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**The Star of the Week for Term 2 Week 3
is Mark**



Mark is a kind and thoughtful student with a great sense of humour and he is receiving this award for his

What in-school activity did you enjoy most last week?

Creating a superhero in the HeroMachine

What book are you reading at the moment?

500 Minutes of Danger

What do you enjoy most about Maths?

Multiplying numbers

What do you like most about Kitchen/Garden?

I like gardening

What project are you working on in class?

Superheroes

Do you have a hobby? What is it?

No

What is your dream holiday? Where? Doing what?

Fiji to go snorkelling.

What would you like to be when you grow up?

I don't know yet

HAPPY MOTHERS' DAY

We hope everyone had a wonderful day yesterday with their mothers, grandmothers, sisters, and any other special women in their lives.



Coming Events

Tuesday 14 May

NAPLAN (Yrs 3 & 5)

**Wednesday 15
May**

NAPLAN (Yrs 3 & 5)

Thursday 16 May	NAPLAN (Yrs 3 & 5)
Friday 17 May	P&C Meeting 8.30am Assembly

Congratulations Miss Fullford

Miss Fullford was successful in being appointed to our SLSO position. She will be working at Hannam Vale PS on Mondays and every second Thursday to support the learning of our students in the classroom.



She will also be running the MutliLit program with small groups of students.

We feel very lucky to be welcoming her as a staff member at HVPS.

Expression of Interest – School Administrative Officer (SAO)

Applications for this position closed today and the successful applicant will be notified ASAP.

Visit from Mrs Nicolson

We had a visit from Mrs Nicolson and her beautiful baby Albie (Albert) on Friday. The students enjoyed saying hello and meeting this new little bundle of joy.



Guitar, Keyboard and Drum Lessons

Brad Bunyan will return to teach drums, keyboard and guitar this term if there is sufficient interest from families.

Please ensure you have returned your EOI if you are interested in your child participating.

NAPLAN 2019

This week, from 14 May to 16 May students in Yrs 3 and 5 will participate in NAPLAN Online. The information brochure for parents and carers attached addresses common questions about NAPLAN Online testing.

One of the main features of the NAPLAN Online format is that it is a tailored (or adaptive) test. The tailored test provides a more precise assessment of your child’s performance in the areas of reading, language conventions (grammar, spelling and punctuation) and numeracy by adapting to responses.

As your child progresses through the test, questions may be easier or more difficult, to better assess his or her ability. Your child should not be concerned if he or she finds the questions more difficult than expected – the pathway may be more challenging.

Many of the same questions appear in both paper and online tests, but not every student doing the online test will be answering the same questions in the same order.

Your child’s NAPLAN results and scores are based on the number and complexity of questions he or she has answered correctly.

If you have any further questions about NAPLAN Online, please contact the school.

Timetable

	Tues 14 May	Wed 15 May	Thurs 16 May
Y3	Language conventions <i>40 minutes</i> Writing <i>40 minutes</i>	Reading <i>45 minutes</i>	Numeracy <i>45 minutes</i>
Y5	Language conventions <i>40 minutes</i> Writing <i>40 minutes</i>	Reading <i>50 minutes</i>	Numeracy <i>50 minutes</i>

Woolworths Earn and Learn

Hannam Vale Public School will be participating in the Woolworths Earn and Learn promotion. This promotion runs from the 1st May until the 25th June, 2019. A customer will receive a sticker for every \$10 spent in a single transaction at any Woolworths Supermarket, Woolworths Metro and Woolworths Online. Students can bring in stickers and place them in the box provided or stick them on a sticker sheet (available at school and in stores). At the end of the promotion, based on the number of stickers collected, we will be able to purchase equipment for the school for students to use.

Happy Birthday Tyler!

Tyler celebrated his birthday last week on the 7th May 😊



GRIP Leadership

Once again upcoming student leaders of 3MAPS schools will be attending the GRIP Leadership day at Port Macquarie with Ms Brace. This leadership day will take place on Wednesday 5th June, Year 5 and 6 students will attend.



