From the Office...

**Kindergarten 2015:** We are now taking enrolments for 2015. Please contact the school office if your child is starting school next year. Our Good Start [orientation] program will commence next Tuesday, 28th October.

**Skoolbag:** There are currently some issues with the Skoolbag app. We are still sending information, but there are no push notifications happening. Skoolbag are working on the problem now. Please manually check for information.

**Intensive Swimming Scheme:** The Intensive Swimming Scheme has traditionally been a strongly supported program by families. Initial information and permission note has been sent home with students. It is a two-week program for students in Year 2 and above, designed to primarily improve water safety. The scheme begins Monday November 17th, and we’ve been able to keep the cost the same as last year, $60.00. Hopefully though, the weather won’t also be the same as last year!

If there is any further information required, please contact the School Office, or the coordinating teacher, Mr. Double.

**MAC Class:** nominations are invited from parents who would like their children assessed for placement in the stage one, two or three MAC [enrichment] classes for 2015. All students in 1/2G, 3/4S and 5/6J will automatically be assessed. Information is available from the front office or you can contact me to discuss this further. Please return your nomination by 27th October.

Ms Maree Cairns
Assistant Principal

“Learn can,
- there will always
- come a time when
- you will be grateful
- you did.”

~ Sarah Caldwell
**Positive Behaviour for Learning**

Each week a student or teacher is recognised for being a respectful, responsible learner. When students or teachers receive a ‘PBL Bee’ they put their Bee into the hive outside of 1-2L. On Thursday mornings the hive is raided and a winner is drawn. The winners have their photo recorded for posterity in the PBL on display cabinet outside the Stage 2 classrooms.

This week’s winners are:

- **3- 4D**: Belle
- **3- 4EM**: Charley
- **3- 4HP**: Jaylen
- **3- 4K**: Sean
- **3- 4S**: Kiara
- **5- 6J**: Rowan
- **5- 6M**: Hamish
- **5- 6S**: Naomi
- **5- 6T**: Erin

**PBL Rule of the week:**

I am RESPONSIBLE if I use the toilets during breaks.

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**Canteen Roster and News:**

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**Years 3-6 Principal’s Awards**

**Term 4 Week 3**

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**Footsteps Disco**

The disco that was held last term raised $413.00 for the RSPCA animal shelter at Katoomba. I am sure they will be able to put it to good use. Many thanks to all those who donated.

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**Sharing Knowledge Committee**

As the weather warms up, blue tongue lizards will be out and about in your garden and around the school.
P and C Report

Open Fuchsia Garden: 8th November 2014, NEED Volunteers

We need two people from 9-12:30 and one more person from 12:30-4 to sit on the gate and sell plants @ 4 Allen St Lawson. This is a fabulous garden of Fuchsia and a lovely way to gain knowledge of how to best have Fuchsia’s in your garden. Contact Danielle on 0413 846 563.

Working Bee: Sunday 16th November 2014: 9am-1pm in the school grounds

Please contact me on 0403 036 085 or email sophie@gbgoz.com.au to help and for catering purposes.

Barefoot Bowls – Friday 4pm 5th December 2014

Enjoy your week

Sophie

ACRC Family Culture Day

Sunday November 2nd
10.00am—2.00pm
Gloria Park, Lester Ave, Hazelbrook

If wet: contact ACRC at 9:00am on Sunday Morning on 02 4782 6569

Lunch provided - Lots of Games - Come and join the fun

All Free!!

Indigenous Games

Will be doing
• Aboriginal Culture Talk
• Traditional Wood craving
• Traditional Rope making

Aunty Pat Field

Will be doing
• Story telling
• Children’s wooden Craft animal

Uncle Rope Walker

Will be doing
• Ochre Tree painting
• Aboriginal Culture Talk
• Show and Tell of Aboriginal tools

Chris Tobin

UNIFORM SHOP

Summer Dress price increase – Unfortunately, we have had to increase the price of the school dresses effective immediately, they are as follows: size 4&6 $35, size 8 & 10 $36, size 12-16 $37. We have been selling them at cost all year, so we appreciate your support of this minimal increase.

P&C website: http://www.hazelbrookpandc.org.au

Shop Hours: Every Wednesday, 8.45-9.15am
Next Saturday opening
1 November, 10-11:30am

Contact: hazouniforms@gmail.com
Cheryl 0419 416 212

Allergy/Childhood Diseases Alert

Thank you to everyone for your ongoing support in minimising the risk of exposure to foods containing eggs and all types of nuts. Our children who suffer from allergies appreciate it.

We also ask that you notify the school if your child/children contract any childhood diseases. In particular we are talking about chicken pox, measles and mumps etc.

Once the office has been informed, communication can, in turn, be made to those families that need to be aware of the situation.

You’re Invited to the...

Hazelbrook Public School Evening of Music

Featuring:
The Junior and Senior Recorder Groups
The Training Band
The Concert Band
Duets, Solos and Instrument ensembles from our music students across all ages and stages!

Thursday October 30, 2014
In the Big Hall
7pm

Entry by gold coin donation, monies raised will support the music programs offered at Hazelbrook Public School.

Come along and be entertained while supporting our school.