



HOLMWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Term 3 Week 9 – Week Ending Friday 21st September 2018

From the Principal's Desk

I would like to advise parents and caregivers that I shall be taking a week's Long Service Leave next week. Mrs Amylee Knight will be Relieving Principal in my absence.

I would also like to take this opportunity to wish everyone a safe and happy holiday and I look forward to seeing you all next term.

Last day of term will be next Friday 27th of September 2018.

School will resume for Term 4 on Monday 15th of October 2018 for both the staff and students.

END OF TERM ASSEMBLY



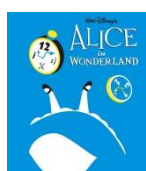
Our End of Term Assembly is being held tomorrow commencing at 12:00pm. Each of our classes will have a special presentation to present to our visitors. We look forward to seeing you all there.

HIGH SCHOOL TRANSITION FOR YEAR 6 STUDENTS

The next dates for High School Transition are Thursday 27th September and the final Transition will be held next term on Thursday 25th October.

Students will be transported to Cowra High School via teacher's car. At the end of each Transition students will be catching their buses home from Cowra High School or be picked up from the High School by parents. Students will be required to wear enclosed leather shoes (this is for Health & Safety reasons and for their own safety in practical classrooms) as the lessons will be Food Technology and Ag/Science.

MATINEE PERFORMANCE – "ALICE IN WONDERLAND" – COWRA CIVIC CENTRE



Our students have been invited to the matinee performance of "Alice in Wonderland", presented by Cowra

Public School, to be held on Thursday 27th September 2018. The cost for students to attend this performance is only \$2.00 per child. **Please complete the permission note, sent home with a previous newsletter, and return to school with payment asap.**



P&C CAKE STALL FESTIVAL FUNDRAISER

Our P&C Association are holding a cake stall at the Holmwood Festival this year. **It would be appreciated if families could please donate cakes/slices for this Festival.**

If you would like to donate please leave your cakes/slices/biscuits at the school office on Friday or bring them to the Festival on Saturday. Please add your ingredients to the top of the packaging. We thank you for your kind donations.

The P&C are also in need of donations of bags of lollies for their lolly jar stall.



If families would like to donate lollies please leave them at the school office and a P&C member will

collect them. We thank you for your generous support.

As this is the P&C's major fundraiser for the year your assistance will make a huge difference to making this wonderful event as successful as it has been in past years. Thank you for your continued support. Holmwood P&C Committee!!

FORMAL SCHOOL UNIFORMS

Families are reminded that HPS has introduced their new formal uniform. The uniform will be worn on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. **Our students, particularly our school leaders, are attending more out of school special occasions where the formal uniform is required to be worn.** Occasionally students have Gymnastics or other extra sporting activities, when these are on students are to wear their sports uniforms, otherwise the sports uniform will be worn on Wednesday and Friday. Uniforms are available to purchase from the school office and the girls formal skirt can be purchased from Central West Uniforms located in the Centre Arcade in Kendal Street. You may claim a \$10 refund on the purchase of the formal skirt when you present your receipt to the school office. This is to help offset the cost as the girls new formal uniform is a little more expensive than the boys.



Calendar

Term 3 Week 9	
Fri 21st Sept	END OF TERM ASSEMBLY – 12PM
Sat 22nd Sept	HOLMWOOD SPRING FESTIVAL
Term 3 Week 10	
Mon 24th Sept	Gymnastics – Yrs 4/5/6
Tue 25th Sept	Gymnastics – Yrs 2/3/4
Wed 26th Sept	Gymnastics – Yrs K/1/2
Thurs 27th Sept	Whole School Matinee Performance - Cowra Civic Centre
Fri 28th Sept	LAST DAY OF TERM 3 SCHOOL RESUMES ON MONDAY 15TH OF OCTOBER



PARENT AND CAREGIVERS CONTACT NUMBERS

It has come to the attention of staff that some of our parent and caregiver contact numbers are out of date. Please check that you have given the school your current contact numbers.

IT IS OF THE UTMOST IMPORTANCE THAT THE SCHOOL HAS CURRENT CONTACT NUMBERS, PARTICULARLY IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY

Attached to this newsletter is an Emergency Contacts Form. It would be appreciated if families could complete the form and return it to school asap.

Kind Regards,
Kris Pagett
Principal

YR 3/4 HIGHLIGHTS

Yrs 3/4 concentrating on their Maths 3 Focus Lessons this week





SRC SAUSAGE SIZZLE

On Monday 24th of September (next Monday) the SRC are once again offering a sausage sizzle to students for lunch. Dave, our wonderful GA, will be cooking this for our students. The cost of a sausage sandwich is \$2.00. Attached to this newsletter is your order form. Please complete the order form, one for each child, and return to school with payment by Monday morning. Thank you Dave!!



SRC WEDNESDAY SPECIAL LUNCH

On WEDNESDAY 26th of September (next Wednesday) the SRC are offering cheese toasties for a small cost of \$2.00. An Order Form will be sent home with students on Monday afternoon.



Attachments

- Parent and Caregiver Contact Information Form
- Monday Sausage Sizzle Order Form

WHOLE SCHOOL EXCURSION

ONLY 73 SLEEPS TO GO!!

Our Whole School Excursion is fast approaching and we would like to remind families that they are welcome to make payments for our excursion which is being held on 28th, 29th and 30th of November, if you wish to make a payment please call into the school office and Anthea will assist you. This year our school will be travelling to the Blue Mountains, **this is an excursion which will be part of our Geography and PD curriculum.** If you have not yet paid your



\$50.00 deposit and wish to attend please call in to the office and make your payment asap. **Remember that this is a WHOLE SCHOOL excursion and all students are expected to attend.** If you have any questions do not hesitate to make an appointment with a staff member and they will be more than happy to assist you.

HOLMWOOD SPRING FESTIVAL

The P&C Committee would like to thank all families that have offered to assist at the Festival, your help is very much appreciated.

We are still in need of helpers, if you can spare any time at all please contact the school on 6342 2172.

The Festival is being held on Saturday September 22nd from 3pm to 8pm. Our P&C members have been working extremely hard to ensure this is a success and now need your help!! Holmwood P&C will be running the following stalls and need helpers on the day, this only needs to be a couple of hours –

- Hot Chips & Hot Dogs
- Lamb and Gravy Rolls
- Lollies
- Drinks
- Glow Sticks
- Raffle Table
- Cake Stall

OLD RUGS, DOONAS & BLANKETS



The Festival Committee are still in need of some old blankets, doonas or old rugs to use to cover bales for seating at the upcoming Festival. Please leave any donations you have at the school office.

