

# Hill Top Public School

**Honour 1884 Trust**



**Term 2—Week 1**

**Monday 27 April 2012**



## **From the Principal's Desk**

This is just a brief 'mini' newsletter to give you some information for the week ahead. A lengthier email will be distributed next Wednesday 2 May. I will provide a copy of a

draft term planner with this newsletter to provide you with some important dates for this term.

Firstly I would like to welcome back all students, staff and parents to Term Two. I would also like to welcome new students to our school.

### **Staffing this term**

We would like to welcome Miss Taryn Power to our 3 /4 classroom and to our school as she replaces Ms Hill as a classroom teacher whilst we complete our application process to fill Ms Hill's position of Assistant Principal. A panel of staff members and a parent representative has been formed and will begin this process next week. We will inform you of the outcome at the completion of the process.

Ms Hofman will be taking sick leave from next Monday 30 April as she is having a knee operation. She is anticipating that she will need 7-10 days for recovery after the operation. Ms Robyn Cavanagh will be replacing Ms Hofman during this time and team teaching the Stage 3 class with Mrs Griffiths.

### **Peer Support**

We are hoping to start out successful Peer Support program on 'Resilience' next Wednesday 2 April. This involves our year 6 Peer Support leaders taking K-5 student groups for lessons / group activities for half an hour each week with teacher supervision. Their badges have been ordered and will arrive soon.

### **Canteen Closure**

Unfortunately our school canteen had an unforeseen loss of electricity over the holiday period. This sadly resulted in ALL canteen stock being lost. I would like to thank the wonderful efforts of Therese Bird and her parent helpers who spent Thursday tirelessly cleaning out the rather smelly canteen as a result. Our canteen will remain closed until next Wednesday, 2 May. In next week's newsletter we are going to invite parents who would like to help our school in 'restocking the pantry' by donating any items from a list that Therese Bird will include with that newsletter. We were going to do this anyway based on a successful initiative from another local school but now feel in these circumstances, now would be a good time.

## **Soccer Gala Day and Hindmarsh Cup**

Notes have gone home to some students about both the Hindmarsh Cup and the Soccer Gala Day for next week. These notes need to be returned to school early next week.

### **Mother's Day Stall**

The P&C will be holding a Mother's Day stall in Week 3 on Thursday 10 May. More information about this and other up and coming events will come home next Wednesday in the Week 2 newsletter.

**Thank you,  
Kind regards,  
Mrs S Leicester  
Relieving Principal**

## **Diary Dates for next week.**

Monday, April 30	Ms Hofman starts sick leave
Tuesday, May 1	Hindmarsh Cup
Wednesday, May 2	Canteen reopens Peer Support program begins
Thursday, May 3	Mrs Leicester at Principal meeting
Friday, May 4	Soccer Gala Day

**Please see the back of this mini newsletter for a draft term planner for Term 2.**



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