



Principals Update

Behind the Principal's Desk

Last Newsletter of the Term

It's hard to believe we are already wrapping up another busy and exciting term! Perhaps the most talked-about highlight this fortnight has been the introduction of our new lunch ordering system from the Rusty Horse Café, which started on Wednesday.

Unbeknownst to me at the time, our senior students had already been hatching a plan to bring hot food options to school—a wonderful idea that stemmed from discussions at their recent Leadership Summit. The summit focused on empowering student voice and exploring practical ways students could make a difference in their school community.

Coincidentally, Nat from the Rusty Horse also approached me with the idea of offering weekly lunches, and everything aligned perfectly. With many requirements involved in running a formal school canteen, this partnership has allowed us to trial something manageable and meaningful. We're incredibly grateful to Nat for her initiative and support in bringing this to life so quickly.

Building on this idea, Aminah and I have been exploring the possibility of adding a small selection of packaged snacks, such as ice creams and treats, for purchase. Aminah is very enthusiastic about taking a leadership role in coordinating this. We'll keep families updated as the idea develops.





On Wednesday 18th June, we travelled to Quandialla Hall to experience the musical talents of Musica Viva. The performance was both entertaining and educational, immersing students in a musical wonderland while teaching them the value of history and what we can learn from the past.



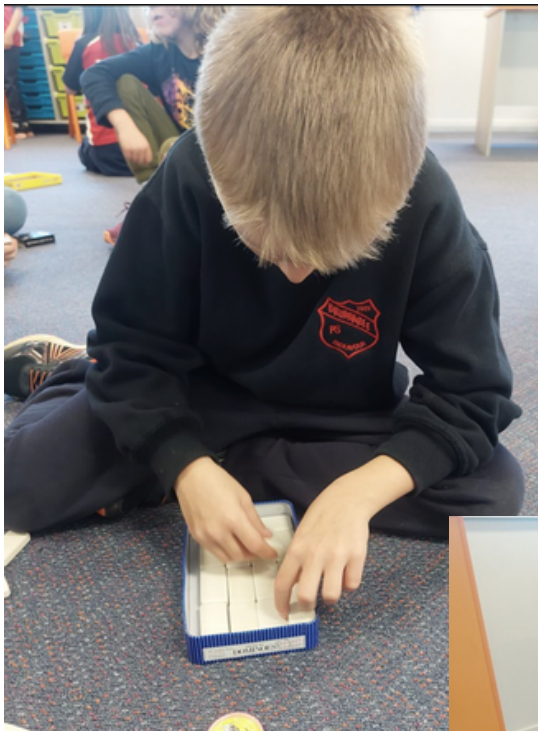


In our last newsletter, I mentioned our students' partnership with Quandialla for the Young Small Schools Debating Day. I'm delighted to report that they did an outstanding job! Despite the challenges of limited preparation time and relying on online coordination, all students confidently delivered their speeches. They debated the negative side of two engaging topics—uniforms should be optional and children should get paid for chores—and proudly placed 4th overall. A big thank you to Murringgo for organising such a rewarding day.



On Friday 27th, we were invited to Maimuru for the Moves and Grooves Disco—and what a day it was! The students danced their hearts out, participated in well-run games, and brought home a few prizes along the way. It was a joyful day that left everyone smiling.





PRINCIPALS REPORT CONTINUED

Student reports will be coming home this week. We encourage all families to make a time to meet with your child's teacher to discuss the report and your child's progress. These conversations are valuable in supporting student learning and growth.

A reminder that our end-of-term assembly will be held on Thursday 3rd July at 10:30am. All families and community members are warmly invited to attend and help us celebrate the students' achievements this term.

As we approach the end of term, a reminder that the last day of school is Friday 4th July. I wish all families a safe and restful holiday. I encourage our students to enjoy time outdoors, explore their surroundings, and keep up with their reading—so we return next term ready to learn.

We would also like to say a massive Happy Birthday to Mrs Anderson!



WEEK 10, Term 2 and Week 1 Term 3 EVENTS

Friday
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End of Term 2

Tuesday
22

Students return for Term 3

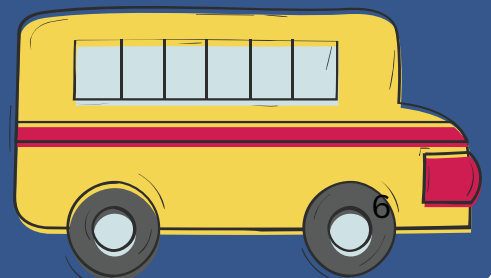
Friday
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Quandialla

Young Mobile Playgroup
10:00am - 11:30am at BPS
Upcoming Dates: Term 3

Tuesday 22nd July

Tuesday 5th August



Rusty Horse Hotel

Canteen List

Nuggets and Chips	\$ 6
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Chicken Burger and Chips	\$ 6
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Egg and bacon burger	\$ 6
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Lasagna and Chips	\$ 6
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Mini Pizza	\$ 4
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Garlic Bread	\$ 2
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Hot Chips	\$ 4
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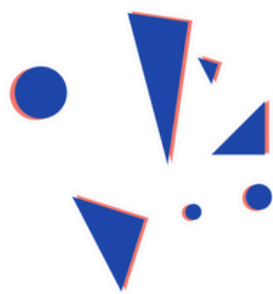
Sauces – Tomato, BBQ, or Gravy|

BRIBBAREE PUBLIC SCHOOL

END OF TERM 2 Assembly

THURSDAY JULY 3, 2025 • 10:30 A.M.