Stephanie Alexander Kitchen/Garden

In the garden we harvested sweet potatoes, spinach and herbs. The gardeners were weeding, mulching, and working on the 'no dig' garden!

We enjoyed a shared lunch on the verandah of the residence and this was a lovely spot to sit 😊 The students ate a spinach, sweet potato and feta tart, a sweet potato and chickpea salad and then finished off with some delicious apple muffins.



P&C News

P&C GENERAL MEETING:

will be held this Friday at 8:30am in the meeting room. All welcome

STUDENT INJURY INSURANCE:

has been paid by the P&C for this year. This valuable insurance covers your child for injury at school and home. Please pay \$5 per student to the office as soon as possible.

ELECTION DAY: This Saturday, on election day the P&C will be running a cake/plant stall and raffle. Donations for these would be greatly appreciated. Please include a list of ingredients with cakes and approximately how much they cost you to make. We have also had volunteers interested in running a BBQ. If you can help out with this, please see Michelle or Donna White this week. Thanks.

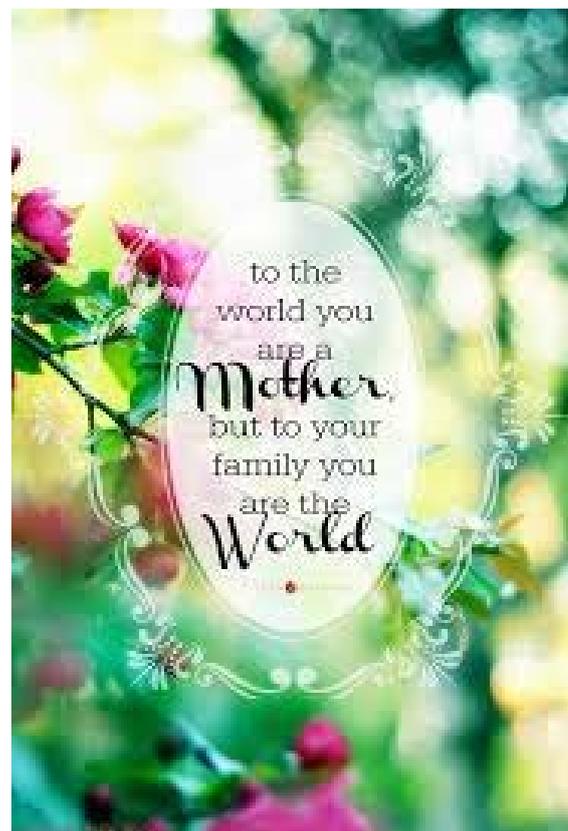
UNIFORMS:

We have an oversupply of winter uniform stock at the moment. Now that the weather is getting cooler, you might consider purchasing some from us. Our uniforms are of very good quality and (if hung on the line inside out) are resistant to fading. The unisex tracksuit pants are thick and warm with reinforced padding in the knee area. The bootleg pants are flattering and full of stretch for active students. We have quite a lot of size 14's and 16's in both types of pants which may fit small adults if anyone is interested. If you wish to place an order, please leave it at the office with payment and we will fill it for you. If you are paying online please add your reference number to the order form.



QUOTE OF THE WEEK:

We hope that everyone enjoyed their Mother's Day on what was a gorgeous day!



Term 2 2019

May Week 3	13	14 NAPLAN – Yrs 3 & 5 only	15 NAPLAN – Yrs 3 & 5 only	16 NAPLAN – Yrs 3 & 5 only	17 P&C Meeting 8.30am Assembly
May Week 4	20	21	22	23	24
May/Jun Week 5	27	28	29	30	31
Jun Week 6	3 QUEENS BIRTHDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY	4	5 GRIP Leadership Conference – Stage 3 students	6	7