



"Flourish to the end"

Hay Happenings

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Term 3, Week 10
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Protect yourself from viruses

- Clean your hands with soap and water, or hand sanitiser.
- Cover your nose and mouth when you cough or sneeze.
- Avoid close contact with anyone with cold or flu-like symptoms.
- Stay home if you are sick.

Find the facts
health.nsw.gov.au/coronavirus

DEBATING SUCCESS

Principal's Report

Fun Run

On Thursday, all students 8 years old and over, will attend Bushy Bend to participate in a Fun Run. Students have been training at school, running along the kilometre club track and are ready to tackle the 2km and 3km tracks that have been marked out. Thanks to Mrs Houston who has worked hard to ensure the track is safe and accessible for our students. Teachers and ancillary staff will be placed on various check points ensuring that all runners are travelling well. Water will be available along the course. Due to COVID regulations, spectators are unable to be present at this event. This will be a great way to end another busy term at Hay Public School.

No Greenslip Reward

This week students who have not received a greenslip over the past 5 weeks were treated to an excursion to the new play equipment in the Hay park on Tuesday. Students had a lot of fun exploring and playing on the new equipment and took a detour back via the duck pond. Thank you to all students who consistently follow our school rules on a daily basis.

UNSW Test Results

Recently students sat online tests designed by the University of NSW in various subject areas. Sitting the tests is voluntary and some pleasing results were achieved as follows:

Digital Technologies Year 3 – Harry Houston (Credit); Year 4 – Digby Huggins (Credit); Year 6 – Emily Caughey (Credit), Jackson McClure (Credit); Lachlan Spence (Distinction)

Science Year 3 – Harry Houston (Credit); Year 4 – Digby Huggins (Credit); Year 5 – Archie Houston (Merit); Year 6 –

Emily Caughey (Distinction), Jackson McClure (Credit); Lachlan Spence (Credit)

English Year 5 – Archie Houston (Credit), Genevieve Williamson (Merit); Year 6 – Emily Caughey (High Distinction), Jackson McClure (Merit)

Spelling Year 4 – Kobe Payne (Merit); Year 6 – Emily Caughey (Credit)

Mathematics Year 3 – Harry Houston (Credit); Year 4 – Digby Huggins (Credit), Jessica Tapper (Merit); Year 5 – Archie Houston (Merit); Year 6 – Emily Caughey (Distinction)

Term 4

Please note some important dates in Term 4 which include:

- Year 5 Parliamentary Speeches – 30th November;
- Swim School for all students – 30th November – 11th December;
- Year 6 Farewell – 10th December; and
- Presentation Day – 15th December.

A full calendar of events will be included with the first newsletter for next term. At this stage parents are still unable to attend school events, however if this changes for Term 4 we will advise immediately.

I would like to wish students and staff a safe and relaxing holiday in readiness for a very busy Term 4. Students commence on **Monday** 12th October, along with teaching and administrative staff.

Have a great week!

Carol Oatway
Principal

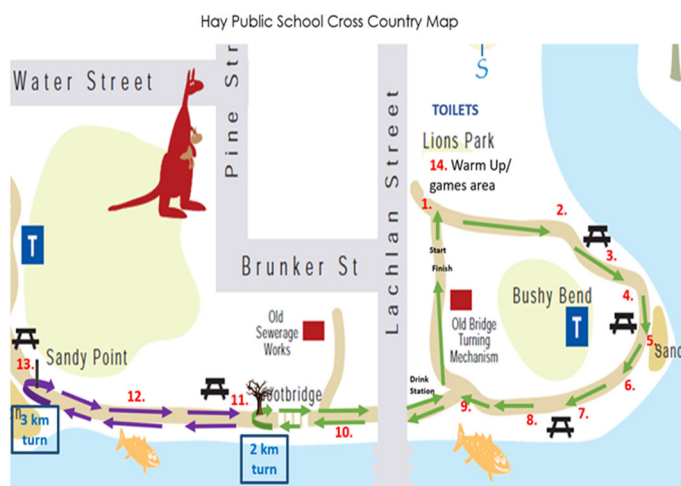
SPORTS NEWS

Cross Country/Fun Run

Tomorrow, all our 8 years + students will be participating in our annual Cross Country/Fun Run along the picturesque Bushy Bend track. The first race will commence at 12.30pm and all students will return to school with their classroom teacher by 3pm.

Students are reminded to wear their sports uniform and to ensure they have a school hat, packed recess, a water bottle, sunscreen and their asthma puffer, if required.

Photos and results of the event will be posted on our Facebook page and a full report will be sent home in Hay Happenings next term.