We invite you to join us at Bribbaree Public School for our End of Term 2 assembly, where we will celebrate the students' learning achievements!



SCHOOL ENROLMENTS

NOW OPEN FOR 2026



We are thrilled to announce that enrolments for 2026 are now open at our wonderful small school! If you're looking for a nurturing and supportive learning environment where each student is valued and encouraged to reach their full potential, look no further.

Come and join our thriving school community! We can't wait to welcome new families and work together to create lasting memories and meaningful learning experiences.

For more information on how to enrol, please visit our website or contact us directly. Let's make 2026 a fantastic year together!

ENROL NOW!



(02) 6383 2308



<https://bribbaree-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/>



The Henry Lawson High School



Stage 3 Information Session

The Henry Lawson High School invites all Stage 3 parents (Years 5 and 6) to join us for afternoon tea in the Library. This is a wonderful opportunity to meet our dedicated teachers, explore our school environment, and learn more about what The Henry Lawson High has to offer. We look forward to welcoming you!

DATE
MONDAY 30 JUNE

TIME
4:30PM

THE HENRY LAWSON HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARY
49 SOUTH STREET GRENFELL



More Information
02 6343 1390
49 South Street Grenfell
henrylawson-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au



Kanzas Rose Cystic Fibrosis Fundraiser

Saturday 13th September 2025



Starting at Bribbaree Showground at 10:00am-
approx 200km ride through our country side and returning back to
Bribbaree Show Grounds for Live Entertainment, Bar facilities, food
& to draw our MAJOR PRIZE
Raffles, Auctions and much more
\$20 pp ride/Pillion or in car
Bus available \$30 pp LIMITED SEATS
Raising Funds & Awareness for CF Together





Kansas Rose Cystic Fibrosis Fundraiser

WIN A 2024 HARLEY STREET BOB
ONLY 300 TICKETS AVAILABLE
\$100 PER TICKET



TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED BY CALLING LISA 0478777226
OR JANETTE ON 0447634712



RAISING FUNDS FOR CF TOGETHER



School Holiday Activities - July 25

liveBetter
community services

Fun with Drums

Thursday 10th July @ The Hub

Learn basic rhythms & enjoy games using African Djembes

Choice of 2 sessions: 10am - 11.30am or 12.30pm - 2pm

Suitable for beginners - 7 years +

FREE activity - Drums & snacks provided. All welcome!



Kids Art with Robyn

Wednesday 16th July @ The Marie McCormick Centre

Step by step to a masterpiece to take home on the day!

9.30am - 12.30pm

Open to 5 - 12 year olds & suitable for beginners to advanced.

\$5 per child includes all materials and morning tea.

To register, please call the Hub on 6382 6328



HILLTOPS COUNCIL LIBRARY

SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

WINTER 2025

Sat July 5

SILK PAINTINGS

Ages 8+ | \$4 per person | This includes silk, ink and a frame for your creation

8+ \$4PP 10.30-11.45AM BOOROWA

Mon July 7

SCIENCE FAIR

Drop in to enjoy our new Spark! box science kits. Improve your science knowledge and have some fun!

10AM-2PM YOUNG

Mon July 7

PICK YOUR OWN CRAFT

Pick your own craft from our craft box!

3.30-4.45PM BOOROWA

Tues July 8

EDISON ROBOT WORKSHOP

Learn to build, code and program our new Edison Robots! Ages 8+, bookings essential

8+ 10-11.30AM YOUNG PLEASE BOOK

Weds July 9

STORY WRITING & CRAFT

Come along and learn how to write a story. All ages, story crafts for younger attendees

2-4PM HARDEN

More info & bookings at

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SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

WINTER 2025

Thurs July 10

PICK YOUR OWN CRAFT

Pick your own craft from our craft box!

10AM-12PM BOOROWA

Tues July 15

TUESDAY MAKERS CRAFT

It's time to see what we can make with craft time at Young Library!

9.30-11.30AM YOUNG

Weds July 16

SCIENCE FAIR

Drop in to enjoy our new Spark! box science kits. Improve your science knowledge and have some fun!

10AM-12.30PM HARDEN

Fri July 18

CREATOR CRAFTS

It's time to see what we can make with craft time at Harden Library!

2-3.30PM HARDEN

Daily

DROP-IN GAMES & COLOURING

Drop in during regular open hours for board games, crafts and colouring. Please ask at your local branch.

