



"Flourish to the end"

Hay Happenings

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Term 3 Week 10

18th September 2013



Emerson enjoying the Dinosaur Museum –Canberra 2013

Principal's Report

NAPLAN Results

The Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA) has advised Test Administration Authorities that it has identified an error in the placement of the national average markers on Years 5 and 7 NAPLAN Student Reports in Language Conventions. ACARA is devising a strategy to address the issue quickly, however, distribution of student reports to schools will be delayed. On advice from ACARA, it is anticipated that 2013 NAPLAN Student Reports will be delivered to schools across Australia from 8–11 October, with distribution of reports to parents to occur in the week Monday 14 to Friday 18 October. The Board of Studies NSW apologises for any inconvenience caused.

UNSW Competitions

Hay Public School has received some outstanding results in this year's UNSW competition in English with certificates being awarded as a high distinction (top 2% of students), distinction (top 10% of students), credit (top 25% of students) and participation (all remaining students). Hay Public School's

outstanding results in English for 2013 are as follows: High Distinction – Kate Simpson (Yr 6); Distinction – Iona Cullenward (Yr 4); Credit – Hannah Shea (Yr 3), Benjamin Caughey (Yr 4), Gemma Tassell (Yr 5); Participation – Lanta Clark, Emily Gibson, Ronan Haines (Yr 4), Emily Headon, Charly Moorhouse (Yr 5), Darcy Cullenward, Holly Headon, Lillian Ives, Jack Gibson, Emerson Hedt, Lillian Ives and Erin Shalders (Yr 6). English certificates will be awarded at the first assembly in Term 4.

Excursions

From all accounts our Stage 3 excursion to Canberra was quite a success. Reports received back from teachers were that our students were involved in an action packed itinerary and were generally well-behaved. Thank you to Mrs Murphy for her work in organising the excursion and to our supervising teachers Mrs Cullenward, Mrs Pearson, Mrs Christensen, Mr Fajks and School Learning Support Officer Mrs Mijok for the extra care they provided over four full days to keep our students safe, well and happy. This week Stage 2 students travel to Echuca for three full days at Billabong Ranch.

What's on the Web?

www.hay-p.schools.nsw.edu.au
Hay Happenings-Present & Past
Photos - Canberra Excursion 2013
Athletics Carnival 2013
Spelling Bee App
Learning - Outdoor Classrooms



No Assembly
Friday 20th September
Stage2 Excursion
Have a safe and
enjoyable holiday

SCHOOL RULES

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

Staff Changes

This term we bid farewell to Mr Fajks and Mrs Thompson who have been filling in for Mr Ayres and Miss Burke whilst they have been on leave. I thank them for their contributions and dedication at Hay Public School throughout Term 3. Mr Ayres and Miss Burke will be resuming their duties at the beginning of Term 4.

I would like to wish staff and students a safe, happy and enjoyable Term 3 break. School resumes for everyone on Tuesday 8th October.

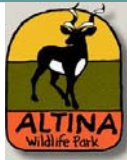
Carol Oataway
Principal

Kindergarten Excursion- Altina Wildlife Park**Friday 18th October, 2013****Cost \$35.00**

Kindergarten will be travelling to Darlington Point to visit Altina Wildlife Park on Friday 18th October.

(Term 4, Week 2)

Permission notes have been distributed. Completed notes and payment are to be returned to the front office by Friday 11th October. (first Friday of Term 4).



Stage 3 Excursion to Canberra- 2013



Molly Christensen at the Australian War Memorial Wall of Remembrance

Stage 3 Excursion to Canberra

Last Tuesday, 58 Year 5 and 6 students, along with Mrs Murphy, Mrs Pearson, Mrs Christensen, Mrs Cullenward, Mr Fajks and Mrs Mijok set off for our nation's capital, Canberra. Whilst in Canberra we visited many iconic sights including Parliament House, National Museum, Questacon and the Australian Institute of Sport. A highlight of our visit was participating in a wreath laying ceremony at the Australian War Memorial. Students joined ex-Vietnam Veteran, Col. Adrian Roberts, in laying a wreath at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. Col. Roberts then spoke with the students about his experiences in the army and the Vietnam War. We were all very humbled by this experience.

Students enjoyed a sport experience at the AIS, learning new skills and games. Our visit to Parliament House was a highlight of the excursion. Whilst the politicians were laying low, students were able to take their place in a role play of Parliament. Watch out Tony Abbott...we have some very able up and coming politicians.

They relished participating in the Science experiments at Questacon and, although extremely cold, they all enjoyed their twilight walk through Botanical Gardens.

Overall it was an action packed four days! I would like to thank all the students for their enthusiastic participation and positive contribution. Their behaviour throughout the excursion was fantastic, with all tour guides and venues congratulating us on such a well behaved group of students.

