Dear Parents and Friends,

**Outreach Support Programs**

The school is introducing a number of in-school outreach programs in co-operation with other local schools. The first of these involves a psychologist (counselling) program. This is independent of the school and Department of Education but will operate on site at school. To access this program, students or families will need to have Mental Health Care Plans (MHCP) from their general practitioner (GP), allowing 6 sessions per year that are bulk billed (no charge). This can be extended by another 4 sessions in the calendar year, totalling 10 bulk billed sessions.

There is also the opportunity to run small focus group sessions on such things as depression, anxiety or transition to high school etc.

More detailed information is available at school, so please contact me to discuss this new and exciting opportunity.

**Active After School**

Next Wednesday, 26 November is the last Active After School day. This is not only for the year but for good. The program has been ended and we await information about possible future options.

I believe it is a good time to acknowledge the efforts and extra time taken by Mr Braye and Mrs Adamthwaite in undertaking training and operating the program over the years. This is a valuable program that has added greatly to the amenity enjoyed by our students.

Not only have students had the opportunity to try such varied recreational activities from archery to circuit training but it was also the catalyst to establishing our school basketball team that has gone on from strength to strength.

We are looking at other options for 2015 so watch this space.

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**Australian Wildlife Displays**

Australian Wildlife Displays will visit our school on Friday, 12 December to show us some really interesting animals. Don’t really want to give too much away, but you will have a hoot and probably smile like a certain reptile. Gymnastics will run as normal throughout the day as well, as there are three shows at different times throughout the day. Can’t wait.

The cost is $7.90 per student. A permission note is attached and should be completed and returned to the school mail box with full correct payment by Friday, 5 December.

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**Christmas Pudding Fundraiser**

Order forms are attached. This is a great time to order a pudding ready for Christmas. A great gift idea for those hard to buy for people. Please pass your order form around to your family and friends as all funds raised
support the school. Your orders and money need to be returned to the school mail box by Friday, 28 November. The orders will be ready for pick up on Friday, 12 December.

**Pie and Lamington Drive**
Orders will be ready for pick up tomorrow Thursday, 20 November. Thank you for your support.

**Helpers and Boxes Needed**
We are looking for people to help sort the pie orders when they are delivered. If you can spare a few hours in the morning this Thursday 20th November, please meet us in the school library.

If anyone has any spare boxes we could use for packing pie orders into, could you please leave them in the staff room.

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**Sausage Sizzle**
Friday 21 November
Melinda McCulloch, Anne-Marie Jackson, Jade Maddison

Sizzle $1.50 Poppers $1.00 Up’n’Go $1.50

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**Special Hot Dogs**
will be available for HOT LUNCH
NO PIES, S. ROLLS OR QUICHES
next Tuesday, 25 November
Please **pre order** via the attached bag as per hot lunch orders

$2.50 each
Tomato or BBQ sauce
please specify on order as served before packing

Poppers $1.00
Up & Go $1.50

Orders to be placed in the hot lunch box
no later than this Friday, 21 November
Enquiries Melinda 0407 662 961

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I give permission for my child/children ________________________ _______ of class/es ___________________ to attend the Australian Wildlife Display at Black Hill Public School on Friday, 12 December 2014. I enclose $7.90 per student as full payment for this activity.

Signed: ________________________ Date: ______________

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Miss Gardoll’s Awards

- Merit: Alison, Lillybelle
- English Award: Emma
- Mathematics Award: Blake
- Creative Arts Award: Julian
- Quality Work Award: Lillybelle

Mr Braye’s Awards

- Merit: Charlie, Archer
- English Award: Hunter
- Mathematics Award: Maddison
- Creative Arts Award: Indianna
- Quality Work Award: Zoe

Mrs Strickland’s Awards

- Merit: Grace, Lara
- English Award: Anton
- Mathematics Award: Ben
- Creative Arts Award: Allira
- Quality Work Award: Bodhi

House Cup: Darkinjan
BLACK HILL PUBLIC SCHOOL  
NEWCASTLE PUDDING LADY PREMIUM CHRISTMAS PUDDING FUNDRAISING ORDER  

This order is for (Childs Name):  
Childs Class:  
PLEASE RETURN ORDER AND CORRECT MONEY TO SCHOOL BY FRIDAY 28th NOVEMBER  
ORDERS WILL BE READY FOR PICK UP FROM SCHOOL ON FRIDAY 12th DECEMBER  

Contact No:  

All our handmade Christmas Puddings are boiled in the cloth and then vacuum sealed for protection. Store in the pantry prior to use  

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