Work placement this week

VET Work Placement
Many of our Vocational Educational Training senior students are currently undertaking work placements. It has been inspiring to hear the positive work they have been performing at their work sites.

I would like to thank the businesses who have accepted a workplace student. Without the support of the businesses our students would not be able to gain the industry skills and knowledge of working in a business.

Mobile devices and school
I will reaffirm the school policy on mobile devices:
· We encourage students not to bring mobile phones or media players to school;
· If students bring them to school they become their responsibility and not the responsibility of the school;
· Students should not be using their mobile devices (phones/media players) during class time - they cannot interfere with teaching and learning.

In this regard we urge parents not to ring or text students at school on their phones. If you need to contact them urgently please ring the office and we will get a message to them promptly.

Kokoda Youth Challenge
Congratulations to Brandon Burns who has been selected for the Kokoda Youth Challenge. Brandon is a fine young person who will obtain an experience
that he will be able to not only share with the Hay community but remember for the rest of his life. Thank you also to the many people - staff, family and community - who assisted Brandon gaining this opportunity.

Mr Y Chambers, Principal.

Careers with Ms McNally

Leeton Careers Expo
Students in Years 10 to 12 have been given a permission note to attend this careers expo. It is being held on Monday, 16th June at the Leeton Soldiers Club. There will be many universities, TAFEs, private training organisations, large employers, industry groups and Defence Forces with information stalls where students can ask questions and collect information about careers and courses they are interested in pursuing. It is a great opportunity for Year 10 students to ask about subjects they should study in senior school. Year 12 students next term will be applying for universities and completing early entry scheme applications so they can ask the universities specific questions pertaining to their own personal situation.

VET Work Placement
There are lots of VET students out and about the Hay community completing work placement this week and next week for Construction and Hospitality. This is so the students gain valuable industry experience in their course. The school and students are very fortunate that the business owners and employers in Hay foster and support our students for work placement and we thank them for this.

Sport News

Riverina Under 16 AFL
Hannah Stewart and Ellie Hicks represented the Riverina early in the week at a carnival in Wagga. The girls played a Sydney team and the catholic state team but were outclassed by the opposition. A great experience for the two Year 7 girls who will benefit by the experience as they were among the youngest players on the day.

Library News with Mrs Biggs

Book Week 2014 Shortlisted Title Fairytales for Wilde Girls
Author: Allyse Near

A deliciously dark bubblegum-gothic fairytale from a stunning new Australian talent.
‘He’s gone the same way as those little birds that bothered me with their awful songs! And you will too, you and your horrible heart-music, because you won’t stay out of my woods!’

There’s a dead girl in a birdcage in the woods. That’s not unusual. Isola Wilde sees a lot of things other people don’t. But when the girl appears at Isola’s window, her every word a threat, Isola needs help. Her real-life friends – Grape, James and new boy Edgar – make her forget for a while. And her brother-princes – magical creatures seemingly lifted from the pages of the French fairytales Isola idolises – will protect her with all the fierce love they possess.

It may not be enough. Isola needs to uncover the truth behind the dead girl’s demise . . . before the ghost steals Isola’s last breath.
For so much what shall we repay?

During the school week, on Wednesday and Thursday, Hay War Memorial High School will operate an after-school “Homework Club” situated within the Hay War Memorial High School Library, for students in Years 7-10. This also provides an opportunity for an extended day which might suit some families.

We will provide a secure, supervised environment where learning is made easier by ready access to physical resources and computer technology and where professional guidance will be at hand.

The main aim of the “Club” is to ensure students complete their homework, assignments and assessment tasks on time, while also helping in areas of reading, writing and maths.

Below are responses to key questions you may have about the “Homework Club”

**When will the “Homework Club” operate?**

The “Club” will be available for:

• Years 7 to 10 on a Wednesday during school term from 3:30pm to 4:30pm and Thursday 3:30pm to 4:30pm (HWMHS Library)

**Is there a cost?**

Students need to bring a gold coin for each time they attend the “Club”.

**Who can attend?**

Any student enrolled at Hay War Memorial High School in Years 7 to 10

**Does a student have to attend every time the Homework Club is open?**

No

**How will the student get home?**

Students who attend need to be picked up by their parent/guardian. Other arrangements may be put in place for students who live in town.

**What will be provided at the Homework Club?**

Students will have the support of tutors (HWMHS staff). Access to computers, Library resources and a light snack and a drink will be provided as part of the “Club” program.

**Can parents be involved?**

The “Homework Club” staff encourages the involvement of parents and welcome parents to come along and be involved in the “Club” to assist their child. This is an opportunity for parents, like students, to become more familiar with the school. Prior arrangement will be needed.

**How can a student become involved?**

To apply for entry to the “Homework Club”, simply fill out the expression of interest form attached.

For further information contact the project coordinators Mrs Hayward or Mr Chambers on 6931408 (during school hours). The starting date of the “Homework Club” will be Wednesday 11th June 2014.

**Student Details (HWMHS)**

Student Name:……………………………….......

Year Level: ……………………….

Address: ………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………..

**Parent/Guardian Contact Details**

Parent/Guardian’s Name: …………………………………………………………………………………… hone:…………………………………………………

Mobile: ……………………………………………………………Parent/Guardian Signature: ……………………………………………………………………

**Program Details**

1. On which day will your child attend the “Homework Club”?
   
   Wednesday 3:30pm – 4:30pm
   
   Thursday 3:30pm – 4:30pm

2. How will your child get home after finishing the “Homework Club”?

   Will be picked up by a parent/guardian
   
   Will Walk or ride (only students who live in Hay)

3. What do you hope for your child to get out of the “Homework Club”?

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Please return this form to Mrs Hayward or Mr Chambers at Hay War Memorial High School.

The “Club” will start on Wednesday 11th June 2014.
Canteen News
Phone 69931579

Breakfast 8.30am-8.55am
Toasted Cheese Sandwich 80c
Milo / Tea / Coffee $1

Next Week’s Menu

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Term 2, 2014

Week

Tuesday 10  • Zone Athletics @ Deniliquin
Wednesday 11 • Sheep Show @ Holbrook this week
Thursday 12  • Primary school Transition Day
Friday 13   • Regional cross country @ Gundagai
            • Whole school formal assembly, all parents welcome

Week

Monday 16   • Careers EXPO at Leeton
Tuesday 17  • U16 AFL Girls at Deniliquin
Thursday 19 • School Social
            • HSC Science study day at Leeton

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 for information and claim forms. Completed forms should be sent direct to the Insurer.

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