

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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STRATEGIC DIRECTION 1

Curriculum and Learning

STRATEGIC DIRECTION 2

Wellbeing for All

STRATEGIC DIRECTION 3

Connections with Community

Our School community is deeply saddened by the tragic news that one of our students, Lizzie Payne, in Year 11, passed away on Saturday 9 July. On behalf of our whole School community we extend our deepest sympathy to Lizzie's family.

We all may experience a range of emotions during this time. Your child may feel sad or upset. These are normal reactions. However, if you have concerns and would like your child to see Paul, our school counsellor, please contact the school.

Lizzie was a much loved member of our school and she will be sadly missed.

Late Arrivals

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

Premier's Reading Challenge

If your child in Kinder to Year 9 has not returned their permission note, please sign and return to class teacher. Thank you.

P & C News

Thank you to the P & C for their hard work in creating the new outdoor area for the Middle school.

Congratulations

Students and staff would like to congratulate Mrs Cappello on the safe arrival of Zoe Cappello.

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'!

Common Childhood Ailments

The flu and bug season has arrived, a copy of the NSW Health fact sheet on common childhood ailments has been sent home to provide important information regarding these ailments.

5 Step Hygiene Program

In response to parent/carer concerns and to the current flu season the school has introduced a 5 Step Hygiene program which will be implemented in every classroom. The school has purchased hand sanitiser and dispensers, Glen 20 and bacterial wipes. If you have any concerns regarding your child using these products please contact the school immediately. A copy of the 5 Step Hygiene Program went home with last week's newsletter.

Reminder

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

Education Week

Parents/carers are invited to attend the school on Wednesday 3 August at 11.30 to celebrate Education Week. There will be an art display and a sausage sizzle (order form attached).

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.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Wed 3 Aug	Education Week Open Day commencing 11:30am
Fri 26 Aug	Book Character Day & Book swap
Thu 15 Sept	P & C 'Bridget Jones's Baby' Fundraiser

WOW OF THE WEEK!



Caleb Brydon is WOW of the Week

Caleb has been demonstrating a mature attitude to all aspects of his learning and is making responsible choices. Keep up the great work Caleb!

WOW!



9/10S creative circle art.



Class Awards

Class K-1U
Class 1-6M
Class 2-6S
LIBRARY

Elijah Yang
Brooklyn Alexander
Cooper Camery
Prudence Lapham

Continued great work in the Engine Room (Reading)
Making his name with magnetic letters
Being a kind and thoughtful friend
Fantastic concentration and application during art and craft activities

Willans Hill P & C Association invite you to the special fundraising screening of BRIDGET JONES'S BABY.

This much anticipated movie will be a great night out as well as helping the P & C to raise some needed funds for the children and staff at Willans Hill School.

Come along and join us for a great night out on 15th of September for the premiere of the film. The evening will begin at 6pm for light refreshments with the movie screening commencing at 7pm.

See the Willans Hill Facebook for ticketing details or contact Tara Tooze 0423 979544 or Cathy Manning 0409 662347

Oscar® winners Renée Zellweger and Colin Firth reprise their roles in the next chapter of the world's favourite singleton in ...BRIDGET JONES'S BABY. Directed by Sharon Maguire (Bridget Jones's Diary), the new film in the beloved comedy series based on creator Helen Fielding's heroine finds Bridget unexpectedly expecting. Patrick Dempsey joins the cast for the third instalment, and longtime collaborators Tim Bevan and Eric Fellner of Working Title Films produce alongside Debra Hayward.

Starring : Renée Zellweger, Colin Firth, Patrick Dempsey



Follow this link to purchase tickets.

<https://www.123tix.com.au/events/385/bridget-jones-baby-willans-hill-p-c-fundraiser>

FAREWELL



LIZZIE

