Dear Hughes Parent,

What a fortnight! Three amazing celebrations, along with our regular positive and happy atmosphere inside classrooms and out on the playground.

Congratulations to Brian Johns and Robyn Hammond for taking out their category of the 2014 Public Education Excellence Awards. As School Hero and Primary Teacher of the Year, respectively, we are very proud of the contributions you have made to the lives of all of us at HPS. Joanna Smith was also nominated for New Educator of the Year - we applaud the three of you for your amazing work.

Celebrating our 50th birthday was a buzz from cupcakes to psychedelic 60's dressed up staff, to our Reminiscence Room and a gathering of past Hughes folk - many stories and memories were shared. The digging up of the time capsule was a highlight of the celebrations. What an extraordinary experience! Thanks to Wendy Rainbird and Steph Roberts for assisting and to reveal the contents that were in pristine condition.

It was exceptional to have so many past HPS families and staff join in our celebrations, our community afternoon was so much fun, and so well attended. Thanks to the P&C for their leadership and enthusiasm.

Next term, we will be securing our own Time Capsule to sit and wait another 25 years! So start thinking of things we can place inside of it.

Our Wizard of Oz production reached the stars last Friday night, showcasing the talents of our extraordinary students and the leadership of our amazing teachers and the spirit from our parents and grandparents and other volunteers. Knowing the story of our students is so important and when we know that we have singers and dancers and actors...then it is up to us to promote opportunities for them to be challenged and shine, and I know we were successful with that vision.

Arrrrrr....a fun night was had in the jam packed hall last Saturday night as we were entertained by Adam Porter as MC, and dressed as pirates for a battle of wits! Katarina Pearson and team, your efforts that went into the night were exemplary...thank you from us all who joined together as a synergistic community and relished to banter, fun and pirates accents all night! A sensational way of concluding two enormous weeks at Hughes.

I wish everyone a wonderful sunny, springy and invigorating holiday coming up....we have an action filled last term, 2014 certainly has been an extraordinary one so far...let’s all make the last ten weeks awesome as well!

Kate

Principal's Message
Preschool Owls and Butterflies

The preschool has continued to be a hive of activity over the past couple of weeks.

Each term the children have been asked to create a self-portrait and sign it to form part of their Learning Journals. Last week all the children eagerly accepted the challenge for this term. It was superb to observe as they listened intently as we looked at some samples of famous artist’s portraits creations. They were very impressed with Picasso’s creations and even Francis Bacon’s art. This developed into some very clear and amazing self-portraits where many children eagerly combined different creative materials and mixed their own colours with the paints to ensure the eye and hair colour was accurate. This also linked amazingly well with the creation of the simple father’s day cards as each child finished their self-portrait they were then asked to be like a famous artist and paint a portrait of their dads. I must say some of you look amazing! The cards then became another literacy focus as all the children concentrated to write inside the cards and also to complete the sentence. ‘I love you daddy because….’

Thank you so much to everyone for supporting the children with their pamper sessions, it looked like you all had fun, I know the children certainly did and many nails looked very glamorous!

Also thank you to Mark Lanham and everyone who supported the special children’s café at the birthday celebrations on Saturday.

The past week has been about celebrations. Celebrating along with the whole school community for the 50th Birthday. Also celebrating our fantastic Kellie! She is going to be missed but her new position is hopefully on the new path to her dream role after all her studying it is amazing and I know you will join me in wishing her well.

Susan, Kellie, Yukari, Kate, Brooke and Maryanne
Blue Gum News

It has been a busy term in Blue Gum, with new and old faces joining together to learn. With everyone working hard we have seen some great achievements from everyone with Chris displaying some fantastic leadership skills, Abbee and Sean working hard on their reading, Max showing off his gross motor skills, Eden joining in on group activities and Nana improving her writing.

We have welcomed exciting new things like our new hammock and trampoline. However, the most exciting thing has been our new class member - Murtle the Turtle, our new class pet.

