



Peak Hill Central School Newsletter

We are a Respectful, Responsible, Safe and Successful School

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STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL - LEADERSHIP CAMP AT THE ZOO

Last Thursday evening the school leaders braved the cold to head to Western Plains Taronga Zoo and participate in the Zoo Snooze program which allowed students a unique experience to see the zoo and animals of a night and visit behind the scenes with keepers. The following day, after some breakfast and a morning tour seeing other animals fed, the students worked together with Mr Whiterod, Miss Barry and Mr Thomas to build their teamwork and leadership skills.

Students participated in teambuilding activities and undertook individual and group challenges designed to make them realise the importance of teamwork and cooperation, students also learnt about positive leadership

qualities and how to inspire other people, before displaying what they had learnt by having an effective meeting to complete with an agenda and minutes to plan what the SRC wanted to achieve in 2018/19.

All of the students participated extremely well and showed the school values of respect and responsibility throughout the excursion. The SRC meets every second Thursday and any student who wants to raise an issue or share an idea with their representative is welcome to do so, so it can be added to the agenda.

Mr Whiterod



**Principal**

Mr Scott Olsson

Head Teachers**Secondary Studies**

Mr Jeremy Whiterod

Mrs Catherine Doyle (Rel)

Administration Manager

Mrs Tanya Stanford

Aboriginal Education Officer

Mrs Vicki Sharah

Assistant Principal

Miss Grace Stewart

Head Teacher**Access**

Mrs Crystal Stanford

In School Access**Coordinator**

Mrs Catherine Doyle

P & C 2018**President**

Ms Kim Dern

Vice President

Mrs Kelly Dart

Secretary

Mrs Loedicia Strahorn

Treasurer

Ms Tammy Gavin

Principals Message

Congratulations to the students that attended the SRC and Leaders Camp at the Dubbo Zoo. It is fantastic to see that the students are developing in confidence and becoming more effective role models at school and in the community.

Well done to our lawn bowls team who will now contest the NSW Central School State finals next term. Sport is going extremely well at school with us having 3 teams in the rugby league and our touch team making it to NSW Central Schools State finals and netball teams competing in week 9.

Congratulations to Miss Heraghty who has been appointed the Western PSSA Girls cricket coach.

Last week I attended the NSW Secondary Principals Conference and came back inspired by the workshops and professional content delivered. Some of the ideas and concepts will be slowly introduced here to increase student engagement, increase innovation through quality teaching and learning.

Thanks to all the teachers that have been busily working on student reports, these will be sent out very soon with parent teacher interviews on Thursday 5th July.

Congratulations to Mr Whiterod who has been successful at interview for a Head Teacher Welfare role in Distance Education on the North Coast. He has been an integral member of staff for a long time and will be sorely missed and difficult to replace. This process will begin shortly and I wish Jeremy all the best.

Aboriginal SAO Yarn Up was held at school on Wednesday 20th June and we have additional information packs for people who were unable to attend. This will be advertised in Term 3 so if you need anything further please let me know.

It was great to see more parents actively supporting the P and C and to share positive stories on school improvements, educational change and projects in the pipeline, I thank those who attended and welcome many more parents to our next meeting.

Mr Olsson



Kindergarten to Year 12

Parent Teacher Interviews

will be held on Thursday 5 July

Infants/Primary 3pm to 5pm

Secondary 3.20pm to 5pm

Afternoon tea will be provided

Please book an appointment by contacting the School Office on
0268691304

School Diary

Term 1 2018	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 9 25 June to 29 June			WAP HSC Hospitality Day		
Week 10 02 July to 6 July				Parent Teacher Interviews K to 12	
Term 3 Week 1 23 July to 27 July	School Development Day	Students Return			

Week 7 Awards



Congratulations

Good Listening Award - Missy Beeby, Brent Murray & Emerald-Rose Leonard

Student Of The Week - Bella Robinson, Gabrielle Thomas-Dargan, Eric Lockwood & Mollie Barlow

PBL Winners - Clair Sellers & Eric Lockwood

Recycling Award - 3/4

Merit Award Winners - Shanekwar Wright, Mundara Smith-Read, Janarly Thomas, Hayley Charlton, Angel Rez, Cooper Dart, Georgia Saddler-Keed, Jawarn Read, Lochlan Hawksworth & Emerald-Rose Leonard



Hospitality Assessment Day



Last Wednesday students from the Western Access Schools attended Peak Hill Central School for a practical assessment day.

Each of the students prepared a range of menu items to industry standard which included: Rustic Chicken Tarts, Fish Cakes with Mash, Individual Sticky Date Puddings with Caramel Sauce and a range of hot and cold beverages for their very happy customers.

The students are to be commended on their professional attire, manner and practical skills.



Next Wednesday the 27 June, the Year 12 Hospitality class will be holding their assessment day in Café Russell and are inviting all community members to be customers for morning tea and lunch. You may eat in or take away on the day. Please see the menu attached to this newsletter for more details and call the School Office by 3.30pm next Tuesday to place your orders. We look forward to sharing an incredible dining experience in our state of the art kitchen with you and your family and friends. Please come on down to our school next Wednesday!

