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Hay Happenings

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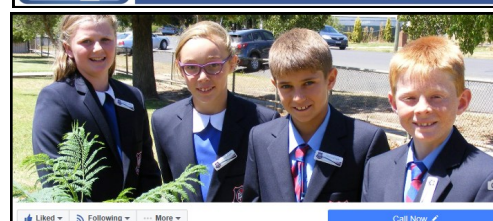
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Term 3, Week 7

30th August 2017



CWA Public Speaking



Principal's Report

SAS Recognition Week

The school community is made up of a lot of different people, all of whom play a part in the running of schools and the provision of quality education to students. School Administrative and Support Staff, whether they work in the office, the library, on the school grounds or in a classroom setting, are important contributors to the success of the school and children's education. I would like to recognise the support staff at Hay Public School who include: Mrs Judy Callaghan, Mrs Joanne Dunn, Mrs Kerri Mijok, Mrs Ruth Headon, Mrs Anna Lilburne, Ms Debbie Jones, Mrs Cate Gaston, Mrs Kathy Duncan, Ms Kirsten Hutchings, Mr Michael Montgomery, Mr Lloyd Brettschneider and Mr Glen Tonkin. I would like to thank them for supporting our students on a daily basis and for their dedicated contributions to Hay Public School.

UNSW Writing Competition

We have received some pleasing results in the recently held University of NSW Writing Competition. Eighteen students participated with five credits and thirteen participation certificates. Congratulations to Emily Caughey (Year 3), Jim Houston (Year 4), Roree Moorhouse (Year 5), Olivia Huggins and Will Simpson (Year 6) on receiving a credit. Certificates for Writing and Spelling will be awarded at assembly on the 8th September.

NAPLAN

The school's NAPLAN results have arrived and have all been distributed to parents. Overall, the school is

performing better than schools that are similar to Hay Public School in: Year 3 – Reading, Grammar and Punctuation and Numeracy; Year 5 – Reading, Writing, Spelling, Grammar and Punctuation and Numeracy. Our Year 5 students are at or better than the NSW state average in Numeracy and Spelling. One of the most pleasing aspects of our NAPLAN results was our learning growth between Year 3 and Year 5. In reading, our growth was 22 basis points above state and 43 points in numeracy. Next week our Year 3 and 5 students will be part of a NAPLAN online trial. Year 5 will sit two, one hour tests and Year 3 will sit one.

Stage 2 Excursion

Stage 2 students and their teachers Miss Kennedy, Miss Hicks, Mrs Simpson, Mrs Duncan and Mr Montgomery have travelled to Lake Mungo and Swan Hill this week on an overnight excursion. Students visited the Lake Mungo Visitors' Centre, Swan Hill Pioneer Museum, took part in an educational tour and enjoyed a paddle steamer cruise along the Murray. Excursions are an important part of school life in that they complement work studied in the classroom and assist students to be independent when away from home.

Have a great week!

Carol Oataway

Principal

Quality education in a caring environment

2017 CWA PUBLIC SPEAKING

Stage 2/3 students from Hay Public School participated in the CWA public speaking competition last week. The first round of speeches was held in class where most students spoke about the four topics. 'How I would change the world?', 'Living in a rural community, what are your thoughts?', 'Should fast food advertising and promotions be banned?' and 'Who would I invite to a BBQ and why?' All students spoke well and from each class a group of finalists was chosen. The Stage 2 finalists were Miranda Griffiths, Cohen Clavel Emily Caughey, Breanna Burns-Jarratt, Wendy Atkins, Jim Houston, Ben Clark, Larissa Sorensen and Sienna Lund. The Stage 3 finalists were Lucy Shea, Chelsea Cox, Austin Clavel, Devlin-James Clarke, Bailey Caughey, Daniel Stewart, Jack Headon, Ayesha Headon, Skye Lilburne, Olivia Huggins, Ollie Gaston, Lachie Clark, Carrie Ann Murray, Finn Cullenward, Darci Masters, Will Simpson, Emma Johnston and Luke Nevinson.