Yelena, Beth and Fiona.
The K/1 students have continued to celebrate their way through Term 3 with the incredible Book Week events! The students looked terrific in their book character outfits and participated beautifully in the literary groups. Meanwhile, we have also been learning about celebrations such as Eid, Diwali and Hanukah with a focus on why these are significant events to the groups of people who celebrate them. We are very much enjoyed celebrating Hughes’ 50th Birthday! To top it off, the Wizard of Oz performance has blown us all away!

A note went home last week asking students to prepare a short talk for Week 10. They will need to interview a member of their family about a celebration. We look forward to hearing these great presentations next week!

A special thank you to the wonderful parents and carers who volunteer to help in their child’s classroom for activities such as Guided Reading Groups. Your support and enthusiasm is very much appreciated!

Alix, Adam and Julie
2M Kurrajongs and 2WR Waratahs

The words, ‘Ding, Dong! The Witch is dead, which old witch? The Wicked Witch’ and ‘Follow the yellow brick, follow the yellow brick, follow the yellow brick, follow the yellow brick road...” have been sung blissfully and cheerfully every day in the past two weeks in our classrooms in the lead up to the musical. Finally, the production week has arrived and the Year 2 Munchkins have been so excited and behaved in a superbly ‘professional’ manner. On Wednesday this week, students spent the whole day at the Canberra College doing a technical and dress rehearsal. It was a huge day, but our little Munchkins behaved in a way that was respectful, caring and professional. Opening night finally arrived, and if you were in the audience we’re sure you would agree, that our little Munchkins looked brightly spectacular in their costumes and crazy hair. They sang with gusto and acted superbly. There was such a sense of excitement and pride before and after the performances amongst the Year 2 students, and we feel all the lunchtime and weekend rehearsals and all the late nights have been very worthwhile. A big thank you to parents and families who have supported our production with drop offs, pick-ups and organising hair, makeup and costumes. It was phenomenal and an experience to last a lifetime. We are so proud of all our students involved in the musical! They have shown dedication, persistence and professionalism the whole way through. Well done!

In the past two weeks, students have continued to excel and develop their acrobatic and gymnastics skills. Students have been learning to perform cartwheels and handstands whilst completing strengthening exercises, such as planking and burpees. Below are photos displaying the amazing gymnastics activities students have been participating in throughout the term.

Next week, we have our Learning Journey on Friday the 26th September from 8:30am until 10:00am. Invitations were sent home last week. We encourage all parents, carers, grandparents, neighbours and family friends to come in and see the wonderful learning that has been happening in our classroom’s this term. We would love to see you.

Steph Roberts, Jonathan White and Mat McRae
Year 2 Wizard of Oz

Munchkins
3P Scribbly Gums, 3T Snow Gums, 3/4T Blue Bells and 4S Dianellas

What a huge fortnight of birthdays and productions!
We loved celebrating Hughes’ 50th birthday last week! Opening the time capsule was sensational – we have all had a look at the artefacts which are now on display in the cabinets outside the library. We can’t wait to create some pieces to add to a time capsule to be buried for another 25 years. Year 3T and 3P have been writing information reports all about Hughes Primary School all that week.

Well done to all the Year 3 and Year 4 students who are participating in the Wizard of Oz production. Wednesday and last night’s performances were a credit to your efforts in rehearsals and dedication in giving up your recess, lunch times and weekends. Thank you parents for your help with costumes and support as ‘taxi service’ by having your children where they needed to be! The final performance was amazing.

Our inquiry units have been keeping us busy in class. All Year 3 have been investigating how the sun can be used to tell the time, and appears to change position in the sky, through ‘shadow stick investigations’. The Year 4s have been developing solutions to waste problems at home and at school. We’re having a ball!

Year 3 would like to thank and farewell the lovely Mrs. Candace Goffin from Swinburne University. She has been working with 3T and 3P for the last four weeks. We have loved making beautiful art work with her and learning new and interesting things. Good luck with your future studies and teaching career. We will miss you!

Don’t forget Learning Journeys are coming up on Friday in Week 10. Your child should have given you an invitation earlier this week with details of the event.

Kathy Perinovic, Mark Strutt, Samantha Thornton and Philippa Thomas
5/6C Bottlebrush, 5/6H Wattle & 5/6M Grevillea

Happy 50th Birthday Hughes Primary School!

