Dear Parents and Carers,

**FUN AND GAMES AT HILLVUE**
On Monday we commenced our new playground duty roster and organisation. Our playground is now a K-6 playground. All students will be able to play during break times in the areas listed below. This will provide all students with a variety of activities to keep them engaged during break times.

**BASKETBALL COURT**
The basketball court will be open for all students during first break. No food of any kind is permitted on the basketball court.

**HALL / ALTERNATE PLAY**
The hall will be opened both breaks and will also act as the withdrawal area. An Assistant Principal will always be present when students are on withdrawal. Games have been purchased to provide students with alternate activities in the hall. The hall is a quiet area. No running or ball games of any kind will be permitted in the hall.

**BACK PLAYGROUND**
The back playground area remains unchanged. No food of any kind is permitted on the oval. No grabbing, tackling or holding games of any kind are permitted on the oval at any time.

**PRIMARY SHELTER**
The primary shelter duty remains the same. Students sit to eat food they have purchased at the canteen on the picnic tables provided. Handballs are the only balls permitted in this area. No basketball, footballs are permitted at any time in this area.

**LIBRARY**
Library will be open as usual for students who wish to visit.

**COMPUTER ROOM**
Computer room will be open on Wednesday and Thursday as advertised for E Learning

**EATING IN CLASS**
Eating prior to each break will take place in class. Students bring their bags into the classroom, eat their food and then leave all bags in the classroom. No bags will be outside rooms during breaks. Students will not be permitted to go back to rooms to get anything they have left behind unless they are directly accompanied by the classroom teacher. This will reduce theft and maintain consistency across the school. Each class will be provided with a bin for food scraps and rubbish. The bin will be emptied daily. We hope that eating in class will provide opportunities to ensure children are eating their lunch and promote healthy eating.

At the conclusion of each break the infants students will line up in the squares outside the hall. They will then be escorted to class by teachers. When it becomes hotter we will line them up under the cola at the back of the hall. Primary students will line up as usual. Apart from classroom eating time the primary shelter is the only area in the school where eating will take place.

We have made some minor changes to bell times. I
have attached a copy of all bell times for you. The canteen is only open during first break.

8.45 am – Formal student supervision commences
9.03am – Warning bell to move to assembly
9.05am - Settled for assembly
11.10am – Reminder bell for eating in classrooms
11.20am – Students dismissed for first break
11.35am – Duty change for teachers
11.48am – Warning bell for students to move to assembly
11.50am – Settled for assembly
1.20pm – Reminder bell for eating in classrooms
1.30pm – Students dismissed for second break
1.45pm – Duty change for teachers
1.53pm – Warning bell to move to assembly
1.55pm – Settled for assembly
3.00pm – Bell for completion of lessons

The hall was a hive of activity during both breaks on Monday.

Have a great week!

Mr Chris Shaw
Executive Principal

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**DIARY DATES**

**Week 5**
Wed 14th Railway Safety talks K-2:
2pm in Hall
Thurs 15th Jump Rope for Heart talk
K-6 9:10am

**Week 6**
Mon 19th Zone Athletics (TRAC)
Fri 23rd Touch KO vs TSPS 1:45pm

**Week 7**
Tues 27th Stage 3 Health Talks—Hall

**Week 8—BOOK WEEK**
Tues 3rd Book Week Parade
KL has fun doing L3 in our classroom!!
CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL STUDENTS RECEIVING AWARDS THIS WEEK

Social Skills Awards

Student of the Week Awards

Principal's Awards

Star Awards

Merit Awards
HAPPY BIRTHDAY
Nicholas C 16/08
Connor C 18/08
Taura J 14/08
Talia B 16/08
Tino V 15/08
Samual P 12/08
Rochelle W 15/08

CANTEEN NEWS
Now available in our canteen!
Chilli Chicken wraps $4.00
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Wednesdays - Lasagne $3.50
Fridays - Hamburgers
Cheese, meat and sauce $3.50
Cheese, meat and salad $5.00
Burger with the works $6.50
(meat, cheese, egg, bacon and salad)

BOOK WEEK
Theme: Read Across the UNIVERSE
Book Week parade will be held on Tuesday 3rd September in Week 8.
Please come dressed as a character from your favourite book.

