sunday 5th October 9am

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For Assistance: Call Jo on 0418 97 67 97

REDBACKS NETBALL CLUB
is now accepting registrations for the 2015 netball season.
Under 7 (born 2008) to Opens. Full details from club website: www.redbacksnetball.org
 Registrations close on 30 November 2014 for 2015 season.

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EXCELLENCE EXPO 2014

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Ideas to improve the Expo:

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I belong to the (please tick):

☐ Parent Community

☐ Staff Community

☐ Student Community

Please leave your feedback at the school office by

Thursday 18 September 2014