Principal’s Report
Operation Art
Earlier this year, students at Hay Public School entered Operation Art, a competition run by the Department of Education to select artworks to hang in Westmead Children’s Hospital. Selected works are also sent to regional hospitals to hang in their children’s wards and offices for the Department of Education and the major sponsors. All four Hay Public School Operation Art entrants, Sarah Towler, Jim Houston, Lainey Harman-Biggs and James Millyard travelled to Sydney Olympic Park last weekend to view their artworks at the Armory Gallery. Jim Houston’s artwork was selected for donation to a children’s ward in a regional hospital and Sarah Towler’s artwork was selected to go to the offices of a major sponsor and then will be donated to a regional hospital. The framed artworks looked wonderful hanging in the gallery and Hay Public School is very proud of Lainey, Jim, Sarah and James.

UNSW Writing Competition
We have received some outstanding results in the recently held University of NSW Writing Competition. Fifteen students participated with one distinction, five credits and one merit being awarded. Congratulations to Lachlan Clark (Year 4) on receiving a Distinction, Bailey Caughey, Lachlan Marks, Lucy Shea (Year 3), Harriet Campbell (Year 4), Iona Cullenward (Year 6) on receiving a Credit and Lanta Clark (Year 6) who was awarded a Merit. Certificates for writing will be awarded at this Friday’s assembly along with spelling certificates.

Making Contact
At times, it is important as a parent to contact teachers to impart information or discuss a matter in relation to their child. Teachers are available to talk to parents before and after school, during their release time or a simple phone call may be all that is needed. Please avoid phoning the teacher’s personal mobile phone, home phone numbers or contacting them via their personal Facebook account. The school will always pass on messages, make appointments or pass on requests for teachers to phone parents. This is the correct way of making contact. The school’s contact details are displayed in this newsletter.

Principal’s Reward Lunch
Congratulations to the students who will be rewarded with a Principal’s party in the Kitchen-Garden next Monday. Students were selected for consistent work, excellent behaviour at all times and for persevering to make good progress in their learning. The following students have received an invitation in the post this week: Emily Taylor, Gus Keating, Lanta Clark, Ronan Haines, Velettah Kennedy, Harriet Campbell, Archie Houston, Nunia Dave, Chloe Arandt, Zali Turner, Jelme Cooper, Mackenzie Dawson, Oliver Liddington-Denehey, Meagan Foggo, Isaac Gardiner, Janee Davies, Riley Harris and Jim Houston.

Have a great week.
Carol Oataway
Principal
Stage 2 & 3 News

Library
This week our school library will be changing from the OASIS system to OLIVER. Unfortunately during this transition, students will be unable to borrow from the library. Please ensure, however, that students return all books on their library day. Next week our new system should be fully functional and students will be encouraged to continue their borrowing.
Student library days are as follows…
Monday : KB and 3S
Tuesday : 1/2B & 5/6P
Wednesday : 2H, 4/5F & 5/6CC
Thursday : 4RA and K/1W

Stage 2 Excursion
Fifty very excited Year 3 and 4 students made an early start this morning, embarking on their trip to Lake Mungo and Swan Hill Pioneer Park. This excursion will enable students to consolidate their knowledge about early Australian history - First Contacts. It will be a great experience for everyone and we wish all students and their dedicated teachers - Mrs Shea, Mrs Rutledge, Mr Ayres and Mrs Fitzgerald, a fantastic time.

Spelling Bee
Our four finalists have been very busy practising for the regional finals next Wednesday. We wish them the best of luck!

Suzanne Murphy
( Assistant Principal)

KB News
KB have been busy this week decorating biscuits for the Hay Show. We hope we win some prizes with our wonderful creations. Thankyou to Mrs Lilburne and Mrs Maynard for all their hard work preparing our lessons, cleaning up our mess and organising our entries for the show.
Good luck, everyone.

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Kindergarten Excursion - Altina Wildlife Park
Wednesday 13th October, 2015
Cost $40.00
Kindergarten will be travelling to Darlington Point to visit Altina Wildlife Park on Tuesday 13th October. (Term 4, Week 2)
Permission notes have been distributed. Completed notes and payment are to be returned to the front office by Friday 9th October.

Favourite Footy Colours
We are celebrating the last day of Term 3 by having a Favourite Footy Colours Day! All students, come to school in your favourite footy colours and bring your gold coin donation. Parliamentarians will be collecting the money to go towards the Year 6 fundraising.

Headline
Students who have Headlice do not need to be absent from school
Attendance at school is still required.
Treatment is necessary!

No Greenslip Reward Day
HPS will be rewarding students who have not received a Greenslip in the past five weeks.
Those students will be enjoying a movie and popcorn session, free of charge, at school on the 17th September! Thank you students!

Quality education in a caring environment
Sport Report
Well done to the fifteen athletes who travelled to Albury for the Regional Athletics Carnival held on Monday last week. Performances were outstanding, with personal bests being achieved by many. Congratulations to Myla Bisset, Lucy Shea, Brait Headon and the SOTA relay team who qualified for the State Carnival. This will be held at Homebush on 14th/15th October (T4, Wk2).

