



"Flourish to the end"

Hay Happenings

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Term 3, Week 10

17th September 2014



Taylor Johnston is a winner

**Term 4
Staff & Students
commence
Tuesday 7th October**

*Hay Public School P&C invites you to join us for a social night of food,
drinks and music with a touch of...*

Black and Bling

Friday 17th October from 7.30pm

Hay Services Club

FOR 18'S AND OVER ONLY!

**Tickets are \$30 per head and includes substantial finger food.
Tickets can be purchased from the Hay Services Club (6993 1206) or Kylie
Brettschneider (0419 634 037)**

**Tickets pre-purchased prior to 20th September will go into a draw for a chance
to win a \$50 bar voucher for use on the night.**

LIVE MUSIC BY ME AND MRS JONES

Principal's Report

NAPLAN Results

NAPLAN results have arrived for our Year 3 and Year 5 students and reports were sent home with students last week. Results show that our students have made pleasing growth in both literacy and numeracy. The highlight of our school results include our Year 5 average being placed above the state and national average in Reading. In Year 3 the percentage of students in the top two bands of Reading was equal to that of the state. The data received by the school will be used to inform the direction our students' learning will take over the next three years. If parents have questions regarding their individual child's results, please make an appointment to discuss these with your child's classroom teacher.

Writing Competition

Congratulations to Taylor Johnston in winning the 'My Muster' Creative Writing Competition. Sixty entries were received from schools across the Deniliquin District and judged by a panel of muster experts. Taylor won a double pass to the 2014 Deniliquin Ute Muster for the P&C to raffle. This is valued at \$400. Taylor's poetry was commended for the strong imagery used to create a sense of what it is actually like to be present at the Ute Muster and is published this week in Hay Happenings. Raffle tickets are due back in this week and the prize will be drawn on Friday.

Hay Show

Congratulations to all exhibitors from our school who had entries in the show last weekend. These ranged from cooking exhibits produced in our school kitchen, art work, right through to handwriting samples. Many of our exhibitors were successful and a wonderful display was created to promote our school. Well done to all involved with special thanks going to Mrs Lilburne for her dedication and organisation!

Stage 3 Excursion

Stage 3 left yesterday for their excursion to Bendigo and Ballarat that complements their study of *Gold* in the classroom. Highlights of the excursion will include the Golden Dragon Museum, Bendigo Discovery and Science Centre, Sovereign Hill, Wendourie Botanical Gardens and the Museum of Australian Democracy. Thank you to Mrs Murphy for her work in organising the excursion and to supervising teachers Mrs Cullenward, Mrs Pearson, Miss Burke, Mr Ayres and Mrs Christensen for looking after our students over the three day period.

I would like to wish staff and students a safe, happy and enjoyable Term 3 break. School resumes for everyone on Tuesday 7th October.

Carol Oataway

Student of the Week 

- KS Brodie Ashcroft & Lucy Davies**
- IW Lorenz Rickus**
- I/2H Lachlan Marks**
- 3/4 F Brock Blayden**
- 3/4 S Janee Davies**
- 3/4 RH Chontelle Barton**
- 5/6 CC Olivia Joyce**
- 5/6 P Myla Bisset**



Premier's Spelling Bee Recipients



UNSW Spelling Competition



Kindergarten Excursion- Altina Wildlife Park

Wednesday 16th October, 2014

Cost \$35.00

Kindergarten will be travelling to Darlington Point to visit Altina Wildlife Park on Wednesday 16th October.

(Term 4, Week 2)

Permission notes have been distributed. Completed notes and payment are to be returned to the front office by Friday 10th October.



Stage 2 Excursion

29th & 30th October (Term 4, Week 4)

ALL STUDENTS WHO HAVE NOT PAID THEIR DEPOSIT ARE DEEMED AS NOT ATTENDING

Full payment and permission notes by first Friday in Term 4 (Oct 10th).



Stage 2 & 3 News

Library

As this is the last week of term, it would be appreciated if all students could please return their library books to the library. There will be no borrowing this week.

Stage 3 Excursion

Stage Three are currently enjoying the sights of Bendigo and Ballarat. I would like to thank their teachers who have given up their own personal and family time to accompany students during the excursion. Thanks to Mr Ayres, Miss Burke, Mrs Christensen, Mrs Pearson and Mrs Cullenward . Your assistance, time and effort is always very much appreciated.

Mrs Murphy

Assistant Principal St2/3

Sports News**AFL Clinics**

Children in Years 4-6 from both HPS and St Marys enjoyed their last session of a six week AFL program led by Albury-based Development Officer Jack Bradley, at the No 2 Oval last Friday afternoon. Skills have improved during the sessions and were displayed in games during the last three weeks. Each participant received a backpack containing a Sherrin and other AFL goodies. Thanks to the Hay Lions Football and Netball Club and Jack for providing this opportunity for our students. At the same time, Year 3 enjoyed a skills session afternoon provided by former HPS student (and trainee teacher) Geoff Joyce who returned for the Masters'.

