



"Flourish to the end"

# Hay Happenings

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Term 1, Week 7  
7th March 2012



Monte is our champion

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- Pupil & Stars of the Week*
- ☆☆ KS Isabella Fayle
  - ☆☆ 1K Carrie-Ann Murray
  - ☆☆ 1CR Darci Masters
  - ☆☆ 2K Lauren Bate
  - ☆☆ 3B Maddison Deacon
  - ☆☆ 3/4M Katie Arandt
  - ☆☆ 4/5SC Emily Headon
  - ☆☆ 5/6M Michael Dunn
  - ☆☆ 6P James Kay
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### Principal's Report

#### Deniliquin District Carnival

Congratulations to Deniliquin South Public School who were declared Deniliquin District swimming champions for 2012. Hay PS came in a respectable second and produced one champion on the day. Pictured this week is Monte Barnes who was awarded the 11 years Boy Champion. Due to the devastating floods that have hit the Riverina region this week, the regional carnival has been postponed and will not be held on Friday. A very big thank you must go to Mrs Robyn Pearson who organises the district carnival every year. Mrs Pearson works tirelessly to ensure this carnival's success and her efforts do not go unnoticed. She was ably assisted by teachers Mr Clem Ayres, Miss Kate Burke and Mrs Philippa McFarland. Well done to a great team.

#### P&C Meeting

Our next meeting of the P&C will be the Annual General Meeting (AGM) and new members are always welcome. If you are interested in working together with the school for

the good of our students' education and to positively promote the school in the local community, you are urged to come along to the AGM. This will be held on Thursday, 8<sup>th</sup> March commencing at 2:00pm in the Ready Set Kinder room.

Members of our P&C participate in many ways to support our school; on school committees, merit selection panels, policy development and reviews, school promotion, uniform pool and fundraising. Our P&C members dedicate countless volunteer hours to participate in a partnership that sees Hay Public School and the community working side by side. Their contributions are many and are greatly valued. The fete is the P&C's next major fundraiser, due to be held on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> March.

#### PSP Survey Week

Thank you to the many families who have returned their PSP surveys to school this week. If you haven't returned your survey, you may be receiving a follow up phone call giving a gentle reminder and an offer of assistance from our front office. The

## K-6 Assembly

Friday 9th March

School Hall

2.15pm\*\*\*

1K presenting an item

All welcome

\*\*\* New time

school needs to have an 85% return rate before it can even be considered to be eligible for extra funding. All surveys are completely confidential with no names attached to the envelope that is posted away, so please return your surveys by Friday. Family names will be placed in a grocery voucher draw for a chance to win \$200 at Harrisons IGA. This will be drawn at assembly on Friday.

Have a good week!

**Carol Oataway**

Principal



**Pupil and Stars of the Week**

**Stage 3 News**

**Year 6 Fundraiser - Easter Egg Raffle**

Thank you to all students and families for returning their raffle tickets and bringing in Easter Eggs for our raffle. We urgently need more goodies for our Easter baskets and ask that all families please donate an Easter item. These could be Easter eggs, cards, chocolate, lollies, stuffed toys etc. We are very grateful to all families who donate items. Remember the Easter Raffle will be drawn at our annual Easter Hat Parade on the 4<sup>th</sup> April.



**Parliament News**

Parliament has held their second meeting this term and all parliamentarians are working hard to maintain their portfolios. It is very pleasing to see these young girls and boys working together to help others and assist in running various programs in the school. We have had very favourable reports about the students who assist in running the Breakfast Club each morning and those who help out in the canteen and library. Our communication ministers are also doing a wonderful job in updating our Hay Public School scrapbook. All parliamentarians also give up their time to help set up the hall for assemblies every Friday.

Congratulations on a great start to the year and for setting a positive example for all students.

**Mrs Suzanne Murphy**

**Assistant Principal Stage 2 & 3**



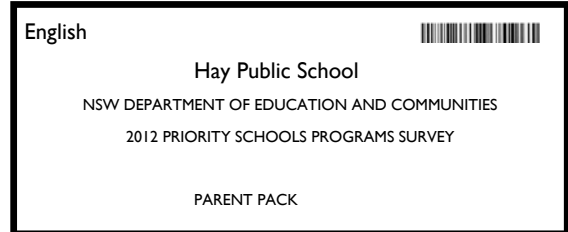
**Garden lessons have begun and kids are enjoying the outdoors**

**2012 PRIORITY SCHOOL PROGRAMS SURVEY**

**WIN FOR OUR SCHOOL \$50,000 per year for four years**

Hay Public School is participating in the 2012 Priority School Program Survey to receive \$50,000 a year for four years for our school.

**HAVE YOUR RETURNED YOUR ENVELOPE ?**



**Every sealed returned envelope will be entered into a draw to win a \$200 IGA Supermarket Voucher –**



**Drawn at assembly this Friday**

**ENVELOPES WERE DISTRIBUTED MONDAY 5TH MARCH-PLEASE RETURN ASAP**

**Sports News**

**District Swimming Carnival**

Thanks to everyone who assisted at the District Swimming Carnival yesterday.

Congratulations to Monte Barnes who was named 11 Year Boy Champion, after some exceptional swimming.

Emily Gibson, Grace Nisbet, Chloe-Jane Simpson, Hugh Crighton, Jack Loveridge, Will Barnes and Monte Barnes qualified for the Riverina Carnival to be held in Albury, on a date to be determined.

MORE DETAILS IN NEXT WEEK'S HAY HAPPENINGS.

