



"Flourish to the end"

Hay Happenings

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Term 2, Week 8

19th June 2019



CROSS COUNTRY



SCHOOL RULES

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

MERIT
Assembly
Friday
21st June
12.00pm
School Hall
All Welcome

Principal's Report

Regional Cross Country

Well done to our Regional Cross Country team who competed in Gundagai last Thursday. These students all demonstrated a determination and focus to achieve, and many came away achieving their personal best on the day. Well done to Jim Houston and Nate Clarke who have been selected to represent the Riverina PSSA in the state competition later in the year. Nate and Jim train very hard in their running and success is well deserved. The qualities of a successful sportsperson are the same as those for every student wanting to achieve: whether it is in the classroom, on the sporting field, hobbies and social pursuits. In order to improve, students need to take responsibility for their own learning. Focusing on the end goal, putting in the effort and having determination and drive will ensure success in all walks of life.

Reports

Semester One reports are due to go out on Thursday 27th June. Reports give a snapshot of the educational progress that your child has made over the past semester, as well as their social development and commitment to learning. Teachers assess students at Hay Public school against state wide standards and use a rigorous assessment process in order to do so. In addition to written reports we encourage parents and caregivers to attend scheduled parent / teacher meetings. This is a worthwhile opportunity where parents and teachers can share important information about their child's talents, strengths, interests and needs. All parents are encouraged to attend these meetings and be involved in your child's learning as it is important to maintain strong communication lines between home and school. Parents / Teacher meetings are scheduled for the last week of term. If you are unable to attend on the given day, please ring the school to make alternative arrangements.

Bullying is Everyone's Responsibility

The school has a duty of care to keep everyone safe and behaviour that causes concern should be dealt with in a timely manner. Anyone who is the victim or a witness to bullying has a responsibility to report it straight away and to keep on reporting it if it does not stop. It is the responsibility of the school to investigate any reports and deal with it under the Discipline Policy of the school. The school will act on the information that they receive and base their investigations around this. Parents need to be aware that there are many steps in the Discipline Policy that need to be followed and green slips, detentions and suspension are not always the end result. A copy of the school's Discipline Policy is published on the school's website and is reviewed regularly.

Number Sense

In classrooms this year, a focus around building number sense in our students has been implemented. It is pleasing to walk into any given classroom during a maths lesson and listen to the students discussing ways in which they have solved problems, the strategies they used and the steps that they took. Quite often students use a different method to solve a problem and teachers gain an understanding of how our students think when they ask them to explain their methods. Working mathematically will continue to be a focus in our lessons, along with rich mathematical tasks that develop the students' ability to think strategically.

Have a great week!

Carol Oatway

Principal

SPORTS NEWS

Regional Cross Country - Gundagai

Last Thursday, 8 Hay Public School students represented the Deniliquin District at the Riverina Cross Country in Gundagai. The results were as follows;

Kyper Woods – 8/9 year boys – 10th

Alex Giddins – 8/9 year boys – 29th

Charli Giddins – 10 year girls – 27th

Hilton Hargreaves – 10 year boys – 27th

Nate Clarke – 11 year boys – 4th

Issy Murray – 12/13 year girls – 13th

Jim Houston – 12/13 year boys – 5th

Ben Clark – 12/13 year boys – 9th

Congratulations to Nate and Jim who have qualified to represent the Riverina at the State Cross Country Carnival to be held at Eastern Creek on 26th July 2019.

Netball Knockout

Our netball team played against Deni South at the Hay Public School court yesterday. Congratulations to all the girls who played with enthusiasm and positivity against a very well drilled team. Unfortunately Hay went down 30-4 but didn't stop fighting until the end. Thank you to Miss Zambon for all the time she has put into training and team selection and to Jade Auldish and Mrs Mijok for umpiring on the day. A big thank you also to all the students, teachers and parents who came to support the team.

Athletics Carnival

Our annual athletics carnival will be held on Friday 28th June (Week 9) at the Hay Park No 1 oval.

Again, we welcome Booligal, Carrathool and SOTA's participation in the carnival. The day will commence with the March Past at 9.45, followed by the 800m and then age races. Field events will run in conjunction with the age races. The Jelly Bean Cup will commence for the juniors at the completion of their sprints.

For the first time, the 1500m is included in the program.

This race will take place after the 100m races.

A full canteen will operate on this day. Donations of cakes, slices or fruit would be welcomed.

Students are reminded to wear their house colours.

Cadell – RED

Oxley – GREEN

Sturt – BLUE

Cobb – YELLOW

If you are able to help on the day, could you let Mrs Houston know as soon as possible.

The Deniliquin District Carnival will be held on Friday 9th August 2019.