All speakers presented well organised and engaging speeches with Jim Houston and Ben Clark being declared winners of Stage 2 with Miranda Griffiths and Emily Caughey as runners up. Lachlan Clark and Chelsea Cox were declared winners of Stage 3 with Skye Lilburne and Ollie Gaston as runners up. Jim, Ben, Lachie and Chelsea all went on to perform in the CWA district finals which were held last Friday (25th August). At these finals the students competed against the other district primary schools, Booligal, St Marys, Carrathool and School of the Air. We are delighted to announce that Ben Clark and Lachlan Clark were the winners of their respective stages with Jim Houston being named runner up in Stage 2. Our four students spoke brilliantly and really entertained the audience with their well prepared and engaging speeches. They were an absolute credit to our school. A huge thank you must go to our school judges Mrs Samantha Davies, Mrs Cathy Millyard and Ms Teagan Hatfield for their work in choosing the four finalists and also to Mrs Markeeta Munn, Mrs Tricia Jarratt and Mrs Helen Morphett for judging the district finals. Thanks also to Mrs Bronwyn Turner and the CWA ladies for organising the event and providing such a great opportunity for our students.



CWA Public Speaking

Book Week

Thank you to all families who supported our Book Week / Book Fair. The sales of books enabled the school to purchase a variety of good quality literature for the library. Thank you also to all students who dressed up on Tuesday. There was a fantastic variety of characters from all sorts of books that students have escaped into. Congratulations to the following students for winning the class prizes for best dressed:

Lily Books	(Wanda, Where's Wally)
Ryder Gerkens	(Cat in the Hat)
Jorja Townsend	(The Highway Rat)
Dan Jamieson	(The Mad Hatter)
Anthony Hayes	(Chewbacca)
Larissa Sorensen	(Hermione Granger, Harry Potter)
Charlie Boyd	(The Joker)
Skye Lilburne	(Queen of Hearts)
Lane Griffiths	(Harry Potter)

Congratulations also goes to the following students for winning the borrowing prize:

Rachel Taylor	(Kindergarten)
Emily Shea	(Stage One)
Wendy Atkins	(Stage Two)
Nikita Lauer	(Stage Three)

Reading is one of the most important fundamental skills children need to master in order to succeed in school, and succeed in life. Reading to and with your children is one of the most rewarding bonding times for your family. Make time to read with your children every day. It not only broadens your outlook and horizons, and enhances your imagination but increases your knowledge, writing and communication skills. Hay Public School is so lucky to have such a well-resourced library. We encourage all students to borrow regularly and enjoy the fantastic books on offer.

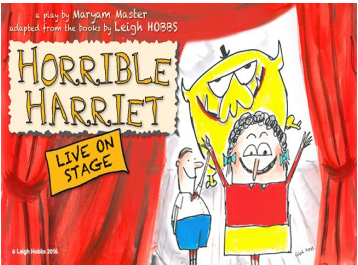
Sarah Houston
Teacher Librarian

Excursions REMINDER TO PAY

- *Kindergarten to Altina Wildlife Park \$40.00
- *Stage 1 to Griffith Regional Theatre to watch Horrible Harriet \$40.00

Term 3, Week 9

If you have not already done so please return payment and permission notes to the front office asap.



Sports News

Riverina Athletics Carnival

Fourteen children (eleven in individual events) will compete at the Regional Athletics Carnival in Albury this Friday, commencing at 9.00am.

Jim Houston	high jump, 800m, 200m
Nate Clarke	long jump, 800m, 100m
Paul Vula	100m,
Skye Lilburne	high jump
Lucy Shea	200m
Rhys Wall	200m, 100m
Jack Headon	800m, 100m
Daniel Stewart	long jump
Cohen Clavel	100m
Lachlan Clark	800m
Will Simpson	discus

Relays

Junior Boys: Jim Houston, Nate Clark, Kirby Pingiaro, Cohen Clavel

Senior Girls: Darci Masters, Skye Lilburne, Lucy Shea, Janee Davies.