Riverina Carnival results –
Lucy Shea – 9 Year 100m – heat 16.12 (2nd) final 16.20 (3rd).
Myla Bisset - 13 Year 100m – heat 16.20 (4th) final 15.21 (3rd).
Brait Headon – 12 Year 100m – heat 14.00 (5th) final 12.34 (2nd). 12 Year 200m – 27.90 (3rd). Senior Long Jump – 4.51m (3rd). Senior High Jump – 1.40m (2nd).
SOTA Relay – Claire, Jack, Kate, Willy – 1.04.40 (2nd).
Claire Booth – 12 Year 100m – 15.29 (14th).
Jack Headon – Junior 800m – 2.52.41 (5th). 9 Year 100m – 16.31 (15th). Junior 200m – 32.32 (13th).”

Darci Masters – 10 Year 100m – heat 16.07 (7th) final 16.53 (10th).
Janae Winzar – 11 Year 100m – 16.13 (17th).
Charlee Masters – 12 Year 100m – heat 14.95 (8th) final 15.53 (7th). 12 Year 200m – 30.70 (6th).
Iona Cullenward – Senior Discus – 16.78m (7th).
Junior Girls Relay – Lucy, Janee, Emma, Darci – 1.06.46 (8th).
Junior Boys Relay – Daniel, Jack, Rhys, Christopher – 1.04.29 (9th).
Senior Girls Relay – Charlee, Janae, Olivia, Myla – 1.01.38 (6th).

Congratulations also to Dela Gargaro who qualified for the State Carnival in 100m and 200m AWD. Dela also competed in Senior Long Jump – 2.10m (14th). Senior Shot Put – 4.13m (14th). WELL DONE.

Riverina Girls' Cricket Trials
Iona Cullenward, Charlee Masters and Delilah Crighton attended the Riverina Girls’ Cricket Trials, at Lavington on Monday. Congratulations to all three girls who were selected in the Riverina team to participate in the NSWPSAA Titles. These will be held in Dubbo from 2nd – 5th November (Term 4, Week 5). Great work, girls!

2 Hay FM
Thanks to Hannah and Lucy Shea for confidently presenting our sport report last Friday.

Stage 3 Sport

MISSING
One of our students has lost a very special Kathmandu, black puffer jacket with a hood similar to the picture. If you have seen it please contact the front office on 6993 1270. Thank you.
**HPS Breakfast Program**

**MONDAY TO FRIDAY 8.45 AM TO 9AM**
**IN THE STEPHANIE ALEXANDER KITCHEN**

**FREE TO ALL STUDENTS**

*Donation of items for use in our breakfast program are most welcome.*

Fruit, milk, juice, cereal

Thank you to Anna Lliburne and Ruth Headon for their conscientious dedication to the Breakfast Program at our school.

Thank you also to our local supporters and families who regularly donate items for breakfast use.

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**LUNCH LANE CANTEEN**

**Friday Special Lunch**

**Beef & Gravy Roll**

**Packet of Chips**

**Flavoured Milk**

$5.00

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**Birthday Cup Cakes**

The Hay Public School canteen is offering Birthday Cup Cakes delivered to your child’s classroom for only $20!!

Place your order with Julianne in the canteen.

24 hours notice would be greatly appreciated.

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**HPS PAYMENTS COUPON**

**Once a Year Payments per child:**

- **General Contribution Fee** $30.00
- **Subject Fee** $25.00
- **Performances**
  - Indigenous Performer $5.00
  - Term 4, Week 2 - 14th October

- **Excursions**
  - Kindergarten $40.00
  - Altina Wildlife Park - Tuesday 13th October
  - Stage 3 $600.00
  - Canberra - 26th to 30th October

Name:_________________________$___________

Total Payment $_____________

Payment to yellow box in front office

or direct credit details

BSB 032-001

Account No 141581.

Account Name– Hay Public School

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**ROYAL FAR WEST, ALONG WITH KEY PARTNERS PRESENT**

**HAY**

**HEALTHY KIDS BUS STOP**

3 - 4 NOVEMBER 2015

**What is the Healthy Kids Bus Stop?**

The Healthy Kids Bus Stop is a FREE child health check and pathway to care program for children aged 3-5 years old. The program includes:

- A comprehensive health assessment.
- Vision and hearing check.
- Oral health check.
- Fine and gross motor skill assessment.
- Speech assessment.
- Food and Nutritional assessment.

**Why are health checks important?**

Regular health checks keep kids healthy. Health checks will identify lifestyle, development or illness-related issues and will help your child be healthy and fit and ready to learn when they start school.

**How do I book my child in?**

Registrations are essential. Please call Royal Far West on 02 8666 2500. A time slot will be selected that suits you and your child. As this is a comprehensive health check, please allow up to 2 hours for appointments.

Registrations close 7 November.

Where will it be held?

Hay Public School

What do I need to bring?

- Your child’s Blue Book
- Your child’s hat
- Your child’s drink bottle
- Snacks for your child