



"Flourish to the end"

Hay Happenings

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Term I, Week 11
4th April 2012



Amber Lawrence and Paul Costa performing at HPS

Principal's Report

Welcome to our last newsletter for Term I 2012. It has been a very busy and productive term for our students with a little interruption caused by the floods. Time seems to have flown by at a rapid rate and I am sure our students will enjoy their two week break to recharge their batteries.

Amber Lawrence

On Monday the students were thrilled to be treated to a free concert hosted by Amber Lawrence. Amber is an up and coming Country Music singer with five Golden Guitar nominations, six number one songs and regular appearances on morning TV shows. The students were excited to be part of the interactive performance and were appreciative of Amber donating her time to our school.

Easter Hat Parade

Congratulations to Stage 1 students and teachers who

entertained the crowd beautifully today wearing their decorative Easter Hats. The Easter Hat Parade has long been a tradition of Hay Public School and it never misses to be a crowd pleaser. Well done to all involved.

Principal's Lunch

Tomorrow I will be taking some outstanding students to lunch to celebrate their exemplary behaviour throughout the term. Well done to Isabella Fayle, Bailey Caughey, Danny Ewing, Finn Cullenward, Darci Masters, Jack Headon, Lily Masters, Lachlan Reid, Olivia Reid, Michael Dunn, Emerson Griffiths, Kevin Cai, Charlee Masters, Sam Curtis, Annabel Sasalu, Luke Ruberto, Hannah Duncan and Scout Wall who were all nominated by their class teachers for constantly following the school rules.

ANZAC Day

ANZAC Day falls on the first Wednesday back after the school holidays and all students are

Pupil & Stars of the Week

- ★ **KS** Bailey Caughey
- ★ **IK** Ayesha Headon
- ★ **ICR** Luke Nevinson
- ★ **2K** Tom Christensen
- ★ **3B** Caleb Burke
- ★ **3/4M** Danyal Cox
- ★ **4/5SC** Harley Harris
- ★ **5/6M** Charlie Hurst
- ★ **6P** Lily Tassell

NO ASSEMBLY THIS WEEK
Have a safe and enjoyable Easter break.
Staff return 23rd April
Students return 24th April



encouraged to represent the school in the march. Students are asked to assemble outside the school carpark in Lachlan Street at 10:15am. The march starts at 10:30am. Students are asked to wear their **full summer school uniform** which includes the wearing of the correct school hat.

I wish staff and students a safe and happy Easter holiday and thank them for their hard work this term. School resumes for students on Tuesday 24th April.

Happy Easter!

Carol Oatway
Principal



Pupil and Stars of the Week

Stage 3 News

NAPLAN

Year 3 and Year 5 students will be issued with revision papers for NAPLAN practice during the holidays. Please note: It is not compulsory for students to complete these. However, due to the recent closure of the school students have had limited time for practice. NAPLAN testing will commence on

Tuesday, 8th May, Week 3.

Easter Raffle

Many thanks to all the families who generously donated eggs for our raffle. Winners of the raffle will be published in the next newsletter. The parliament raised \$814 dollars which will be used for various programs throughout the year.

ANZAC March

All Stage 2 and 3 students are strongly encouraged to participate in this year's Anzac Day March. Students are asked to wear their summer uniform. Girls – blue tunic and boys grey shorts and blue shirt.

I wish all families a safe and happy Easter.

Suzanne Murphy **Assistant Principal Stage 2/3**

Sports News

Riverina Soccer Trials

James Kay travelled to Cootamundra last Tuesday to participate in the Riverina Boys Soccer Trials as a member of the Deniliquin District team. James was selected in the 'Possibles v Probables' game. Well done, James.

Sam Hutchison, Shaleen Cox and Lily Tassell travelled to Leeton last Wednesday for the Riverina Girls' Soccer Trials. Lily made the 'Possibles v Probables' game. Well done, Lily.

