

HILL END PUBLIC SCHOOL

The Golden Quill



Term 4 Week 10

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9th December 2021



Secretary's
School
Achievement
Award

From droughts to flooding rains!



CALENDAR

DECEMBER

Presentation Afternoon	10
Cycling - Kissing Point	14
Last Day School	16
Staff Development Day NO STUDENTS	17

ATTACHMENTS

NUTRITION SNIPPET

CRICKET HOLIDAY PROGRAM



What an incredible start to summer we're having. I'm sure the flooding rains, hail and wild thunderstorms are proving challenging for everyone.

Our school pool has presented challenges in getting it right for swimming. The water has gone from a deep green colour, to almost ready and clear, before being inundated with flood waters and is now a muddy brown and refusing to clear!

I'm not one to spread rumours, but I did hear that someone on the outskirts of the village is building a large boat and is planning on taking onboard some animals – two by two!

Presentation Day

Tomorrow our school will be holding the annual presentation event. This year, again due to Covid pandemic restrictions, the event will be held at the school and is limited to family members. Hopefully in 2022 we'll be back to the Royal Hall and our exciting evening presentation.

Due to the ongoing challenges faced by local businesses and individuals throughout the year we again thank everyone for their kind support, but again, we are not asking for donations towards book prizes.

Bash, crash and whack!

Planning for our classroom teaching in 2022 is already

well underway with a continued focus on literacy and numeracy, built on our studies into Science and Technology. In 2022 we'll be studying physics, weather and climate, living things and chemistry!

We're also planning to compliment our use of robotics, 3D printing and digital technology with even more hands-on lessons for the students – keep posted for some exciting news soon.

Hill End Happenings

Congratulations to the Hill End Art Council for their amazing 9X5 art exhibition. The folks really have put together a wonderful event, with some outstanding artworks – If you haven't seen the exhibition yet don't miss out.

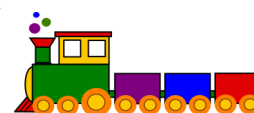
In Class this Week



STEM



As part of this terms study on transportation, the challenge in class this week was to design and build a train with 3 carriages, within a budget. Each train carriage had to be able to successfully pull 3 different objects. The students enjoyed this challenge and there were some pretty spectacular trains built.

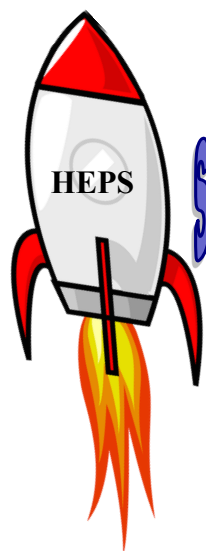


Portfolios



The students have been busy putting the finishing touches to their Portfolios. They are very proud of their work and can't wait to show their families.

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Student of the Week

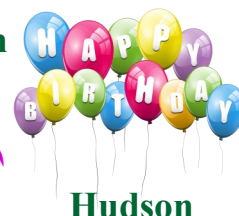
Eddie English

Lots of special projects happening with the students. As well as making wonderful gifts, they are learning how to use different types of art pens and their effects on different surfaces.



Happy 7th

Birthday



Hudson



Diggers



Adalyn, Imogen, Brock, Charlotte and Lily were very busy on Friday with Mrs Smyth and Mrs Kimm. The classroom was full of excited and eager children. This week they made some very special gifts! As well as decorating and colouring Christmas cards. We are so lucky to have the talented Mrs Smyth bringing music and craft to our students.



Mini Lessons

The students love their one on one lessons with Mrs Cole every Thursdays. Ensuring the students are progressing well in all subjects.

Health Clinic News



The next GP clinic is on 4th January 2022.

Please contact me before December 24th to book your appointment 6337 8263.

There will be a Women's Health clinic next week, 17th December from 10:30am-3:00pm with Kathy from Bathurst Hospital.

These are one on one clinics and very informative so please contact me if you would like more information or would like to book.

The Clinic will be closed this coming Friday 10th December and also from 27th December until 10th of January 2022.

Stay safe everyone

Nurse Fiona

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Women's Health Clinic



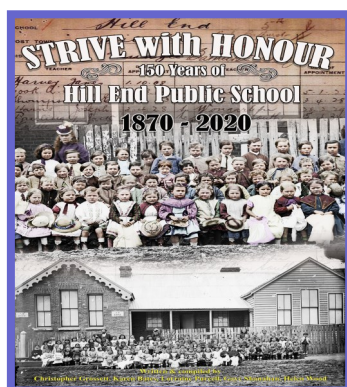
Portal Snapshot Transportation



Show casing this week the amazing art work by Beth English—Year 5.

T-Ball

The weather has not allowed much outside fun and activities this week. The students have made the most of it while they can.



Strive with Honour

Our wonderful 150th Anniversary book is available to purchase from the Hill End General Store and Hill End Public School or you can purchase it from: heatgg.org.au
\$40.00 + \$14.00 postage.



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