



"Flourish to the end"

# Hay Happenings

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Term 1, Week 7

12th March 2014



**Making jam for the school fete.**

**K-6 Assembly**  
**Friday**  
**14th March**  
**9.30am**  
**\*Note new time\***  
**District Swimming**  
**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

### Annual School Report

The 2013 Annual School Report has been completed and is now available on the school's website. In order to view the 2013 Annual School Report go to: <http://www.hay-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/> and follow the links under 'Our School' and 'Annual School Report'. The Annual School Report will not be printed in bulk this year. Should you not have access to the Internet and wish to obtain a printed copy of the 2013 Annual School Report, please contact the school to request a copy.

### School Contributions

Invoices have been issued for the general school contribution, subject fees, up-coming performances and Life Education. This year the voluntary school contribution remains at \$25 to cover the cost of materials that are essential for each students' learning

such as exercise books, mini whiteboards, pencils, pens, paper, whiteboard markers, etc. A subject fee of \$20 has also been set to cover the cost of practical lessons that students undertake. This small cost represents a great investment in your child's education and ensures that all classrooms are adequately resourced. Thank you to all families who have paid their school fees to date. It is very much appreciated.

### P&C AGM

I'd like to issue a general reminder to come along to the P&C Annual General Meeting tomorrow, 13<sup>th</sup> March to be held in the school staffroom. 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 P&C donates regularly and generously to the school and its students every year.

### Student Numbers

This year our student numbers have fallen below 201 students which means that our front office will only be manned with 2 staff members for 3 days a week, instead of the current arrangement of 5 days per week. We are extremely close to keeping a full time front office assistant. However we need to know of any students who may be enrolling at Hay Public School in the near future. Please phone the school if you are aware of any students who are intending to enrol in either Term 1 or Term 2.

Have a great week!

Carol Oatway

**Principal**

**Student of the Week** 

- K S** Keira Harris & Wendy Atkins
- I J** Nate Clarke
- 1/2 H** Kristian Miller & Jessica McGuirk
- 3/4 F** Veletta Kennedy
- 3/4 S** Lily Masters
- 3/4 RH** Darci Masters
- 5/6 B** Herbert Maynard
- 5/6 CC** James Millyard
- 5/6 P** Emma Jones



Stage 2 enjoys working creatively.

**Stage 2/3 News**

**Premier's Reading Challenge**

All students have been registered for the 2014 Premier's Reading Challenge. Students will listen to and read a variety of quality texts to qualify for the challenge during class and library time. The number of books for each student to complete the challenge is: K-2= 30 books, 3-6= 20 books. The Challenge aims to encourage a love of reading for leisure and pleasure in students, and to enable them to experience quality literature. It is not a competition but a challenge to each student to read, to read more and to read more widely. Upon completion of the challenge students will receive a certificate. After four years they receive a Gold certificate and after 7 years they receive a Platinum certificate.

**School Values**

Our focus core value this week is **RESPONSIBILITY**.

*Responsibility means been responsible for yourself, your actions and behaviour.*

Please discuss this value with your child and encourage them to actively demonstrate **RESPONSIBILITY** during their time at home and school.

Thought for the week- *It is not what you do for your children, but what you have taught them to do for themselves, that will make them successful human beings.*

**Mrs Murphy- Assistant Principal Stage 2 & 3**



Enjoying the produce of our garden



**Easter Raffle**



Parliament are again having their annual Easter Raffle and all families have been issued with a book of 10 tickets to sell for \$1.00 per ticket.

**Sold books may be returned to the front office.**

This is usually a bumper raffle with many, many prizes to be won. We are seeking donations of chocolates and fluffy animals for this raffle and all donations may be left at the front office.

The raffle will be drawn at the Easter Hat Parade on Wednesday 9th April, 2014 and funds raised go towards the Year 6 Farewell and gift.