We have had an extremely busy few weeks here at school! Last week, Hughes Primary celebrated our 50th Birthday. Amongst the celebrations, one of the highlights was the opening of a time capsule that had been buried for the past 25 years. The items in the capsule were incredibly well-preserved, and offered a wonderful insight into life at Hughes several decades ago.

We have had many of our senior students heavily involved in the Wizard Of Oz production, which has finally arrived in style! Students have enjoyed a range of opportunities to participate in this initiative, including acting and backstage roles. The quality of the finished product is testament to their dedication and that of the staff support team behind them... take a bow everyone!

Added to this, our Year 6 students enjoyed a range of experiences at the National Archive and the Museum Of Australian Democracy at Old Parliament House, which complemented their learnings in Integrated Inquiry. Not to be outdone, the Year 5 students have been “digging at the goldfields” (small plots of land) marked out by “fences” (skewers) using “pick axes” (toothpicks). Some of our miners have become quite rich with some large quantities of gold discovered... who knows what treasures will soon be unearthed?

Year 6 six students had a fantastic morning in the first Kid’s Café of the year. Through their various roles from waiters and waitresses, to baristas and cashiers and everything in between, the children learnt a great deal. We would like to thank all parents and staff that attended the café to show their support for our year 6 students.

A special thanks to the students and parents that supplied our special treats that were sold on the day.

Have a wonderful Week 10 and enjoy the holidays.

Michael McDonald, Rachel Hogan and Paul Corrigan
Blue Lily (IEC Years 3-6)

Blue Lily have been doing oral retells of Aboriginal Dreaming Stories and demonstrating their understanding of texts through drama. This helped us prepare for our graduation item, ‘How The Birds Got their Colours’. We have had a lot of fun! The narrators spent lots of time with Ms Aedy on Wednesday this week practising the pronunciation of words, intonation, volume and pace when telling the story. The characters have shown amazing listening and speaking skills during our practices, as well as acting as beautiful birds.

We have been continuing our writing of narratives in joint construction groups. We have focused carefully on including all key information from texts that we have read using our own words to retell these texts. Some of us have changed a part of a text to alter the storyline and make it their own.

Miss Bronwyn Singh and Mrs Julia Shaw

DATES TO REMEMBER

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IEC Boronias

The Boronias looked forward to Spring so much. We even counted down the days on our calendar. Now that Spring is here we are very happy. We’re learning that Spring is a great time to activate our senses and we are getting outside to look, listen, smell and feel the signs of Spring. We are doing lots of exciting writing about Spring. Our current favourite songs are all about Spring, and we sang them at the IEC Graduation assembly.

We have been practising the Reading Comprehension strategy, “Make a picture or mental image.”

Now that Spring has reactivated our senses we are using our senses more as we visualise what we are reading.

We read aloud the following section of text from “The Very Blue Thingamajig”, by Narelle Oliver, and tried to visualise what the very blue thingamajig looked like.

And on the following Sunday the very blue thingamajig woke up with:
One twisty twirly tail,
A pair of yellow waxy wings,
An odd number of red hideously hard horns,
Two lots of two ferocious fangs,
Five skinny pink stripes,
An even number of curly whirly hairs,
Seven tangerine tail spikes,
And four lots of two green clicky clacky claws.

We still haven’t read the whole book. If you have it at home, could you please lend it to us?

Ms Trina Cleary
Our class has grown! Welcome to Nour and Nizar from Morocco, Vilma and Lea from France, Jones from India and Linda from Kosovo. Again, the rest of the children have been most welcoming and our new friends are quickly adapting to school routines in Australia. Welcome also to Cathy who will be working alongside the teachers until the end of term.

Each classroom at Hughes Primary School is named after an Australian flower. Our class has been re-named “Fringed Lily,” which is the same colour as the purple display boards and furniture outside the classroom. Please come and look at our wonderful spring flowers and lovely lions on display.

On the last day of this term, Friday 26th September, the school invites parents to a Learning Journey. This is an opportunity for you to visit your child’s class, anytime between 8.30 and 10.00 am to see your child’s work and for them to show you their favourite activities at school. Look out for an invitation in your child’s bag soon.

