SAFETY FIRST
From time to time the school fields concerns from local residents who witness poor driving practices of those dropping at or collecting students from school. To the vast majority of our drivers thank you for thinking safety first!
You may have noticed that Council Rangers have been active around the school as a result of these concerns. Rangers have noted the following:
- Dangerous or illegal U-turns
- Parking in or across driveways
- Parking in No Standing / No Stopping Zones
- Parking near the pedestrian crossing blocking visibility

THANK YOU
Thank you to our Socceroo Student Ambassadors who represented our School and the students of Australia at last night’s World Cup Qualifier. What a fantastic experience! A huge thank you to our accompanying teachers who also braved the elements and a very late night to provide this unique opportunity for our students.

CAPITAL WORKS
The Department of Education and Training has been working very closely and proactively with our school over the last year. Many schools, particularly in the Northern Sydney Region, have experienced significant growth as a result of changing demographics. In recognition of this growth the NSW Treasury has reacted to the Department’s request to construct a two-storey, light weight building on our school site. Harbord Public School site is fortunately large enough to house what will be 4 new classrooms.

REGIONAL DANCE PERFORMANCES
Our Harbord Dancers will be performing in the Regional Dance Festival next week. The standard of performance is always very high and it is an exciting time for all involved. A big thank you to our teachers, Mrs Garmston, Mrs Walton, Ms Scicluna and Ms Ripley for their commitment and support. I look forward to our students dancing on the big stage.
Craig Davis
From the Deputy Principal

Manly Warringah All Schools Gala Day

Harbord had a very successful day at the Manly Warringah All Schools Gala Day last Friday. The following teams won their competitions and received medallions for their efforts.

- U/9 Rugby League defeated Cromer 4 tries to 2 in the final.
- U/11 Rugby League defeated Manly West in the final 2 tries to 1 after extra time. Cale Spencer scored the winning try in the last minute of extra time.

The following teams were runners up in their competitions and also received medallions.

- Junior Netball and U/12 Rugby League.

Well done to all our representatives who participated in the gala day. Thank you to parents who supported our teams and assisted with transport to and from venues. Thank you to teachers who organised teams for the gala day.

Winter PSSA competition resumes this Friday.

Vale Tony Young

It is with sadness that we inform our community of the death of one of our much loved scripture teachers, Tony Young. Tony worked with our year 2 Catholic class in 2FL. Tony was a kind and caring individual who loved working with our younger students over many years. Tony loved the Sea Eagles and was an extra in The Great Gatsby and had appeared on several television series over the years. Tony loved to greet the students with a high five and his favourite response to students was “No probs”. The year 2 students said a lovely prayer in memory of Tony and filled in a nice card to pass onto Tony’s parents. We extend our sympathies to the Young Family.

Semester 1 Reports

K-6 teachers are currently writing progress reports on the students in their care. The teachers reflect on the efforts of the students in a wide range of activities and curriculum areas to assess their progress and development. Harbord students are fortunate to have a rich environment of experiences and opportunities to display their talents and interests.

The students work hard every day to do their best and teachers encourage all students to achieve their personal best.

Please remember to praise your child’s efforts as they all endeavour to make their parents proud of their achievements.

Reports will be distributed to students on Monday 24th June.

Regional Cross Country

9 Harbord students attended the Regional Cross Country Carnival at Gosford last Thursday. All our participants performed well with Ben Allen being our best performer with an 8th placing in his age group. Thank you to Mr Holmes and Mrs Cummings who attended the carnival.

Winter PSSA Team Photographs

All winter PSSA teams will have their photographs taken on Friday 21st June from 9.15am 11.10am. Team members are asked to have correct playing attire for the photographs. Notes have been distributed to all PSSA teams advising time of photographs for specific teams.

Sporting Achievements

Guiseppe Plati is in Dubbo this week representing Metropolitan North in the Open Division of the State Rugby League Championships. We wish Guiseppe every success this week. Guiseppe is also a member of the Metropolitan North Rugby Union team.

Mya Geros, Maddi McGrath, Noah Perego and Oscar McMillan represented Manly Zone at the Regional Touch Football Carnival at Doyalson last Wednesday. Mya was selected in the Metropolitan North team following the carnival. Mya was also selected in the Metropolitan North Regional Softball team following recent trials. Well done Mya.

Late news- Boys AFL team places 2nd in State Carnival. Well done boys and Mr Addicott.

Socceroos off to Brazil 2014

4 teachers and 50 students attended the Australia v Iraq soccer qualifier last evening. The Harbord contingent provided the edge to ensure a 1 nil victory. Thank you to Mr Addicott, Mrs Cummins, Mr Carroll and Mr Kelly for allowing our students to be part of this amazing occasion.

