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| (| CALENDAR DATES |
| 2023 | |
| Canberra camp – years 5 & 6 | Monday 22 May – Wednesday 24 May |
| Beecroft Zone Cross Country Carn | val Thursday 25 May |
| King's Birthday Public Holiday | Monday 12 June |
| Sydney North Cross Country Carni | val Thursday 15 June |
| Life Ed Incursion | Monday 19 June |
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Thank you to all the parents, children and teachers who helped at the working bee. Your hard work has made a huge improvement to our beautiful school.

It was really enjoyable to see so many families involved and to have so much work go into our school grounds. I'm sure you all agree that the whole weekend created a lovely sense of community and it was a pleasure to be part of. Our garden beds are now fully mulched, our trees are trimmed and hedges are tidy. Thank you Hillside and friends!

Cross Country

We were delighted at the efforts that our children showed at our School Cross Country Carnival!

Whilst the venue was a little different this year, our runners pushed on without hesitation, all finishing with big smiles to fill their bellies with our BBQ lunch. Thank you to all the teachers who assisted on the day and to our families who came along to cheer! Another fantastic Hillside event!



We wish our runners all the best at this Thursday's Zone Cross Country at Fagan Park. Good luck!

Just a reminder that all parents need to stay with their children at the Zone Carnival for supervision, as there will be no Hillside teachers attending this event. Children can be dropped back to school after they run to assist families.

Mother's Day Tea



We would like to thank all the mothers, grandmothers, aunts, great grandmothers and caregivers who attended our Mother's Day Morning Tea on Thursday 11 May. What a marvellous multigenerational morning with the special women of Hillside Public School! We are so thankful for you all taking some time out to be appreciated.



Movie Night



Thank you to Hillside Public School P&C for an amazing Mother's Day Movie Night on Friday 15 May! What a wonderful opportunity for the Hillside community to come together for such a happy occasion. Everyone had a fantastic evening that will be remembered for years to come.

Congratulations on your awards Isla!



Check-in assessment for Year 4 and Year 6

During Term 2, students will participate in the Check-in assessment. The Check-in assessment is a NSW Department of Education online literacy and numeracy assessment available to support schools to assess and monitor student learning. The assessment can supplement existing school practices to identify how students are performing in literacy and numeracy and to help teachers tailor their teaching more specifically to student needs.

Please contact Mrs Neorcsik if you would like further information.

Canberra Camp

Our Years 5/6 overnight camp to Canberra is underway and so far all reports show a very successful first night! With visits to several key locations and places of interest, we look forward to hearing all about this amazing tour of our Nation's Capital.

Special thanks to Mrs Neorcsik for volunteering to be our teacher representative for the adventure!



Chewing gum

Please ensure that chewing gum or bubble gum is not brought onto school grounds. Thank you for your help in keeping our school clean and tidy.

Canteen & Hot Lunches

This term we will be having our **BBQ and chicken burger lunches on Fridays**.

The canteen will be operating with its full menu on Mondays only. The Snacks and drinks will be available for cash purchases on Wednesdays and Fridays as well.

Cricket

Students are participating in cricket clinics on Mondays. Sport uniform will need to be worn on Mondays and Fridays.

If you would like more information about local Cricket Programs, please get in touch with **Glenorie District Cricket Club**. They have both Mixed and Girl's only teams. Cricket is a wonderful sport that encourages teamwork, fair play and develops a variety of skills in both children and adults! <u>http://www.gdcc.nsw.cricket.com.au/</u> or ask Mrs Newbury for more information.

Premier's Reading Challenge

The Premier's Reading Challenge commenced on Monday 27 February and closes on Friday 18 August. Mrs Feely would like all students to keep the orange recording sheet in their library bag and she will enter details of books read on Thursdays. Can we keep up our outstanding record of 100% participation!!!!! Don't forget your library books on Thursdays!

Uniform Transition

We have officially changed over to our winter uniform. We encourage all students to take pride in their school. One way to display this is to wear the correct school uniform daily. Students are also reminded that large hoops or decorative dress earrings present as a safety hazard and are not part of our school uniform.

2023 Enrolments

Do you have a child who turns five years of age before 31 July 2024 and will be ready to start school? We encourage all families with children starting school next year to contact the office as soon as possible to complete the enrolment forms online. Please also spread the word to other families interested in enrolling at our school that now is the time to work through this process.



Students in other grades are also welcome to enrol.

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