National Day of Healing Assembly

Our National Day of Healing Assembly was a moving ceremony. It is important, as a school community, for us to take the opportunity to reflect on the past to help guide us into a positive future. Thank you to Mrs Tomalaris and Mrs D’Ambra for their superb organisation. Congratulations to all the children involved in the assembly. A special thank you to Mr Russell Dawson (father of Kindergarten students Sienna and Krystal) for playing the didgeridoo. It was amazing!!

Georges River District PSSA Cross Country

Congratulations to all the children who represented Beverly Hills P.S. at the Georges river District PSSA Cross Country Carnival last Thursday. Congratulations in particular to:

Yve Waetford 6th place 8/9 year girls
Jordan White 3rd place 11 year girls
Eugene Waetford 5th place 10 year boys
Kyman Smith 9th place 12/13 year boys

Yve, Jordan and Eugene will now be attending the next carnival. We extend our best wishes to them.

PSSA Sport

Due to the wet weather last Friday trials for Season 2 will be held this week.

Week 5 & 6 (Thursday 28 May and Friday 29 May).

The sports for Season 2 are:
- AFL (Mixed)
- Soccer (Boys)
- Soccer (Girls)
- Netball (Girls)

Kidsmatter

Our second Kidsmatter information sheet for this term is entitled *Helping Children to Manage Feelings*. It is attached to this edition of *Connections*.

Dates to remember

**TERM 2**
- 28/5/15 PSSA Season 2 Trials
- 29/5/15 StartSmart sessions
- 29/5/15 First Banking
- 1/6/15 Assembly K-2 (1G)
- 2/6/15 Athletics Field Event Trials
- 3/6/15 Queens Birthday Public Holiday
- 3/6/15 Icas Science Competition
- 3/6/15 St George Family Services Dads Positive Parenting 6.30-8.30 p.m. Library
- 5/6/15 PSSA Season 2 commences
- 8/6/15 P & C Meeting
- 9/6/15 Queens Birthday Public Holiday
- 9/6/15 Stage 3 Imax Excursion
- 9/6/15 Icas Spelling Competition
- 11/6/15 Queens Birthday Public Holiday
- 15/6/15 Icas Spelling Competition
- 16/6/15 Gold Award Assembly K-6
- 22/6/15 Queens Birthday Public Holiday
- 22/6/15 Stage 1 Incursion ‘The Great Big Science Show’
- 23/6/15 Icas Science Competition
- 25/6/15 Parent/Teacher Interviews 3-7 p.m.

Book Fair Thank You

Thank you all the parents, caregivers and students who came to our Book Fair last week. We sold $9,994 worth of books. This is our best year yet! This means that we have been able to add $3,500 worth of books to our library. A special thanks to the families who donated books to the library.
P & C Fundraising News

DON'T MISS YOUR CHANCE TO BUY TICKETS FOR THE PRIVATE MOVIE SCREENING OF THE MINIONS MOVIE! STRICTLY LIMITED NO. OF SEATS AVAILABLE!

The P&C Committee has partnered with Beverly Hills Cinemas for a Special Private Screening of the Minions Movie for the families of Beverly Hills Public School students and teachers.

The response to-date, has been fantastic! Thank you to all the families so far, that are supporting this wonderful family event and helping to raise much needed funds for our school at the same time!

The Minions movie promises to be popular during the school holidays. Having this unique opportunity to kick-start those holidays with a private screening for our students, means they get to enjoy it with their school friends.

Tickets are strictly limited so don’t delay! First in, first served basis!

Cost: $14 per ticket (Adults at children’s prices too).

Free entry for children aged 2 and under. (Must sit on parent’s lap).

Date: Sunday, 28 June 2015

Time: 10.15am

Invited: Open to families of all BHPS students and teachers.

Important: All children MUST be accompanied by an adult. No adult = No entry!

Proudly sponsored by: Roselands Shopping Centre (Major Sponsor), Raine & Horne Beverly Hills and Oscars Restaurant, Beverly Hills Hotel.

Entertainment Books

GET YOUR COPY OF THE 2015-2016 ENTERTAINMENT BOOK TODAY

This year we are selling the Entertainment Book again as part of our P&C Fundraising efforts. The Sydney & Sydney North Entertainment Book 2015-2016 is available for order now! With the 2014-2015 book due to expire on the 1st of June, now is the perfect time to get your new book. The Sydney & Sydney North Entertainment book is selling for $70 each, with $14 going straight back to our school. Copies of other versions of the book are also available for order with 20% of the sale price returned to the school as fundraising profit. Local businesses in the book this year include Spago, Oliver Brown, D to D Cafe Restaurant, Pancakes on the Rocks and Beverly Hills Cinemas, just to name a few.

Just copy the link below in your browser, to go directly to the order page for Beverly Hills Public School P&C Association.