On behalf of all the teachers and students I would like to thank the P&C who contributed to the cost of this excursion with the running of a very generous raffle earlier on in the year. This, in addition to the Pacer contribution, allowed the majority of students to access this excursion.

Australian Government Assistance for National Capital Excursion

Stage 3 students have recently undertaken an educational tour of the national capital. Whilst on this tour they participated in a variety of educational programs focused on Australia's history, culture, heritage and democracy.

The Australian Government recognises the importance of all young Australians being able to visit their national Capital as part of their civics and citizenship education. To assist families in meeting the cost of the excursion the Australian Government contributed \$30 per student under the Parliament and Civics Education Rebate (PACER) program toward the travel expenses incurred.

We would like to thank the Australian Government for their support of this program.

The excursion was a rewarding experience for all students.

Trent Barrett Report

On Tuesday 10th September the Stage 2 Trent Barrett football and leaguetag teams travelled to Wagga Wagga to participate in the Trent Barrett Grand Final Day.

The boys were victorious against Holy Trinity winning the first game 4-1. They also played Gundagai and Griffith East. The boys played hard and fair, but were unfortunately defeated by Gundagai 5-2 and Griffith East 6-3. Every player contributed to a great team effort. They ran hard, tackled well and most importantly played with great team spirit. Player of the day was awarded to Rhys Lees, followed closely by Hugh Crighton, Brait Headon and Reece Deacon.

The girls were also victorious in their first game beating Scared Heart 5-3. Unfortunately they lost their 2nd game in a nail biter 3-2 to Tumut. They came back to take the win from Leeton with a 2-2 draw. Because Hay was the first team to score, the rules state that team to be the winner.

The girls displayed great team spirit and were positive and encouraging towards each and every player. Player of the day was awarded to Delilah Crighton, closely followed by Hannah Shea, Daisy Barnes and Zoe Books.

A huge thank you must go to Mrs Cullenward, Mr Crighton, Mr Shea and Tessa Pynor for the time and effort they have put into organising, training and guiding these students throughout the football season. Also thanks must go to Katie Arandt and the other Stage 3 girls for helping train the teams at school. Lastly we must thank all the parents and parent helpers who travelled with their children and helped immensely on the day. Both the boys and the girls were a credit to their parents and Hay Public School and all pitched in and did their best. Great work everyone!

Mrs Sherelle Shea

Sports News

Riverina Athletics

Our full list of results is as follows:-

Emma Johnston	100m-heat	6 th	17.30
	Final	7 th	17.23
Charlee Masters	100m-heat	9 th	16.07
	Final	7 th	15.99
	200m	15 th	34.35
Emily Headon	100m-heat	9 th	15.53
	Final	7 th	14.99
	200m	3 rd	31.37
	800m	1 st	2.50.79
Lillian Ives	Long jump	10 th	3.47m
	200m	6 th	31.83
	Long jump	6 th	3.77m
Delilah Crighton	Long jump	7 th	3.33m
Charly Moorhouse	Discus	5 th	18.46m
Ben Caughey	100m	13 th	16.22
Brait Headon	100m-heat	1 st	14.55
	Final	1 st	14.53
	200m	1 st	30.14
	High jump	5 th	1.15m
Noah Hey	Long jump	1 st	4.17m
	Shot Put	2 nd	8.19m
	High jump	13 th	1.20m
	Long jump	3 rd	4.32m
Sam Curtis	100m	14 th	15.81
Hugh Crighton	Discus	3 rd	23.94m
Dela Gargaro	100m AWD	2 nd	21.78
	200m AWD	2 nd	48.84
Junior Girls Relay	7 th		1.06.28
Junior Boys Relay	4 th		1.02.60
Senior Girls Relay	4 th		59.29

WHAT AN AMAZING PERFORMANCE FROM OUR TEAM.

NSWPSSA Championships –Athletics

Five children qualified for the NSWPSSA Championships to be held at Homebush, Sydney, next term. (16/17th October). Brait Headon, Emily Headon, Noah Hey, Hugh Crighton, Dela Gargaro

Stage 3 Sport

Stage 3 Sport will focus on cricket trials for the upcoming Super 8's day in Deniliquin next term.

Country Women's Association of NSW

Application forms for the annual CWA Education Grants are available from the front office.

Completed forms need to be returned to

The Secretary, CWA –Hay Branch, PO Box 64, Hay, NSW, 2711.



Coming Events / Sporting Dates

20th Sept	Last Day Term 3
	No Greenslip Reward
	Disco (K-2) & Movie (3-6)
8th Oct	Tuesday- Students and Staff Return
16/17th Oct	State Athletics Sydney
18th Oct	Kindergarten Excursion to Altina Wildlife Park (Term 4, Week 2)
21st Oct	NSWPSSA Girls Cricket-Bomadery

School Holiday Programs with Hay's Museums' Spring 2013

Have some great fun with Hay's museums on your **Wednesdays** in the holidays.

