



Education &
Communities

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TERM 3 WEEK 2 23 July 2013

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Dear Parents

It is with great excitement that I officially inform you that I have been appointed permanently to the position of Executive Principal at Hillvue Public School. This position will allow me to work closely with teachers, students, families and the wider community to facilitate positive change for our students. The development and implementation of the Connected Communities Strategy provides me with the opportunity to lead one of the most ground breaking educational reforms in public education in NSW. It is a privilege to be in this position and I look forward to working with you to improve outcomes and opportunities for the children at Hillvue Public School. Commencing next week we will provide regular updates about progress on the Connected Communities Strategy and opportunities for your input with yarn ups, surveys and discussions.

Student Safety

Please talk to your children about safety when walking to and from school. Last week a student was almost hit by a car on Werris Creek Road. The driver of the car was very upset and still can't believe she missed the child who just walked out onto the road in front of her. We will talk to children at school but we need your support to ensure all students follow the road rules, use the crossings and look after each other. We talk about Caring, Smart and Proud at Hillvue. I have asked our older students to care for the younger students and to look after them and help them across the roads.

Parent Concerns

If you have a concern about an issue at school please come and talk to us. It is never acceptable to confront a student in the playground about an incident. That is our job and it is our responsibility to follow up concerns and ensure they are addressed properly. From time to time we all get

upset, we want to defend our children and we all want the best for them but we have to do it the right way. We treat all students, parents and visitors with respect and we expect the same in return. If you confront students or you are rude, abusive or swearing in the grounds you will be asked to leave. Abuse, bullying, threats or intimidation in any form will not be accepted at Hillvue Public School.

Education Week at Hillvue Public School - "Creating the Future"

Join us as we bring our classrooms to the Coledale Community Centre on Tuesday 30 July to celebrate Education Week 2013. This year's theme is – Creating the future. This is an opportunity for us to meet and for you to join in lessons and activities with your children. We are creating the future and we would love parents and community members to celebrate with us.

Session One: 10.00am–11.00am

1/3D – Miss Drain

Session Two: 11.30am–12.30pm

Mrs O'Connor's maths group

Session Three: 1.30pm – 2.30pm

5/6G - Mrs Gleeson

Drop in for a chat, a cuppa and see the fantastic opportunities we offer at Hillvue Public School.

Chris Shaw

Executive Principal

Diary Dates Term 2

WEEK 2

Wednesday 24th July Elective Sport starts. Yrs 3-6
\$5 per student

WEEK 3 EDUCATION WEEK

Tuesday 30th July Coledale Community Centre
10am – 2.30pm

NOTICEBOARD

INVITATION INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Years 4, 5 & 6 Limited number of spaces

Invitation to attend extension information technology sessions.

When: Wednesday mornings

Dates: 31st July, 7th August, 14th August
21st August, 28th August, 4th September
11th September.

Time: Before School
Start: 8:15 am - 9:00am

Some of the proposed aspects covered:
Collaboration apps on the iPad.
Web2 tools.
Google apps.
Animoto.
Edmodo.

L Courtney
Coordinator

Expression of interest to attend / Permission Note

I give permission for my child in class.....
to attend extension technology classes on Wednesday mornings before
school and I realise it is my responsibility to get them to the classes .

Signed:..... Date:.....

BIRTHDAYS TO WEEK 2:

Logan H	3/7	Jordan W	20/7
Katelyn E	5/7	Taya B	20/7
Makia J	5/7	Sarah P	21/7
Jack McS	7/7	Hayley L	23/7
Whitney L	8/7	Tanesha A	25/7
Thora F	12/7	Kida S	25/7
Latrell B	12/7	Tyler G	25/7
Alexander McL	14/7	Blake S	28/7
T'Leigha M	15/7	Zali L	28/7
Lucas W-G	16/7		
Britney F	17/7		
Cortney F	17/7		
Abby N	1 9/7		



SALE BY TENDER

School RIDE ON MOWER

Cub Cadet. Aero turn 1050, wide 48' cut.

