



# Peak Hill Central School Newsletter

**We are a Respectful, Responsible, Safe and Successful School**

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## 2017 Presentation Night



*Pictured with our Principal Mr Scott Olsson are our newly announced School Leader Chloe Gould and our Primary Captains for 2018 Sarah Charlton and Natalie Davis, Congratulations students.*



Congratulations to our elected school leaders for 2018  
**SRC:** Mary Breznikar, Cooper Dart, Lilly Schaefer, Shelby Dargan, Kerryanne Watson, Goran Milinkovic, Pagan Kristl.



Bayn-Jemon Schnitger was the worthy recipient of The Lindner Metals and Engineering Scholarship this year.

This award comes with a considerably generous donation of equipment which is suitable for the selected trade, from the Lindner family. It is for a student who has excelled in the field of Metals and Engineering.

Bayn is pictured above with Mrs Catherine Doyle our Careers Advisor.

Well Done Bayn





#### Principal

Mr Scott Olsson

#### Relieving Deputy Principal

Mr Paul Champion

#### Head Teacher

#### Secondary Studies

Mr Jeremy Whiterod

#### Administration Manager

Mrs Tanya Stanford

#### Aboriginal Education Officer

Mrs Vicki Sharah

#### Assistant Principal

Mrs Rachel Stockings

Miss Grace Stewart

#### Head Teacher

#### Access

Mrs Crystal Stanford

#### In School Access

#### Coordinator

Mrs Catherine Doyle

#### P & C 2017

#### President

Ms Kim Dern

#### Vice President

Mrs Kelly Dart

#### Secretary

Mrs Loedicia Strahorn

#### Treasurer

Ms Tammy Gavin

## Term 4 Students of the Week

### Week 8



**PBL Raffle Winners** Clair Sellers and Indika Gavin



**Primary** Indika Gavin, Clair Sellers, Kaya Gavin, Quentin Weaver and Zane Pearson O'Brien



**Secondary** Marissa Robinson, Bayn Schnitger, Garth Jackson and Tijuana Keed

### Week 9



**PBL Raffle Winners** Cooper Dart, Jaylee Robinson, Jack Bendiech and Tijuana Keed

**Secondary** Haidee Hando, Lauren Hando, Kerryanne Watson, Chloe Gould, Emma Beeby, Cooper Dart and Akayla Hando



Congratulations to Charlica Schnitger on gaining early entry to University of New England for AgriBusiness.

Well Done Charlica



# Principals Report

## Newsletter Week 10

2017 has been an amazing year and presentation night is the opportunity to showcase and celebrate all the wonderful achievements that have been made. This year has had the students at the centre of decision making and it is about them tonight and is even more targeted at improving their education in the next school plan cycle from 2018 – 2020. The question that I often pose to students, staff and community members is “how can we be better”? This vision and constant reflection on our values of respect, responsibility, safe and successful learners will ultimately lead us to a point where we can answer that question. It will tie in perfectly with our school motto of “Success through Effort” and also our 3 strategic directions of Learners, Teachers and Leaders. In the next 3 years we together will be all of these, we can all be learners, we can all be teachers and we can all be leaders.

Enough about our future lets celebrate the success of 2017. Congratulations to anyone who:

-Was involved in representative sport, we increased our participation, were crowned the best Central School in NSW for rugby league, came 3rd in the state for cricket and had representatives in Western Lawn Bowls and Athletics

-Performed well in extra curricular activities: School Spectacular, Work placements, World Skills, Boys Engagement group, NAPLAN, HSC,

IPROWD, Early Action for Success, ANZAC Day

-Successfully lead the school: SRC representative, school performances, Aboriginal Dance workshops, Meals on Wheels, School Captains

-Became better at something. If you became better as a student, teacher, parent, carer, leader then we have achieved something and we should be proud of that

Lastly I want to thank all the students, staff and parents for their support this year. The people that have taken the time to support the school and develop our values. Thanks, the people that have made each day here better through opportunity, experiences, commitment and loyalty thanks. I must thank my wife and kids aswell, for me to travel each day to commit to the school and add value does take a toll so I will be enjoying the holiday break with them.

We have a great school with some tremendous students and teachers, next year will be far more proactive than reactive and I look forward to working with quality individuals who have the desire and will to become better.

I look forward to the St George Illawarra Dragons playing in the grand final, seeing the Peak Hill Roosters win Woodbridge Cup and playing a part in the Peak Hill Community getting better every day.

Enjoy the holiday break and lets celebrate 2017 and look forward to an even better 2018.

**Mr Scott Olsson**

**Principal**



*Brendan Dargan is pictured at his IPROWD Graduation in Dubbo which was attended by Mr Olsson. Brendan was also awarded an extremely prestigious award “The Peter Gibbs Award” named after the founder of the program.*

*Congratulations Brendan on this fine achievement.*

## Diary Dates

Term 3 2017	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 10	11 PBL Rewards Day	12 Presentation Night 6pm at the school	13	14	15 Last day of Term
2018 Term 1 Week 1	February 5 Staff Return	6 First Day of Term 1 for Students	7	8	9 Swimming Carnival
Week 2	12	13	14	15 WAP Camp Burrendong	16



# Presentation Night 2017





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*Hando Food Technology Awards*



*Golden Peak Budget Motel Awards*



*ADF Long Tan Leadership Award presented by Mr Dick Baxter*



*Don Mackay Memorial Shield*



*Platinum PBL Winners*



*Dux of 2016 Award donated by Cathy Goodwin*

# 2018 Equipment List



## EQUIPMENT LIST FOR YEARS 7 – 10, 2017

Subject	Requirements
English	A4 128 page exercise book
Mathematics	A4 128 page exercise book + Geometry set & Calculator
HSIE	A4 128 page exercise book
PDH PE	A4 128 page exercise book
Science	A4 128 page exercise book
Language other than English	1 x 64 page exercise book
TAS	A4 128 page exercise book
Visual Arts	A4 128 page exercise book + coloured pencils
Electives	A4 128 page exercise book + Display Folder

All books should be covered and labelled with the student's name.

