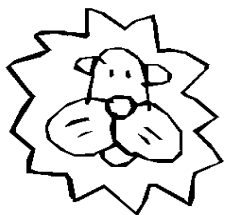


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Newsletter

25 October 2019

Calendar for Week 3 and 4

Monday – 28 October

Tuesday – 29 October

Wednesday – 30 October

Playgroup in old hall - Little Lions
Kindergarten 2020 Transition at 9:15 am
Stage 2 Camp – Teen Ranch
Zone Public Speaking Competition

Thursday – 31 October

Koori Play & Chat
Stage 2 Camp – Teen Ranch

Friday – 1 November

K-6 Assembly 9:30 am
Grandparents Day
Support Classes Swim School
PSSA Semi Finals

Week 4

Monday – 4 November

Tuesday – 5 November

Dance Sport Competition

Wednesday – 6 November

Kindergarten 2020 Transition at 9:15 am
Playgroup in old hall - Little Lions

Thursday – 7 November

Koori Play & Chat
STEM Stage 2 Showcase at 3:30 pm

Friday – 8 November

PSSA Grand Finals
Support Classes Swim School

Pride Goal

Our pride goal expectation for the next week is:-



**Follow the
Pride Guide,
At all times.**



Welcome to Term 4. I hope all our families had a lovely school holiday break. Term 4 brings much excitement and joy for our students as we begin to prepare them for moving into a new grade. Please keep track of upcoming events and special assemblies through our Skoolbag App, Facebook and newsletter. The Term 4 Parent Planner is also attached to the newsletter to help you plan ahead for significant moments in your child's education.

I would like to welcome the new families that have enrolled at HPS over the last week. I know that you will love being part of our school community and I look forward to sharing in your child's successes with you.

Congratulations to the students and Stage 1 teachers who showed Hebersham Pride on their excursion to the city harbour on Lessons A Float.

A great big congratulations to Stage 3 who organised a wonderful mini fete. Everyone showed Hebersham Pride and exhibited beautiful manners. Thank you to the community for supporting this wonderful event.

I would also like to take this opportunity to wish all our grandparents a very special Grandparents Day. We are looking forward to sharing a cup of tea with you next Friday and showing gratitude for all the wonderful things you do.

Betty Papandreou
Principal



Grandparents Day Morning Tea!

You are warmly invited to join us!

On

Friday 1st November 2019

Grandparents Day celebrates the contributions grandparents and older people make to their families and communities.

Grandparents and families are warmly invited to our special Grandparents Assembly beginning at 9:30 am followed by a morning tea in Yalingen Allawah beginning at approximately 10:30am through to 11:00am.

There will be a combined recess at this time for all our students K-6.

We are looking forward to our grandparents and families joining us!



Parent Term Planner

Attached to the newsletter is the Term 4 planner. Please place this calendar on the fridge at home to keep track of all the special events happening over the coming weeks. Just a reminder at times we need to change dates and times.



2020 Kindergarten Enrolments

Applications are now due for children eligible to start Kindergarten in 2020. Children may be enrolled in Kindergarten at the beginning of the school year if they turn five years of age by 31 July of that year and are in area to our school.

Application forms are available from the school office. Please ensure that your application is submitted as soon as possible. If you know of anyone considering enrolling, please encourage them to do so now.

Details for our transition to Big School can be collected from the front office.



Kindergarten Orientation Sessions:

Wednesday 30 October

Wednesday 6 November

Wednesday 13 November

Each session will provide you with information that will make your child's start to Kindergarten an amazing one!

We hope to see you there!

We will meet in the library then children will visit the Kindergarten rooms.

**Enrolment forms are available from the school!
Please pick one up from our front office.**

Leadership Speeches

Congratulations to the Year 5 students who presented a speech for the 2020 Leadership Election. You all demonstrated bravery and confidence when giving your speech in front of the school. The successful leadership team will be announced at the Academic Assembly.

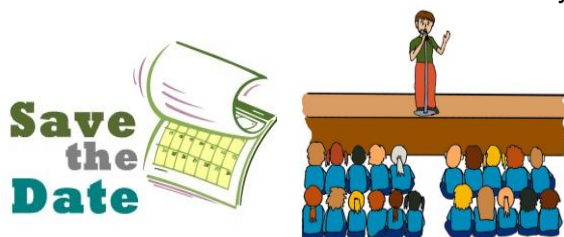
K-6 Assembly

Our next assembly will be held on Friday the 1st November at 9:30am in Yalingen Allawah. At this special assembly we will announce students receiving their pride pins and celebrate Grandparents Day with some special presentations and morning tea.



