

Term 4 Week 7 - 24th November 2023



The Golden Quill

HILL END PUBLIC SCHOOL - 153 YEARS OF EDUCATION



TERM 4 TOPIC
Towns and Cities

CALENDAR DECEMBER

End of Year Bathurst Excursion	11 & 12
Presentation Day	15
Last Day Term 4, 2023 Students	15

Rain!



It's been a bit hit-and-miss but the rain certainly has been a blessing for those that received some. Here's hoping that it helped fill some water tanks and farm dams.

Excursion

Our end of year overnight excursion is planned and booked. We'll be sending home the itinerary and a list of things students will need to bring.

Presentation Day



Our end of year presentation day event is booked for Friday 15th December, 12pm. We'll be holding a yummy BBQ followed by award presentations and some fun student performances. Parents, friends, and family members are all invited to come along. For BBQ catering purposes please RSVP if you will be attending.

Director Visit & 2024

This week our school hosted a visit from the Director of Educational Leadership for our school network. Ms Hughes has worked closely supporting our school this year. As a follow up to the meeting, and discussions Ms Hughes sent an email to the school stating "There is much to be proud of, and to celebrate." My thanks to the entire HEPS team.

ATTACHMENTS

- ♦ **Nutrition
Snippet**

Give-away



We have 3 of these cupboards to give away if you are interested in 1 or all. They are strong, and lockable with a little bit of wear and tear. Please organise a time with school staff to pick up. Two people are needed to lift these.
PERFECT FOR YOUR SHED

Two of these cupboards are still available. Please contact the school if you are interested.



Ready, Set, Write

STUDENT STORIES

The Huge Fire

By Edmond English

One day, it was hot. No one wanted to do anything. No one wanted to milk cows or collect eggs, or shear the sheep. Everyone wanted to stay in bed. "It's so hot mother" said Joe. "Yes it is" said his mother. Suddenly there was a knock! knock! "Someone's at the door" said mother. "I'll get it" said Joe. "Hi, I am Mr Charcoal I was interested in your barn, may I take a look?" "Ok" said Joe. Mr Charcoal walked into the barn with a smoke. Then he burnt his finger and dropped the cigar. "Ouch!" he said. He ran out of the barn. The hay started to catch on fire. "I can smell fire!" said Joe. He peeped out of the window and saw the barn on fire. "Fire, fire" said his mother, "run for your lives" But Joe ran to the shed. The fire was blazing red. He grabbed a sheep and put it outside and did it to another sheep, and again, until all of the animals were safe. But he was surrounded by fire, so he grabbed a shovel and bashed a hole in the wall. Then he heard a fire engine. They battled the fire for hours until it was safe.

The Bird

By Archer Mobbs

One morning Keily felt his Mum holding his hand. He could see a bird above him. They were having a walk and then WOOSH the bird got his Mum. He was looking for her. He was scared. He could hear a snake hissing. The sign said "Mum is lost". The sign was made of wood. He was in the forest. The bird was above him. His Mum was too heavy for the bird, and she landed in front of him. They had a bonfire.



The Fox and the Horse

By Allison Bombardiere

Tamara lived on a farm and she liked riding her horse. Her horse's name was Strawberry, because it was red. Tamara liked playing with her friends. Behind the bunny was a fox that was hiding. It started to chase the bunny. Tamara got a rock and threw the rock and the fox ran into the forest.

The Wild Fire

By Ethan Mobbs

Sam was a young boy. He was new to that country. He lived on a farm. He hated getting dirty. There was a bushfire "Go, go!" said Sam "arr, run!" The animals ran, they hid in the shed! The smoke blew hard. The fire spread. The fire ran like a rabbit. The firemen came. He set off to find a new house. "What's this? A cave?" asked Sam. The tree roots were hanging down like snakes. He went back home and had a cup of tea.

10 At 10, Let's Do It Again



Bathurst Library Van Visit

Sarah and Mel, from Bathurst Library visited the school on Wednesday for their last visit of the year.

Mel read the students a Christmas story and each student received a candy cane and a lucky dip.

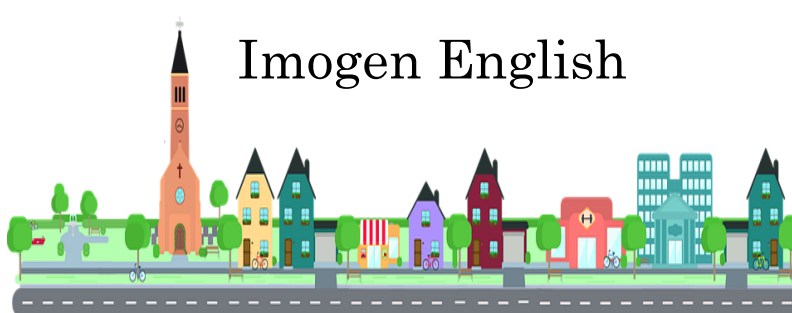
HEPS is grateful to have such a great service from the library, which benefits the students.



Students of the Week

Allison Bombardiere &

Imogen English



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Health Clinic News

There will be no Doctors Clinic in November.

The next Doctors Clinic is on Wednesday 6th December.

Call Ochre on 6331 9444 to book an appointment.

Hill End Health Clinic opening hours are Monday 8.30am - 5.00pm,

Wednesday 8.30am - 1.00pm and Friday 8.30am - 5.00pm.

***Don't forget to support our Community Nurse Lisa Mallard
and the Hill End Health Clinic.***



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