



"Flourish to the end"

Hay Happenings

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Term 3, Week 2

31st July 2019



STATE 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.*

STAR
Assembly
Friday
2nd August
12.00pm
School Hall
All Welcome

Principal's Report

NAIDOC Day

Last Friday the school celebrated NAIDOC Week with students taking part in a NAIDOC themed assembly. Students from the school led the assembly and were joined by members of HACCWP and the local lands council. Rene Woods was a special guest of the assembly. The assembly focussed on the 2019 theme of Voice, Treaty, Truth highlighting the importance of our Indigenous voice that connects us to country and hands down lore, culture and language. Thank you to Mrs Duncan for her organisation of this special day. Students and guests all enjoyed a sausage sizzle and a piece of NAIDOC cake following the assembly.

State Cross Country

Well done to Nathaniel Clarke and Jim Houston who represented the Riverina region at the PSSA cross country titles last Friday at Eastern Creek. Jim placed 59th overall and Nate placed 44th. This was a great opportunity for our students and it is a wonderful achievement to be able to compete at this level. Thanks goes to Mrs Houston who travelled as a team manager.

Education Week

Education Week is next week and parents and community members are invited to attend our Open Day on Wednesday 7th August. The school will be showcasing students' learning with classroom visits, a

book fair and a themed concert taking place at 12:15pm in the school hall. The theme of this concert will be 'Hay Public School – 150 Years' and all students will be involved in performances. Education Week also heralds the launch of the Ready Set Kinder program with prospective 2020 Kindergarten students attending a Teddy Bears' Picnic to meet and greet their teachers, Mrs Houston and Miss Pless. Please take every opportunity to visit the school and classrooms on Open Day and stay for a sausage sizzle and concert afterwards.

School Crossing

I would like to issue a general reminder to take care around our school crossing in the mornings before school commences and in the afternoons at the end of the school day. Schools are busy places and crossings are a potential hazard if the rules are not observed and care is not taken by motorists. I therefore would like to remind motorists to slow down, observe the 40km/h speed limit and come to a complete stop when the crossing assistant is on the crossing. Motorists should not move off until the crossing is completely clear. Students are also reminded to use the crossing if being dropped off or picked up on the other side of the road by their parents.

Have a great week!

Carol Oataway
Principal

SPORTS REPORT

State Cross Country.

Congratulations to Nate Clarke and Jim Houston who represented the Riverina Region at the State Cross Country Carnival last Friday. Both boys ran their hearts out and represented our school with pride. Nate placed 44th in the 11 year boys and Jim placed 60th in the 12/13 year boys. There was great excitement in the school as all state sporting events are now streamed live. This meant that the students in Hay could watch their school mates compete in Sydney. Thank you to the teachers and students who cheered Nate and Jim on!

Riverina Girls Cricket Trials

Good luck to Johlee Masters who has been selected to trial at the Riverina Girls Cricket Trials in Wagga on Monday 5th August.

Riverina Girls Rugby 7's Trials

Good luck to Emily Caughey who will be representing Hay Public School at the inaugural Riverina PSSA Rugby Union 7's trials in Wagga next Thursday 8th August. Emily will be joining fellow local rugby players Alice Booth (SOTA) and Grace McLean (Booligal) at the trials.

National Athletics Trials

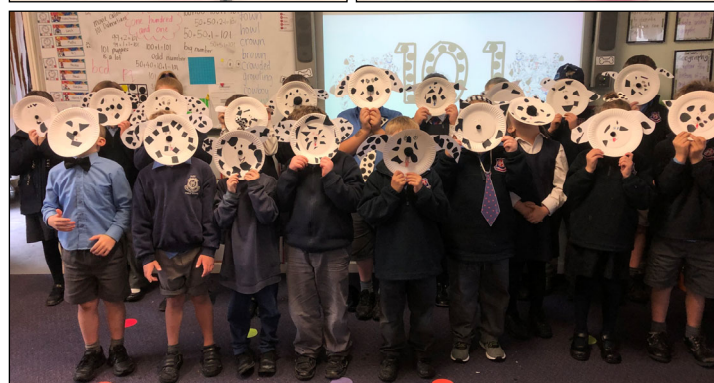
Good luck to Nate Clarke who will be competing at the National Athletics Trials next Thursday, 8th August at Sydney Olympic Park, Homebush in the 800m.

District Athletics Carnival.

Our school athletics team will be training during sports rotations this week in preparation for the District Athletics Carnival on Monday 12th August. High jump practice will be held during Tuesday and Thursday lunch times. Thank you to Mrs Clarke and Miss Jamieson for their assistance in preparing our team. If parents or carers would like to assist with training please contact Mrs Houston.

101 DAYS OF LEARNING

1/2Z had a fabulous day celebrating their 101st day of school for 2019. Students engaged in a range of literacy and numeracy activities based on Dalmatians and the number 101. They made Dalmatian faces and decorated some delicious spotty cupcakes.



