THE LAST WORD ON THE FETE

Well only this one last day to go. You will have seen a hive of activity around the school today getting ready for tomorrow.

Some last reminders:

Please bring all raffle tickets - sold or unsold to the Raffles Tent as early as possible on the day!

Check out www.hollandparkstateschool.com.au to plan your day.

Look for the fete program coming home on Friday with your youngest child.

See you in the morning. Don't forget to turn up for your volunteer shift.

Thanks for everyone’s hard work and support. It is sure to be a great day.
Dear Parents and Carers,

VISITING AUTHOR

Simon Higgins, author of critically acclaimed crime, adventure and fantasy works spoke to students from years 3, 4 and 5 at our school this week. Simon spoke about his extensive travels in Asia where he lived, studied and competed in martial arts contests.

Students were inspired by his presentation and afterwards participated in a hands-on writers’ workshop, ‘The Art of Openings’.

Simon will be returning to our school on July 29 and August 5 to run more workshops, a writers’ master class and a staff meeting presentation. Here are photographs of Simon running the writers workshop.

SUPPORTING THE SCHOOL OF ST JUDE, TANZANIA

A Free Dress Day was organised by the Student Council in support of The School of St Jude, in Tanzania, East Africa, this week on Thursday. Students came in free dress and brought along a gold coin donation to support the school which is fighting poverty through education.

Felix Mollel, who is a visitor coordinator at St Jude’s, came to a whole of school assembly to talk with students about his school for the poorest children. Also pictured are student council members, Lucy and Jasmine, presenting the $875.55 raised to Felix. Thank you all for supporting our student council project.

Regards
Cathy Polities
Deputy Principal
**Behaviour Management at HPSS**

At HPSS the following school rules promote our high standards of behaviour:

- Be safe
- Be responsible
- Be respectful

**RULES REMINDER**

**STAYING SAFE AT WILBUR ST BUS STOP:**

- Wait quietly under the walkway roof between the junior toilets and D Block
- Walk to the gate when the bus arrives
- Line up behind the yellow line when the bus stops
- Behave well on the bus, respecting bus rules
- Have a loaded GO card

**5C TIP OF THE WEEK**

**COMMITMENT** – make the most of your class time by:

- Staying on task
- Listening to instructions
- Being organised

**Please check Lost Property**

Cold mornings and warm days mean that many school jumpers are left around the school at the end of the day. Please check the growing pile of school jumpers in lost property under the Administration Block as unclaimed items are donated to charity at the end of each term.

**Prep 2015 Enrolments Now Open**

Enrolment forms and information can be found on the school website [www.hollparkss.eq.edu.au/enrolments](http://www.hollparkss.eq.edu.au/enrolments) or alternatively at the school office.

Enrolments close on Friday 29 August 2014.

**Gifted & Talented Education**

Holland Park State School
Gifted & Talented Education Committee
proudly announces

**Excellence Expo Date Claimer**

**Wednesday 3 September 2014**
Excellence Expo Science Workshops – Monday 23 June

On **Monday 23 June** there will be 2 Science Workshops being held in the School Hall in preparation for Excellence Expo.

This presentation will include ideas for:

- Investigations
- Scientific process
- Layout/presentation of entries Excellence Expo
- Criteria for Excellence Expo
- Useful Websites

**Prep Workshop at 9:15-10:00am:** Gayle Rausch will be presenting a Science Workshop for Parents/Carers.

**Years 1 to 7 Workshop at 10:15-11:00am:** Julia Whittaker will be presenting a Science Workshop for Parents/Carers and Students.

Excellence Expo year level booklets, Prep to Year 7 will be distributed in week commencing 16 June with all information regarding 2014 Excellence Expo.

Tuckshop Talk

**TUCKSHOP ROSTER**

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**URGENT – MORE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

HELP NEEDED ON FRIDAYS: June 27th, August 1st & 29th, October 31st and November 28th.

Unfortunately due to work commitments the tuckshop has lost some great volunteers until the end of the year. If ANYBODY can help out on these dates PLEASE contact Mel at the tuckshop or txt 0408628800. Tuckshop CAN NOT run without the help of volunteers.

Thanks Mel

JJ’S AT GREENSLOPES

We would like to extend a special thank you to “JJ’S” for the support they give the school supplying fresh fruit and vegetables each week.

**DRUM FOR FUN! Learning an instrument stimulates brain development!!**

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BOOK NOW ~ Michael Clarke ~ Mobile 0405 335 789
ADVERTISING IN THE NEWSLETTER – All advertising is to be at school NO LATER than 9am on Monday. Ads cost $4 for the first 4 lines and $2 for each additional line or part thereof. Val Foster Acting, BSM, HPSS, 3421 6222

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