



"Flourish to the end"

Hay Happenings

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Term 1, Week 7

11th March 2015



G'Day Asia Performance.

K-6 Assembly

Friday 13th March
9:30am



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

Congratulations to Myla Bisset on her 1st place in the 13 Year Girls 50m freestyle at the Riverina Swimming Trials on Monday. Myla will now represent the Riverina Region at State Trials in two week's time.

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 is \$30 to cover the cost of materials that are essential for each student's learning such as exercise books, mini whiteboards, pencils, pens, paper, whiteboard markers, etc. A subject fee of \$25 has also been set to cover the cost of practical lessons that students undertake. Performance fees cover the cost of visiting performances to the school such as the G'Day Asia performance that visited the school on Monday. 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.

School Attendance Policy

I would like to inform parents and carers that there has been a change to the Department of Education and Communities School Attendance Policy. As part of the implementation of the National Standards for Student Attendance Data reporting, holidays taken by students outside of school vacation periods will now be included as absences. A Certificate of Exemption can no longer be granted for this purpose. Families are encouraged to holiday or travel during school vacations. If travel outside school vacation periods is necessary, parents will need to make an appointment with the school principal for leave to be approved. If you have any questions regarding the new DEC procedures, please contact our school office.

School Commitments

Well done to our sports representatives who have been travelling away recently to attend sporting trials, carnivals or knockout competitions. At Hay Public School, we like to develop the whole child and participation in active and healthy activities is part of that. When students reach Stage 3, they are often away representing the school in extra

curricula activities. If your child is absent from school on school business, please discuss with the class teacher ways in which they can keep up with any missed work.

P&C AGM

I'd like to issue a general reminder to come along to the P&C Annual General Meeting tomorrow, 12th 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.

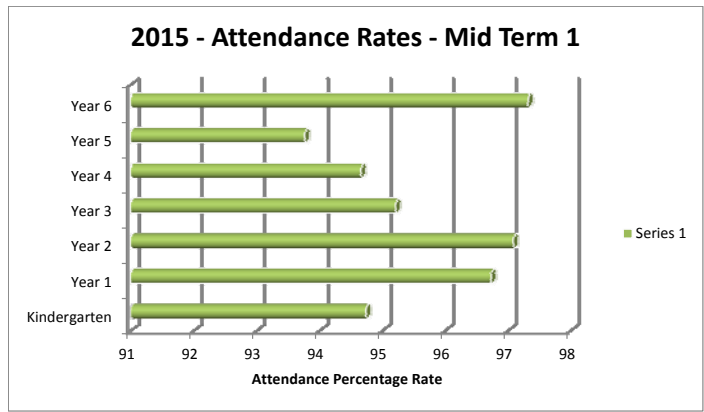
Have a great week!

Carol Oataway

Principal



- ★ **KB** James Johnson
- ★ **K/I/W** Josh Gardiner
- ★ **I/2B** Larissa Sorensen
- ★ **2H** Riley Harris & Holly Ashcroft
- ★ **3S** Sean Johnston
- ★ **4RA** Christopher McGuirk
- ★ **4/5F** Isaac Gardiner
- ★ **5/6CC** Caleb Burke
- ★ **5/6P** Lanta Clark



Mrs Murphy Assistant Principal Stage 2 & 3

Stage 1 News

Sport

Today 2H will go to the swimming pool with Miss Hiebl, Mrs Houston and Mr Ayres to participate in water awareness activities. KB, K/I/W and I/2B will participate in fundamental movement skills rotations at school. The skills we are focusing on this week are kicking, two handed strike and dodging.

Next week I/2B will go to the pool again. Don't forget to pack swimmers, towel, goggles, sunscreen and a water bottle.

Miss Kate Burke

Assistant Principal K-2



Stage 2 & 3 News

Stage 3 Excursion- Canberra

Parents and caregivers are encouraged to start paying off this excursion. A deposit must be received by **Friday, March 20th** in order to secure your child's position. Please see the front office staff if your child has not received a permission note about this excursion.

Year 6 T-shirts

Year 6 are in the process of selecting their design for their commemorative Year 6 t-shirt. Payment will be required before students receive their shirt.

Choir

On Monday 16th March, the school choir will be walking to the Memorial Hall to perform at Senior Citizens luncheon. The choir will be singing two songs, 'The Climb' and "You Are My Sunshine'. They will perform at 10:15am.

Attendance

A child who attends school every day has a greater opportunity to increase their learning potential. How often does your child stay away from school because they are tired, or it's their birthday or you have a shopping trip planned in another town? These are not acceptable excuses. Well done to our Year 6 students who have made a positive start to the 2015 school year.



KB have been working hard in the classroom this week visiting Pollyanna in the garden, learning about graphs and length.

A Shocking Night Out!

Family Science Show

Electricity and Lightning

Thursday March 12, 2015

Hay War Memorial High School

Spirit of ANZAC Centre

Highly Visual and Entertaining!

Examine Interesting Phenomena Using

Equipment That is Not Readily Available!

Cost: FREE!!

Science Show

Years 2-6 will be travelling to the Hay War Memorial High School on Thursday 12th March to watch an Air Show. The cost for this excursion is a gold coin donation, payable upon entry.

Sport Report**Cricket Knockout**

Our cricket team played Deni North, in Deniliquin, last Wednesday 4th March.

Hay won the toss and elected to bat. After a shaky start, Tom Christensen (12 n.o.) and Hugh Crighton (12) consolidated the innings. They were supported by Brait Headon (8) and Delilah Crighton (7 n.o.). At the completion of the 25 overs, our total was 10/88.

