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# Hillvue Public School

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# EdVue

TERM 2 WEEK 9 25th June, 2013



Dear Parents and Carers,

This week is NAIDOC Week. It was wonderful to see elders, parents and visitors join with students and staff to commence the week with a special assembly and flag raising ceremony, followed by cake cutting and morning tea on Monday.

This year's theme proudly celebrates the 50th anniversary of the presentation of the Yirrkala Bark Petitions to the Federal Government. We value the foresight, strength and determination of the Yolngu people whose Bark Petitions set into motion a long process of legislative and constitutional reform for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.

## NAIDOC WEEK AWARDS



We look to a brighter future that better understands and celebrates the unique connection the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people share to country, as we continue to build an Australia that reflects the achievements and furthers the aspirations of people who have lived, loved, played and educated on this land for thousands of years.

This is a special week and I encourage everyone to join us as we celebrate the rich and diverse culture of our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island people. I have seen some amazing artwork this morning and I look forward to Friday as we celebrate cultural diversity and invite everyone to join us a 1.00pm for a special afternoon of fun and food tasting.

Chris Shaw

A/Executive Principal



### Diary Dates

#### Term 2

#### WEEK 9 NAIDOC WEEK

Thursday 27th June Legends of League regional finals - Gunnedah Stage  
3—9am to 3pm

Friday 28th June Last day Term 2

#### Term 3

Monday 15th July Staff Development Day  
Tuesday 16th July Students Return for Term 3

Kassidee  
Dawson

## From the Classroom: 3/40

### Stories scaffolded on "The Two-Hearted Numbat" By Ambelin and Ezekiel Kwaymullina

#### The Two-Hearted Emu by Damien Kennedy

There was once an emu who had two hearts.

Emu's first heart is a fit heart. He always trains every day **but** he can't go to work because he trains all day.

Emu's second heart is a lazy heart. He sits on the couch all day. But he can't train and he's not fit any more.

Emu walked to the river to see the old koala. The koala was wise and told emu to put the two hearts together.



#### The Two-Hearted Dingo by Tamia Haines

Long, long ago in the Dreamtime, there was a dingo that had two hearts.

Dingo's first heart was a happy heart. He likes to play with his friends. He runs around laughing. But he forgot to save food for winter.

Dingo's second heart is a sad heart because he stays up late and he thinks there's a ghost in his room. But he forgets his mum is awake.

Dingo puts the happy heart on first then he puts the sad one on second. Then they melt together to make one.



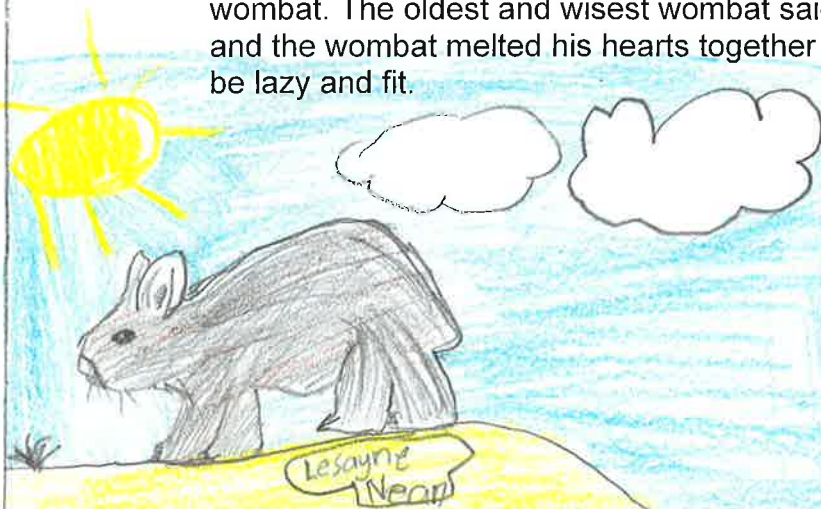
#### The Two-Hearted Wombat by Thomas Sullivan

There was once a wombat who had two hearts.

Wombat's first heart was lazy. Wombat stayed in bed all day. But Wombat needed to go to work.

Wombat's second heart was a fit heart. Wombat ran around the block 3 times a day. But Wombat needed to do his homework.

Wombat didn't know what to choose. He went to the oldest and wisest wombat. The oldest and wisest wombat said "You should pick both of them" and the wombat melted his hearts together and he made one heart so he can be lazy and fit.



Dempsey Nicholas





# AWARDS



**PLAYGROUND and CLASSROOM  
REWARDS RECIPIENTS**



**STUDENT OF THE WEEK**



**MERIT AWARD**



**PRIDE & PRESENTATION**



**STUDENT OF THE WEEK**





# NAIDOC WEEK ASSEMBLY





# NAIDOC WEEK ABORIGINAL ART





# NOTICEBOARD

## HAMBURGERS

Available this **Wednesday only** from the Canteen.

