



"Flourish to the end"

# Hay Happenings

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Term 2, Week 6

5th June 2019



## STAGE 3 EXCURSION



### SCHOOL RULES

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

**STAR**  
**Assembly**  
**Friday**  
**7th June**  
**12.00pm**  
**School Hall**  
**All Welcome**

### Principal's Report

#### Stage 3 Excursion

Pictured this week are our Stage 3 students on their excursion to Canberra. Along with their teachers, the students had a very full itinerary with the highlight being a visit to Parliament House, Australian War Memorial, Questacon, Australian Institute of Sport, the Australian Electoral Commission and the National Gallery. This excursion complemented their studies in democracy and Australia as a nation. Thank you to Mrs Simpson for organising a wonderful excursion for our students and to Miss Jamieson, Mrs Cullenward, Mrs Duncan and Ms Jones for the care they provided to all students during their four days away.

#### District Cross Country

Well done to all students who attended the Deniliquin PSSA District Cross Country last Friday. Pleasing results were achieved by: Nate Clarke – 1<sup>st</sup> 11 years boys; Jim Houston – 1<sup>st</sup> 12/13 years boys; Kyper Woods – 1<sup>st</sup> 8/9 years boys; Ben Clark – 2<sup>nd</sup> 12/13 years boys; Hilton Hargreaves – 2<sup>nd</sup> 10 years boys; Alex Giddins – 4<sup>th</sup> 8/9 years boys; and Isobella Murray – 4<sup>th</sup> 12/13 years girls. These students will be representing the Deni District at Gundagai on 13th June.

#### Positive Social Skills

Children who are good at making and keeping friends use positive social skills. Parents, carers and staff help children learn positive social skills by guiding them as young children and providing opportunities for play where

children can practise their skills. Key social skills that help with friendships include cooperation, communication, empathy, emotional control and responsibility. All children go through friendship conflicts at some stage of their schooling. Encourage and discuss with your child some positive social skills and behaviours to use when this occurs – taking turns, asking questions, refusing to join in negative behaviours, following the rules of the game, cooperating and playing fair.

#### Assessments and Reports

The teachers at Hay PS have been very busy over the past few weeks collecting assessment data and beginning the process of writing student reports. They are pleased with the progress each student has made and look forward to celebrating their achievements. Reports will go home on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June, with Parent Teacher Interviews taking place the following week during Week 10. The mid-year report will give each child a grade for each key learning area, as well as an assessment of each child's effort in class. The descriptors of learning used in our reports are self-explanatory describing where each student is in relation to their grade expectation. I urge all parents to attend these interviews as they are a part of our reporting process, as well as a great opportunity to meet with your child's teacher and discuss any concerns you may have.

Have a great week!

Carol Oataway  
**Principal**

## SPORTS NEWS

### District Cross Country

Congratulations to the 30 Hay Public School runners who competed at the District Cross Country last Friday. Our school received some outstanding results with 7 students qualifying for the Riverina Cross Country Carnival to be held in Gundagai on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2019. Hay Public School was named runners up following closely behind Deniliquin South who were declared champion school on the day.

Riverina qualifying students are;

**8/9 Year Boys;** Kyper Woods 1<sup>st</sup> and Alex Giddins 4<sup>th</sup>

**10 Year Boys;** Hilton Hargreaves 2<sup>nd</sup> (Cree Harris 5<sup>th</sup> – first reserve)

**10 Year Girls;** (Charli Giddins 5<sup>th</sup> – first reserve)

**11 Year Boys;** Nate Clarke 1<sup>st</sup>

**11 Year Girls;** (Emily Cai 5<sup>th</sup> – first reserve)

**12/13 Year Boys;** Jim Houston 1<sup>st</sup>, Ben Clark 2<sup>nd</sup>, (Kirby Pingiaro 5<sup>th</sup> – first reserve)

**12/13 Year Girls;** Isobella Murray 4<sup>th</sup>, Karly Fisher 5<sup>th</sup> – first reserve)

Please return permission notes to Mrs Houston ASAP.

### Netball Knockout

The Hay Public School netball squad has been training with Miss Zambon. They will play either Deni South or Edward Public School at a date and location to be announced this week.

### Tennis Knockout

Our tennis team competed in round four of the Victor Kelly Knockout today in Hay. Results will be published in next week's Hay Happenings. Many thanks to Lani Houston for all the extra coaching she has done with our team and to Tony Callaghan for his help with the coordination of the matches.



## K-2 Sports Stars of the Week

Week 5 Sports Stars of the Week were:

**Lions** - Lachlan Back and Ryan Clark

**Bears** - Nina Schiller and Bronx Woods

**Rhinos** - Gemma Townsend and Archie Auld

## Library News

### STAR BORROWERS

Cameron Green KC

Nina Schiller KC

Oliver Meads KC

Isabelle Sandow KC

Harley Atkinson 1/2Z

Ryan Clark 1/2Z

Bill Houston 1/2S

Braxton Lund 1/2S

Abbey Liddington-Denehey 4/5J



## PARENT INFORMATION NIGHT

Come along to our parent information night to learn more about methods to support mental health and wellbeing

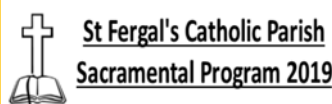
**WHEN:** Tuesday 11th June

**TIME:** 7pm

**WHERE:** Hay War Memorial High School

[THERESILIENCEPROJECT.COM.AU](http://THERESILIENCEPROJECT.COM.AU)

Hay Public School students will be participating in The Resilience Project later this term and parents are encouraged to attend this information session.