Library News

STAR BORROWERS

Sophie Griffiths - 1/2S
Dean Skinner - 1/2S
Nate Clarke - 5/6D
Jacob Lund - 5/6D
Emily Cai - 5/6D
JJ Masters - 5/6D



- EXCURSION REMINDER -

Stage 2 Excursion

Lake Mungo & Swan Hill

13th & 14th August

ONLY 2 WEEKS TO GO !

**FULL payment must be received by
FRIDAY 2nd AUGUST**

**If your child is not attending
please advise the front office.**



Teddy Bears' Picnic



Wednesday 7th August 2019

Take this opportunity to come and see our school, meet the friendly staff and students and enjoy a morning tea with us during Education Week.

Order of events:

- 9:15 am Meet-and-greet in the Ready, Set, Kinder Room.
Parent Information session with Mrs Shea to be held in the 1/2S classroom.
Children stay with teachers and participate in craft activities, games and singing.
- 9.45am Families are invited to walk around the school with Parliamentarians to visit classrooms, meet the teachers and visit our Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden.
- 10.30am Children enjoy a special morning tea with their teddy bear and new friends.
- 11:15am End of the Transition Session – Parents may take their children home.

**** Ready, Set, Kinder whole day sessions commence the following week – Wednesday 14th August.**

Don't forget to bring your teddy or special cuddly toy!

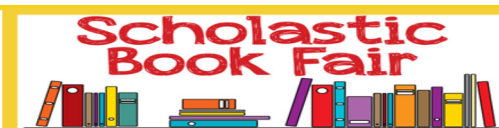
Weekly Attendance Rates

Week ending: 26th July 2019

1	1/2S	96.05%
2	4/5J	94.57%
2	1/2Z	94.05%
4	KC	93.42%
5	3/4R	92.39%
6	3/4B	90.63%
7	5/6D	88.0%
8	5/6SC	86.46%

Attendance Facts

- ⇒ Well done to 1/2S for their excellent attendance last week;
- ⇒ Well done to all classes who achieved over 90% attendance last week;
- ⇒ Children are required to attend school every day unless sick;
- ⇒ A medical certificate is required for illnesses over 3 days;
- ⇒ 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; and
- ⇒ Students who attend school regularly are set up for a strong future.



Hay Public School will be having a Book Fair during Education Week 5th – 9th August. Book Fair will be open in the mornings from 8:45 – 9:10 and lunch 11:15 – 12:00.

The school will receive a commission on all sales made during Book Fair. This helps replenish our library with wonderful new books. All shoppers will receive a free bookmark and a ticket in the Lucky Door Prize Competition. The winner of the Lucky Door Prize competition will be announced at the Book Week assembly. Hope to see you all at the Book Fair!

Mrs Rebecca Wall

**Ed.
week**
Aug 5th - 9th
2019

**Every student,
every voice.**

education.nsw.gov.au/education-week
#EdWeek19



EDUCATION WEEK

Open Day – Wednesday 7th August

- 9.30am Teddy Bears' Picnic
Ready Set Kinder Launch
- 10.30am Open Classrooms
- 11.15am Sausage Sizzle
- 12:15pm Concert - Hall

SCHOOL PHOTOS

Will be taken on Tuesday 20th August.

Term 3, Week 5

Students will be issued with photo packs shortly.



FULL WINTER UNIFORM TO BE WORN.



HPS CANTEEN NEWS

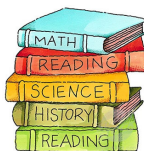
If you have monies owing to the canteen please pay asap.

Students may place money at the canteen and use their CREDITS for purchases. It is preferred that all accounts are to be kept in credit.

HOMEWORK CLUB

Resuming Week 3

Tuesday 6th August - Term 3



FOR SALE

COMMEMORATIVE
TEA TOWEL

\$10

Available from the front office



What's Happening

TERM 3

5th –9th Aug	Education Week & Book Fair
7th Aug	Ready Set Kinder Launch
7th Aug	Concert & Open Day
8th Aug	P&C Meeting - 2pm
12th Aug	District Athletics Carnival - Deni
13th - 14th Aug	Stage 2 Excursion
19th - 23rd Aug	Book Week
20th Aug	School Photos
30th Aug	Fathers' Day Breakfast



Youth Group
Commences on
Friday 2nd
August, 7pm

HB Y is being held on Friday nights at the Hay Baptist Church of Hope, Corner of Church and Hope Streets.

Time: 7pm – 9:30pm

Light supper provided.

Youth will be dropped off back at their homes.

Contact: Rob (Moses) : 0400 021 240

Girl Guides meet near you at
Hay!

1A Hay Junior Guides (for girls 5–9)
Wednesdays 5.30-7pm

Baden Powell Hall Cnr Leonard & Lachlan Streets

Contact Bev Wilson

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GIRL GUIDES
AUSTRALIA
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