



Hillside Public School
 "Loyalty, Knowledge, Duty"



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CALENDAR DATES

Galston High School Musical Excursion – ‘Annie’	Thursday 21 July
100 Days of School – dress up	Friday 22 July
Small Schools Athletics Carnival @ Annangrove Park	Friday 29 July
Macquarie Towns Motorcycle Rally	Saturday 30 July
Small Schools Touch Football Knockout	Friday 19 August
Open Day & Book Fair	Tuesday 23 August
Beecroft Zone Athletics Trach & Field @ Homebush	Wednesday 31 August
Father’s Day Breakfast @ Hillside @ 8am	Friday 2 September
Pantomime @ Hillside	Thursday 8 September
K-6 Brewongle EEC Excursion	Tuesday 13 September
Kindergarten 2023 Orientation	Wednesday 12 & 19 October

WELCOME BACK

ENROLING NOW FOR 2023

Families with children eligible to start Kindergarten in 2023 are asked to start the enrolment process for their child. If any families know of neighbours with children eligible, please encourage them to make enquiries through the school office. Enrolments may be made on-line or by completing an Enrolment Application available from the school Office. We have already received a number of kindergarten enrolments for 2023.

SMALL SCHOOLS ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

The Small Schools Athletics Carnival is being held at Annangrove Park. All children will participate in a variety of races and the younger students will also enjoy novelty events with the other students. We encourage all parents to join us on the day. Transport to and from the carnival is by private vehicle. There will be a canteen running. A note with details will be sent home yesterday. The carnival starts at 10am, we ask that all students are there by 9:40am. The program will be sent home later this week.

MACQUARIE TOWNS MOTORCYCLE RALLY – WE NEED YOUR HELP PLEASE

Hillside has been asked again to cater lunch for the members and visitors of the Macquarie Towns Motorcycle Restoration and Preservation Club during their annual rally on Saturday 30 July. This is a wonderful fundraising opportunity for the school. On the day we will need parents to assist with

the BBQ and preparation and serving of food. We will also be asking for donations of cakes and slices on the day. A note was sent home with all families yesterday. Assistance on the day, in hourly timeslots, will be required between 10 and 4.

SICKNESS

There is a lot of sickness in the school community at the moment. Thank you for keeping your sick ones at home. I am not sure if you are aware, but when you have a PCR Test at one of the centres, besides testing for COVID they are now indicating if the person has Influenza A/B or RSV (Respiratory syncytial virus).

OPEN DAY and BOOK FAIR

We are holding our Open Day and Book Fair on Tuesday 23 August from 9am till 11:30am. We invite all parents, grandparents, younger siblings, kindergarten 2023 children and friends to join us on the day. Morning tea will be served at 11am for everyone. More details will be sent home shortly. Please add the date and time to your calendars.

PANTOMIME

We are super excited to be performing 'The Lemonade Kid' on Thursday 8 September at school. Every student has a role in the performance. The matinee performance is starting at 11:30am and the evening performance is starting at 6pm. Please ensure all children are available for the night performance – no sport training, dance etc. We encourage family and friends to join us on the day. More details will be sent home in the next few weeks. Please ensure the date and times are reserved on your calendars.

TOUCH FOOTBALL KNOCKOUT

The draw for the Touch Knockout has been changed again, so our game is now an away game at Waterfall Public School. We will be hiring a bus to transport all of Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 to the game. Parents are more than welcome to join us on the bus. We will be departing school at 9am and hopefully return by 2:50pm. More details will be sent home shortly.

FATHER'S DAY BREAKFAST

We invite all dads, granddads, uncles, older brothers, significant males to our Father's Day Breakfast on Friday 2 September at school. Keep an eye out for your invitation soon!

KINDERGARTEN ORIENTATION

We will be holding our Kindergarten Orientation for the 2023 Kindergarten students on Wednesday 12 and 19 October. Personal invitations will be sent out to all registered students later this term.

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