Brian O'Rourke
CAKE STALL
KINDERGARTEN CAKE STALL THURS 27TH JUNE FROM 2.45 OUTSIDE THE HALL

HAVE YOU RETURNED YOUR SPELLATHON SHEET YET??
IT’S NOT TOO LATE!!

Canteen News

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BURGERS: This is our delux burger. Available Wednesdays with a piece of fruit $4.50. We serve it as a Waste free Wednesday option so your child will receive a chook lotto with the purchase. Thanks for the photography Danielle!

HAPPY ½ HOUR FRIDAYS....

Great way to end the school week!!

SUPPLY OF HOT WATER FOR NOODLES AND REHEATING STUDENTS MEALS FROM HOME: Unfortunately we are not able to fill Fantastic noodles with boiling water. The main reason is the risk factor of children carrying boiling noodles in a crowded area and the secondary reason is it is too time consuming when we are at the busiest time of the day trying to serve. This also applies to reheating meals bought from home. Your understanding with this would be greatly appreciated.

Jan Baldwin Canteen Manager
HAVE YOU COLLECTED YOUR CAKE TINS FROM THE LAST CAKE STALL????
PLEASE COLLECT FROM THE OFFICE FOYER AS THEY ARE BEING DONATED TO CHARITY THIS FRI.

Communicable Diseases Factsheet

Influenza

Last updated: 1 July 2012

What is influenza?

Influenza, or flu, is a highly contagious respiratory illness caused by influenza viruses. There are three main types of influenza virus that cause infection in humans – types A, B and C – and many sub-types or strains. Influenza can occur throughout the year but influenza activity usually peaks in winter.

Influenza is a vaccine-preventable illness but a new vaccine needs to be given each year because influenza viruses change (mutate) constantly. A new influenza vaccine is prepared each year to best match the strains predicted for the coming influenza season.

What are the symptoms?

People with influenza typically experience some or all of the following symptoms for at least a week:

- fever and chills
- cough, sore throat and runny or stuffy nose
- muscle aches, joint pains, headaches and fatigue (feeling very tired)
- nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea (more common in children than adults)

Seek immediate medical advice if the illness quickly becomes worse or if any of the following occurs:

- shortness of breath or rapid breathing
- chest pain
- confusion or sudden dizziness
- persistent vomiting

How is it spread?

- Influenza viruses are mainly spread by droplets made when an infected person coughs or sneezes
- Influenza can also spread after touching surfaces where infected droplets have landed
- Influenza can be spread to someone by an infected person even before their symptoms begin
- Adults with influenza are infectious from the day before their symptoms start until 5-7 days later
- Young children and people with weakened immune systems may be infectious for longer.

Who is at risk?

While anyone can get influenza, the following people are at higher risk of complications from influenza infection (and are eligible for free annual influenza vaccine):

- All individuals aged 65 years or older
- All Aboriginal and Torres Strait islander peoples aged 15 years or older
- Pregnant women
Get riding these school holidays!

AustCycle’s program is designed to teach children between the ages of 5 and 12 the important skills of bike control and road safety so that they can confidently ride on the weekend, to school or with family and friends.

There are two courses being offered in Pittwater these school holidays, which will be delivered from July 1 to July 15, 2013.

1. **Bike control** - (10am until 12pm at Narrabeen North Public School)
   For children who want to learn how to:
   - Control their bike through a range of bike handling skills
   - Brake safely in different types of conditions
   - Learn and apply safety principles when riding a bike

2. **Road Safety** - (1pm until 3pm at Narrabeen North Public School)
   For children who want to learn how to:
   - Further develop their bike handling skills
   - Effectively scan and identify hazards while riding
   - Signal safely while riding in traffic
   - Correctly negotiate intersections and roundabouts

Both programs are just $35 and includes:

- 6-hours of training with two accredited AustCycle Teachers
- A participant pack that includes a certificate of recognition

Give your child the confidence and skills to ride safely by registering online on AustCycle homepage [http://www.austcycle.com.au](http://www.austcycle.com.au). There are limited spots available so register today!

For any course queries, call AustCycle on (02) 9339 5842.

This program was funded by the Australian Government
Try Softball Camp’
Warringah Softball Club is running a ‘Try Softball’ CAMP in the school holidays
This clinic is aimed at all school girls in Yr 1 to Yr 4 that have never played softball before and
would like to experience the enjoyment of this wonderful summer sport.
WHERE: Cromer Primary School Grounds, Carcoola Rd, Cromer.
WHEN: 9am – 1pm on Tuesday 2nd July
COST: Free for the day.
WHAT TO BRING: Snacks for the day, Drink Bottle, Hat and Sun Cream
Softball Glove if you have one, (otherwise this will be provided.)
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