Working Bee Thanks
We had a great turnout of willing helpers at our last working bee on Sunday. It was great to see some students working on the gardens with Ms Stafford as a part of their school program too! The place looks fabulous and with freshly mown grass as well it is a pleasure to walk into the school.

We have had a number of our rostered parents offer to help with other task as they were busy on the day. If you were unable to attend please feel free to attend another working bee or pop in and see me if you would like an alternative task. There are always small jobs that need doing.

Parents’ Club Change of times
We had a great turnout at our morning Parents’ Club meeting today. As a trial we are going to hold all meetings in the mornings because the evening turnout is very small by comparison with the morning meetings; possibly due to the cold and dark but also due to other commitments. Please feel welcome to come to any of our meetings, the next one is June 29th at 9.00am in the Staff Room. Thank you to all our Parents’ Club members who each do so much for our students, we all appreciate your hard work!

Have a great week.
Tessa Calder

Visiting Authors
There is a fantastic opportunity coming up for students (and parents) in a couple of weeks. On the weekend of June 18-19 there will be some well known authors at The Froth and Bubble Festival in Torquay. If you or your family is interested please follow this link www.torquayfrothandbubbleliteraryfestival.com or Phone: 03 5261 2899 Mobile: 0421043272 for further information.

Prep to Ceres
The Prep children had a fantastic trip to Ceres Environmental Learning Centre yesterday. We learned all about recycling food scraps into worm farms, we walked along the creek to look at the litter trap and to top it all off every child was engaged and learning the whole day long. Thank you to all the staff and helpers for helping us have such a great day.

Highton Primary School Vision
As an IB World School, with strong community partnerships, we commit to excellence and the development of principled, compassionate, lifelong learners, who know they can take action to make a difference to our world.

Highton Primary School is an International Baccalaureate World School for the Primary Years Programme
Community News

For More Details See the Noticeboard Outside The Office

- **Barwon Miniroos is here!** Basic soccer skills, activities and a small-sided game all on the one night. Aimed at boys and girls aged 4-6. $90 per child includes a backpack, training shirt, size 3 soccer ball, drink bottle and shin pads. Places limited. Thursday 5th May to Thurs 30th June 4:30 - 5:30. Or Thurs 21st July to Thursday 15th September 4:30 - 5:30.

- **Geelong Indoor Sports**— Kids Parties Cricket, footy, netball, dodge ball, poison ball, soccer and more. You bring the cake we do the rest. ph 52221822 or visit www.geelongoindoorsports.com.au

- **Winter Futsal League**— Grade 5 & 6 and Year 7 & 8 Friday afternoons from 4.30. MORE INFO 
geary@geelongcity.vic.gov.au

- **Loved Auskick**— Girls aged 9-12 www.youthgirls aflvic.com.au

- **Fun 4 Kids Festival**— Australia’s Best Children’s Festival. July 3—July 10 Warrnambool. For more info go to www.fun4kids.com.au or ticket sales phone [03] 55624044

- **Aussie Rules Academy Program**— During the school holidays an Aussie Rules program will be held for 10-14 year olds. July 4th—6th at The Geelong College Preparatory School

- **Hanbury Centre Launch into Sports** for 6-15 year olds, Aussie Rules Football, Netball, Soccer, Basketball, Dance and All Sports/Circus Skills there is a total of 10 days to choose from! 9:30am until 4pm with a half-hour break for lunch and a swim. For session times and further information contact Kelly Craven on 5273 9893, or email kcraven@ggs.vic.edu.au, or download information/form at www.ggs.vic.edu.au/HandburyCentre

**Labeling**

Many jumpers and jackets do accidentally disappear at this time of year. Please ensure you name all clothing. It makes it much easier to return to the owner, and our lost property cupboard wont be overflowing. If you find an item of uniform that doesn’t belong to you please return it to lost property or the office.

**Basketball News**

The game was on! Both teams were playing as hard as they could but only one team can win. As the game raged on and on and the scores were increasing. But who was winning I couldn’t tell. I had a glimpse at the scores and we won 23-12. Both teams were very skilled but tonight was our lucky night. What a game.

By Fabian.

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**For your Calendar**

**Week commencing 6th June**

**CANTEEN ROSTER**
- Nadine Lee 9.00 – 11.30
- Jacky Luscombe 11.30-1.45

**SICKBAY ROSTER**
- Helen Perry

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**Book Fair Now On**

Our annual Book Fair is open this week from Wednesday 1\textsuperscript{st} June until Friday 3\textsuperscript{rd} June, in the ART ROOM. The opening times are 8.30am – 9.30am & 3.15pm – 4.15pm daily. Please support the school library and come along. All sales earn our school a commission that allows us to purchase new books for the library. Hope to see you there.

**Payment Plans & Excursion Activity Funds**

If you are on a payment plan for any excursions/camps/activities through school please call into the office every week and pay off your next instalment. If you wish to open up an Excursion Activity Fund to start paying ahead for excursions etc. for the year please see Lyn or Gaylene in the office.

**Working Bee Thanks**

Thank you to all the families who turned up at school on Sunday morning for the working bee. It is always great to see new faces and the many hands helped make light work of the list of jobs to be achieved. If you were unable to attend please feel welcome to attend the next on which will be held in term 3 on Sunday August 29th. Thank you also for the catering by Parents Club. He warm sausage sizzle went down well on a chilly day.

**Student Awards**

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Math News

Mathematics – Word Problems
How did you go with last week’s problem? What strategies did you use to solve the problem? Explain to someone else how you solved it. You may need to draw it…

Here’s the answer:

Divide the face of the clock into three parts with two lines so that the sum of the numbers in the three parts are equal.

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26+26+26 = 78
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Try this one…

Plastic

Each Australian throws away about 30kgs of plastic packaging each year. At this rate, about how many years will it take one person to throw away a tonne of plastic?

PYP News

The PYP framework—Concepts—At the core of the curriculum is a series of key concepts, which have relevance within and beyond subject areas.