**DONATIONS MAY BE LEFT AT THE FRONT OFFICE**

**SCHOOL COUNCIL NOMINATION FORM**

Nominations are being sought for the School Council

We are seeking:-

1 x parent representative

1 x community representative

Please nominate by completing the following:-

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Details:- \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Sports News****Riverina Swimming Carnival**

Congratulations to our swimmers- Telesa Cooper, Emily Gibson, Iona Cullenward and Emily Headon- who competed in Albury on Monday, at the Regional Carnival. Details will be in next week's Hay Happenings.

**MILO T20 Blast School Cup- Cricket**

Two Stage 2 and Stage 3 teams will contest the Milo T20 Blast School Cup at the Hay Park Oval tomorrow, commencing at 10.00am.

The teams are:

Stage 2- Hannah Shea, Ayesha Headon, Darci Masters, Chontelle Barton, Lily Masters, Tom Christensen, Rhys Lees, Adrian Pascoe, Finn Cullenward, Liam Hayward, Jayde Shea, Emma Johnston, Kayla Rickus, Marlee McPhellamy, Velettah Cranston, Jack Headon, Reece Deacon, Rhys Wall, Jaxon Matthews, Will Simpson, Lachlan Clark, Danielle Marks, Joseph O'Keeffe.

Stage 3- Ben Marshall, Simon Darlow, Sam Curtis, Brait Headon, Hugh Crighton, Iona Cullenward, Charly Moorhouse, Gemma Tassell, Maddi Deacon, Talia McPhellamy, Herbert Maynard, Flynn Griffiths, Charlie Deacon, Ben Caughey, Ronan Haines, Lanta Clark, Charlee Masters, Molly Christensen, Abby -Jean Doyle, Zoe Books.

**District Rugby League Trials**

Congratulations to Sam Curtis, Brait Headon, Hugh Crighton (Elevens) and Jaykeb Cowdrey, Ben Marshall and Simon Darlow (Opens) who have been selected to participate in the District Rugby League Trials to be held in Leeton this Friday 14<sup>th</sup> March. Good luck, boys.

**Riverina Tennis Trials**

Good luck to Delilah Crighton and Jamilah Pynor who are aiming for Riverina selection in the Regional Tennis Trials to be held in Griffith on Friday. Go, girls!

**Brian Taber Shield- Boys' Cricket**

Our boys' cricket team will play Deni Nth on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> March in Deni (Edward Oval), commencing at 10.00am.

The team, supervised by Mr Ayres is as follows:-Ben Marshall, Brait Headon, Harrison Dowling, Hugh Crighton, Simon Darlow, Sam Curtis, Flynn Griffiths, Ben Caughey, Herbert Maynard, Iona Cullenward and Ronan Haines.

**Trent Barrett Shield**

Our Stage 2 Rugby League and Leaguetag teams will travel to Griffith on 19<sup>th</sup> March to contest the Trent Barrett Shield.

Our teams are:-

Leaguetag- Hannah Shea, Telesa Cooper, Ayesha Headon, Lily Masters, Darci Masters, Renee Wall, Demi Ellis, Janee Davies, Carrie-Ann Murray, Emma Johnston and Chontelle Barton.

Rugby League:- Tom Christensen, Rhys Lees, Adrian Pascoe, Liam Hayward, Jaxon Matthews, Reece Deacon, Anthony Jones, Paul Jones, Jack Headon, Finn Cullenward and Lachlan Clark.

**Soccer Trials**

Trials will be held this week to select boys and girls to attend the Deni District Soccer Trials on Wed 19<sup>th</sup> March.

**2 Hay FM**

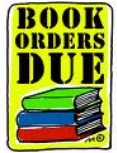
Thanks to Delilah Crighton and Iona Cullenward for your confident presentation of our weekly sports report on 2 Hay FM last Friday.

**Stage 3 Sport**

Stage 3 Sport will focus on cricket and tennis this Friday afternoon. T-Ball will also be on offer.

**BOOKCLUB ISSUE 2****ORDERS DUE BY FRIDAY 21ST MARCH**

TAKE A LOOK AT THE WONDERFUL BOOKS AVAILABLE IN CATALOGUES.

