DATES TO REMEMBER

- ICAS TECHNOLOGY TEST - 19TH MAY
- MHS TRANSITION DAY FOR YR6 - WED 20TH MAY
- NRPSSA CROSS COUNTRY - FRI 22ND MAY
- TRIVIA NIGHT - SAT 23RD MAY
- CRICKET CLINIC YRS 2-6 - THURS 21ST, 28TH MAY & 4TH, 11TH JUNE
- ICAS SCIENCE - WED 3RD JUNE
- QUEENS BIRTHDAY LONG WEEKEND MONDAY 8TH JUNE

It was wonderful to see the whole school get behind the Senior Class Fundraising efforts for victims of the Earthquake in Nepal. What a mighty effort by everyone to raise $285.

Mrs Bull will be away from school for an extended period. Mrs Groth and Mrs Battye will be running the school office while Heather is away. The NAPLAN tests started today for years 3 and 5. Please make sure your child is well rested over the next two days as we really want them to do their best.

The Harwood Island Reading Club is going well and many children have returned their cards so they can receive their prize. Don’t forget about the Premier’s Reading Challenge as well. Keep reading!

Peggy Eather - Principal

MOTHER’S DAY STALL
The P&C held a Mother’s Day stall at the school last Thursday 7th May. The stall was a great success we hope all the Mum’s had a very relaxing Mother’s Day.

SMALL SCHOOLS CROSS COUNTRY - ILUKA
The Small Schools’ Cross Country was held at the Iluka Sports Ground on Friday 8th May. All Harwood Island Students competed very well and showed great sportsmanship and were very well behaved.

STUDENT OF THE WEEK
Congratulations to the following students who received certificates at our assembly this week.

Lily Bright-Taylor-Fantastic letter work, Flynn Matthews-Excellent numeracy, Dante O’Sullivan-Trying very hard at spelling, Dana Collingburn-Excellent reading, Zack Kemp-Great work in Maths, Kyscha Wyse-Tapp-Citizenship Award, Jaala Bendiech-Hall-Excellent writing, Maddison Earle-Excellent writing, Linken Coram-Excellent participation in all class activities. Great work

CANTEEN NEWS
The canteen will be closed after this week until further notice due to the exciting new up grade. Work on the canteen upgrade will begin on the 18th May.
STUDENT BANKING
All children who wish to bank with the school are to have their deposit books at the school office on Friday morning, thank you. Students just need to make 10 School Banking deposits to be able to redeem a reward item.

PYJAMA DAY
Last Wednesday our School held a Pyjama Day, to raise money for the Earthquake victims in Nepal. The School raised $285.70. What a fantastic donation we can give the Red Cross. These are some of the students pieces of writing about the day.

Tyra
Munch Munch Munch
Ohhh this food is delicious. Ohh look at that cake— that looks yum. 4/5/6 held a PJ day to raise money for the Nepal victims we raised $285. I wore a snazzy, pink fluffy onesie for PJ day. The money went to the Red Cross Charity. Everyone had an amazing day. On the behalf of Harwood Island Public School I would like to thank all the kind children who donated food and money. All the money helped the victims survive.

Paris
P.J day sizzling stark re-count. Yum eating delicious treats and wearing my big fluffy onesie on a normal School day—great. I loved P.J day. Thanks everyone who donated money to the Nepalese Earthquake victims we raised $285. We are going to donate the money to the Red Cross. Thanks Parents, Teachers and Students.

Harrison
Ha-ha Wow! I can’t believe I was the only boy who wore a tiger onesie. On the 6th of May Harwood Island Public School students raised a massive $285 for Nepalese Earthquake. Amazingly 4/5/6 students made a very yummy recess stall. Our school also gave a great $2 donation to wear their pyjamas and to have a great and fun day at school. On behalf of Harwood Island Public School I would like to give a big thanks to all those generous parents who baked some food for our yummy recess stall. 4/5/6 has chosen to give the $285 to the Red Cross Nepal Appeal.