Congratulations to Denelle Burgess for her willingness to be a part of the Principal for a Day program. This program runs across Australia and this is the third year of Hillston's participation. It provides a student with an opportunity to see the range of tasks that flow through the principal’s office and also allows time for the principal to reflect and refocus on the key issues that arise within a school. Thank you to Mrs Bartholomew for her organisation of this day and for her continued support of student leadership within the school. Later this term she will be accompanying our school captains as they travel to Sydney to meet with the Governor of NSW.

Three of our students have reached State level at the cross country event. Well done to Tatum Meyer, Charlotte Bartholomew and Todd Rhodes. At regional level Kaleb Dalton and Timon Meyer were also excellent representatives and competitors for the school.

Two staff changes will occur in the next couple of weeks. Miss Fiona Morrison will be commencing duty on Monday of next week replacing Mrs Collins as learning and Support Teacher (LAST). Miss Kelly Jefferis will be commencing as class teacher for year 3/4 class at the beginning of term 3. Mrs Barnett is returning to her family in Eire.

Last week I was in Sydney attending the State conference of the Secondary Principals’ Council. The key note speakers focussed on the importance of creative thinking and problem solving as skills that the next generation of students should develop. Changes in the Australian workforce are making education a much more important factor in long term employment and wage levels. The Minister, Adrian Piccoli also addressed the conference. He spoke frankly about the challenges facing teachers and schools but also reaffirmed his and the government’s commitment to securing the additional funding from the federal government.

Students who have received N warning letters should act on these immediately. Ignoring the letter will have long term consequences for their educational progress.

Steve Chapman
Principal

Hillston Central School students and teachers do us proud as volunteers for the Red Shield Appeal

Respect  Responsibility  Caring
Primary News

Student of the week

Home Reading Awards

Silver Awards

Sportsmanship Awards

Accelerated Reader
Year 5/6 attended a virtual excursion last week. We learnt about how to design and conduct experiments as well as how to correctly write up a science experiment.

Year 5/6 also learnt about different science equipment not normally available at school and watched Ben the presenter demonstrate some really cool science concepts.

We conducted some cool experiments to investigate how we can use renewable energies.
Last Friday night, almost 40 students and two staff members slept in our school library to raise awareness for homelessness in Australia. This is an issue that our SRC saw as important, particularly as a large portion of the homeless are under 25. The students arrived with great excitement and began rolling their swags to get the best position in the library. Once the bedding was sorted the students enjoyed a variety of soups and bread prepared by Mrs Auld and the Hospitality students. In an attempt to ‘wear the students out’ we then played some night games in the centre of the school playground.

By 8pm students were back in the library and (despite imitating homelessness) the snacks, movies and IPods came out. At 9pm the K-2 students were picked up and there were lots of tired eyes.

As you would expect, the students were ready to start Saturday morning nice and early. All students watched a short clip on homelessness and we had a discussion on how we can continue to raise awareness. Everyone worked cooperatively to pack up their gear, roll swags and put the library back as we found it. I believe that Mrs Barnett's favourite parts of the night was getting to help everyone put sleeping bags back into their covers. Once again, thank you to everyone that supported this great school event. It is fantastic to see the students come up with new ideas and work together to make it happen.
PUBLIC SPEAKING
Last Tuesday 4 students from 5/6 headed to Wagga to participate in Public Speaking workshops. The theme for the day was *together we stand on sacred ground*. Students learnt the importance of capturing an audience with interesting information, voice and body language. All four students have returned to school full of knowledge and keen to share it with the rest of our class. The students will be returning to Wagga in the last week of school to participate in a Public Speaking competition.

NAIDOC DAY 2015–
THURSDAY JULY 30
Community members are invited to contribute ideas for the day. Please contact Mrs Murphy if you would like to be involved.

SECONDARY SILVER AWARD RECIPIENTS

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Remember that if you are on Level 2 or above you are ineligible to participate.
THREE HILLSTON CENTRAL SCHOOL STUDENTS QUALIFY FOR STATE CROSS COUNTRY EVENT!