- Activities are open to all school age children.
- Each activity costs \$10 per student.
- Bookings with payment are to be made at the Hay Shire Council front counter.
- Places are limited and are allocated as payment is received.
- BYO water bottle and snack.

Wednesday 2nd Nov– Hay Gaol- 10am - 12.00noon

Art at the Gaol

Enjoy a morning of drawing and colour at the Gaol

Wednesday 25th September- Bishop's Lodge

Gardening with Ah Mow 10.00 am – 12.00 noon

An oriental garden party where fortunes are told, rice paper is rolled and history unfolds.

Sustainable Science 2.00 pm – 4.00 pm

One for the boys! Come investigate the science secrets held within the walls of the Bishop's Lodge house.

Hay Cubs & Scouts Jamboree Fundraiser

Hat & Tie Disco

Friday 11th October 2013

Spirit of ANZAC Centre

Prizes for

Best Hat

Best Tie

Lucky Door

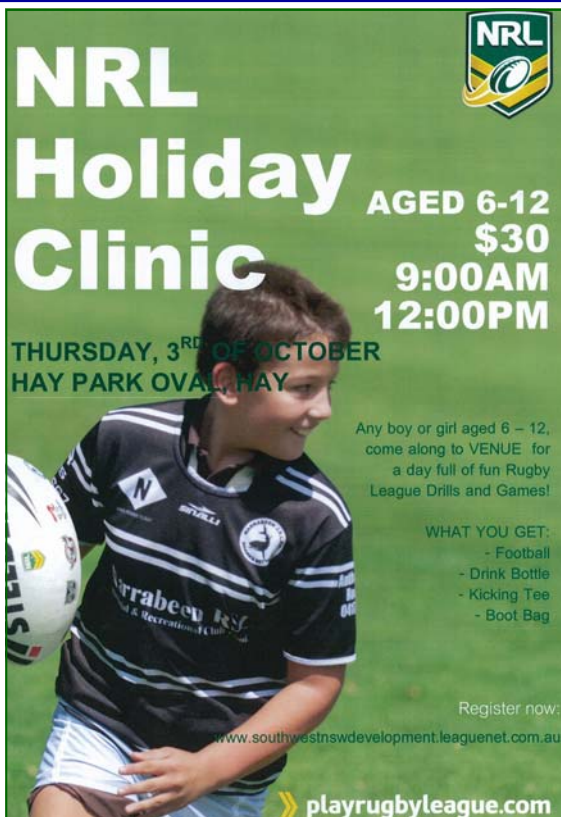
K-2 5 00 - 6.30pm

3 - 6 7.00 - 8.30pm

Full Canteen & Sausage Sizzle

\$4.00 Entry





NRL Holiday Clinic

AGED 6-12
\$30
9:00AM
12:00PM

THURSDAY, 3RD OF OCTOBER
HAY PARK OVAL, HAY

Any boy or girl aged 6 – 12, come along to VENUE for a day full of fun Rugby League Drills and Games!

WHAT YOU GET:
- Football
- Drink Bottle
- Kicking Tee
- Boot Bag

Register now:
www.southwestnswdevelopment.leaguenet.com.au

playrugbyleague.com

FREE SCHOOL DENTAL CLINIC
FORTNIGHTLY AT
COMMUNITY HEALTH
PH: 1800 450 046 for an
appointment



Hay Kids' Club

is on again

When: 1st week of the school holidays
23rd to 27th September

Where: Hay Park

What time: 9.30am to 12.30pm

Activities: Bible stories, games, craft, singing, morning tea

Who: All kids from K to Year 6

FREE HOLIDAY FUN FOR THE KIDS

Parental permission is required to attend.
Forms are available from the front office and need to be taken to Kids' Club on the first day for entry.



LUNCH LANE CANTEEN

Friday Lunch Special 20th

Sept



Hot Dog

Wicked Fizz

Frozen Juice Box

\$4.00



Orders by Thursday please

P & C CLOTHING POOL

Holidays are an excellent time to sort children's wardrobes.

Donations of school clothing is always welcome and can be left at the front office.

Thank You



Hay Tennis Club



Holiday Tennis Camps

Camp 1—Mon 23rd, Tues 24th, Wed 25th Sept

Camp 2—Wed 2nd, Thurs 3rd, Fri 4th October

Kinder to Year 3 - 9am to 11am

Years 2 to 5 - 11am to 1pm

Year 4 to High School - 2pm to 4pm

Camp cost: \$30 for 3 days (\$40 non members)

\$15 per day (\$20 non members)

Cost includes: Coaching, match play, fun & games.

Prizes to be won!

Bookings essential as numbers are limited!

Stuart - 0413083386

Note - Annual Memberships are now available:

Juniors \$35 to 31/07/14

2013 Junior Club Championships

10's & Under 13 - Sun 6th Oct

Under 16 & Under 19 - Mon 7th Oct