NETBALL TEAM



K-2 Sports Stars of the Week

Week 7 Sports Stars of the Week were:

Lions - Lana-Rose Jessop and Maxine Price

Bears - Taylor Hicks-Moat & Riley Cox

Rhinos - Benji McClure and Grant Dwyer

Helpers needed for Athletics Carnival canteen Friday 28th June

Helpers are needed to work in the canteen for the athletics carnival. Please contact Narelle in the canteen if you are able to assist.

Donations of biscuits, cakes, slices, fruit etc. will be gratefully accepted.

Parent Teacher Interviews

Parent Teacher interviews will be scheduled for Week 10 of this term. Please complete the interview request slip in today's Hay Happenings by indicating your preferred time and returning to your child's teacher. If the time/day nominated for your interviews is not suitable please contact your child's teacher or phone the school to arrange a suitable time. Discussing your child's progress is a very important part of reporting and all parents are encouraged to make an appointment.

- EXCURSION REMINDER -

Stage 2 Excursion

Lake Mungo & Swan Hill

13th & 14th August

ONLY 8 WEEKS TO GO!

Please return permission form and make payment to the front office ASAP.

Permission notes can be downloaded on our website under the event

CREATIVE CATCHMENT



Weekly Attendance Rates

Week Ending: 14th June 2019

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| 1 | KC | 98.68% |
| 2 | 3/4B | 93.00% |
| 2 | 5/6D | 93.00% |
| 4 | 3/4R | 91.67% |
| 5 | 1/2S | 90.79% |
| 6 | 4/5J | 88.04% |
| 7 | 5/6SC | 88.00% |
| 8 | 1/2Z | 85.71% |

Attendance Facts

- ⇒ Well done to KC for their excellent attendance last week;
- ⇒ Well done to all classes who achieved over 90% attendance last week.
- ⇒ 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.

Library News

STAR BORROWERS

Vinnie Arduino 3/4B

Rory Burns 3/4R

SCHOLASTIC Book Club

Issue 4 - Orders Due
Friday 21st June

South West Music
Acacia Quartet

Acacia Quartet is a professional band consisting of four students, working with their teachers and sharing their love of classical music with students of all ages.

DENILQUIN
FRIDAY 11th JUNE 2019
7.30pm UNITING CHURCH

WOMBOOTA
SATURDAY 22nd JUNE 2019
7.30pm WOMBOOTA HALL

TOCUMWAL
SUNDAY 23rd JUNE 2019
2pm WAR MEMORIAL HALL

Adult tickets \$35 TWO FOR \$60
Under 18s \$15 FREE
Purchase online at www.music.org.au
or call the box office 03 5581 4734
Includes transport to event

The art of the ensemble

A South West Music student workshop on making music together. Facilitated by professional musicians, Acacia Quartet. For ALL musicians, especially those playing in bands or interested to play in bands



SUNDAY, 23 JUNE 2019 | 9.30AM TO 10.30AM
SOUTH WEST MUSIC REGIONAL CONSERVATORIUM
162 HARDING STREET, DENILQUIN

\$30, OR FREE FOR SOUTH WEST MUSIC STUDENTS RECEIVING INDIVIDUAL TUITION

Parent Teacher Interviews

Parent / Teacher interviews will be held during Week 10. Below is a timetable showing the day teachers will be released to conduct interviews. Please complete the attached slip and return to the classroom teacher with your preferred time, child's name and class. Every effort will be made to comply with your request. You will be notified with the time and place for your interview. If the time you are given is not suitable please contact your child's teacher to arrange a more convenient time.

| Monday 1st July | Tuesday 2nd July | Wednesday 3rd July | Thursday 4th July |
|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| 5/6SC 1/2Z | 1/2S 3/4R | 3/4B 4/5J | KC 5/6D |

Parent Teacher Interviews

I would like to discuss the progress of:

1 _____ Class _____

2 _____ Class _____

3 _____ Class _____

Please circle class & time preference

Preferred time slot

9.15pm – 11:15 AM

12:00 – 1:30 PM

2:00 – 4:30 PM

| <u>Day</u> | <u>Classes</u> |
|-------------------|-----------------------|
| Mon 1/7 | 5/6SC & 1/2Z |
| Tues 2/7 | 1/2S & 3/4R |
| Wed 3/7 | 3/4B & 4/5J |
| Thurs 4/7 | KC & 5/6D |

Parents/Caregivers Attending:

Name _____

Name _____

What's Happening

TERM 2

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|-----------|--------------------------|
| 25th June | Robotics - Stage 3 |
| 26th June | Robotics - Stage 2 |
| 27th June | Principal's Reward Lunch |
| 27th June | Reports due home |
| 28th June | Athletics Carnival |
| 3rd July | No Greenslip Reward |
| 5th July | Last day of term 2 |

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FOLLOW THE PROMPTS

HPS Payment Coupon

Name: _____

Total Payment \$ _____

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

Fees

| | |
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| General Contribution | \$35.00 |
| Subject Fees | \$20.00 |

Performances

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

Excursions

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

Payment is required for ALL performances