On Friday last week 5 Hillston Central School students travelled to Gundagai to participate in the Riverina Regional Cross Country event. The race took place along the river flats of the Murrumbidgee River, amongst cows, cow pads and rolling hills. Hillston kicked off the day with Todd Rhodes competing in the 18+ years 6000m, Todd performed well in a good race which saw him up with the lead runners throughout the race. Todd placed 6th overall which qualified him for the CHS State carnival in Sydney, this will be Todd’s first time at state in cross country running since he has been in secondary school.

The second competitor to run from Hillston in the 15 years 4000m event was Kaleb Dalton. Kaleb was in a very competitive age group with very little distance between the 45 runners, he performed well to place 25th overall, well done Kaleb.

In the 15 years girls event Timon Meyer performed a personal best time over her 4000m run which placed her in 9th position after some encouragement from the Hillston cheer squad. In the 14 years girls event Hillston was once again successful with our second student Tatum Meyer qualifying for state after placing 6th in her event.

In the final event of the day Charlotte Bartholomew competed in the 12 year girl’s 3000m event. Charlotte took the lead up early and held on throughout the race bringing home an exciting first place for Hillston. This is the first time that Hillston has ever won at the Regional Cross Country and the first time that we have ever had three students qualify for State Cross Country.

Congratulations to all of the students who put in an amazing effort to come away with some fantastic results - we are all very proud of you! Todd, Tatum and Charlotte will now travel to Sydney on the 17th of July to take on the rest of the state at Eastern Creek!

KROP—Kids Wrapped on There Performing

Parent meeting
Date: This Wednesday 17/6/15
Place: HCS Library
Time: 3.30pm
We will be organising transport, costumes etc. Hope to see you there
Miss Cullen
KROP—Organising Teacher
SECONDARY SCIENCE NEWS

Mia in front of our new interactive television in Lab 1. This is an exciting resource and will be well utilised in Science lessons.

HSC BIOLOGY
HSC Biology have been learning all about health and disease in their topic ‘Search for Better Health’. As part of their course work, Mia and Jordan were required to investigate the micro-organisms found in air, food and Water. Below is a picture of Mia conducting the investigation, as well as the agar plates that were used to grow the bacteria colonies.

YEAR 9 SCIENCE
Year 9 Science have been working on an assignment ‘What is the Response?’. Students have been working with a partner to plan and conduct an investigation into the response of a plant to a chosen stimuli. Some class time has already been given to the students to work on their investigation, however they will also need to spend some time outside the classroom writing up their report. The completed assignment is due on Wednesday the 24th of June.

N DETERMINATIONS AND N WARNING LETTERS
Some students in years 9-12 are apparently unaware of the importance of N warning letters. Briefly, a warning letter is sent home to a student when assessable course work or assessment tasks have not been completed. The requirements recorded in each letter must be completed in order for the letter to be resolved. If two letters are not resolved then the student is likely to receive an N determination in that course. This means the course grade is recorded as an N (or NO grade). Students must also complete more than 50% of available assessment marks or they will automatically receive an N determination.

This information is printed in the assessment booklets that each student in years 9-12 receives at the beginning of the school year. These letters are required by BoSTES, the body that oversees the HSC and the Record of School Achievement (ROSA) for years 9-11.
All students are invited to submit an artwork to display on Creative Arts Day. The school community will able to view artworks and submit a vote for the Popular Choice on the day to the best portrait, preferentially of some man or woman known to Hillston, created by any student at Hillston Central School, in any media.

FUNDRAISER FOR SYDNEY EXCURSION
Many families have sold all their chocolates already! If you would like to order more please collect an order form from the office when you deposit your money. Orders will be done on Wednesday. No late orders will be accepted. Contact Ms Coffa

SYDNEY EXCURSION
Two seats left!!! We need to fill these seats. If you are interested in coming please let me know ASAP before I offer the seats to another school. Mrs Murphy

ST JOSEPH’S ATHLETICS CARNIVAL FRIDAY
St Joseph’s school will be using our school oval all day on Friday. HCS students will not be permitted in that area all day. Students who wish to visit their siblings at lunchtime will only be permitted if they bring a note from parents or are collected from the office area.
Creative Arts Day Café
Tuesday 23rd June 2015

Baked Potatoes (bolognese, sour cream and cheese) $5
Pumpkin Soup $3
Soft Drink $2

Pre-order your lunch for Creative Arts Day! Fill in the slip below and your lunch will be ready for you on the day. Please hand in note below and money for your lunch to the Office by Monday 22nd of June. There will be limited food available on the day.

