Notes from Office

- Easter Special Lunch – orders close Monday 25 March. Please send in your order with money in sealed envelope with name of child, class and total money enclosed and “post” in labelled box in office foyer.

- Term 1 Invoice/statement is now overdue. Please send in your payment to the office as soon as possible.

- Year 6 – moving to Year 7: Please return Expression of Interest forms ASAP.

Principal’s Report

Dear Parents,

The MoneySmart initiative... When Tuesday March 19th
Where Library
Time 7.00pm

St Ives Park has become one of the first schools to introduce MoneySmart an exciting financial literacy program. Financial literacy is about understanding money and finances and being able to confidently apply that knowledge to make effective decisions. This program, developed by the Australian Securities and Investment Commission (ASIC), is part of the Commonwealth Government’s Helping Our Kids Understand Finances initiative to improve financial literacy in schools. The program is also part of the new Australian Curriculum providing a whole-school focus on consumer and financial literacy as a context for teaching
English, mathematics and science. If you would like to hear more about this program – how it is being implemented, the sort of things your children will be learning about and the learning they will be involved in with this program then join us tomorrow evening.

We would like to welcome our many Grandparents and Grandfriends to our special day and Easter Hat parade. The program will consist of:

11.00am – 11.30am Grands and parents morning tea under hall COLA.
11.30am Classroom visits with the Grandparents and friends, followed by observing and participating in Primary Pals activities (11.50am)
12.30pm – 1.30pm Lunch with the children
  • Pre-ordered sausage sizzle
  • Picnic
1.45pm Easter Hat Parade

Year 6 has asked if they can once again have the Easter Hat parade in Primary Pal groups. For those parents who are new to the school, all children belong to Primary Pal groups. The kindergarten children are in a group with their Year 6 buddy; new students to the school, who are not in kindergarten, know their group number and leader’s name. The students make their hats at home in the colour of the group – naturally with the assistance of their parents in the younger classes. A note went home with each child last week with their group’s colour.

The new school website has been developed. While it is in its infancy and will be further developed as time goes on it should be up and running sometime this week. It is apparently in the queue at the department as we speak and will be initiated as soon as it gets to the head of the queue!!

P&C meeting tomorrow night … we look forward to seeing as many people as possible. This will be at 7.30 after the Moneysmart initiative.

I will be absent as of Wednesday for the next 3 weeks. Sarah Swift will be looking after the school in my absence.

Janet King
Principal

PSSA Sport

*All Modball games at St Ives Village Green

Cricket Draw:

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St Ives Park Parents and Citizens Association

Meeting Agenda

Date: Tuesday March 19th  Time: 7.30pm – 9.00pm  Location: Library

FORMALITIES:
Attendees: (Present/Apologies)
Approval of previous minutes: Tara Russell (5 minutes)
Communications: Peta Menck (5 minutes)
Presidents Report: Tara Russell (5 minutes)
Principals Report: Janet King (10 minutes)
Agenda points for meeting:

GENERAL BUSINESS (30 mins)
- Money Smart Program: Presentation by Kathy Anderson and Sarah Swift
  The Smart Money Program is a Federal Government initiative. The goal of the
  Program is to build financial literacy to help them make informed and confident
  consumer decisions.

- 2013 Budget Discussion and Adoption
  Nadine Foley, Treasurer
  See financials presented in the Feb Minutes and the request from SIPPS Admin.

EXISTING BUSINESS
- UPDATE TOPIC - Pre-school Discussion
  Janet King
- UPDATE TOPIC - Gazebo
  Keith Oliver

COMMITTEE REPORTS (25 Minutes)
TREASURER: Nadine Foley
CANTEEN: Susie Bright
UNIFORM: Lizzy Simonivich

OTHER REPORTS/COMMUNICATIONS

NEW BUSINESS (This is a section where you are free to bring new issues/ideas to the
P&C, if there is not time to discuss the item during this meeting it will be re-assigned to a
future Agenda.)
## Canteen

### 2013 – TERM 1 CANTEEN ROSTER

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### Community Notices

**BARE CREEK TRAIL RUN**

Garigal National Park, St Ives  
**www.barecreektrailrun.com**  
**Sunday 17th November 2013**  
10km run  
6km family walk/run

**The community run with a difference**

Tell everyone! Like us on FB!

Tell your friends and family, tell everyone!! Our great event is now off and running and now is the time to sign up. Either be in it or help make it work on the day.

Please email Julie Wright with your volunteer preference: JUWright@nsccha.health.nsw.gov.au
Please join us as we celebrate Mother's Day! All mums are welcome. Please invite your friends & family to enjoy a relaxed evening of shopping right here in our local parisienne market. There will be nibbles and champagne for a 530pm start. Look forward to seeing you all there!
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11 May – 13 July
School Hols 1-12 July weekdays: 10.30am & 1pm
Note Saturday 6 July & Saturday 13 July 1pm only
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12 Year Old Netball Players Needed
Do you have a daughter who will turn 12 this year (or already has) i.e. born in 2001 that might be interested in playing netball this year? St Ives Netball Club would like to hear from you asap if you do.

Please contact the club for more information:
Email: president@stivesnetball.com.au

Phone – Melanie Henderson: 0407 433 671 or Karen O’Connell: 0414 675 945