Welcome Back
I would like to welcome back new and returning students and their families to a semester of inspired learning at SIPPS. The teachers have worked hard during today’s staff development day on planning an innovative and engaging program of learning for all students in Term 3. Stage overviews will be sent home shortly to inform parents and carers of program details.

New Look Patter
The new look Patter will be coming to you via SchoolZine next week (Monday Week 2) and then every fortnight afterwards. All contributions to the newsletter need to be received via the school email by Wednesday noon in the week prior to the next publication.
Congratulations!
Well done to our dance groups who recently performed at the Glen St Theatre. We also had wonderful performances from our recorder ensemble and school choir at our Semester 1 Gold Assembly. Congratulations also to our victorious debating team who convincingly won their last debate against Willoughby Public School in the last week of Term 2. It was also great to catch up with the success of our PSSA netball teams before the season break.
School Banking
Student Banking can is available through Bendigo Bank at St Ives. Bendigo Bank is a major sponsor of our Bare Creek Trail Run. Please visit the office and pick up information about their current promotions or if you would like to enquire about setting up a school banking account for your child.

Best Wishes
Gillian Tegg

Notes from Office
There are a number of events, excursions, and programs which all need permission and payment levies and we ask that you check the list below to see which notes should have been returned by the end of Term 2. All school permission notes have been uploaded to the school’s webpage

- **STAGE 2 (G3 & 4) CAMP – MILSON ISLAND:** Request for parents who have not logged on to the Camp website and completed the medical/dietary needs information – short note sent home to all families who still need to complete this.
- **AFL AUS-KICK Sports Program Term 3 K-6:**
- **SCHOOL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL 2015:**
- **PSSA TERM 3:**

Reminder notes will be sent home to families who have not sent in their permission notes/levies.

WOOLWORTHS EARN & LEARN STICKER COLLECTION

The Woolworths Earn & Learn program is back. This community program enables schools to earn educational resources from Modern Teaching Aids when anyone from the school community shops at Woolworths.

Starting Wednesday 15 July when anyone from the school community- staff, parents, friends, relatives, carers shop at Woolworths, they can collect stickers to place on their sticker cards. Once they complete their sticker cards they can place them in a collection box, at either our school outside the office, or the local Woolworths at St Ives Village Shops.

The program closes on Tuesday 8th September.
Uniform Shop Term 3

The uniform shop will be open every Wednesday this term in the odd weeks, starting this Wednesday the 15th of July.

After a successful trial run last term opening the Uniform Shop at the earlier time of 8:30am, we have decided to permanently change our shop hours from 8:30 - 9:30am. This seems to fit with working parents better and it allows for fittings before the first bell.

Thank you to the parents who have been donating used clothing. There is so much in great condition that we have had to divide our used stock into summer and winter so it will fit on the racks. It’s also in such good condition that we’re selling much more second hand clothing than we ever have in the past.

Eftpos / credit card transactions are working very well, allowing a cash-free way for parents to pay. Those parents who are buying via email are still able to use internet banking to transfer funds.

Finally thank you to all the parent volunteers that help run the Uniform Shop and assist the parents and children. Without your support the shop wouldn’t be able to run. You are very much appreciated.

Have a great term.

Matt

P & C

SIPPS Tennis Courts available for permanent and casual hire.

To arrange a booking please call Vera Dedijer 0403 500 301 or sippstennis@gmail.com
Sunday 1st November 2015

BCTR Call For Immediate Action!

The BCTR may be four months away **BUT** to give the event every chance of success we need your immediate action:

1. Enter you and your family to participate or volunteer www.barecreektrailrun.com

2. Encourage as many of your friends and family as possible to enter the event now

Here is a link to our facebook page BCTR event
https://www.facebook.com/events/401434973378467/ This is a great and simple way to encourage people you know to join us on race day please ‘invite’ people you know to attend the event.

Don’t forget early bird prices end 2nd August 2015, register now to get your personalised running bib!

If you want more information contact info@barecreektrailrun.com
Book your tickets now for the Comedy night.

Seating is limited - so don’t miss out!

Saturday 8th August.

Tickets are $30 each and that will get you a night of laughs plus nibbles!

Drinks will be available to purchase on the night.

Book your seats now at http://www.trybooking.com/ibun
ENROL NOW!!
PAY-AS-YOU-GO
No Direct Debit
No Contracts

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MON Juniors: 5:00pm

Terrey Hills Community Centre
Yulong Ave, Terrey Hills
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