Riverina Rep Photo

This photo will be taken in the Waring Gardens, Deniliquin on Tuesday 28th October at 11.00am.

This involves the following students:-

Iona Cullenward	Cricket
Delilah Crighton	Cricket
Emily Headon	Cross Country & Athletics
Brait Headon	Rugby League & Athletics
Hugh Crighton	Rugby League
Jack Miller	Athletics
Sam Curtis	Athletics
Ben Marshall	Athletics

These students represented Riverina at State level. Congratulations on your outstanding sporting year.

State Athletics

The NSWPSA Athletics Championships will be held at Homebush, Sydney on Wednesday 15th and Thursday 16th October (Term 4, Week 2). Good luck to Brait Headon long jump, high jump, 100m and 200m, Emily Headon (800m) and the Senior Boys relay team (Brait Headon, Jack Miller, Sam Curtis and Ben Marshall)

2 Hay FM

Thanks to Miss Burke, Emily Headon, Brait Headon, Katie Arandt and Isaac Booth who presented sports reports on 2 Hay FM when I was on Long Service Leave. Thanks also to Gemma Tassell and Ben Caughey for their reports in Week 8.

Thanks to all parents and community members for your assistance with sport in Term 3. Have a safe, enjoyable holiday break.

Robyn Pearson

Sports Coordinator

FOR SALE- HAY PUBLIC SCHOOL HATS

Two sizes available

\$10.00 each

Available front office

**Coming Events/ Sporting Dates**

16/18th Sept	Stage 3 Excursion
18th Sept	No Greenslip Reward
19th Sept	Last Day Term 3 & P&C Mufti Day (No theme)

Term 4

7th Oct	Term 4 (Staff & Students return)
10th Oct	FINAL PAYMENT STAGE 2 EXCURSION
15/16th Oct	State Athletics Homebush
16th Oct	Kindergarten Excursion to Altina Wildlife Park. (Week 2)
17th Oct	P&C Black & Bling
28th Oct	Riverina Rep Photo-Deni
19/20th Nov	Cricket Big Bash-Deniliquin
16th Dec	Presentation Day
17th Dec	Last day school for students & staff

Are you getting ready?

Put on your akubra,
Slip your boots over your feet.

The rumble of the utes are loud,
The dust washes up in your face.

The smell of snags, chops and ribs
Wafts in the country breeze

Sheppard is playing!
The crowd cheers.

Wheelies everywhere,
The men yahooing!

Bonfires light up the night,
Fireworks cracking.

The next day cars are revving!
Lights flash.

Girls in skinny jeans and boots,
Men in their utes showing off.

The smell of petrol is everywhere.
Hot chips all over the ground.

Utes rumbling.

Taylor Johnston - Age 11 - Hay Public School



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



School Holiday Program at
Bishop's Lodge Historic House

Have some great fun on your **holiday Wednesday**

- Activity 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 24 September 10.00 am – 12.00 noon

Kids in the Kitchen

Cupcakes and more

Enjoy a morning decorating cupcakes to mark a special event at Bishop's Lodge.



School Holidays @ the library

Thursday 25 September @ 10.30am
 PG rated Popcorn Party
 Thursday 2 October @ 10.30am Chips,
 Chequers and other board games
 Children under the age of 10 years need to be accompanied by an adult.



Free School Holiday Activity

Mon 22 – Fri 26 September
 9.30am – 12.30pm Hay Park **FREE!**

Hay Kids' Club 2014

Years K-8 welcome!

- Games
- Craft
- Bible stories
- Morning tea and lots of fun!!

Youth café and chill zone
 7 – 9.30pm each night (except
 Wed) at Hay Park .
 High school students
 welcome.



For more information call Peter 0407 752 453



LUNCH LANE CANTEEN

Friday Special
Lunch
19th September



Steak in Bread
Liquorice
Juice Box
\$5.00

Orders by Thursday
please

P&C News

Black & Bling Friday 17th October

For their annual fundraiser the P&C are seeking donations of nibbles. Savoury or sweet would be most appreciated.

Ideas include– chicken wings, pastry stars, sausage rolls, ribbon sandwiches, pizza swirls, choc brownies, caramel slice or whatever you are good at making!

Recipes for the above are available at the front office.

The P&C would like to thank all school and community members who have supported our fundraising activities in Term 3 and wish everyone a safe, enjoyable holiday.



NRL
Holiday
Clinic



AGES 6-12
 \$30
 10:00AM
 12:00PM

THURSDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER,
HAY SPORTSGROUND, 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:
- Steeden football
 - Drink Bottle
 - Kicking Tee
 - NRL carry bag
 - Football pump
- Register now:
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www.southwestnswdevelopment.league.net.com.au