**Coming Events/ Sporting Dates**

13th Mar	P&C Meeting-AGM- 2pm
13th Mar	Milo Big Bash-Hay
14th Mar	Riverina Tennis Trials-Griffith
	Rugby League Trials-Griffith
18th Mar	Cricket Knockout-Deni
19th Mar	Trent Barrett Shield-Griffith
19th Mar	District Soccer Trials-Deni
28th Mar	Riverina Boys Soccer Trials-Cootamundra
2nd April	Performance-Aboriginal Survival Show
2nd Apr	District Netball Trials
4th April	SCHOOL FETE
9th April	Easter Hat Parade
11th April	P&C Mufti Day

**Hay Public School P & C News****Fluoro Disco**

Thanks to all staff and parents who helped with the running of our Fluoro discos, especially Mrs Simpson for the great music. Congratulations to all children for their wonderful behaviour and talented dancing!

**P&C AGM**

The HPS P&C Annual General Meeting will be held this Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> March at 2pm in the school staff room. It is a great opportunity to be actively involved in your children's education, and have some fun with a like-minded group of people. Everyone is welcome. Please contact Kylie Brettschneider if you require further information on 0419 634 037 or email [knockalong@bigpond.com](mailto:knockalong@bigpond.com)

**Lamington Drive**

Orders can still be placed for the Hay Public School fete Lamington Drive. Cost is \$9 per half dozen to be picked up at the fete. Availability is now limited, and will be sold on a first served basis. So get in quickly to make sure you don't miss out.

**Auscott Fun Obstacle Challenge**

Do you own or work in a business, or are you part of a sporting or community group? As part of the fun of the Hay Public School Fete, local businesses, sporting groups and community organisations are invited to enter a two person team in the wild west fun obstacle challenge for a chance to win the Auscott Challenge Cup. Entry is \$10 per team. Entry forms are available from the school office or by contacting Kylie Brettschneider on 6993 4628. Entries close this Friday 14<sup>th</sup> March so hurry and get your team organised.

**White Elephant Stall**

Need to de-clutter? Let us help you out! We are now seeking donations of good quality second hand (or new) goods to sell at our white elephant stall at the fete. Donations will be gratefully received and can be dropped at the kitchen garden.

**University of NSW International Competitions**

Please complete the entry form and return it to the yellow box in the front office by Friday 4th April.

**NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED**

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

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

Please tick

- Computer Skills - 20 May \$8.00
- Science -4 June \$8.00
- Spelling -17 June \$11.00
- Writing -16-20 June \$17.00
- English -29 July \$8.00
- Mathematics -12 Aug \$8.00
- All of the above \$60.00

TOTAL PAYMENT ENCLOSED:

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Direct Credit payments are accepted



**LUNCH LANE CANTEEN**

**Friday Special Lunch**

**14th March 2014**



**Caesar Salad**

**Icy Pole**

**Juicebox**

**\$5.00**

**Orders by Thursday please**



**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**

**Performances**

**Ab Survival Show \$5.00**

Term 1, Week 10 2nd April

**Little Bad Wolf \$5.00**

Term 2, Week 4 22nd May

**Life Education Van \$9.00**

Term 2, Week 8 12/18th June

**Bremen Town Musicians \$4.50**

Term 3, Week 2 22nd July

**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**



**HAY LIONS NETBALL—F TROOP**

We are calling all **girls & boys** aged 9 to 12 who love NETBALL or want to learn about NETBALL

to come along to the netball courts on **Tuesday 25th March**  
**At 4.30pm.**

Our aim is to encourage TEAM work, spirit and ability

Kate & Jodie Hicks will be coaching the F Troop team this season.



**JAFFA— Jesus is a Friend for All.**

Fun, food, Bible, singing— for all Year3 to Year 6.

**Tuesday 3:30 pm to 4:30pm**

**St Paul's church Hall— Pine St**

**Opposite the duck pond.**

**Walk around after school from HPS, meet adult leader near school crossing**

**Kitchen Garden News**

We are seeking donations of lemons, basil, chicken wire, small glass bottles (eg tonic water or lemonade bottles with lids for sauce).

Donations may be left at the kitchen or front office.

