For so much what shall we repay?

Higher School Certificate in progress
The Higher School Certificate (HSC) exams started this week. There is a record breaking 76,679 students enrolled in at least one course for this year’s HSC in NSW. Our students commenced the HSC last Monday with their English paper.

All staff and fellow students at Hay War Memorial High School wish Year 11 and 12 every success in all their endeavours. They have put in many years of hard work and deserve the very best results.

“The tragedy of life doesn’t lie in not reaching your goal. The tragedy lies in having no goal to reach”.

Benjamin E Mays

New academic year
With the approach of the new academic year in Week 6, I encourage students to consider some areas of their own goal setting.

Students should be specific in goal setting and to then set up a plan of action to achieve them. For instance, a goal might be to ‘improve learning in English and to complete all assessment tasks on time’. Follow through with a list of ways that can organise school life differently to achieve the goals.

For example:
• Use my timetable to pack my school bag the night before, ready for the next day.
• Make sure homework has been completed.

Immunisation for Year 7 & 9 students
Europe in January 2016 – expressions of interest now due.

Anyone who has taken the information and is considering joining this Hay War Memorial High School tour needs to return their expression of interest to the school before 24 October. Extra copies of the EOI form can be collected from the front office as can the information about the tour.

If we have sufficient people to run the tour we can begin the approval and planning process in November, 2014, as planned, which will enable everyone to save and pay in instalments across the next 12 months.

Mr Y Chambers, Principal.

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Term 4, 2014

Week 3

- Monday 20
  - Year 10 students – Crossroads
  - Year 9 Drug & Alcohol talk

- Wednesday 22 to Saturday 25
  - Yr 9/10 PASS Surf excursion

Week 4

- Monday 27
  - Yr 10 Work Experience - All week

Bishop’s Lodge Market
Sunday 19th October 2014
9am to 3pm
See our students performing with Outback Theatre for Young People and in Hay’s Got Talent.

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Hay Amateur Swimming Club - Registration evening
Tuesday 21st October, 2014 5:00pm to 7:00pm at Hay Lions Park
Free Club silicone swimming cap AND drink bottle with each swimming registration.

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Hay & District Cricket Association Inc. The Junior Cricket Season will commence next Tuesday 21 October 2014 at the Hay Park Cricket nets and on ovals 3 and 4. Luke Olson from Milo Cricket will conduct a coaching Clinic from 5.30pm onwards. From then on, Junior cricket will be played each Saturday morning from 8.30am. Registrations for the new season will be taken on the night or the following Saturday. Registration forms can be obtained from Liz Hicks at SportFirst or Lloyd Jones at the Hay Shire Council Offices.

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