Riverina AFL Trials

Jock Crighton and Ben Arandt were selected in the Western Riverina team to contest the Riverina Trials in Jerilderie on Friday 30th March. Congratulations to Jock on his selection in the Riverina team. WHAT A FANTASTIC ACHIEVEMENT. WELL DONE, JOCK.

The State Carnival will be held in Griffith from 22nd -24th May (Term 2, Week 5).

Tennis Knockout

Our tennis team (yet to be selected) will play Griffith North Public, in Griffith on Thursday 26th April (Week 1, Term 2).

Cricket Knockout

Our boys' cricket team was defeated by Edward Public School in Hay on Monday. Thanks to Mr Ayres for the time put into coaching and managing the team.

STAGE 1 EXCURSION

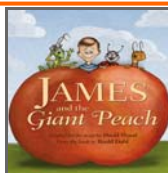
Cost \$35.00

Term 2, Week 3

Tuesday 8th May, 2012

Stage One will be travelling to Griffith to attend a performance of 'James and the Giant Peach'. They will also visit the Griffith Regional Art Gallery to see the Riverina RedGum Project exhibition.

All students have been issued with their permission and medical notes. Please return payment and notes to the front office by Friday 4th May 2012.



HAY PUBLIC SCHOOL

TERM 2 PAYMENTS COUPON

Term 2 Performances

Week 2, Wednesday 2nd May

Monster in my Wardrobe **\$4.00**

Week 9, From Thurs 21st June to Mon 25th June

Life Education Van **\$8.00**

Stage One Excursion

Week 3– Tuesday 8th May 2012.

Stage 1– James and the Giant Peach \$35.00

Name: _____ \$ _____

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Total Payment \$ _____

Payment to yellow box in front office or
Direct credit as per details on back page HH.

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HPS Cricket team.

Rugby League Trials

Kynan Headon (Elevens), Jock Crighton, Will Barnes, Ben Arandt and Scout Wall (Opens) attended the District Rugby League Trials in Leeton yesterday. Congratulations to Kynan, Jock, Ben and Will who were selected in the District team to trial for Riverina in Wagga on Friday 27th April.

Riverina Girls' Cricket

Congratulations to Lily Tassell on her selection in the Riverina Girls' Cricket team. This is Lily's second year in this team. The State Carnival will be held in Lismore in Term 4.

Cross Country

Our annual Cross Country/Fun Run will be held around the Hay Park block and No 1 Oval on Friday 4th May (Week 2, Term 2).

The run will commence at approximately 1.30pm, with the 8/9 year boys followed by the 8/9 year girls, etc. Children will assemble in the shelter at 1pm and walk to the park with their classroom teacher. Games will be organised between races. 8yr, 9yr and 10yr olds complete one lap of the park block (approx 2kms). 11,12, 13 year olds complete one lap of the park block and two laps of the oval (3kms). Sensible footwear should be worn and a water bottle carried (if desired). Parental help is needed to supervise the course. If you are able to assist, could you please contact Mrs Pearson. The first four place-getters in each age division qualify for the District Cross Country to be held on Friday 1st June in Deniliquin.

2 Hay FM

Thanks to Will Barnes and Jack Loveridge for your confident presentation of our weekly sports report on 2 Hay FM, last Friday. 'Sport Stars of the Week' were Lily Tassell and Ben Arandt for numerous sports.

Stage 3 Sport

Stage 3 sport at 2.00pm on Thursday will focus on tennis (boys) and touch (girls).

Mrs Robyn Pearson Sports Coordinator

Active After-School Program

Active After-School will be held on **Monday** and **Wednesday** afternoons starting on the **30th April**. This term the program involves both Handball and soccer activities and is focused towards children in Stages 2 & 3. The program will be run at school from **3:15pm to 4:30pm** and during this time the children will be provided with a healthy afternoon tea.

The first 20 students to return permission notes will be accepted into the program.

Just a reminder that students are required to be picked up from the school by parents or prior arrangements are to be made with me.

Please see me with enquiries about the program.