All students should have a Thumb drive to save assignments etc. and are available from the Administration Office for \$8.00.

Students should have a calculator, pencil case, pens, scissors, glue stick, ruler (plastic or wooden), eraser, pencil sharpener, lead pencils and coloured pencils.

Calculators are available from the Administration Office for \$25.00.

**Leather shoes MUST be worn !**

Departmental regulations demand the use of fully enclosed leather shoes for:

**Science**

**Technology**

Shoes with fabric on the tops or sides are **NOT SUITABLE**.

Footwear that has any part of the foot exposed (open-toed sandals etc.) is **NOT** permitted.





## PRIMARY

### 2018 Kindergarten - Year 6 STATIONERY & OTHER REQUIREMENTS

Students will be required to provide their own stationery and equipment as listed below.

Please ensure that all personal items and equipment are clearly labelled with your child's name.

#### Kindergarten to Year 2

Kindergarten to Year 2 students will require the following items for commencing school:

- School Uniform
- School Hat
- School Bag
- Lunch Box
- Drink Bottle
- Library Bag
- Art Smock
- Box of tissues for class supplies



#### Years 3 - 6

Year 3 to Year 6 students will require the following items for commencing school:

- School Uniform
- School Hat
- School Bag
- Lunch Box
- Drink Bottle
- Library bag
- Art Smock
- Pencil case with coloured pencils, 3 lead pencils, rubber, ruler, sharpener, glue stick & coloured textas
- Box of tissues for class supplies



#### Years 5 - 6 (Additional to items for Years 3-6)

- 3 blue pens
- 3 red pens
- Black leather school shoes  
(necessary for Science & Technology)

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- Science
- Technology

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# Community News

**Entry Form**

Please attach this entry form and submit to  
St. Augustine's Parish School Office or  
post to:

**Children's Art Competition**  
10 Dandaloo Street  
NARROMINE NSW 2821  
\*no later than Wednesday 21st  
March 2018. **FREE** entry.

For further information please go  
to [www.iheartartshow.com](http://www.iheartartshow.com)

**iheart**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (Home) \_\_\_\_\_ (Mobile) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Category: ☐ Preschool ☐ Infants ☐ Primary  
☐ Junior High School ☐ Senior High School

Title of Artwork: \_\_\_\_\_

Medium: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Conditions of Entry:**  
Artwork submitted must be original and created solely by the entrant. The iheart  
Committee reserves the right to refuse entries it deems offensive. It is the responsibility  
of the artists to collect their entries following the completion of the Art Exhibition at 2pm  
on Saturday 24th March. All artwork not collected by Friday 30th March 2018, will  
become the property of the iheart Exhibition Committee. Artists entering the competition  
understand that their artwork may be digitally copied and used for promotional  
purposes. Artists also understand that while the utmost care is taken with the artwork the  
Committee accepts no responsibility should any damages be incurred.

**iheart Children's Art Competition 2018**

Proudly hosted by St. Augustine's Parish School Narromine  
Generously sponsored by **BAWD Property Trust**

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   [www.iheartartshow.com](http://www.iheartartshow.com)



PARKES SHIRE COUNCIL

## Dunmore Education Support Fund

Dunmore is a farming and grazing area 15kms west from Peak Hill. In the past Dunmore did have a one teacher school (30 students) and a community hall.

The Dunmore School Bus Committee was established in 1956 to assist with meeting the running costs of the school bus run for students from Dunmore to attend Peak Hill Central School.

Ultimately the Department of Education took over running the bus service, however the funds gathered by the Committee for this purpose have remained in a trust until this day.

The current trustees have decided to enact the original Deed Agreement and use the funds to benefit Year 11 and 12 Peak Hill Central Students to support their education by offering the Dunmore Education Support Fund (DESF).

Peak Hill Central School can apply on behalf of students that are in year 11 or 12 that need financial support to further their educational studies to access the DESF.

Applications, via a letter, can be made throughout the year to Parkes Shire Council. The application will be assessed by Council's Cultural, Education & Library Services Committee.

A maximum of \$4,000 can be requested each calendar year.

## First Aid Training at Peak Hill Preschool on 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2018 at 9.30 am

The following courses will be run at Peak Hill Preschool on 31<sup>st</sup> January:

**HLTAID004** - Provide an emergency first aid response in an education and care setting - \$160.00 per person (this is for the childcare industry only)

**HLTAID003** - Provide First Aid (includes HLTAID001 Provide CPR) - \$150.00 per person - Flexible Workbook style

**HLTAID003** - \$160.00 per person - Online style

**CPR Update** course - \$50.00 per person

Payment can be made on the day either Cash or Credit Card, or invoiced with direct debit. Individual tax invoices can be supplied.

Please contact Tod Healey to enrol for the course and for workbook options, or for more information



Phone - 0409368242  
[www.todhealeyfirstaid.com/](http://www.todhealeyfirstaid.com/)