

Hargraves Public School

Students of the week—Everyone for exceptional behaviour on the excursion

23rd November 2018



Student of the Week — Ava Benson

For an enthusiastic attitude towards all activities



Student of the Week- Katalia Dennis

For an outstanding effort in school and during cricket in Mudgee



Student of the Week -- Serenity Tippett

Sydney Excursion

The children had a wonderful time on their Sydney excursion.

First stop was Mount Tomah Botanic Garden. Next day was a visit to Taronga Zoo, a ferry trip across the harbour then on to a Harbour Bridge Pylon tour. Thursday the Infants attended a pirate school at the National Maritime Museum while the primary sailed to Goat Island to experience convict life. In the afternoon the whole school took part in a Rocks Walking tour.

On the last morning the children took an underwater journey at Sydney Sea Life Aquarium.

Want to see more photos of our fabulous time? Check them out on Facebook



Above: "Ahoy me hearties!" Learning all the essentials to becoming a great pirate



Above: A convict's life is not a happy one

Debating Grand Final

This week saw the grand final of the Small Schools Debating Competition.

It was a great achievement for our school to make it to the grand final.

Our team was up against Trunkey Creek Public School arguing against the topic "Money can buy happiness" Although our team was narrowly defeated, their presentation skills, arguments and rebuttals were first class.

The series of debates have been conducted through our video conferencing facilities.



Above: Ava, Abbey, Ella and Shikaiya gave it their all for a great debate

Small Schools Art Camp

Ella and Kristie had a wonderful time at the Small Schools Art Camp at Hill End. They experimented with a variety of art forms, visited local artists' studios, including that of Archibald finalist Rosemary Valadon and enjoyed socialising with students from other schools.



T20 Cricket

Students in Years 2-6 took part in the Woolworths Cricket Blast in Mudgee.

Thank you to Matt Tabbernor from Cricket NSW for organising the day and for or fabulous new cricket gear.





TERM 4—2018 CALENDAR

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
7	26	27	28 Yr 6 Orientation Day at Mudgee HS	29	30
8	3 December	4	5 Last visit by Mudgee library van for year	6	7
9	10 Swimming lessons	11 Swimming lessons	12 Swimming lessons Playgroup Christmas party	13 Swimming lessons	14 Swimming lessons
10	17 Life Skills Auction Presentation evening at the Hall	18 School picnic	19	20	21