

Hannam Vale Public School

Through this gate walk the nicest people in the world

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Newsletter – Term 1 Week 6

Monday 4 March 2024

Principal's message

3MAPS Great Aussie Bush Camp

A reminder to families of students in Years 4-6 that expressions of interest for the 2024 3MAPS Great Aussie Bush Camp are due in the Sentral Portal this Friday 8 March.

3MAPS Harmony Day at Hannam Vale

Next Tuesday Hannam Vale PS will host a 3MAPS Harmony Day celebration at the school. Students will be split into K-2 and Year 3-6 for the morning session, with K-2 students participating in music activities and Year 3-6 students participating in the NSW CPR Program.

The middle session will be a series of exciting tabloid activities where students will be split further into smaller inter-school groups.

And the day will conclude with a crowd favourite – the Colour Run! Families should send along old clothes (preferably white) for students to wear during the Colour Run. It is also a good idea to send along an old towel for afterwards, and perhaps some garbage bags to protect car interiors on the way home!

And don't forget to submit your lunch orders through the link provided by canteen superstar Alicia. The link is available in the school's Messenger group chat for anyone who may have missed it.

Kelly Bryden
Teaching Principal
Hannam Vale Public School

Coming up

March

Week 6

Tue 5 th	Mufti Day – 70s theme
Thu 7 th	Music lessons 2024 School Leader Induction Assembly 2.30pm
Fri 8 th	Kitchen Garden session

Week 7

Tue 12 th	3MAPS day at HVPS
Wed 13 th	Year 3 & 5 NAPLAN Writing assessment
Thu 14 th	Music lessons

Week 8

Mon 18 th	Year 3 & 5 NAPLAN Reading assessment
Wed 20 th	Year 3 & 5 NAPLAN Language Conventions & Numeracy assessment
Thu 21 st	Music lessons Year 3 & 5 NAPLAN catch-up assessments
Fri 22 nd	Kitchen Garden session

Week 9

Mon 25 th	Year 3 & 5 NAPLAN catch-up assessments P&C AGM 5pm
Tue 26 th	LDPSSA Cross Country
Wed 27 th	Music lessons
Thu 28 th	Easter Hat Parade & Assembly
Fri 29 th	Good Friday public holiday

Star of the Week

The Star of the Week is.....



Penny Whelan

Year 1

....for a very impressive improvement in writing.

What is your favourite thing about school?

Getting to see all my friends.

What book are you reading at the moment?

Wolf Girl 10.

What do you like to do with your family on the weekend?

Go to the beach together.

If you could have any superpower, what would you choose?

To shoot ice and turn things into ice.

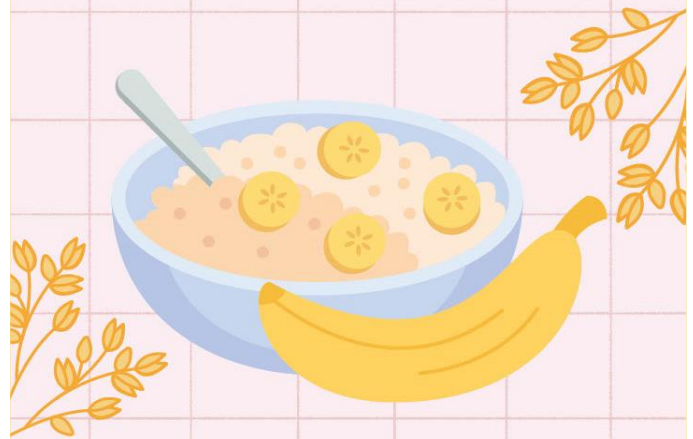
What would you change to make the world a better place?

That every animal would never die.

Who's your favourite fictional character?

Joy from the movie Inside Out.

BREAKFAST CLUB



Breakfast is available Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Toast, cereal, Up&Go

SCHOOL

LUNCHES

Due to safety concerns, students will no longer be able to warm up hot meals at school. They will be able to toast their **own sandwiches** on **Fridays**, as we will have plenty of staff at school to assist them.



FRIDAY
TOASTIES

YUM!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

School's Clean-up Australia Day Friday 1 March 2024

Since 1989 the Schools Clean-up Day has been held the Friday before the main event – Clean-up Australia Day, which was yesterday.

We watched a video about the significance of the day. Next, on went the sunscreen, hats, aprons and gloves, and clean-up gear provided was distributed. Students were divided into five groups and, with enthusiasm, headed off into the playground to hunt for rubbish!

READY..... SET.....



.....GO!

And here we are having cleaned the school grounds up!



Although only taking the best part of an hour, there were some interesting finds! We finished the activity with a sorting activity in the classroom. Thanks to staff and students!