Every day we take part in physical activities. We have been running relay races, practising our throwing and catching skills and visiting the Boronia classroom for dancing. It is a good idea to practise tying shoe laces at home and encouraging your children’s independent dressing skills as we often need to take off jumpers, cardigans and hats.

Isabel Winch and Cathy MacMaster
Health and PE

The last two weeks in Health and PE have been very busy! Year 5/6 students have been completing their fitness challenge and this week, tried their hardest to set their own personal best in the Beep Test. Next week, students will be working on their nutrition case studies and will be investigating the role that kilojoules play in having a balanced weekly diet input and exercise output.

Year two students have finished their unit of work on throwing and catching and are finishing off the term by taking on the role of sports scientists and investigating the effects of exercise on the body and heart rates. Kindergarten students have also finished their throwing and catching work and will be starting a unit of work on spatial awareness and dance in term 4.

Our IEC students have been working with Miss Chu and myself to develop their dancing and teambuilding skills, while also trying out new sports and skills such as badminton, kicking, dribbling, hula-hooping and skipping.

Next Tuesday is the ACT Athletics carnival at the AIS Athletics Track and we are very lucky to have four of our students attending in a variety of track and field events. Good luck to Dante, Lauren, Simon and Tahn! Stay tuned for more details about how they go!

Joanna Smith, PE Teacher
1C Hardenbergia and 1S Hovea

We can’t believe that it’s already week 10! Year 1 students have had an action-packed term, with many special events - Athletics Carnival, School Photos, Gymnastics, Book Week, Book Fair, Cupcake Day, Wizard of Oz to name a few!

Those students who are taking part in the Acro/Gymnastics program are really enjoying the opportunity to learn and/or improve on many skills. Those students who aren’t involved have been participating in range of fun fitness activities outside. The Wizard of Oz was an amazing performance and involved a massive effort from teachers, students and parents.

Our regular programs have been running along smoothly. Thank to parents and grandparents who have returned surveys about Belonging and to those who came in to be interviewed by students. We really appreciate your time and input, which has provided the spark for many discussions about Belonging and the feelings it can create.

Year 1 students are also working on creating a beautiful mosaic which is being developed for the Blue Gum unit. We are working with Kim Grant, the mosaic artist who created the design. Kim used ideas from Year 1 students’ artworks and their writing about what peace means to them. Please check out this ‘work in progress’ which is being done in the corridor bag area near our classrooms.

As you no doubt realise, there have been many students and teachers absent from school with colds and flu. It is important to keep students at home until they are well enough to come back and participate in regular programs and activities. Please remember to send in an absence note, email or use the Hughes Primary app to explain any absences, as we need to keep this evidence as part of our roll-marking responsibilities.

Stay healthy.

Janet, Emma and April
Banksia (IEC Kindergarten)

It is almost the end of Term 3 and time to say goodbye to our graduates. They will be greatly missed and we wish them all the best for the remainder of Kindergarten in mainstream. We had our graduation assembly on Friday 19th September. Congratulations to Austin, Abel, Axel, Melvin, Farrel, Howard, Manmeet, Kennef, Airi and Joyal. We wish you all the best!

Many of you have met our preservice teacher, Mrs Pam, who has been in our classroom for the past month. We have thoroughly enjoyed having her with us and wish her all the best on her journey to becoming a teacher!

Next Friday morning, between 8:30 and 10:00 we are having our learning journeys. You are welcome to come and visit our toy museum and look at work your child has been doing in class this term. We will also sing a few songs at 9:15.

Please remember that all students must wear a sun smart hat on the playground or they will have to sit in the shade.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish you a safe and happy spring holiday.

*Ruth, Lynley and Pam*
Congratulations IEC Graduates

Term 3 - 2014

Abel
Airi
Austin
Axel
Farrel
Banksia
Howard
Joyal
Kennef
Manmeet
Melvin
Congratulations IEC Graduates

Term 3 - 2014

Jay
Katie
Marek
Maria

Mayank
Naama
Naphat
Nibras

Michael

Boronia
Congratulations IEC Graduates

Term 3 - 2014

Artur
Duru
Jesaiyah

Blue Lily
Library News

Why our future depends on libraries, reading and daydreaming

There were noises made briefly, a few years ago, about the idea that we were living in a post-literate world, in which the ability to make sense out of written words was somehow redundant, but those days are gone: words are more important than they ever were: we navigate the world with words, and as the world slips onto the web, we need to follow, to communicate and to comprehend what we are reading. People who cannot understand each other cannot exchange ideas, cannot communicate, and translation programs only go so far. . .