K-2 SPORTSPEOPLE OF THE WEEK

Week 9 Sports Stars of the Week were

Kinder – Maya Lugsdin & Seth McKenzie

Year 1 – Wyatt Dally & Jacob Hudson

Year 2 – Sophie Harman & Dallas Giddins



Weekly Attendance Rates**Week Ending: 18 September 2020**

1	2Z	98.57%
2	4B	95.00%
3	6SC	94.07%
4	KC	93.60%
5	5D	92.38%
6	3J	91.58%
7	4/5S	90.00%
8	1R	88.57%
Week 9 Attendance		93.22%
2020 Attendance		91.80%

*** Is your child missing too much school? Students have a greater chance of achieving their learning benchmarks by attending school regularly.**

Attendance Facts

- Well done to 2Z 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 are more engaged in their learning;
- 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.

EVERY DAY COUNTS....**A day here or there doesn't seem like much, but...**

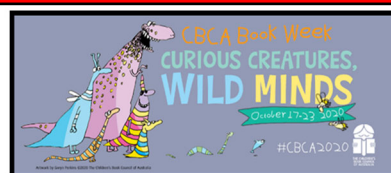
When your child misses just...	that equals...	which is...	and therefore, from Kindy to Year 12, that is...	This means that the best your child can achieve is...
1 day each fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 ½ years of school	Equal to finishing Year 11
1 day a week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	Over 2 ½ years of school	Equal to finishing Year 10
2 days a week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	Over 5 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 7
3 days a week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly 8 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 4

Give your child every chance to succeed...

Every day counts!

**PRINCIPAL'S LUNCH RECIPIENTS**

Congratulations to our principal's lunch recipients for Term 3. These students have consistently shown positive behaviour throughout the term and have been engaged in their learning on a daily basis.

**BOOK WEEK**

This year, due to COVID19, Book Week was postponed. We are pleased to announce however that the 2020 Book Week will be celebrated during **Week 2 Term 4** from 17 October to the 23 October. This year's theme is '**Curious Creatures, Wild Minds**'.

Most children's books house a curious creature or two, and the best curious creatures require a wild mind to write them into existence. Book Week is about encouraging students to read; to learn about new books; to share favourite writers and illustrators; to look at old favourites in a different way and just read.

Students are invited to come dressed either as their favourite book character or, in accordance with the theme on **Friday 23 October**. Whilst we are restricted in regards to holding a book parade, students will participate in a Reading Roundabout and Zoom Assembly. Two students from each class will be awarded with a Book Week prize for best dressed.

Get curious, get creative, be wild!

Mrs Suzanne Murphy
Deputy Principal



What's Happening

TERM 3 2020

24 September	FUN RUN
25 September	Last day of Term 3
12 October	School resumes for Term 4

Fundraiser Recipe Book

Hand-in to the front office by term 4, week 1

- ☒ Your family's **BESTEST EVER** recipe
- ☒ **A4 paper**, typed or handwritten
- ☒ Photo of the food (with you is even better!)
- ☒ Why you **L♥VE** your recipe
- ☒ Lots of **COLOUR**

Create an eye-catching cover design for your chance to WIN a copy! Entries to office

The **STAR RECIPE** will WIN a **Bluetooth Headset** valued at \$50!!!

The Best Vanilla Cake I've Ever Had

Ingredients

- 3 and 1/2 cups (425g) cake flour
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
- 1 and 1/2 cups (340g) unsalted butter, softened
- 4 cups (800g) granulated sugar

Vanilla Buttercream

- 1 and 1/2 cups (340g) unsalted butter, softened to room temperature
- 8 cups (1600g) confectioners' sugar
- 1/2 cup (120ml) whole milk or heavy cream
- 1 and 1/2 teaspoons pure vanilla extract
- 1/4 teaspoon salt

Instructions

- Preheat oven to 350°F (177°C). Grease three 9-inch cake pans.
- Make the cake: Whisk the cake flour, salt, baking powder, and baking soda together in a bowl.
- Using a hand mixer or stand mixer fitted with a paddle or whisk attachment, beat the butter and sugar until creamy, about 5 minutes. Add the eggs one at a time, beating well after each addition. Add the vanilla and salt.
- Reduce the mixer speed to low and add the flour mixture in three batches, alternating with the milk or cream. Mix until just combined.
- Divide the batter evenly among the prepared pans. Bake for 25-30 minutes, or until a toothpick inserted into the center comes out clean.
- Let the cakes cool in the pans for 10 minutes, then turn out onto a wire rack to cool completely.

Notes

- Make ahead & freezing instructions
- Watch back video

This is my Mum's best recipe for Birthday Cakes!!!

For the **TECH-SAVVY** you can email your file to hpspandc@mail.com

*Not all recipes may be able to be printed.



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MAKE A PAYMENT

ENROLMENT

NEWS

EVENTS

GALLERY



FOLLOW THE PROMPTS

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 (e.g canteen)



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.

HOLIDAY CLINICS

DATE: 1/10/2020

TIME: 10.00am - 12.00pm

AGE: 5-12 years

COST: \$40

WHERE: Hay No1 Sportsground Oval



LEAGUE STARS