### Sacramental Program 2019

**First Communion - Sunday 23rd June 2019**

Parents who would like their child receive the Sacrament of First Communion are asked to contact Veronica Tripney. Children need to have received the Sacrament of Confirmation prior to participating in First Communion.

**Sacrament of Confirmation - Sunday 4th August 2019**

Bishop Columba Macbeth Green will be in Hay to administer the Sacrament of Confirmation for students in Year 3 on Sunday 4th August 2019. Parents are asked to contact Veronica Tripney at St Mary's School on 69931775 if they would like their child to participate in any of these Sacramental Programs.

Are you a parent of a young person?

Do you sometimes feel like a broken record?

If you have young people between 10 and 18 years of age, join us for a free program run over 3 weeks that will help you better understand the young people in your house!

The Engaging Adolescent program takes about practical parenting tips that work, and information such as:

- Asking the question - is it serious?
- What's worth reacting to and what's not,
- How to hold those difficult conversations more successfully,
- Understanding adolescence, and
- Understanding your job as a parent of a teenager-observer, advisor and negotiator.

**When:** This program is run over 3 sessions. Wednesday - 5th, 12<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> June 2019  
**Where:** The Hay Hub, 78 Lachlan St, Hay  
**Time:** 10:00am - 12:30 am

**Sounds interesting?**

To register contact: Naomi  
Phone: (02) 6997 2503  
Mobile: 0400519122  
Email: [naomi@intereach.com.au](mailto:naomi@intereach.com.au)





## No homework club on Tuesday 11th June

### CANBERRA EXCURSION



### CHANGED CONDITIONS

Work will commence on replacing the Leonard St fence on Tuesday 11th June. During this time the Leonard St entrances will be temporarily closed.

Access to the school should be made through the kitchen garden end (Edward St), the main office entrance (Lachlan St.) or Balaclava St.

### ON SALE NOW 150 YEARS OF HISTORY BOOK

**\$40 from the  
front office**

**HAY PUBLIC SCHOOL**  
150 YEARS OF HISTORY  
1869 - 2019



### Weekly Attendance Rates

Week Ending: 31st May 2019

1	1/2Z	97.29%
2	KC	97.04%
3	1/2S	95.83%
4	4/5J	94.62%
5	3/4B	93.61%
6	5/6D	93.00%
7	3/4R	91.66%
8	5/6SC	91.02%

### Attendance Facts

- ⇒ Well done to 1/2Z for their excellent attendance last week;
- ⇒ Well done to all classes for achieving over 90% attendance last week. This is a great improvement;
- ⇒ Children who attend school regularly are prepared for success in school and in life;
- ⇒ Children who attend school regularly develop healthy life habits;
- ⇒ Children who attend school regularly feel more connected to their community and develop important social skills and friendships;
- ⇒ Students who attend school regularly are set up for a strong future.

SCHOLASTIC  **Book Club**

**Issue 4 - Orders Due  
Friday 21st June**

# What's Happening

## TERM 2

6th June	Footy Colours Day
6th June	School Council Meeting - 7pm
12th June	The Resilience Project
13th June	P&C Meeting - 2pm
13th June	Regional Cross Country
19th June	EnviroMentors
25th June	Robotics - Stage 3
26th June	Robotics - Stage 2
27th June	Principal's Reward Lunch
28th June	Athletics Carnival
3rd July	No Greenslip Reward
5th July	Last day of term 2

### University of NSW International Competitions

Please complete the entry form and return it to the yellow box in the front office by **FRIDAY 2nd AUGUST**

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

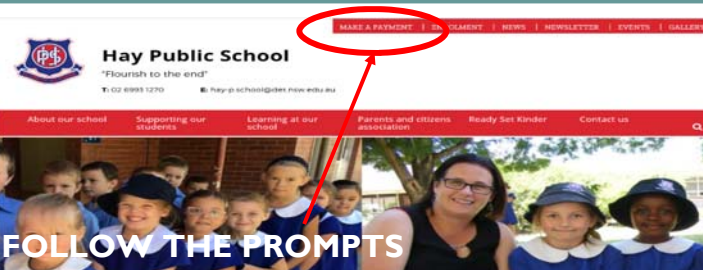
Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Please tick

- |                          |                      |         |
|--------------------------|----------------------|---------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Digital Technologies | \$9.50  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Science              | \$9.50  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Spelling             | \$12.50 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Writing              | \$18.50 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | English              | \$9.50  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Mathematics          | \$9.50  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | All of the above     | \$69.00 |

TOTAL PAYMENT ENCLOSED: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Payment to yellow box in front office or  
Log onto School site at [www.hay-p.schools.nsw.edu.au](http://www.hay-p.schools.nsw.edu.au) Click on "Make a Payment" and follow the prompts to make a payment via Visa or MasterCard or debit card.



### PARENT ONLINE PAYMENT (POP)

#### FOR SCHOOL FEES, EXCURSIONS

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](http://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 ACCEPTED.**

### HPS Payment Coupon

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

Total Payment \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Payment to yellow box in front office  
or by Parents Online Payments on website

#### Fees

General Contribution	\$35.00
Subject Fees	\$20.00

#### Performances

Bush Dance	\$5.00
20th September	
Scientastic	FREE
25th September	

#### Excursions

Kindergarten - 4th September	\$40
Altina Wildlife Park	
Stage Two - 13th & 14th August	\$150
Lake Mungo & Swan Hill	

**Payment is required for ALL performances**

### HAY PUBLIC SCHOOL CANTEN

Canteen List available on website



**Canteen Birthday Cup  
Cake Orders \$25.00**

