



"Flourish to the end"

Hay Happenings

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CAP Leadership Day—Making New Friends

Principal's Report

CAP Leadership Day

Last Monday our twelve parliamentarians, along with Mrs Christensen, attended a CAP Leadership Day in Deniliquin. The day was run by a group called 'Rising Generations' that works on equipping and empowering the next generation of leaders with interpersonal and leadership skills to serve others and make a difference in their school, families and communities. The leadership program encourages active participation in school life and serving through leadership. Active participation assists young people to feel more confident, develop essential life skills, as well as feel a greater sense of belonging to their school and community, which research shows positively increases self-esteem.

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. Pictures will be published in next week's newsletter along with the names of all raffle winners.

Notifying Absences

If your child is absent from school, please phone the front office to advise the reason. A text message will be sent on the day that your child is absent, reminding you to notify the reason. This is a mandatory requirement of the Department of Education and Communities and is closely monitored by the Home School Liaison Officer. If you are planning an extended holiday of more than a week, please contact the school so that an exemption form may be completed.

Riverina Representatives

Congratulations to the many students attending trials in various sports over the past couple of weeks. Already we have some Riverina representatives

What's on the Web?

www.hay-p.schools.nsw.edu.au
Hay Happenings-Present & Past
School Zone Safety
Photos—Term 1 Activities
Photos—Swimming Carnivals
AND MUCH, MUCH MORE



Friday 29th March
Good Friday

**Have a Safe &
Happy Easter**

SCHOOL RULES

I can do my best.
I can respect all people.
I can respect all property.
I can be in the right place.



emerging as the school continues its strong performances in sport. Dela Gargaro (Swimming), Lillian Ives and Ellie Hicks (Girls' Cricket) have all been successful to date. Good luck to all students attending trials in the coming weeks.

I wish staff, students and parents a safe and restful Easter break and welcome everyone back on Tuesday 2nd April.

Happy Easter!

Carol Oataway
Principal



Pupil & Stars of the Week

K Red	Nathaniel Clarke
K/I Blue	Jim Houston
1/2 Red	Ayesha Headon
2 Blue	Jack Headon
3-6 Red	Shardia Hutchison
3/4 Blue	Iona Cullenward
3/4 Red	Chloe Arandt
5/6 Blue	Ben Marshall
5/6 Red	Kate Simpson

Maths Matters

It is great to see that many children are still regularly using StudyLadder at home.



At the moment students in Stage 2 and 3 can access NAPLAN practice activities, Stage 3 students can learn more about the HSIE topic Antarctica, and Stage 1 have some great Maths games to reinforce what they are learning in the classroom. Many students have been using the new iPads in their classrooms to learn more about Maths, too.

Stage 1 News

Language Rich Activities (LRA) Groups

LRA groups for Stage One students have been held on Tuesday afternoons between 2.15 and 3.00pm. LRA groups are designed to stimulate language development, encourage and enhance the use of a range of vocabulary and inspire students to talk about something new with their peers. Students work in small groups throughout the term to develop their skills and knowledge. Each week the students will participate in a rotation of activities and use these experiences to present *Time-to-*



Kyahn and Fergus enjoying LRA Groups

Talk to their classmates.

Parents are encouraged to support this program and more helpers are needed to assist each group activity. Please let your child's teacher know if you are able to help.

Mrs Fiona Simpson

Assistant Principal K-2

Stage 2 & 3 News

Excursions

Stage 2 will visit Billabong Ranch in Echuca. This is a three day excursion Term 3, Week 10 (18th–20th September).



The cost of this excursion is \$210.

Stage 3 will visit Canberra. This is a four day excursion Term 3, Week 9 (10th–13th September).

The cost of this excursion is \$ \$430, with fundraising during Term 2.

Due to the close proximity of each excursion and the cost, families are encouraged to start paying off their excursion now. This can be done through the front office or by using direct deposit

UNSW Competitions

Students wishing to participate in the University of NSW competitions will need to complete the entry form and forward payment to the school by Friday 5th April to ensure that orders for these competitions can be completed.

Kitchen and Garden

Students have been enjoying the kitchen and garden lessons delivered by Mrs Felicity Maynard and Mrs Anna Lilburne.

They have been baking some delicious hot cross buns and tasty nibbles that have been enjoyed by all.

A big thank you to Mrs Laraine Petravious for making the lovely aprons that the students use in the kitchen. It is most appreciated.



Boys in the Kitchen

Sports News**Western Riverina AFL Trials**

Darcy Cullenward has been selected in the Deniliquin District AFL team, to compete at the Western Riverina AFL Trials in Barooga this Thursday 28th March. CONGRATULATIONS.

At the conclusion of the day, a team will be selected to attend the Riverina Trials at Jerilderie on Friday 12th April.

Rugby League Trials

CONGRATULATIONS to Noah Hey who was selected in the Leeton-Narrandera Rugby League side at trials held at Leeton last Thursday.

The Riverina Carnival will be held on Friday 3rd May (Term 2, Week 1) in Leeton.

Tennis Knockout

Our tennis team (Darcy Cullenward, Jack Gibson, Holly Headon and Maggie Biggs) will play Berrigan Public School at the Deniliquin Lawn Courts next Tuesday 2nd April.

Congratulations on your selection and GOOD LUCK.