ALL BRANCHES

More info & bookings at


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HILLTOPS COUNCIL LIBRARY


EDISON ROBOT WORKSHOP

Learn to build, code and program our new Edison robots and see if your robot can complete a challenge!

- Open to 8years+
- Bookings essential
- Children able to participate independently may attend without a guardian

 YOUNG LIBRARY, CAMPBELL ST

 TUES JULY 8TH, 10AM - 11.30AM

 BOOK YOUR SPOT AT [HILLTOPS.SPYDUS.COM](https://hilltops.spydus.com)

We thank National Backyard Cricket and Friends of Libraries Australia for their Country



YOUNG LIBRARY
CAMPBELL ST, YOUNG

JULY 7TH / 10 AM - 2 PM

LET'S HAVE FUN!

SCIENCE FAIR

FREE
ENTRY

WITH SPARK! BOX KITS

Drop in to enjoy our new
Spark! box science kits
Improve your science
knowledge and have
some fun!

Find more at
hilltops.spydus.com



PAINT IT OUT!

Expressive Art for Wellbeing x 3wks

Tues 1st, 8th & 15th July

10am to 12noon

Hilltops Community Hub

*Immerse yourself in expressive art, turning
negative energy into something amazing!*

*Relieve Stress * Connect to self

*Release emotion * Get Creative

Beginner friendly—no art skills required

Suitable for 18yrs+

\$10pp includes 3wks + materials + morn teas

Limited places, book now 63826328

With Artist Kaz Clarke



Our professional Family Support Staff:

- Work with families based on trust & respect
- Support the safety & development of all children, young people & adults
- Respect the different social & diverse backgrounds from which families come
- Include families in planning & decision making
- Are flexible & responsive to the individual needs of families
- Enjoy working with families to build quality of family life



FAMILY SUPPORT SERVICE

(02) 6382 6328

2c Campbell St,
Young NSW 2594

e: rose.t@youngnc.org.au
e: jenny.s@youngnc.org.au



Workers are available:

Mondays 9am - 3.30pm
Tues to Fri 9am - 4.30pm

For information or to make an
appointment please phone or
drop into the
Hilltops Community Hub

family support
service



Part of Hilltops Community Hub TEI Services

Strengthening Families in the HILLTOPS

- Support
- Information
- Advocacy & Advice
- Family Work & Parenting

(02) 6382 6328

The Family Support Service has
operated for over 25 years assisting
families to:

- Improve wellbeing
- Strengthen family connections
- Enhance independence
- Be self-sufficient
- Increase safety
- Parent positively, and
- Improve quality of life for children, young people and families



Families use the service to work on:

- Family Relationships
- Children's Behaviour
- Isolation
- Housing
- Parenting
- Basic Financial Management
- Family & Child Safety

and to:

- problem solve
- get advice and
- talk things through



Who can use the Family Support Service?

Children & Young People 0-18yrs
and
Parents of children 0-18yrs

You must live in the Hilltops Local
Government Area.

So... HOW DOES IT WORK?

Family Support Workers provide
support to individuals & families
through:

- home or office visits
- via telephone and
- out in the community e.g. park/café.

Anyone can request an appointment by
phoning or dropping in.

After answering a few simple questions
you will be linked to a Family Worker
who will assist in talking through your
unique situation.

Our service is

**FREE &
CONFIDENTIAL**

**'The Family Support Service
helps families create strategies
to cope with the challenges of
family life'**



Do you have a pensioner concession card? You could be eligible for Saver Plus.

For every dollar you save, you'll get a dollar from ANZ to spend on educational costs, up to \$500.

To join, you need to meet all of these requirements:

- ✓ Be 18 years or older
- ✓ Have a current Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card
- ✓ Have a child in school, starting school next year, or be studying yourself
- ✓ Get a regular income (can be you or your partner)
- ✓ Agree to join in free online financial education workshops



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Do you have a health care card? You could be eligible for Saver Plus.

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HILLTOPS COUNCIL LIBRARY

BOOK WEEK COMPETITION

BOOK
an
ADVENTURE

Enter your creative work inspired by this year's Book Week theme, on one A4-sized sheet

Entry is open to all Hilltops residents aged 13 and under
One entry per child

SUBMIT BY AUG 30TH

at the library or email to
librarypromotions@hilltops.nsw.gov.au

Entry forms & T&Cs at hilltops.spydus.com

FANTASTIC PRIZES AWAIT

LET THE ADVENTURE BEGIN!

*Terms & Conditions apply

Children's Book Week
16–23 August 2025

*BOOK AN
Adventure*





Where mental wellbeing thrives

Save The Date

Rock for Recovery

Date
26th Oct 2025

Time
10am - 3pm

Location
Carrington Park



**Battle of The Bands,
Performances &
Guest Speakers
to bring awareness to
Mental Health Month**

☎ To enter a musician/band, please contact Jess 0408 857 484
☎ To hold a community information stall, please contact Donna 0427 169 333

With help of The Hilltops community Hub and M&M's Music Store