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FOOTBALL GALA DAYS
2015

Sunday 21st June - West Wyalong
Sunday 26th July - Temora
Sunday 9th August – Ariah Park

A Gala day is for kids aged 5-7 & 8-10 years. The kids will play 3 games of 2 x 10 minute halves over the course of the day. These days are a great chance for the kids to improve their skills and understanding of the game. These days are definitely worth attending.

Teams are U7s and U10’s and we need 8 players per team.

A bus is organised for the West Wyalong day so first in best dressed.

Please contact Tash Mahy 0427672293 if your child will be attending.

What’s App?
A Tour through Digital Literacy

This workshop will focus on the development of digital literacy for those 35-60 years (approx.)

Content would include -
1. What is Facebook and what are its benefits particularly in NFP use?
2. Other social media applications e.g. snap chat, twitter etc.
3. Use of technologies for teleconferencing e.g. Skype, zoom, Google hangouts, Viber
4. Security and privacy implications of social media

Date - 18th June, 2015. Teacher – Sue Reynolds from WRCC

Age group – 35-60ish
Class size limit - 10 people
RSVP – prior to 11am, 17th June, 2015 at the library
Times - 9.30am - 3.30 pm
Arrival 9.20 am – Start morning session 9.30 – 12.30 /
Lunch 12.30-1pm
Afternoon session – 1 - 3.30 pm
Bring to the workshop – Your own laptop or ipad.
Contact Sue Chapman 69671727 for details.

GWS Giants
Vs
Geelong Cats
Sat 25th July 2015 11.30 am

FREE TICKETS FOR KIDS

20% Discounted Tickets for Families.

Kids will also take part in a lap of honour before the game.

Star Trek Oval Canberra

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Natalie Shepherd
Know your core values and silence the negative thoughts to create a better life

Carrathool Shire Council Hillston District Office
Sunday 21st June from 10am to 4pm
This is a FREE and fun day!
For more information and to RSVP please contact
Linda McLean 0416 235 759 lmclean@rfcsnsw-ar.com.au or
Ros Ruskin Rowe 0403 899 846 rruskinrowe@hwns.com.au

Sandra Martin
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- The right colours ensure you look vital, healthy, bright and energetic
- Feel more confident and empowered for all aspects of our life
- Save time and money when you shop

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House with No Steps

WINTER HOLIDAY CAMPS
THE BEST HOLIDAYS HAPPEN AT CAMP

- New friendships
- Fun
- Great value
- Safe

Our popular Winter Kids’ and Family Holiday Camps are back this year. Find out what’s on including our popular ski / snowboard camps at Jindabyne.

Led by qualified instructors, you can rest easy knowing your kids are in safe hands. Our Kids’ Camps are suitable for kids aged 7 to 16 years and range from 1 to 7 days.

Residential Kids’ Camps include:
- 24 hour supervision
- Instructor led activities
- Accommodation
- Meals
- Supervised transport

*Snow Sports camps are suitable for kids aged 7 to 16 years.

Family Camps include:
- Instructor led activities
- Meals
- Accommodation
- Lift and lesson tickets and transport to Portarlington (for Jindabyne camps only)**

**Kids as young as 6 years can participate in group lessons as part of a Family Camp.

OFFICE OF SPORT
NSW Government

AFL Holiday Camp
GRANTHAM

Wednesday July 1st 2015
9:30am – 3:00pm
West End Stadium & Sporting Fields
Grantham Crystalchurch

$50 includes:
- Morning Tea, Lunch & Afternoon Tea
- A whole day of fun activities
- AFL Fact & Football Quiz
- AFL Skills and Games

All activities delivered by AFL Development Staff

TO REGISTER CONTACT AFL GRANTHAM
Che Jenkins
che.jenkins@alpineact.com.au

Group bookings of 5 or more on $60 each

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# Canteen Menu 2015

Orders to be placed by 9.00am.
Bags are available at the counter.

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