

Every student has the ability to learn, achieve and succeed. Together we nurture, guide and foster successful learners in a safe, respectful learning environment, recognising the capabilities of all students. Encouragement is provided to build and foster relationships to empower every student to make valuable contributions within their community.

news from the hill

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P & C News

P & C Meeting

Our next P&C meeting will be held on Wednesday 25 May in the School Staffroom. All parents and caregivers are encouraged to come along and support our school.

Mother's Day Stall

A big thank you to our hard working members of the P&C, Stephanie, Debbie and Cathy who organised the Mothers Day stall and raised over four hundred dollars for the school. Thank you also to Bunnings as they donated the plants.

Canteen

Stephanie our dedicated P&C member who does an amazing job in the school canteen is looking for new healthy options for the canteen. Please contact the school or Stephanie if you have any ideas.

Flu Season

The Flu season has arrived, a copy of the NSW Health fact sheet on Influenza went home with last week's newsletter to provide important information regarding this highly contagious respiratory illness.

Mind Matters Survey

Reminder for parents to complete the Mind Matters surveys and return it to school before Tuesday 17 May.

Reminder

A reminder to all students, parents/carers that at Willans Hill we have an important safety rule to remember at school: **hands off**.

STRATEGIC DIRECTION 1

Curriculum and Learning

STRATEGIC DIRECTION 2

Wellbeing for All

STRATEGIC DIRECTION 3

Connections with Community



Late Arrivals

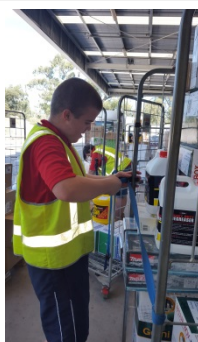
If your child arrives to school after 9:10am in the morning you need to sign them in at the front office. Staff will then take your child to class. Please do not take your child to the classroom yourself.

Transport

Please remember to ring your transport provider if your child is not attending school on any day. This is a requirement of the Department of Education.

DOB in a DOER!

It's great to hear news of our students doing well in activities outside of school, but we don't hear about all of them! How about letting us know of our students' successes? Just give the school a call on 6925 1076 and 'dob in a doer'!



Work Experience:

Jordan Potts

Work place: Bunnings

Duties: Unloading stock, restocking shelves, moving timber and customer service.

Jordan said "I like helping to unload the truck as quickly as we can".

UPCOMING EVENTS

Mon 16 May Transport Day

Wed 25 May P & C Meeting

Fri 27 May 'Wear a different Hat day' – Gold coin donation supporting Cancer Council

WOW
OF THE
WEEK!



Ryan Nechvatal is WOW of the Week

Ryan has shown an improved attitude towards his learning. He is engaging with more learning tasks throughout the day. In 'Working With Words' lessons he is showing accuracy and interest when sorting pictures to match a target beginning sound. Keep up the fantastic effort Ryan!

WOW!

1-6M

For Mother's Day we made recycled paper to plant seeds in. We ALL loved ripping, scrunching and mashing the paper!



Class Awards

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| Class K-1U | Nathanael Brown | Crisp pointing in reading |
| Class 1-6M | Naomi Gadsden | Focus and concentration in Maths |
| Class 2-6S | Harry Deveson | Great work recognizing and ordering numbers |
| Class 7-9C | Ryan Nechvatal | Making a very positive start to Term 2 |
| Class 6-8T | Cooper Hille | Showing interest in and staying focused for longer when looking at books |
| Class 6-9S | May Bowditch | Making excellent progress during Working with Words and beginning to recognise more complex words and sounds |
| Class 9-10C | Chloe Blanchard | Fantastic engagement and participation in all learning experiences |
| Class 9-11S | Chloe Rowlands-Sim | Displaying a mature attitude in Working with Words and Health |
| Class 11-12M | Georgia Buchanan | Fantastic engagement in Shared Reading |
| SPORT | No Award | |
| LIBRARY | Keziah Steinmetz | Fabulous alphabet work |
| | Stephanie Brest | Fantastic communication with Proloquo2Go during lessons |
| | Luca Scarrone | Great responses in Shared Reading of 'There was an Old Lady' |

Writing Awards

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| Junior School | Henry Pavitt |
| Middle School | Jack Ritchie |
| Senior School | Sam Larfield |

School Assemblies

Junior Assembly is on every Thursday at 2:30pm in the hall.
Senior Assembly is on every Monday at 9:15am in the hall.
All welcome to attend.

SCHOOL UNIFORM – Parents/carers are able to order long and short sleeve polo tops and Rugby tops directly from Hunters in Wagga.

May is National Family Reading Month

National Family Reading Month is designed to get more kids reading with their families. Family reading time is one of the BEST ways to grow a child's interest in the wonderful world of books.