Thank you Auscott

Auscott Education Scholarship
Auscott has generously provided an annual scholarship for Hay War Memorial High School.

The scholarship starts this year and eligible Year 12 students who are planning to undertake tertiary studies in 2015 are able to apply.

The scholarship will be $11,500 each year for the life of the tertiary course.

Each year an Auscott Education Scholarship will be available and Year 12 students attending Hay War Memorial High School will be eligible to apply according to the specific criteria.

For more information about the specific criteria, eligibility and application forms please see the Principal.

Application forms this year will be due to Auscott no later than Friday 14th November.

Hay War Memorial High School appreciates Auscott’s support for the continued education of our students.

AFL representatives
It is a pleasure to announce that Ruby Stewart and Jodie Hicks have been selected for the 2015 NSW/ACT U18 AFL Representative Development Squad.

Visual Arts – New Academic Year
Students studying Visual Arts will require the following art diaries for the new academic year.

Diaries are available for purchase at the front office
Year 11/12 – A3 Art Diary x 2
Year 9/10 – A3 Art Diary x 1
Year 7/8 – A4 Art Diary x 1

Respect
Achieve
Responsible

For so much what shall we repay?
This year’s participation at the State Cup was the largest ever seen with 175 girls participating in the event. The selection process was based on player performance, age and positions that are needed to be filled in the team. Ruby and Jodie will be part of a 55 player strong squad and will travel to Sydney in January for a development camp.

The final NSW/ACT Team selections will be made in late March for the 2015 Youth Girls Nationals which will be hosted in Mandurah, WA from the 3rd to 8th May.

Congratulations to Ruby, Jodie and their families. We are all very proud of you and we are very happy to be part of your journey in your sporting accomplishments.

_Mr Y. Chambers, Principal._

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**Defence Force visit**

Lance Corporal Natalie Whyte, Defence Forces Indigenous Recruitment Officer, discussed with Ms McNally the recruitment of indigenous and non-indigenous students into the defence forces. She will be returning next year to hold an information night for any student and their parents who are interested in finding out about the recruitment requirements and a wide range of careers available in the Australian Defence Forces.

**Work Experience**

All Year 10 are at Work experience this week, there will be a full report in next weeks newsletter.

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**Astronomy Night**

Hay War Memorial High School staff are inviting parents and students from both the primary schools and the high school to an Astronomy Night. It will be held on Monday, 17th November from 8-9pm at the science block.

The purpose of the night is to take you to space using our telescope and digital technology. If you have binoculars and/or an iPad, please bring them along. We will guide you through some apps on your iPad and you will view the “Night Sky” as you have never seen it before.

**Binocular views**

We will use binoculars to observe the Milky Way, craters on the moon, the moons of Jupiter and comets.

**Telescopic views**

We will view mountains on the moon, double stars, open clusters, galaxies and many more objects.

Please note all children must be supervised by their parent/guardian.

If you are able to join us, please ring the school (69931408) by Friday 14th November with the names of those attending.

Thank you

Mrs Madan
_Head Teacher Science_
Sport Report

Congratulations to Lily Tassell who has been selected in the U’15 NSW Cricket State Challenge team. This is a new NSW initiative and it replaces the annual City vs Country series. The State Challenge will see the best under 15 players competing in a carnival in Sydney. The national team will be selected at the carnival.

Good luck to the following students who will be attending the Riverina Cricket Selection trials in Wagga on the 7th November - Jodie Hicks, Ellie Hicks, Ruby Stewart and Lily Tassell. The boys trials will be on the 24th November – Luke Arandt, Ben Arandt, Mitch Mijok and Jacob Watkin will be attending.

The girls open cricket team will be playing their first game against Narrandera on Tuesday the 4th November at the high school.

Surf Excursion Report

Students from 9/10 PASS classes had the opportunity to experience surfing on an excursion to Kiama last week. The lessons were on Seven Mile Beach at Gerroa and conditions were perfect for learning to surf. A highlight was a pod of dolphins that were swimming only metres away from some of the students. Most students were able to master the big Malibu boards and enjoyed the thrill of standing up and catching waves in to shore.

After the third surf lesson on Friday we travelled to Jamberoo Action Park with perfect weather conditions and no crowds. The new ride “The Funnel Web” provided plenty of screams. This is the longest biggest most exhilarating water thrill ride of its kind... in the world. Clover leaf rafts loop and twist down the hill before dropping into the huge funnel and shooting out into the splash pool.

The students also had the opportunity to enjoy the Illawarra Fly Tree top walk. The award winning Illawarra Fly Tree top Walk is one of Australia’s premier tree top walk experiences. The only walk of its kind in NSW and one of only a handful of elevated steel treetop walks in the world, the ‘Fly’ is an immersive nature experience. The gentle 1.5km return walk takes in native rainforest, the steel walkway which features two gently swaying cantilevered arms, and a central tower raised nearly 50 metres from the forest floor. Positioned 710 metres above sea level, the stunning views take in everything from the rainforest floor into the canopy and out to the Pacific Ocean.

Ms Booth and Miss Britt enjoyed the excursion and appreciated the helpfulness and co-operation of all students. Everyone contributed at some stage towards meal preparation and clean up. The students are to be congratulated for their exemplary behaviour on the excursion.
Free Sausage Sizzle and Kangaroo Kebabs
Friday November 7
There will be a free sausage sizzle and kangaroo kebabs next Friday at lunch for all students and staff to celebrate the end of the academic year.

Cooking with the MC class this term.

Canteen News

Next Week’s Menu

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Breakfast 8.30am-8.55am
Toasted Cheese Sandwich 80c
Recess and lunchtime Slushies $2

P & C Information

MEETINGS: 1st Thursday of each month during term. 7.30pm in the staffroom. ALL WELCOME!

CONTACT
Vice President/ Acting President: Rhonda Slattery 0427 932 140
Secretary: Serena Wall 0437 931 808
Acting Treasurer: Helen Jacka 0428 931 972

UNIFORMS: The P & C supports the wearing of the correct school uniform by HWMHS students. We run a uniform pool at the school where most items of clothing are under $5. Donated items can be left at the front office of the school.

STUDENT INJURY INSURANCE: P&C provides student injury insurance coverage for all enrolled students at HWMHS. Please refer to www.pandc.org.au/insurance_seo for information and claim forms. Completed forms should be sent direct to the insurer.

This bike was left at the school this week. If this belongs to you it can be collected from the school.