In reply, Deni North scored 8/41.

Wickets were shared amongst Brait Headon 2/3, Rhys Lees 2/4, Tom Christensen 1/0, Ben Caughey 1/3, Richard Weymouth 1/1, and Ronan Haines 1/5. Wides top-scored for both sides!!

Catches were taken by Tom, Delilah, Rhys and Richard.

Thanks to My Ayres for his coaching and to the parents who travelled and supported the team.

We will now play Deniliquin South in Round 3, before the end of term, in Deniliquin.

District Tennis Trials

Delilah Crighton, Richard Weymouth and Herbie Maynard attended the Riverina Tennis Trials in Griffith last Friday. All played very competitive tennis, with Herbie and Richard getting through to the finals. Herbie narrowly missed out on Riverina selection and was named first reserve. CONGRATULATIONS.

Riverina Swimming Carnival

The Riverina Swimming Carnival was held on Monday 9th March in Albury. Well done to Emily Gibson, Myla Bisset, Claire and Ryan Booth, Kate and Jack Turner (SOTA) and Tom McLean who represented our local area at Regional level. CONGRATULATIONS to Myla Bisset who qualified for the NSWPSA Carnival in the 13 Year Girls 50m freestyle event. WELL DONE to the SOTA PP6 relay team (Claire and Ryan Booth, Kate and Jack Turner), who also qualified. WOW!! The NSWPSA Championships will be held at Homebush on Wednesday 25th and Thursday 26th March.

District AFL Trials

Tom Christensen, Flynn Griffiths, Ben Caughey, Herbie Maynard, Brait Headon and Hugh Crighton have been selected to participate in the AFL Trials to be held at the Blighty Football Ground on Thursday March 12th (tomorrow), commencing at 9:30am. Good luck, boys.

2 Hay FM

Thanks to Ben Caughey and Brait Headon for presenting our sports report on 2 Hay FM last Friday.

Stage 3 Sport

Stage 3 will focus on cricket, netball and tennis this Friday at 2:00pm.

Girls Soccer Trials

Trials will be held this week to select girls to attend the Deni District Soccer Trials on Tuesday 24th March.

Coming Events/ Sporting Dates

12th March	District AFL Trials - Deni
12th March	P&C Meeting 2pm-AGM
19th March	Western AFL Trials -Leeton
19th March	NRL Gala Day-Hay
20th March	District Netball Trials -Deni
24th March	Principal's Lunch
24th March	Girls' Soccer Trials-Deni
25th March	NSWPSSA Swim. Carnival
26th March	NSWPSSA Swim. Carnival
1st April	Easter Hat Parade-12pm
2nd April	Good Friday
22nd April	Students return for Term 2

FOR SALE- HAY PUBLIC SCHOOL HATS

Two sizes available

\$10.00 each

Available front office

**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. All donations may be left at the front office.

The raffle will be drawn at the Easter Hat Parade on Wednesday 1st April, 2015 and funds raised go towards the Year 6 Farewell and gift.



DONATIONS MAY BE LEFT AT THE FRONT OFFICE

Hay Junior Soccer Registration Day

Sunday 15th March

10am-12pm

Soccer Shed, No.3 Oval

Girls and Boys Under 15 years



Hay Tennis Club Easter Chocolate Hunt

When: Sunday 22nd March 9am – 11am
Sausage Sizzle Breakfast \$1/ sausage.

Chocolate Easter Hunt \$5/person. Please bring a basket, bag or container.
Mystery prizes in hunt.



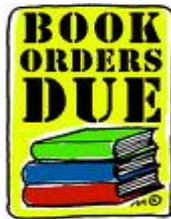
Tennis games.

Please bring all entries and payments to Kerry at The Fish Shop, prior to the day for catering purposes. Numbers are strictly limited so get your entries in quickly.

Come and have a great family fun day!
All money raised goes to the Tennis Club.

Bookclub Issue 2

**Orders due by
Thursday 18th March**



**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 27th March.

NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED

Name: _____ Year _____

Class: _____

Please tick

- Digital Technologies - 19 May \$8.00
- Science –3 June \$8.00
- Spelling -16 June \$11.00
- Writing –15-19 June \$17.00
- English –28 July \$8.00
- Mathematics –11 Aug \$8.00
- All of the above \$60.00

TOTAL PAYMENT ENCLOSED: \$ _____

Direct Credit payments are accepted

BSB 032-001 Acc No 141581

Account Name: Hay Public School



LUNCH LANE CANTEEN

Friday Special Lunch

6th March



**Plain Hamburger
Ka-Bluey
Packet of chips
\$5.00**

SCHOOL COUNCIL NOMINATION FORM

Nominations are being sought for the School Council

We are seeking:-

2 x parent representatives

Please nominate by completing the following:-

Name: _____

Contact Details:- _____

Please return to the yellow box in the front office

**HAY PUBLIC SCHOOL
PAYMENTS COUPON**

Once a Year Payments per child:-

General Contribution Fee \$30.00
Subject Fee \$25.00

Performances

Life Education \$10.00

Term 2, Week 4 - 17-19th June

Indigenous Performer \$5.00

Term 3, Week 4 - 3rd August

INVOICES HAVE BEEN ISSUED

Name: _____ \$ _____

Name: _____

Total Payment per child **\$70.00**

Payment to yellow box in front office or direct credit details

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