



"Flourish to the end"

Hay Happenings

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Term 3 Week 4

7th August 2013



Education Week Open Day 2013

What's on the Web?

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Hay Happenings-Present & Past
Photos - Athletics Carnival,
Open Day & Literacy-Numeracy
Developing Organisational Skills
AND MUCH, MUCH MORE



K—6 Assembly
Friday 9th August
2.15pm
School Hall
Athletics Carnival
Awards
ALL WELCOME

SCHOOL RULES

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



Principal's Report Education Week

Thank you to everyone who helped make our 2013 Education Week Open Day such a success. It was lovely to see parents, grandparents, friends and family all here to support our students in their love of learning. On display were the educational programs offered by the school and a tour of our impressive facilities. Pictured this week is Max Millyard of 5/6 Red showing his work to his mother, Cathy and grandmother, Liz Gibson. It was also wonderful to see our 2014 Kindergarten students enjoying the Teddy Bears' Picnic with Mrs Houston and Mrs Duncan. We look forward to having these students back at school every Wednesday for their Ready, Set, Kinder program.

Athletics Carnival

Last Friday in cool, windy weather conditions, Hay PS ran a very successful K-6 Athletics Carnival at the Hay Park No 1 Oval. The overall winner was Oxley House and captains Ben Eade and Grace Nisbet were on hand to accept the champion house trophy. Winners of the individual championships were: Junior Boy -

Brait Headon; Junior Girl – Charlee Masters; 11 Years Boy – Ben Marshall; 11 Years Girl – Lillian Ives and Emily Headon; Senior Boy – Noah Hey; and Senior Girl – Grace Nisbet. Thank you to our parent volunteers who gave up their time to help officiate at the carnival. Thanks also to the P&C for providing canteen facilities at the park. A special thank you goes to Mrs Pearson and Mrs Simpson for all of their extra organisation and work that mostly goes unnoticed but is greatly appreciated.

Excursions

Stage 1 students travelled to Griffith Regional Theatre today to watch a production of the all-time Mem Fox favourite, 'Possum Magic'. All Stage 1 classes have been studying this book during Accelerated Literacy lessons and it will be great for students to enjoy the extra dimension to their learning by viewing the story in live theatre. Thanks to Mrs Simpson for her excursion organisation. Parents of students participating in the Stage 2 excursion and the Stage 3 excursion are encouraged to continue making regular payments towards these.

Jeans For Genes Day

Well done to parliamentarians for organising the Jeans for Genes fundraising activity last week. The student body generously donated a total of \$253. Our next fundraising activity will be a Footy Colours Day on the 6th September which will be a Year 6 fundraiser to donate a gift to the school.

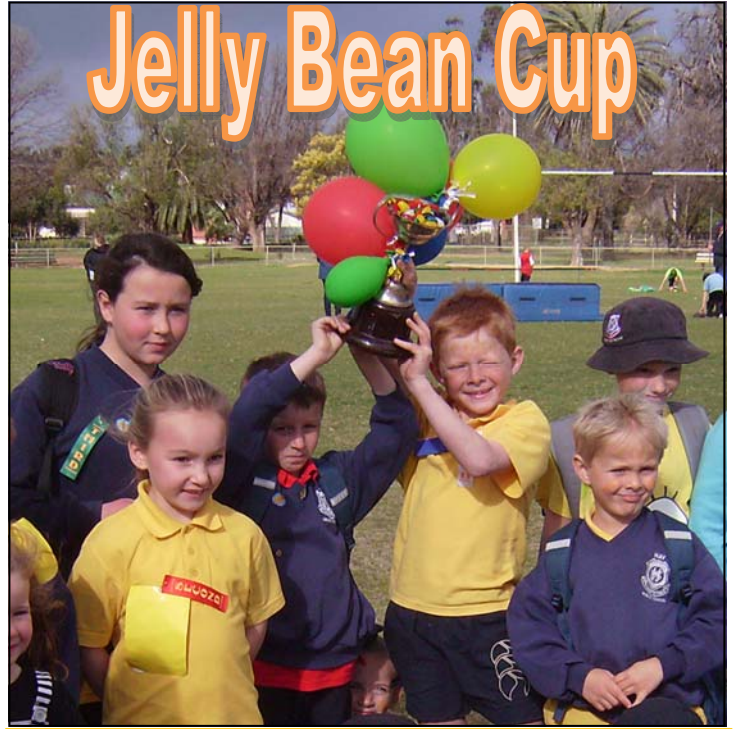
Have a great week!

Carol Oataway
Principal

Education Week



Jelly Bean Cup



Coming Events / Sporting Dates

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| 8th Aug | P&C Meeting |
| 8th Aug | Debating-Griffith |
| 13th Aug | UNSW Maths Comp |
| 14th Aug | Trent Barrett Shield-Griffith |
| 16th Aug | Deniliquin District Athletics Carnival |
| 19th Aug | Book Week |
| 30th Aug | Riverina Athletics Carnival |
| 3rd Sept | School Performance- Robo Tech \$4.00 |
| 10th Sept | Stage 3 Excursion—Billabong Ranch |
| 18th Sept | Stage 2 Excursion—Canberra |

Book Week Activities– Read Across the Universe

This term students from all classes will be participating in various activities to celebrate Book Week. There are a variety of competitions students can enter and entry forms are available from the library. Competitions include a literature quiz, 'Bake a Book' competition and 'Design a Book Week Poster'. Detailed information for these competitions have been made available to all students. Winners will be announced at our K-6 assembly in Week 6.