NSWPSSA Swimming Championships

Good luck to Dela Gargaro who swims at Homebush next week at the State Carnival. No doubt we will see another personal best from Dela in her AWD freestyle event.

2 Hay FM

Thanks to Miss Burke for taking Ellie Hicks and Lillian Ives to the radio station last Friday and for your confident presentation of our weekly sports report.

Stage 2/3 Sport

5/6 Red will participate in the Hotshots tennis program on Thursday afternoon for sport, with 3-6 Red following up last week's lesson. Stage 2 classes and 5/6 Blue will enjoy class sport activities at 2.15pm.

HAVE A HAPPY AND SAFE EASTER.

CAP Leadership Day by Holly Headon

On the 25th March, all school leaders around the district attended a learning skills get together. We all learnt that leadership is the ability to influence good behaviour, be a role model and strive to be our best. We played games that involved cooperation and team work. Everybody met new, friendly faces and took great pleasure in learning about other people. Hay Public School parliamentarians overall had a lot of fun and learnt a great deal of useful skills to use throughout 2013!

CAP Leadership Day by Maggie Biggs

On Monday the 25th March, 11 parliamentarians travelled to Deniliquin for a leadership day. The day was lots of fun for the students, as they took part in many activities to determine what leadership really is.

The parliamentarians not only learnt lots about leadership but they also made lots of friends and that, in fact, it is very easy to make them.

Thank you to the Deniliquin South Primary School who held the event at their school and a big thanks to 'Rising Generation' for teaching the students about leadership and hopefully our school leaders soaked it all in!



Parliamentarians participating in CAP Leadership Day

Coming Events / Sporting Dates

28th Mar	Western Riverina AFL Trials-Barooga
29th Mar	Good Friday
1st Apr	Easter Monday
2nd Apr	Tennis Knockout-Deni
2/3rd Apr	NSWPSSA Swimming-Homebush
12th Apr	Last Day Term 1
	AFL Riverina Trials-Jerilderie
30th Apr	Students return to Term 2
3rd May	Riverina Rugby League Trials-Leeton
10th May	Stewart House Day
	HPS Cross Country

Community Sport**Hay Netball Club**

Final call for girls in years 6,7 & 8 to join mixed aged competition which is being held on Wednesday nights from 6pm. Please register at Sport First asap as teams will be determined this week.

Term 2 Junior Netball Program

Forms are available from Sport first with early bird registration closing 12 April

Years 3-6 Wednesdays 4.45pm-6pm

Skill development and 30 minutes of match time each week.

Primary aged children. Fridays 4.30pm-5.30pm

Skill development and modified match play.

Enquiries to Jill Chapman on 69930691 or Sport First.

FOR SALE- HAY PUBLIC SCHOOL HATS

Two sizes available

Generous fitting

\$10.00 eachAvailable front office**FREE SCHOOL DENTAL CLINIC
FORTNIGHTLY AT COMMUNITY
HEALTH****PH: 1800 450 046 for an appointment****University of NSW International Competitions**

Please complete the entry form and return it to the yellow box in the front office by Friday 5th April.

NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED

Name: _____ Year _____

Class: _____

Please tick

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|--------------------------|--------------------------|---------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Computer Skills - 21 May | \$8.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Science -5 June | \$8.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Spelling -18 June | \$11.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Writing -17 June | \$17.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | English -31 July | \$8.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Mathematics -13 Aug | \$8.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | All of the above | \$60.00 |

TOTAL PAYMENT ENCLOSED:

\$ _____

Direct Credit payments are accepted

**P & C CLOTHING POOL
LOCATED IN THE CANTEEN**

Dresses & Tunics \$5.00

All other items \$1.00

DONATIONS WELCOME**Dresses, Jumpers, Shorts, Shoes,
shirts.****Absent Students**

All parents of absent children will be receiving a text message to advise that their child is absent from school.

A response to these SMS is requested,
please call
02 6993 1270**HAY PUBLIC SCHOOL
PAYMENTS COUPON**

Once a Year Payments per child:-

General Contribution Fee \$25.00**Subject Fee** \$20.00**Term 3 Performances**

Week 3, Monday 29th July

Life Education Van \$9.00

Week 8, Tuesday 3rd Sept

Robo Tech \$4.00**INVOICES FOR THESE ITEMS HAVE BEEN
ISSUED TO FAMILIES.**

Name: _____ \$ _____

Name: _____ \$ _____

Total Payment \$ _____

Payment to yellow box in front office or Direct credit details

BSB 032-001 Acc No 141581.**Acc Name- Hay Public School**

PLEASE USE YOUR CHILD'S NAME AS A REFERENCE WITH DIRECT DEPOSIT

OR**EMAIL/FAX THE PAYMENT REFERENCE TO THE SCHOOL****Hay Public School P&C****'Name the Sheep Competition'**

The Booligal Sheep Races are on Saturday 13th April 2013 and Mr & Mrs James Bisset have kindly purchased a sheep for Hay Public School that will be entered on the day.

The 'Sheep' needs a name!

Entry is \$1.00

Enter as many times as you like.

A gift will be presented for the winning entry.

Student's Name: _____

School: _____ Class: _____

My entry is:

I have enclosed \$1.00

Place in envelope in yellow box at front office.