Miss Kate Burke Active After-Schools Coordinator

TUTORING FOR STUDENTS

The school has details of persons being able to offer tutoring in reading, writing, spelling and maths for primary aged children on Thursday and Friday afternoons starting in Term 2.

For enquires please call the front office and leave your name and phone number.



Students get into the groove with Amber and Paul

Coming Events / Sporting Dates

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| 6th April | Good Friday |
| Term 2 | |
| 23rd Apr | Staff return to school |
| 24th Apr | Students return to school |
| 25th Apr | ANZAC DAY HOLIDAY |
| 26th Apr | Tennis Knockout- Griffith |
| 27th Apr | Riverina Netball-Wagga |
| | Riverina Rugby League Trials |
| 2nd May | Performance-Monster in my Wardrobe \$4.00 per child |
| 4th May | HPS Cross Country |
| 11th May | Stewart House Day |
| | HPS FETE (NEW DATE) |
| 18th May | Touch Gala Day-Griffith |
| 1st June | District Cross Country-Deniliquin |
| 20th Jun | Life Education Van visits until 25th June \$8.00 per child |
| 5th Nov | Performance S.T.A.M.P. out |
| | Bullying -Performance postponed |



Hay Public School

'Worker of the Week'

Beau Dunn.

Beau Dunn is a Year 11 student who is working at Hay Public School under the School Based Traineeship program. Under the guidance of our resident IT teacher, Mr Ayres, Beau has been quietly working and restoring classroom computers.

We would like to thank Beau and the Hay War Memorial High for their participation in this program which allows students to experience a work environment.

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FORTNIGHTLY AT COMMUNITY
HEALTH**

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EVENTS
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FETE**



CHANGE OF DATE

FRIDAY 11TH MAY

SALE OF RAFFLE BOOKS WILL CONTINUE
UNTIL THIS DATE

P&C FETE MEETINGS

Fete planning meetings will continue on Thursdays
at 12pm, The next meeting will be held on 26th
April in the Ready, Set, Kinder room.

**Autumn Antics in Hay's Museums
- April School Holiday Programs 2012**

- * Sessions for school-aged children
- * \$10 per head per session. Places only booked with payment.
- * maximum in each session: 15 children
- * bookings to be made at: Hay Shire Council front counter
- * BYO drink bottle and snack if required

Wednesday 11th April

**Paper Craft activities
at historic Bishop's
Lodge with Mrs Japp**

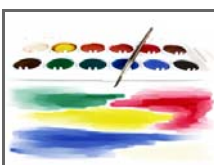


Bishop's Lodge Historic House

10 am -12 noon

Wednesday 18th April

**Outdoor painting with
Mrs Japp and friends**



Hay Gaol Museum

10 am - 12 noon

Hay Netball Club

Term 2 Junior Netball Program

Forms available at Sportfirst with Rego closing 20th
April. Early bird rego by 5th April = \$10 discount

Years 5-8 Wednesdays at 5pm

Primary Fridays from 4.30pm—5.30pm

Enquiries Jill Chapman on 02 6993 0691 or

Liz at Sportfirst



**Hay Tennis Club
Junior Tennis**



A new junior tennis competition again in 6 grades for
boys and girls in primary and high school to be held on
Friday afternoons from 4pm to 5pm to start from 4th
May.

Players in the lowest grade must be at least 7yrs of
age and able to serve a ball from half court.
Registrations and further enquiries must be made with
Tony Callaghan 0419 571292 by 2nd May to be
included in the draw. The weekly fee will be \$3.00

Hay Scouts are OFF to

Jamboree

And are hosting a

CRAZY HAIR DISCO

To help assist local Scouts members to attend

DATE: 5th April

TIME: Pre-school- Yr 2 5pm- 6.30pm

Yr 3-Yr 6 7pm – 8.30pm

WHERE: Spirit of Anzac Centre

Lucky door Prizes

Food & Drinks Available

\$4 entry

Parental supervision is required for Pre-school age
children