We will be holding a Book Fair during Week 6, where students and families will have the opportunity to purchase good quality literature for their home library. We look forward to seeing as many families as possible during our BOOK WEEK FAIR.



Sports News**Athletics Carnival**

Our annual athletics carnival was held in windy conditions last Friday at the Hay Park No 1 Oval.

Congratulations to all children who competed so enthusiastically throughout the day and gave their fellow athletes great support.

Thanks to all teachers, parents and community members for ensuring another successful carnival. Special thanks to Ian Headon for starting our track events, James Ives (marshalling), Di Smith (recording), and Kelly Gash, Tessa Pynor, Barb Brettschneider and Maryann Headon (field events).

After Cadell's win in the 'march past' Oxley (397) dominated the day, followed by Sturt (328), Cobb (264) and Cadell (255).

Individual Champions were:-

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| Junior Boy | Brait Headon (Ox) |
| Junior Girl | Charlee Masters (Ca) |
| 11 Year Boy | Ben Marshall (St) |
| 11 Year Girl | Emily Headon (St) |
| | Lillian Ives (Co) |
| Senior Boy | Noah Hey (Ca) |
| Senior Girl | Grace Nisbet (Ox) |

Runner Up champions were:- Hugh Crighton, Janae Winzar, Kevin Cai, Darcy Cullenward and Holly Headon.

No records were broken as our athletes were faced with a strong headwind on the track and some long-standing records in the field.

Deniliquin District Athletics Carnival

The District Athletics Carnival will be held on Friday 16th August at the Deni Rams Oval, Hardinge St, Deniliquin commencing at 9.30am. Travel will be by private transport with cars leaving HPS at 7.45am. Our teams will be supervised by Mrs Pearson, Mrs Cullenward and Mr Fajks. Permission notes and raffle tickets have been issued and should be returned to the front office by Thursday next week. Seven pieces of sports equipment will be the prizes.

Our team is:- **Boys**- Brait Headon, Ben Caughey, Simon Darlow, Charlie Deacon, Darcy Cullenward, Noah Hey, Lachlan Clark, Finn Cullenward, Liam Goebel, Adrian Pascoe, James Millyard, Sam Curtis, Hugh Crighton, Ben Marshall, Kevin Cai, Jack Miller, Charlie Hurst, Harley Curtis, Jack Gibson, Emerson Hedt, Sam Doidge. **Girls**:- Jamilah Pynor, Janae Winzar, Emily Headon, Abby-Jean Doyle, Holly Headon, Ellie Hicks, Emma Johnston, Janee Davies, Darci Masters, Emily Gibson, Chontelle Barton, Charlee Masters, Delilah Crighton, Daisy Barnes, Lillian Ives, Caitlin Hayward, Grace Nisbet, Emerson Griffiths, Olivia Joyce, Telesa Cooper, Bianca Goulding, Charly Moorhouse, Maggie Biggs, Iona Cullenward and Mia Murphie-Delahunty.

Regional Athletics Carnival

The Riverina Athletics Carnival will be held at Alexandra Park Albury on Friday 30th August.

Trent Barrett Shield

The Trent Barrett Shield Rugby League and Leaguetag competitions will be held in Griffith on Wednesday 14th August at Jubilee Oval. Permission notes need to be returned by Friday. Children need to be at park by 10am for warm ups.

Stage 2 Sport

Stage 2 sport will focus on leaguetag and rugby league in preparation for the Trent Barrett Shield on 14th August. Practice will be at the Hay Park No 1 Oval from 2.00pm. Children in the Junior Boys and Girls relay teams will also practise their changes during the afternoon.

Stage 3 Sport

Stage 3 Sport will focus on athletics practice for the District Carnival next week.

Athletics Carnival



Student Medical Forms

During Terms 3 and 4 we will be updating our medical records system to ensure we have the most up-to-date information on your child's health. If you have a child with a medical condition you will receive a copy of the new forms in the mail and will need to fill them out and return them to us as soon as you can. The good news is we have already started collecting some of this information, which means less for you to do. The new forms will help us collect your child's important medical information and the introduction of new systems will mean we'll be able to better manage the daily and emergency health needs of your child.

We appreciate your support as we start collecting the information. Please phone the front office if you have any questions.

Absent Students



Parents who have not advised the school or teacher of their child's absence (on/or before the day) will receive a message via text.

If you receive a text message, please respond either: _

- Return text
- Phone 02 6993 1270
- Send in an absence note on child's return.

FOR SALE- HAY PUBLIC SCHOOL HATS

Two sizes available

Generous fitting

\$10.00 each

Available front office



Little Athletics Meeting
Friday 9th August, 4:30pm
Hay Services Club



Happy Wanderers

Walk For Diabetes Competition
 Answer this simple question

Why is your Dad the best ?

Have your entry in to the front office before September 30th for your chance to win!



LUNCH LANE CANTEEN

Friday 2nd August

Dinosaurs
Aero Caramel
Zooper Dooper
\$4.00



FREE SCHOOL DENTAL CLINIC

FORTNIGHTLY AT
COMMUNITY HEALTH

PH: 1800 450 046 for an
appointment

HAY PUBLIC SCHOOL

PAYMENTS COUPON

Once a Year Payments per child:-

General Contribution Fee \$25.00

Subject Fee \$20.00

Term 3 Performances

Week 8, Tuesday 3rd Sept

Robo Tech \$4.00

Payments for Stage 1, 2 & 3 Excursions are currently being accepted

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