Pride Pin Celebration Morning Tea

In **Week 6 Term 4**, students who receive their Pride Pin at the K-6 assembly will be asked to stay back and attend a morning tea in the library. Parents and carers are cordially invited to attend with their child and enjoy celebrating their achievement. There will be light refreshments and drinks served to mark the occasion in the library.



ACADEMIC ASSEMBLY

The Academic Assembly will be held on **Wednesday 11 December 2019 at 9:30am in Yalingen Allawah**. All parents and carers are warmly welcome to attend the assembly.



The SRC Colour Run - Change of date

Due to unforeseen circumstances the SRC's Colour Run will have a change of date to **Wednesday 20th of November (Week 6)**. Please remember to continue to collect your sponsors to receive some awesome prizes.

Thank you for your understanding and participation.

- The SRC committee.

Mt Druitt/Minchinbury Public Speaking Competition

On Wednesday 30th October the following four students from 3-6 will be representing Hebersham Public school in the Mt Druitt/Minchinbury Public Speaking Competition at Eastern Creek Public School.

Year 3 - **Jehan Namrawi**
Year 4 - **Shakiyah Donovan**
Year 5 - **Jadila Namrawi**
Year 6 - **McKenzy Lolo**



Stage 2 STEM Showcase

Stage 2 students are putting on their very own showcase to present and display their knowledge and understanding they have gained through their STEM unit of work. This showcase will be held **after** school on the **7th November** at **3:30pm** in **Yalingen Allawah**. Parents and carers are invited to attend to observe their child's learning.



Nutrition Snippet

The simplest way

... to swap to healthy snacks

Foods packed in the lunch box contribute significantly to a child's overall diet. It is important to try and keep unhealthy treat foods out of the lunch box. Try these healthy swaps:

Swap this	For this
Chips	Plain popcorn
Chocolate bar	Homemade bliss balls
Sweet biscuits	Raisin bread
Fruit roll ups/sticks	Tub of canned fruit
Lollies	Dried fruit
Flavoured biscuit	Crackers with cheese
Commercial muffins	Homemade fruit muffins

For snack ideas visit healthylunchbox.com.au

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Hebersham Public School

Parent Term Planner - Term 4 2019



Wk	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2	21/10	22/10 2020 Leadership Speeches 9:30am and 12pm in YA	23/10 Kindergarten Transition 9:15am 	24/10 Mini Fete 11:30 – 1:30pm	25/10 WORLD TEACHERS DAY Walkthrough Awards PSSA ends DAY FOR DANIEL – Red Mufti Support Class Swim Program
3	28/10	29/10	30/10 Kindergarten Transition 9:15am Stage 2 Camp – Teen Ranch Zone Public Speaking Competition – Shalvey 	31/11 Stage 2 Camp – Teen Ranch	1/11 GRANDPARENTS DAY K-6 Assembly 9:30am in Yalingen Allawah PSSA Semi Finals Support Class Swim Program
4	4/11 P&C Christmas Raffle Starts 	5/11 Dance Sport Competition	6/11 Kindergarten Transition 9:15am 	7/11 STEM Showcase – Stage 2	8/11 Walkthrough Awards PSSA Grand Finals Support Class Swim Program
5	11/11 Remembrance Day Assembly 10:45am Flag Pole	12/11	13/11 Kindergarten Transition 9:15am  P&C Mtg 9:15am	14/11	15/11 Walkthrough Awards Support Class Swim Program
6	18/11 Yr 6 PLP Reviews	19/11	20/11 Colour Run P&C Thank You Cake Stall	21/11 Muru Bordanmi 2-3pm	22/11 K-6 Assembly 9:30am in Yalingen Allawah Support Class Swim Program Sista Speak Presentation
7	25/11	26/11 Cultural Diversity Day Variety Club Christmas Party	27/11	28/11 Last Scripture Lessons	29/11 Last Walkthrough Awards Support Class Swim Program
8	2/12	3/12 High School Orientation SAKG Graduation	4/12 P&C Mtg 9:15am Support Unit – Special Children's Xmas Party YR 6 Farewell Dinner 6pm	5/12 Thank You Morning Tea in library Scripture – Christmas Service	6/12 Sports and Attendance Assembly 9:30am YA Support Class Swim Program
9	9/12 Stage 3 Fun Day	10/12 Obstacool Course Pride Day	11/12 Academic Assembly 9:30am in YA Student Reports issued	12/12 Yr 6 Graduation 9:30am in YA Cleaning Day	13/12 K-6 Assembly 9:30am in Yalingen Allawah Moving Day
10	16/12 CAROLS 9:30am YA 	17/12 Class Parties 	18/12 Last Day for students Yr 6 Arch 2:15pm 		

Be Brave and Follow the Pride Guide: be a learner; be respectful; be safe