Take a moment to read more of this thought provoking commentary in The Guardian from celebrated author Neil Gaiman (Coraline and many more). Click here! http://www.theguardian.com/books/2013/oct/15/neil-gaiman-future-libraries-reading-daydreaming

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MS Readathon

We had a whopping 54 students participate in the MS Readathon this year. This puts our school as the 6th highest in the country for participants! So far, these students have raised a wonderful $2810 to support people with Multiple Sclerosis (MS) and their families. All sponsorship money is due by 31st October. Thank you so much to the families who have supported this worthy cause.

Looking for good books for Upper Primary or High School kids?

Try Inside a Dog – named after Groucho Marx’s clever quote “Outside of a dog, a book is a man’s best friend. Inside a dog, it’s too dark to read.” Geared towards teenage readers, it has lists of books, reviews, and online discussions. Click here! http://www.insideadog.com.au/

Book Fair Fundraiser

Wow! We sold a whopping $3835 worth of books at our book fair this year. This means that we now have $767 worth of commission to spend on new resources for our library. Hooray! I’ve been digging through all of the requests I’ve gotten from students and teachers this year and will be starting with these for the shopping spree!

Thank you again to all the families who bought books and who worked behind the counter at the book fair this year!

Holly Godfree, Teacher Librarian
Hughes 50th Birthday Cupcake Mosaic

THANK YOU everyone for your amazing cupcake donations!!!

Without your support and baking contributions our sensational mosaic would not have been possible.

The mosaic totalled over 1,500 cupcakes – a truly awesome effort! The kids loved seeing the mosaic and sampling the cakes. What a way to kick off our birthday festivities! Thank you!
Thank You – Community Fun Day

Thank you to all who helped to make the 50th Birthday Community Fun Day a success.

Thank you to those who baked and those who manned the stalls. Thank you to the amazing teachers and staff who came along and to our delightful performers. Thank you to Jenny Tyrell for the Reminiscence Room.

A special thank you to the stall coordinators

- Len Pike & Young-Mi Min (BBQ),
- Ally Ireland (Memorabilia and Wine Orders),
- Lara Wood-Gladwin and Penny Rixon (cake stall),
- Mark Lanham (Preschool Kids Café),
- Karen Rainbird & Stef Woodruff (face painting)
- Holly Godfree (Entertainment) and
- Kylie Reid (Slide & Healthy Heart).

Thank you to Liam Ayres (and his family) for delivering fliers all over Hughes. Thank you to Tony Ayres, Kylie Reid, Stef Woodruff and Kate Smith for their help to plan the event. Thank you to Brian Johns, Keir Malpas, Gaye Broad and Karen Stone-Tolcher for their help with the logistics. Thanks to Karen Rainbird for handling the money.

Thank you to the businesses that supported the day:

- Sears Morton, Fyshwick (for sponsoring the LED sign),
- Anthony from Cream Residential (for Comparing),
- Harry from Hughes Capital Chemist (for donating his time and the helium balloons) and to
- Hughes IGA (for donating all the BBQ consumables, other than meat).

Emma Booth

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Proposed Parking Restrictions on Groom Street, Hughes

The school has been notified by Roads ACT, that there is a plan in place to prohibit parking on Groom Street between Jensen and Whittle streets on the opposite side to the school.
We will keep the school community informed on this matter.

Are you wanting to support your child before they start preschool or kindergarten?
Do you want to extend your child in literacy, numeracy or improve their fine motor skills?

Kidliwinks is offering 50 minute early childhood programs in literacy, numeracy and fine motor skill development for 3-5 year olds to extend and support their development before they go to ‘big school’.