Mrs Everingham



Online Safety and Social Media

TikTok, YouTube and Instagram

Online webinar with Greg Gebhart
Senior Trainer, eSafety
Commissioner

Date: Tuesday, 12 March
Time: 12:30PM- 1:00PM AEDT

Scan here to
Register!





Start the day right with brekky

Eating breakfast fuels the body and gives kids more energy to concentrate and focus at school. It also gives kids the energy to be physically active!

Here are some tips to encourage kids to eat breakfast everyday:

- 1) Involve kids in planning, shopping and making breakfast. This teaches them to plan, prepare and cook meals
- 2) Prepare the night before - i.e., get the kitchen utensils out ready to use, bowls, plates, cups, cut up fruit and pop it in the fridge
- 3) Try healthy grab and go options: fruit, trail mix, yoghurt, fruit smoothies, baked beans or wholegrain cereal bites
- 4) Encourage your kids to start each day with breakfast! Make time to sit and enjoy eating breakfast together



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<https://goodforkids.nsw.gov.au>

Developed by Hunter New England LHD



Good for Kids acknowledge the traditional owners and custodians of the land that we live and work on as the first people of this country, and pay our respects to Elders past and present.

SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

THURSDAY 7 MARCH 2024
 2.30PM



2024 STUDENT LEADER INDUCTION

The 2024 Student Leadership Team will be inducted into their new roles and receive their badges.

TERM 1 BOOKS IN HOMES

Term 1 Books in Homes books distributed to students.



HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

An exciting fundraising message from the Year 6 students...



DONATIONS OF SECOND HAND BOOKS NEEDED

please drop of anytime before the 8th of March year six fundraiser for a stall at the markets



BEES WAX WRAPS

MARCH MARKETS YEAR SIX FUNDRAISER HVPS 10TH OF MARCH

\$5 per wrap or \$12 for three

HANNAM VALE AUTUMN MARKET HANNAM VALE RECREATION RESERVE

SUNDAY 10th MARCH 2024

8:00am - 2:00pm

MARKET STALLS

Fresh Produce, Chicken, Beef & Pork, Home & Garden Decor, Art, Clothing, Candles, Jewellery, Toys, Timber Carvings & Much More

FACE PAINTING FOR THE KIDDIES

**HMB MOTORSPORTS WILL HAVE
CLASSIC CARS ON SHOW**

LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

“A LITTLE BIT OF COUNTRY AND A LITTLE BIT OF ROCK AND ROLL”

BUSH CAFE & BBQ

1155 Hannam Vale Rd, Hannam Vale
Approx halfway between Port Macquarie and Taree 10kms in from highway on sealed road
Free Parking and Amenities on site.

We are a Crown Land Recreation Reserve Catering to the Communities along the Stewarts River
Email: hvreservetrust@gmail.com f: Hannam Vale Recreation Reserve Land Manager

A message from the P&C Association...

HELP OUT THE RESERVE!

The Reserve Committee has requested the assistance of the parents of HVPS for baking for their Autumn Market Café coming up on 10 March.

If you are able to bake some goods, sweet or savoury, that don't require reheating and can be served in individual slices for the cafe that weekend our help will be much appreciated.

Term planner

Term 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Mar Week 6	4	5 Mufti Day – 70s theme	6	7 Music lessons School Leader Induction Assembly 2.30pm	8 Kitchen Garden
Mar Week 7	11	12 3MAPS day at HVPS: -K-6 Harmony Day -Year 3-6 NSW CPR Program -P&C Lunch order day Hunter PSSA Swimming Carnival	13 NAPLAN test window – Writing assessment	14 Music lessons NAPLAN test window	15 NAPLAN test window
Mar Week 8	18 NAPLAN test window – Reading assessment	19 NAPLAN test window	20 NAPLAN test window – Language Conventions assessment / Numeracy assessment	21 Music lessons NAPLAN test window – Catch-up	22 NAPLAN test window Kitchen Garden Art in the Vale Weekend ----->
Mar Week 9	25 NAPLAN test window – Catch-up P&C AGM	26 LDPSSA Cross Country	27 Music lessons	28 Easter Hat Parade & Assembly	29 Good Friday
Apr Week 10	1 Easter Monday	2	3	4 Music lessons	5 Kitchen Garden
Apr Week 11	8	9	10 Music lessons	11 School Anzac Service 10.15am NSW Swimming	12 NSW Swimming Final day of Term 1



Sentral for Parents app – Have you enabled push notifications?

All families are asked to ensure that they have push notifications for the Sentral Portal enabled to ensure that you receive school communications promptly.