Reminder:
Please ensure all library books are returned each week.

WESTDALE PUBLIC SCHOOL
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Men's Health Expo
Saturday, August 31, 10 am to 4 pm
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The proposed Expo will involve as many organizations in Tamworth that wish to be included. Each organization will have their own stall. Your group is invited. Experts in various fields of men's health, including prostate cancer will be visiting from Sydney and/or Newcastle to give talks during the Expo. For more information on the event and stall enquiries contact: Ray - Convenor
Ph: 6765 2287 or
Email: raydart@bigpond.net.au
GIRLS TOUCH KNOCKOUT
The Hillvue PS Girls Touch Team is scheduled to play Tamworth South Public School in Round 3 of the Knockout competition. This game will be held on Friday 23rd August 2013. The game is to be played at Gipps St Fields beginning at 1.45pm. Permission notes and final details will be distributed shortly.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT RUGBY LEAGUE COMP
Games for Wednesday 14th August 2013 are as follows:

There are two finals scheduled to be played. Both games will be held on Field 1 only.
Unfortunately Hillvue Under 10’s were unlucky to miss out on a finals position and they do not have a game this week. They should be proud of their efforts this season.

In the Opens at 5pm there will be a 2nd v 3rd game between Hillvue PS and St Edwards Blue to decide the 2nd placegetter.
There will be a presentation immediately afterwards. Full wrap up of the season will appear in next week’s Edvue.

Please note the following:
1. All parents and spectators must remain outside the fenced area at all times during the games.
2. There will be a designated bench area for each team on either side of the official’s tent, inside the fence. All players are to be seated here unless playing on the field. All coaches must stay in this area and away from the side lines.
3. Opens teams must warm up on Field 2 prior to their game, not field 1 whilst the Under 10s is on.
4. Qualified referees and touch judges will be officiating the games.
5. Only one Leaguesafe qualified person, per team, may enter the field during play. If your team does not have a Leaguesafe accredited person, one ADULT ONLY will be permitted to run water for the team.
6. NRL will supply a First Aid Officer for both games.

Thank you for your anticipated cooperation with the above guidelines.

NORTH WEST REPRESENTATIVES
Good luck to Sharika Nean-Bell who will be part of the North West Girls Touch Team. The Girls Touch State Carnival is scheduled for the 13th to 15th August 2013 in Tamworth. We wish Sharika all the best for the tournament! A full report in next week’s Edvue.

PRIMARY SCHOOL MONDAY TOUCH COMP
The Primary School 2013 Touch Competition for Term 3 & 4 will commence on Monday 19th of August 2013.
The competition consists of three divisions:
Little Nippers (K-2)
Junior Girls & Junior Boys (Yr 3 & 4)
Senior Girls & Senior Boys (Yr 5 & 6)
Cost per player is $35
All teams must have a parent who is willing to coach / organise the team. At this stage there are only enough players for a Little Nippers (K-2) team to be nominated. Players cannot be nominated until all fees are paid.Registrations close Thursday 15th August 2013. No further nominations will be taken after this date. Any students that are keen to play must return any outstanding notes and money to Mrs Kenniff no later than Thursday.
Students will be notified as to what team they have been placed in prior to Monday 19th August 2013.

ZONE ATHLETICS CARNIVAL
The Tamworth Zone PSSA Athletics Carnival is scheduled to be held at the TRAC on Monday 19th August 2013. Competitors have been notified of events and given details of the day. All notes and money are to be returned to Mrs Kenniff by Thursday 15th August 2013. Transport to and from the carnival is the responsibility of parents / carers. The carnival will commence promptly at 8am. The following students have qualified for the Zone carnival:

Raiiyah Berry
Jayme Langenbaker
Fred Brown
Alice Jerome
Shontae Nicholls
Jayden Girard
Tristan Roberts
Karen McGrady
Shontaiia Berry
Hayley McTavish
Tenissa Kennedy

All students have been given the Official Program of the day. Please check when your child is competing. Students may return to school once their event is completed.
Please see Mrs Kenniff if you have any further concerns or questions in regard to the day.
Kevin Bartlett Cycles

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