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Teddy Bears Picnic and Bike Education

From 12.00pm on Friday we’ll be having a Teddy Bears Picnic – with games and activities - and PRIZES. At 1.00p.m. we’ll stop for a Picnic Lunch. Then a Bike Education Session will take place. At 2.30pm we will have Afternoon Tea. Everyone is invited to attend!

Regional PP6 Relay Team

Congratulations again to Elen, Sam, Connor and Rivah, who will represent the Hunter Region at the State PSAA Athletics Carnival early in Term 4.

Book Fair

HVPS sold books to the value of $757.00 at the recent Book Fair.

Camden Haven High School Information Session for Year 6

Year six students visited Camden Haven High School on Wednesday 9th September. All students enjoyed the event – and agree it MIGHT be easier to get around the big campus, now they know a bit more about it!

Bridge Opening - Saturday 12th September

The Footbridge was opened by Leslie Williams on Saturday. Attending students led by Prefect Lily-Rose demonstrated excellent behaviour and interest in both the bridge opening and the dedication of plaques in school grounds by the Bird family. Thanks to Matty, John and Adam B, Jasmine and Joshua, Laura and Adam, Lily-Rose and Kenneth! The sausage sizzle was yummy, and the Fire Brigade had their new Fire Engine on show! It was a truly engaging and successful community event.

Have a safe and happy holiday everyone, see you all at HVPS on the Tuesday the 6th October.

Thanks for your help and support everyone!

Pam Everingham
Teaching Principal
Kitchen/Garden

The Kitchen Group cooked up a great meal of Rissotto, Bruschetta, Pumpkin and Salad of the imagination.
The gardeners planted strawberries, revamped some wicking boxes and got busy making signs for the garden. Three hard working seniors planted the remaining Council Plants from Planet Ark Tree Day over the other side of the bridge. This was very hard work!! Thanks Elen, Rivah and Lexi! No kitchen / garden this week.

WEEK 10

Congratulations to all students..... You have all been chosen as Stars this week!
Canteen

Thanks to Magda and marius for our DELICIOUS chicken skewers and fried rice!

Toy Catalogues

Take some time during the holidays to have a look at the catalogues. Orders placed through the P&C will be sent after the holidays. We will receive 20% of payments as a gift voucher for our school. Spare catalogues are available at the office.

Friday - Afternoon Tea

Sadly, we will be bidding the Northey family farewell on Friday. We would like to send them off with an afternoon tea and would be grateful of anything you can donate towards this.

Open Gardens

I have received a few more Volunteer Notification forms to help on the day. I will be placing names on the roster this week, which will be posted on the P&C board. Please think about what you can do to help out as even a small amount of time would be HUGELY appreciated! We are looking for donations of old teapots for the cafe to plant up and use as table decorations. If you have any at home that you are willing to part with please give them to myself or leave at the office.

P&C LUCKY PICK

This weeks winner is the school.

NEXT MEETING

Friday 9 October 8:30am

As always,
Thanks for your support.
Michelle Dennis
P&C President

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Celebrate Assembly

Friday 11 September

Congratulations Award winning students!

Special Awards Winners were: Joshua Trafford, John Brockbank and Adam Brockbank who received their Eucalypt Awards and Jasmine Trafford, who received her Blue Gum Award!

Academic Awards –

Bailey Bartlett – Tree House drawing and description.
Declan Whitaker – Tree house drawing and description.
Joshua Trafford – Tree house drawing and description.
Matty Ferguson- Great reading of “Ben’s Teddy Bear”
Skyla Cabot – Fast Maths Champ
Rivah Cabot – Fast Maths Champ
John Brockbank – Fast Maths Champ
Adam Partlett – 3D Shapes work.
Piper Darcy – Great maths work on data.
Lily-Rose Northey – Maths Mentals

Sporting and Cultural Awards

Skyla Cabot – “Snail and Turtle” Collage.
Jorja Fletcher – Griffiths – Creative Sock Puppet Craft.
Laura Partlett – Excellent Book Week Collage “Ten Loopy Caterpillars”
Mark Kompara – Super Sock Puppet Craft!
Emily White – Superb Sock Puppet Craft.
Adam Brockbank – Collage of the “Hungry Caterpillar”
Lewin Miller – Painting of the “Stone Lion”

Social Awards

Lexi Whitaker – Welcome to Hannam Vale Public School.
Declan Whitaker – Welcome to Hannam Vale Public School.
Sam Thornton-Collins – A Terrific Homework Explanation.
Kenneth Northey – Playing fairly and fixing problems before they happen!
Elen Miller – School leadership and responsible attitude.
Jasmine Trafford – Polite and friendly manner at ALL times!

INVITATIONS were sent home with Piper, Jasmine and Elen for next Assembly – Friday 23rd October.
HELP NOTIFICATION

EVENT: Hannam Vale Open Gardens

DATE: Sunday 18 October 2015

I can help by:

☐ Serving on the day at the following time ________________

☐ Making sandwiches and scones in the school canteen on the day

☐ Helping set up at 8:00am       ☐ Helping pack up at 4:00pm

☐ Baking a cake and delivering it to the cafe.

I cannot help but I would like to make a small donation towards the cost of supplies.

Name: ___________________________ Phone number: ______________________

Please return this form to the school
An important message from Hannam Vale Rural Fire Service

Please keep sending your stickers in. We need as many as possible to enable us to purchase new equipment for the school.

Next Celebration Assembly -
Friday 23 October 2.30pm

Woolworths Earn & Learn program