Where:
Hughes Community Hall on Wednesdays with 50 minute sessions running between 9.30 – 12.20 pm
Chifley Community Room on Thursdays with 50 minute sessions running between 9.30 – 2.20 pm

Cost:
$10 per session

Bookings essential
For further information contact Tracey on 0412 772 703 or email tracey@kidliwinks.com.au
Are you interested in Before School Care at Hughes Primary School? We are looking to identify how many families are interested in this program. We have had some parent interest and would like your feedback. If this program is instigated, it would only be for Years K - 6.

Please complete the section below and return to the front office to register your interest.

Name: ........................................................................................................

Contact No: ....................................................................................................

How many students and age: ..............................................................................

Hughes Primary 50th Anniversary Wine Fundraiser

What better way to celebrate Hughes Primary’s 50th Anniversary than with a bottle (or case) of boutique wine!

The wines on offer are sourced from Australia and New Zealand’s best wine growing regions and are labelled with our school logo for this special occasion. Drink now, cellar for the future or stock up for Christmas gift-giving.

Order forms are available from the front office, at the community day and trivia night, or can be downloaded at www.hugheswinefundraiser.wordpress.com

Please return all forms by September 26th (last day of Term 3). Wines are expected to be ready for pickup or free delivery (if 6 bottles or more) during weeks 1-2 of Term 4.
The Hughes P&C is selling redundant uniform stock.

**When:** From 2:45pm, Friday 26\(^{th}\) September (last day of Term 3)

**Where:** Junior school blacktop

**The following items will be for sale AT or BELOW COST:**
- Boys Black Rugby Knit Shorts - $2
  (Sizes 6 to 16 are available)
- Black Bomber Jackets - $5
  (only 2 x size 16 available)
- Black Netball Skirt - $2
  (Size 6 and 16 are available)
- Girls Box Pleat Skirt - $2
  (Sizes 4, 8, 10 & 16 available)
- Hughes Library Bags - $5
  (only 2 left)
- Hughes Excursion Bags - $2
- Hughes Socks - $1
  (only small size left 5-8)

**The following items will be sold at previously advertised SALE price:**
- Hughes Primary School Backpacks – $36
  (only 5 left)
- Aqua Track Tops with logo - $28
  (Sizes 12 and 14 only)
- Black Fleece Jacket - $30
  (Only one size 14 left)
- Black Broad Rim Hat with Hughes Logo - $10
  (only small & large sizes available)
- T-shirts in House Colours - $4
  (most sizes in all colours available)
- Harmony Day Orange Polo Tops - $8.50
  (all sizes available)
Join us for
Ollie’s
Bush
Dance
SUNDAY
OCT 12
2014

Featuring:
Live Music by Bush Band
‘Franklyn B. Pawerty’
Afternoon Tea (gold coin donation)
Raffle with terrific prizes

All welcome:
Hughes Primary School Hall
Groom Street Hughes
Sunday October 12, 2014
2:30 to 4:30 pm

Tickets:
Tickets available from:
210 degrees Patisserie and Bakery
(at the Hughes shops)
Hughes Primary School reception
(exact change required for purchase at school)
By calling 0400459067 or by emailing:
ollieafternoon@hotmail.com

Child: $5  Adult: $15  Family: $30

About Ollie:
Ollie is 2 years old and has recently been
diagnosed with Cerebral Palsy. An operation
could help Ollie walk, sit and play without pain. His family, friends and
neighbours are raising $70,000 to fund his treatment in the US. You can help
by coming to our bush dance! Or send a donation via Ollie’s donation page:

www.gofundme.com/cgctis

For more information
contact us at
ollieafternoon@hotmail.com
School Banking Volunteers Needed!

Hughes Primary School is looking for parent volunteers to help out with the school banking.

Did you know that so far this year the students that participate in the school banking program have earned $887.66 in commission for the school!!

What a fantastic effort, 59 new students this year bringing the total number of students who bank to 141.

$5.00 is earned for the school every time a new student joins the program and 5% commission paid on all the students deposits, it’s a great way of fundraising for your school!!

At the same time, the students learn important saving skills by bringing in their money each Thursday and earn rewards for their savings such as swim bags, pencil cases, money boxes and plush toy keyrings.

If you can help please contact Kylie Cooke on kylie.cooke@bigpond.com or Ph: 0410 499 145.
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