Cheese, meat and sauce \$3.50

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Burger with the works \$6.50

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## "I was never like that!" – understanding and supporting young people

**headspace** Tamworth, with Hunter New England Local Health District, will host several **free** information sessions for family and friends wanting to know how to help your young person and yourself through challenges, and meet others who may be feeling the same way as you!

Tuesday 2nd July: Anxiety

Monday 22nd July: Depression

Monday 26th August: Anger

Monday 16th September: Bullying

Time: 5.30pm Meet & Greet for 6pm supper

Venue: The Goodies, Brisbane St, Tamworth

RSVP: headspace -  
6762 9290



## NAIDOC WEEK 2013

*We Value the Vision: Wirrkala Bark Petitions 1963*



*Wednesday 26th June*

'Aspirational Day' – children come dressed as someone they aspire to be when they grow up.

*Thursday 27th June*

Continuation of Aboriginal art.

*Friday 28th June*

1pm - Cultural Awareness Day. Come and taste a variety of food from different cultures. There will be food from Samoa, Asia, South Africa and Aboriginal Curry & Damper.

*All Parents, carers and Grandparents are welcome to come along to our celebrations.*

## BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:

Shontaia B	25 June	Tyrese J	25 June
Sinnai C	25 June	Connor C	25 June
Amika J	26 June	Jaiman M	28 June
Tyrese L	29 June		



## Men's Health Expo Saturday, August 31, 10am to

Hosted by  
**Tamworth and District Prostate Cancer Support Group Incorporated**

The proposed Expo will involve as many organizations in Tamworth that wish to be included. Each organization will have their own stall. **Your group is invited.**

Experts in various fields of men's health, including prostate cancer will be visiting from Sydney and/ or Newcastle to give talks during the Expo.

**For more information on the event and stall enquiries contact Ray Phone: 6765 2287**

## Kidszone school holiday fun for the kids

Bring the kids along in the school holidays for some craft, face painting, decorate your own cupcake and lots more fun. School holiday hours are 9.00am til 5.30 pm. We will have different activities on Monday, Wednesday and Friday morning from 10.00 am til 12pm. Just pay your entry fee and the activities are free. We hope to see you there. If you would like to know more please call Mandy on 67665957.



# SPORTSVUE



## PSSA Basketball Knockout

On Tuesday 18 June, Hillvue Open Girls' Basketball team participated in the PSSA Knock Out Gala Day at the Tamworth Sports Dome.

The team won their first two games and made it through to the final where they were defeated by Tamworth Public School. A great effort girls! Well done! Thank you to our coach Brigette Knox, Bench person Mel Craigie and the families who transported and supported the players.

## Peel Schools Rugby League Carnival

We have been advised that the Peel School Rugby League Carnival will not be held in 2013. Due to the logistics of the day it is too hard for organisers to reschedule. Hopefully Hillvue PS may be able to enter teams again in 2014.

## Wednesday Night Rugby League Competition

Games for Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2013 are as follows:

### Round 4:

4.00pm – Under 10's vs Tamworth South PS

4.40pm – Opens vs St Edwards Blue

Please try and arrive at least 15 minutes before your scheduled game.

Just a reminder that all players must have a parent OR carer accompany them to the game.

## PSSA Rugby League Knockout

Hillvue PS played Westdale PS in Round 3 of the PSSA Rugby League Knockout on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2013. Unfortunately after a very close match Westdale PS proved too strong and defeated Hillvue PS 20 – 14. Try scorers for Hillvue PS were Tristian Roberts, Caleb Bergan, and the play of the day went to Malaki Johnson who put in an awesome kick that led to a Tyren Cloake try. Due to injuries or illness Hillvue PS played the whole game with no reserves, it is a credit to the team for their fantastic effort. I was very proud to be part of Hillvue PS!

Special thanks to Ray Berry for coaching the side and to the parents who give up their time to help out with transport and support Hillvue PS.

The Knockout team on the day was Caleb Bergan, Sharika Nean-Bell, Holden Norton, Zane Brooks, Tristian Roberts, Dempsey Nicholls, Malaki Trudgett, Aaron Hinds, Victor Haines, Alex McKee, Tyren Cloake and Brandon O'Leary. These players are to be congratulated on their sportsmanship and efforts throughout the game.

## Legends of League / Girls League Tag Regional Finals

Hillvue PS will attend the Primary Schools Rugby League Legends Shield / Girls League Tag Regional Finals Day. The carnival is to be held at Longmuir Fields Gunnedah on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2013. Allan Tongue former Canberra Raiders player will be a special guest on the day.

All information and permission notes have been distributed to those students involved. All money and permission notes must be returned to Mrs Kenniff no later than Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2013. Please note all competitors must travel on the bus to the event. Players need to be at school by 8.15am on Friday morning with the bus leaving at 8.30am sharp.

**Representing Hillvue PS at any sporting event is a privilege. This privilege may be withdrawn if your child's behaviour at school is unsatisfactory.**





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