"Where is, as is"

Tenders to be placed in an envelope, addressed
to: The Principal
Hillvue Public School
Hillvue Road, TAMWORTH

Marked "Tender" and submitted by
1st August 2013

For inspections please ring 0417227083.

HAMBURGERS



Available Friday from the Canteen.

Cheese, meat and sauce \$3.50

Cheese, meat, sauce and salad \$5.00

Burger with the works \$6.50

(meat, cheese, egg, bacon and salad)

Orders to be placed at the canteen before 9:30am

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR THE CANTEEN

Come for a cuppa with Wendy!

An invitation is extended to anyone interested in
volunteering in our school canteen to come to an
information afternoon this Thursday 25th July at
2pm at the canteen.

Please phone Wendy at the school on 67657446 if
you have any questions.



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**

NAIDOC Week 2013





MERIT AWARDS FOR STAGE 3



STUDENT OF THE WEEK AWARDS STAGE 3



CPR AWARENESS COURSE FOR YEAR 6
run by Cameron McFarlane from Tamworth Regional Council





QUICKSMART PROGRAM IN ACTION



Graduating students working with new students going onto the program.



MULTILIT GRADUATING STUDENTS



QUICKSMART GRADUATING STUDENTS

Legends of League/Girls League Tag Finals Day

On Thursday 27th June 2013 our Rugby League and League Tag teams travelled to Gunnedah to compete in the Legends of League Regional Finals Day. Both teams performed admirably and are to be congratulated on their behaviour and sportsmanship shown throughout the day.

The Girls' League Tag team had a mixed day. Winning two games, losing two and drawing their last game against Narrabri West PS. The girls tried hard in every game and after narrowly losing their first two games they kept improving as the day went on.

Our Rugby League Team had some fantastic wins during the day and made the Semi Finals in their pool. Unfortunately they lost against St Edwards 18 -10 in the final minutes. Thank you to Mr Ray Berry for his coaching and organization. Also the support from parents who travelled to Gunnedah was most appreciated. It was a great day!

Wednesday Night Rugby League Competition

Games for Wednesday 24th July 2013 are as follows:

Round 5:

4.40pm – Opens vs Community (Field 1)

4.40pm – Under 10's vs St Eds White (Field 2)

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.

North West Representatives

Congratulations to Caleb Bergan who represented North West at the State Primary Cross Country Carnival last week at Eastern Creek. By all reports Caleb ran very well and finished 47th out of a field of 151.

Caleb has been very busy over the last few days. He has travelled from the Cross Country Carnival to Coffs Harbour where he will represent North West in Touch. This is an outstanding effort from Caleb and he is to be congratulated on his efforts. A full report will be published next week when Caleb returns from Coffs Harbour.

Primary School Monday Touch Competition

The Primary School 2013 Touch Competition for Term 3 & 4 will commence on Monday 19th August 2013.

The competition consists of three divisions:

Little Nippers (K-2)

Junior Girls & Junior Boys (Yr 3 & 4)

Senior Girls & Senior Boys (Yr 5 & 6)

Cost per player is \$35

All teams must have a parent who is willing to coach / organise the team.

Please see Mrs Kenniff for further details if you are interested.

Zone Athletics Carnival

The Tamworth Zone PSSA Athletics Carnival is scheduled to be held at the TRAC on Monday 19th August 2013. Final nominations and competitors are currently being organised. Those students that have qualified for the Zone Carnival will be notified in the coming weeks.

Please be advised that competitors must make qualifying distances and times to be eligible for this carnival.

Premier's Sporting Challenge

Hillvue PS has completed the first five weeks of the challenge. The hours of physical activity are currently being collated and logged into the PSC website for each class. All students have participated in the program thus far. A special mention to those students in Stage 3 who readily give up their lunch times to become Sport Leaders and organise games for the Infants students. The students are to be recognized for their leadership qualities and initiative. Well done Stage 3!

Basketball Draw 25/7/2013

Court 4

5:20pm 5/6G

Hillvue Shooting Stars vs TPS Smashits

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