Students picked as ambassadors for centenary

THE Anzac spirit is burning bright in a group of Year 11 students who have just been named Hills Centenary of Anzac Ambassadors.

Heather Anderson from Marian College, Stephen Hancock from Hills Grammar, Austin Rosier from Kellyville High and Hannah Kohler from Northholm Grammar will represent all students at Centenary of Anzac events throughout the Hills.

The events include the Family Day and launch with NSW Governor David Hurley at Bella Vista Farm on April 18, the Sunday Anzac Service on April 19 and the Dawn Service on April 25.

The four winners are also organising a Civic Lunch at Bidlanos at Dural.

All high schools in the Hills were invited to nominate a student.

Co-ordinator Byran Mulian said: “Our interview panel was extremely impressed with all the candidates ... the four successful candidates impressed the panel with their compassion, their commitment to community activities and their passion for remembering our Anzacs.”

Deputy Mayor Michelle Byrne said: “The Year 11 Anzac ambassadors are highly-talented individuals ... and are a credit to their schools, family and friends.”

Stephen the great-grandfather served on the Western Front, said: “We need to maintain the authenticity and stay true to values of the Anzacs.”

Hannah Kohler said the Centenary of Anzac events were a great opportunity for people to get involved.