Dear Parents and Community Members,

**Life Education – Healthy Harold**
The Life Education Van is currently visiting our school. All classes will visit the van during the next few days. This year, the P&C and school funds have covered the costs of the visit so there is no charge to any family. The Life Education Van is a wonderful learning space and the children always enjoy the fast-paced, technology filled, enthusiastic presentation of the health messages that are given.

**125th Anniversary Celebrations**
Our planning for the 125 years celebration is proceeding. Each class is beginning to develop their displays for their allotted decade. Music is being collected, photos laminated, costumes planned and items rehearsed. The P&C is selling Alma drink bottles in the playground on Wednesday mornings when they do the student banking. All in all, the school is buzzing with the excitement leading up to our birthday.

**Alma School Management Plan**
I am still collecting parent suggestions for the three year management plan for Alma Public School.

**Student Health**
We still have a gastro bug going around the school Please ensure that children are not sent to school if they exhibit any symptoms, and they are kept at home until the symptoms are gone. An information sheet went home in last week’s newsletter. If you are unsure of what to look for or how to manage it, please contact your health practitioner or call us and we will send you another copy.

Any child who is absent for school for three days or more, should provide a medical certificate on their return to school. This applies to all children at any time during the year.

Glynis Lugnan
PRINCIPAL

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**125 Year Period Dress Up Day**
**Friday 14th November**
As a part of our 125 year celebration, students will be asked to wear a costume from within the decade their class is focusing on. The decades are:

- **Bugdlie:** 2000-2014
- **KM:** 1985-1999
- **KW:** 2000-2014
- **1M:** 1975-1984
- **1/2H:** 1955-1964
- **1/2R:** 1965-1974
- **3/4C:** 1945-1954
- **3/4M:** 1925-1934
- **3/4T:** 1935-1944
- **5/6J:** 1885-1898
- **5/6K:** 1914-1924
- **5/6M:** 1899-1913

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Alma Public School is now welcoming enrolments for Kindergarten 2015. Please collect an enrolment form from the school office or phone 8088 2181 for further information.

Kindergarten 2015
Orientation/Transition

Visit 3 - Wednesday
29th October 2014
2.00 pm—3.00 pm
* Meet at library for a school tour.
* Parents attend information session while children enjoy cooking activity.

Visit 4 - Wednesday
5th November 2014
9.00 am—10.00 am
* Meet at Kester Hall.
* Children enjoy story time and gross motor play with current Kindergarten students.
* Parent information session in VC room.

We look forward to welcoming you to Alma Public School!

FROM THE GARDEN
As part of the School beatification Garden Program, students may be involved in wheelbarrowing woodchips to the front nature strip of the school under teacher supervision.

DON’T FORGET…….
No bucket hat....No play in the sun!
Awards & Promotions

The following students received awards at last week’s assembly

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**Uni NSW Mathematics Comp**

Credit:
Luke White, Ryan Braes, Quinn Parker

**NORTA NORTA**

Jace-John Daddow

HEALTHY HAROLD

**MERCHANDISE**

Students will have an opportunity to order Healthy Harold Merchandise during the Life Education visit.

If you would like to order any merchandise for your child, complete the Harold Merchandise form which has been sent home today and put the correct money in an envelope with your child’s name, class and the items being purchased written on the front of the envelope.

Orders are due to the school office by 10am Friday 31st October

**Important note:**
Please ensure that the correct money is in the envelope as there is no change available.

Orders will not be accepted after 10.00am on Friday 31st October.
WHAT'S ON THIS TERM

Monday 27th - Friday 31st
Healthy Harold Visit

Wednesday 29th
Kindergarten Orientation
P&C Halloween Disco

Thursday 30th October
Thriller Thursday Halloween Dress Up Day

NOVEMBER

Monday 3rd - Wednesday 5th
Book Fair

Wednesday 5th
Kindergarten Orientation

Friday 14th
125th Anniversary Celebrations

Saturday 15th
125th Anniversary Celebrations

Monday 24th - Friday 28th
Swim School

DECEMBER

Friday 5th
Ulysses Toy Run

Monday 8th
Presentation Day Rehearsal

Tuesday 9th
Presentation Day, Year 6 Farewell

Monday 15th
Levels Rewards Day

Tuesday 16th
Class Christmas Parties

STALL HOLDERS WANTED!

Saturday 15th November 2014 from 11.00am - 3.00pm

Stall Holders (with the exception of food) are welcome to participate in the 125th Anniversary Celebrations on Saturday 15th November from 11.00am to 3.00pm during celebration activities.

Entry will be a donation towards the raffle.

Please complete the section below and return to Alma Public School if you are interested in holding a stall.

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DONATIONS WANTED!

The P&C are seeking donations of lollies and chocolates for the 125th Anniversary Celebrations. Donations can be brought in to the front office. Thank You

Ulysses Toy Run - Donations Wanted!

The Ulysses Motorcycle Club will be helping Santa to collect donations of hamper items and new or used toys that are complete. Please dig deep and see if you are able to assist other families to also have a good Christmas. Donations can brought in to the front office.

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