School Banking Scheme

Thank you to the families who have supported the School Banking Scheme. We’ve signed up over 100 accounts and have already raised over $500 for the school!

Banking Day will be every FRIDAY, starting tomorrow, 29th May.

Please remind your child to bring in their yellow deposit books with the correct money inserted into the velcro pocket. Complete the deposit slip, including Account Name, Branch (Kingsgrove), Account Number (without the 06 prefix), Student Number, and Deposit Amount.

Their books will be collected every Friday morning during class, processed and returned to them by the afternoon.

Your child will earn reward tokens which will be placed in their yellow wallets after every deposit. Collect 10 tokens and redeem for a prize of their choice!

There are NO fees or charges.

Your child can join the School Banking Program at anytime!

If you wish to sign up, or have an existing account, please contact one of the Banking Coordinators.

Your School Banking Coordinators are Becky Chung, Kristina Cvetkovski, Belinda Kwan and Siu Wang.

Car Park

In the interests of maintaining a flow of traffic, if you have parked in the car park in the afternoon could you please vacate the school premises immediately so the backlog of cars have spots to park in.

Please remember that you cannot stop at the corner of the hall when the car park is full unless the bell has gone. If there are no available car spaces before the bell has rung you must drive through the car park and around the block or park in an alternative location.

Phone: 9580 5074  Fax: 9580 7052  Email: beverlyhi-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au
Silver Seats Near Car Park

All children waiting for parents must go directly to the silver seats of an afternoon. Once parents have parked they must come to the seats to pick children up. Children WILL NOT be sent to cars. Please remember that school finishes at 2.55 p.m. and children should be picked up promptly. It is not acceptable for parents to be picking children up 15 minutes later. Unfortunately we have a number of families whose children are waiting much longer than 15 minutes. Please do the right thing by your children and our staff. Don’t keep your children waiting.

St George Family Services: ‘Dad’s Positive Parenting: Relationship & Connection’

DADS POSITIVE PARENTING RELATIONSHIP & CONNECTION

Dads with children 12 years & under are invited to a free workshop.

In this workshop the focus is on how to develop and maintain a close relationship with your child. We will cover topics such as, Being in the Moment, Quality time, Praise and Encouragement, The Power of Play and much more.

Facilitated by Jason Warne, Psychologist, Family Therapist.

Wednesday 3rd June 2015
6.30pm-8.30pm
Beverly Hills Public School

Places are strictly limited. To make a reservation please call 9580 5074.

This is a wonderful opportunity for Dads to spend some quality time discussing parenting issues with a qualified psychologist and family therapist. Jason Warne comes highly recommended. We have received glowing endorsements from other schools that have used Jason as a guest presenter. There is no cost involved. Please contact the school if you intend to attend.

P & C News

Are you on Facebook?
Stay up-to-date with all the latest news and events organised by the BHPS P&C Association.
Simply visit Facebook and LIKE our page > Beverly Hills Public School P&C Association.

Thanks to our sponsors for their support
We’d like to extend a big thank you to Priceline Pharmacy North Parramatta for supporting our school’s Annual Mother’s Day Stall this year. They donated some fabulous gift items for our stall. Priceline Pharmacy North Parramatta also supported our school at last year’s School Fair. Their continuous support is greatly appreciated.

P & C Email Address
If you need to contact the P & C Executive for any reason please address your email to:
beverlyhillspublicp.and.c@gmail.com

Attendance

I have included an information sheet on ‘School Attendance: Missing School Leaves Gaps in Your Education’ with this week’s Connections entitled ‘Teaching Children Good Habits’. Please read the sheet carefully.

Below are the attendance statistics for Week 5.
Congratulations to KA, 2P and 5K for excellent attendance.

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SCHOOL TOTAL AVERAGE

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Danny Squires  
Principal  
28 May 2015

Celebrate Attendance  
Hints and Tips No. 2: Teaching good habits

It is important for parents to make attending school a priority.  
Allowing children days off for birthdays, to look after younger children, to go shopping, to keep you company or because they were tired from a late night, not only sends the wrong message to your child, it is also against the law.  
Children who get used to having days off school for these kinds of reasons develop an attitude that their attendance at school is not very important. This can become a big issue as a child gets older.  
Teach your children that being on time is important. Children that are often late to school miss the part of the school day when the teacher explains new activities. The beginning of the day is also when many students are freshest and can concentrate better.  
Students that are late on a regular basis may become the target for comment by other students and often as a result isolate themselves from their peers.

Learn Music on the keyboard at Beverly Hills Public School  
Great songs!  Musical games!  Cool music knowledge!  
Convenient school venue  
Small group - 45 min weekly lesson  
Competitive rate - $27 per session  
(GST incl. Please do not forward payment to the school office.)  
Instrument not required initially  
Music material provided  
Call 9411 3122 to enrol

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