Mrs Doyle

Metal and Engineering Assessment Day

Last Wednesday Miss Leisa Rowlands worked with the Year 11 Metals and Engineering students from across the Western Access Program to develop the industry skills and knowledge our students need to gain competency in this very employable industry.

Each of the students gained valuable skills on the day and would like to thank Miss Rowlands for her enthusiasm and passion in this subject.

Mrs Doyle



K/1

K/1 have been working hard to develop their writing skills this term. On Wednesday we made Jelly together and then wrote about what we did.

Miss Stewart





Cafe Russell

Wednesday 27 June 2018

Open 10:30am - 1:30pm

Menu

Eat in or take away available

Beverages \$3

Berry Smoothie
Fire Engine
Cappuccino
Flat White
Tea
Hot Chocolate
Café Latte
Chocolate Milk Shake
Caramel Milk Shake
Iced Coffee
Iced chocolate



Morning Tea & Dessert \$3

Famous Banoffee Tarts
Mini Oreo Cheesecakes



Lunch

Pulled Pork, homemade apple sauce and coleslaw buns \$8

Freshly Baked Lasagne, served with a crisp garden salad \$8

Gourmet Chicken Burger, made with a freshly crumbed chicken breast \$8



Please place orders at the School Office by Tuesday 26 June

Breakfast Club

We are looking for a wonderful volunteer to coordinate and run Peak Hill Central Schools Breakfast Club.

Breakfast is important for our students and provides the foundation to help their concentration and learning throughout the day.

Our Breakfast Club runs from 8.15am to 9am each school day providing toast, fresh fruit and sandwiches.

The coordinator would be responsible for preparing and serving breakfast and arranging volunteers.

A current/valid *Working With Children Check* (free for volunteers) would be required for the coordinator and all volunteers.

Peak Hill Central School thanks our Breakfast Club supporters Woolworths and Coles.

To volunteer or enquire further please contact the School Office on 0268691304.



Peak Hill Central School Triples Lawn Bowls Team

Peak Hill Central School travelled to Yeoval to participate in the Triples Lawn Bowls competition. Our boys competed well with results - Peak Hill vs Molong 8-7, Peak Hill vs Yeoval 10-9. Peak Hill won both games and will progress to the next level.

Well done boys !!



THE P&C NEED YOUR HELP

The P&C are always looking for new members. Without parent/carer members the P&C cannot exist. If you would like to get involved come along to our next meeting. The P&C meet once a month on every second Thursday. Our next meeting will be held at the Peak Hill Community Hub, 87 Caswell Street on Thursday, 9th August at 4pm. Everyone is welcome to attend.

From everyone at the P&C we'd like to thank the Peak Hill Community Hub for allowing us to hold our meeting there.

Community News

MACRAME MASTERCLASS

Saturday 4 August 2018

9am-1pm or 2pm-6pm

Enter the world of Macrame in a fun workshop with Trina (One Wise Wombat) In this workshop you will learn basic macramé knots which can be used to create your own wall hanging.

All materials and equipment plus morning or afternoon tea will be included.

Where: Peak Hill Showground

Cost:\$30 per person

Bookings: Peak Hill Post Office

Limited Places Available

CHEESEMAKING

Saturday 11 August 2018

10am-5pm

An entry level workshop for the new home cheesemaker. We will make Ricotta, Feta, Haloumi and Camembert.

All ingredients supplied as well as a cheesy lunch!

Where: Peak Hill Central School

Cost:\$35 per person

Bookings: Peak Hill Post Office

Limited places.

COMING TO THE 2018 PEAK HILL SHOW



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**1 IN 5 CHILDREN
IN PARKES ARE NOT
DEVELOPMENTALLY READY
TO START SCHOOL
AT THE AGE OF FIVE**

- COMMUNITY MEETING -

Join Royal Far West, our partners and a community panel to share your views on the challenges facing country children and families. Together we can make a difference.

28 June 2018

Coventry room, 25 Bogan St, Parkes

5pm for registration and afternoon tea.

Discussion 5.30 – 6.30pm

Seats are limited, RSVP to royalfarwest.org.au/town-hall

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Under 12 School Holiday Clinics



JULY

**10TH
- 22ND**

Keep the boredom out and the hockey in this July school holidays with one-day hockey clinics run by Hockey NSW-accredited coaches. Focused on fun and development and utilising the revolutionary new Joey Ball, they're suitable for kids of any ability under the age of 12 and all just \$47. Don't hesitate - get your school holidays plans sorted now.

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Shop Opening Hours

Tuesday 9am to 4pm

Thursday 9am to 4pm

Friday 9am to 3pm

Saturday 9am to 12 Noon

Donations of clothing, books and bric-a-brac can be left at any time in our collection bin adjacent to the store.

We thank our wonderful donors and customers for their continued support



AGM

Thursday 28 June

6pm

at the Peak Hill Multipurpose Centre

Everyone Welcome

Can Assist Peak Hill is always looking for members and volunteers that can assist in various roles within our local branch and with fundraising. We would like to encourage members of the community to attend our AGM to find out more