**District Soccer Trials**

James Kay, Jack Loveridge, Will Barnes, Laura Booth, Lily Tassell, Sam Hutchison and Shaleen Cox have been selected to participate in the District Soccer Trials tomorrow. GOOD LUCK.

**Girls' Netball**

Mrs Christensen has been conducting trials for selection in our girls' netball team. Our team will travel to Deniliquin on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> March, aiming for selection in the Deniliquin District team.

The team is:- Chloe-Jane Simpson, Lily Tassell, Laura Booth, Lauren Mijok, Maggie Biggs, Grace Nisbet and Ellie Hicks.

### Stage 3 Sport

Stage 3 Sport on Thursday afternoon at 2.00pm will focus on cricket and tennis. Children not in the boys' cricket team and wishing to try out for the tennis team need to bring their racquet and a water bottle on Thursday.

### 2 HayFM

Thanks to Keiran Pingiaro and Jock Crighton for their excellent presentations on 2 Hay FM last Friday. Sport 'Stars of the Week' were Monte Barnes and Jack Gibson for swimming.

**Robyn Pearson- Sports Coordinator**



HPS District Carnival Relay team

### Coming Events / Sporting Dates

- |             |   |
|-------------|---|
| 8th Mar     | P&C AGM 2pm RSK Room                                |
|             | Soccer Trials-Deni                                  |
| 13th Mar    | Girls' Netball-Deni                                 |
|             | Boy's Rugby League-Leeton                           |
| 15th Mar    | AFL Trials-Deni                                     |
| 20th Mar    | Riverina Girls' Cricket Trials-Holbrook             |
| 30th Mar    | Hay Public School Fete                              |
| 4th Apr     | Fete Meeting 12pm                                   |
| 4th/5th Apr | State Swimming-Homebush                             |
| 2nd May     | Performance-Monster in my Wardrobe \$4.00 per child |
| 20th June   | Performance S.T.A.M.P. out Bullying \$4.00          |

**ALL SPORTING EVENTS SUBJECT TO CHANGE DUE TO WIDESPREAD FLOODING**



**Hay Gym Club**  
Old Hay Motors building  
Juniors/Seniors 3.45pm  
Tweenies 4.45pm  
\$10 session  
\$50 registration fee



Enquiries to Jackie Hargreaves on 026993 4937

### Hay Public School

### 'Worker of the Week'



**Judy Callaghan.**

Judy is our hardworking School Administration Manager whose job is to support the principal and staff in the day to day running of the school.

Thank you Judy for your 'over and above' attitude and for being a wonderful role model for our school.



### HPS Breakfast Program



**MONDAY TO FRIDAY 8.30AM TO 9AM  
IN THE STEPHANIE ALEXANDER KITCHEN**

### **FREE TO ALL STUDENTS**

*Donation of items for use in our breakfast program are most welcome.*

*Fruit, milk, bread, juice, Vegemite, butter or margarine etc*



### Hay Public School P & C News

The P&C will be meeting every Thursday at 12pm until the fete.

Next fete meeting is on Thursday 8th March in the Ready Set Kinder room

All welcome and ideas or helpers are greatly appreciated.

**P & C AGM** meeting is on Thursday 8th March at 2pm in the Ready Set Kinder room.



**FREE SCHOOL DENTAL CLINIC  
FORTNIGHTLY AT COMMUNITY  
HEALTH**

PH: 1800 450 046 for an appointment



For all school information visit:-  
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Add it to your favourites today!

**FOR MORE PHOTOS OF SCHOOL EVENTS  
PLEASE CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE**

**HAY PUBLIC SCHOOL**



**Absence Note**

Please complete and return this note to the class teacher.

.....(student's name)

of class .....was absent from school from

\_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ to \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_.

The reason for this absence was:

- Illness       Medical/Dental Appointment  
 Injury       Other

Additional comment: (if required)

Signature of parent/guardian: .....

Date: .....

**Please return to school as soon as possible after absence.**

**HAY PUBLIC SCHOOL P&C CANTEEN**

**Special Lunch  
Friday 9th March**

**Dinosaurs  
Sea Salt Chips  
Fairy Friend  
\$4.00**



**LATE ORDERS MUST BE TAKEN TO THE  
KITCHEN GARDEN AS THIS IS WHERE  
JULIEANNE IS LOCATED AFTER 9.15AM**

**Julianne Mobile No: 0400 102929**

**HAY PUBLIC SCHOOL**

**2012 PAYMENTS COUPON**



**General Contribution Fee      \$25.00**

**Subject Fee      \$20.00**

*per child annually*

**Term 2 Performances (final for year)**

**2nd May**

**Monster in my wardrobe      \$4.00**

**20th June**

**S.T.A.M.P. out Bullying      \$4.00**

**ALL STUDENTS WERE INVOICED FOR  
PERFORMANCES AND STAGE ONE EXCURSION LAST  
WEEK.**

**Name: \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**Name: \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**Name: \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**Total Payment      \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**Direct Credit Payment are accepted**

**Reference: Student's name please**

**PLEASE NOTE CORRECT BANKING DETAILS!**

**BSB      032-001**

**ACC NO      141581**

**ACC NAME      Hay Public School**

**University of NSW International Competitions**

Please complete the entry form and return it to the yellow box in the front office by Friday 16th March.

**NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED**

**Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_**

**Class: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Please tick**

- Computer Skills      \$7.00  
 Science      \$7.00  
 Spelling      \$10.00  
 Writing      \$15.00  
 English      \$7.00  
 Mathematics      \$7.00

**TOTAL PAYMENT ENCLOSED**

**\$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**Direct Credit payments accepted.**