NB: Relays follow the 100m events.

GOOD LUCK, EVERYONE.

Girls' Soccer Knockout

Our girls' soccer team played Parkview Public in Leeton yesterday. Parkview 3 defeated Hay nil. More details will be in next week's Hay Happenings.

Riverina Girls' Cricket Trials

Skye Lilburne, Ayesha Headon and Darci Masters have been nominated to attend the Riverina Cricket Trials at Lavington on **Tuesday 12th September (note change of date).**

2 Hay FM

Thanks to Janee Davies and Emma Johnston for presenting our sports report on 2 Hay FM last Friday.

Jump Rope for Heart

Jump Rope for Heart is a great way for your child to keep fit and learn new skills but it also helps raise funds for vital heart research and education programs.

It is really important you register your child online so they can receive the full benefits of the program and also participate in online fundraising. Simply visit www.jumprope.org.au and click on [register](#). Don't forget, our Jump Off Day is Thursday 14th September (Week 9). All sponsorship needs to be finalised before this day. Any questions – please see Mrs Simpson.

Book Club Issue 6
Due 8th SEPT



Silver September

Hay Public School P&C is trialling a new fundraiser for the school. No raffle tickets, baking or volunteering required!

5c coins collected on Friday 1 September

10c coins collected on Friday 8 September

20c coins collected on Friday 15 September

50c coins collected on Friday 22 September

Please hand all coins in to your class teacher on Friday mornings.

The class that raises the most money will be awarded a class prize in Term 4 courtesy of the P&C.

Start collecting your silver coins.



Coming Events/ Sporting Dates

1st Sept	Riverina Athletics—Albury
4th Sept	NAPLAN Online Testing
12th Sept	Riverina Girls' Cricket Trials-Lavington
12th Sept	Kindergarten Excursion
13th Sept	Stage 1 Excursion
14th Sept	Jump Rope for Heart Jump Off Day
	P&C Meeting 2pm
	<u>Term 4</u>
18th/19th Oct	NSWPSSA Athletics—Homebush

SCHOOL EXCURSIONS

KINDER (Tuesday 12th September)

Altina Wildlife Park \$40.00

STAGE 1 (Wednesday 13th September)

Griffith Regional Theatre \$40.00

STAGE 3 (Tues 17th Oct to Fri 20th Oct)

Canberra \$450.00

Students have been invoiced.
Parents are encouraged to begin making regular payments via front office or Parent Online Payment portal.

Thank You

to Narelle, our canteen supervisor,
and her band of workers for your efforts
at our recent athletics carnival!

Staff, students and
spectators appreciate
your hard work !
Hay Public School
P & C Committee



Workshops

Pebble Art Workshop 5th Sept

*In this workshop kids will
create individual artworks
with pebbles which will then be framed.*



Paper Quilling Workshop 19th Sept

*In this workshop kids will create &
decorate designs using paper rolled and
shaped.*

Time: 3.30pm–5pm

Cost: \$25 per person (all
materials provided and
afternoon snack)

Contact Steph Cattanach 0400 404 952



HAY PUBLIC SCHOOL CANTEEN



Canteen List
available on
website



Canteen Birthday Cup
Cake Orders \$25.00



FREE SCHOOL DENTAL CLINIC



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COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE
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0-18yrs– bring Medicare Card



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PARENT ONLINE PAYMENT (POP)

Did you know that you can make payments to your child's school online?

We have launched a new online payment portal linked to your school's website to make it easier for you to pay for school related payments. This is a secure payment page hosted by Westpac which enables parents to pay online by using either VISA, MasterCard or debit card..

What expenses can be paid online?

- Voluntary School Contributions
- Subject Contributions
- Excursions
- Sport
- Creative and Practical Arts
- Sales to Students
- Other

When?

This payment method is available now.

How?

Log onto School site at www.hay-p.schools.nsw.edu.au Click on "Make a Payment" and follow the prompts to make a payment via Visa or MasterCard.

NO DIRECT ONLINE DEPOSITS NOW ACCEPTED.