Corey Poole retains Hay High Ten title

In a very competitive race, Corey managed to hold onto the Hay High Ten title beating his previous time by three minutes. Congratulations to Corey and to Jodie Hicks who was the first girl over the line, beating her previous time by nine minutes.

2014 Results – Top twenty
1. Corey Poole – 45.13
2. Toby Crighton – 47.19
3. Zac Fitzpatrick – 48.11
4. James Caughey – 48.30
5. Darcy Cullenward and Jesse Poole – 53.18
6. Kynan Headon – 53.20
7. Tim Zambon – 53.24
8. Luke Arandt and Jodie Hicks – 54.09
9. Brandon Burns – 54.52
10. Georgia Booth – 55.34
11. Jodie Hicks and Toby Crighton – 56.14
12. Harry Mc Crabb – 59.46
13. Kieran Pingiaro – 1.01.15
14. Peter Hedt – 1.01.27
15. Miss Britt and Adam Carroll – 1.01.45
16. Mitch Mijok and Jacob Watkin – 1.03.01
17. Luke Arandt and Georgia Booth – 1.04.02

The following students were also first in their respective age groups:-
13yrs - Darcy Cullenward, Ellie Hicks and Hannah Stewart
14yrs – Elizabeth McKenzie and Jesse Poole
15yrs – Corey Poole and Jessie Carter
16yrs – Luke Arandt and Georgia Booth
17yrs – Jodie Hicks and Toby Crighton

A carnival atmosphere was also added.
with the element of fancy dress. The fancy dress winners and all prizes will be announced at the special assembly on Friday 15th August.

**All monies and cards MUST be returned by Wednesday 13th August.**

The school would like to acknowledge and thank the following local businesses for their support:


Students will receive a raffle ticket in a continuous raffle for every $5 raised. If a student raises over $100 they will receive a raffle ticket in a major prize. Their choice will be either an IPad or GO PRO. The majority of monies raised will benefit the students of the school and a donation will go to Can Assist.

**Education Week guest speaker - Aunty Mary Hooker**

We were privileged this week to have a guest speaker for our Years 7-10 students during Education Week. Aunty Mary Hooker is a Bundjalung woman, a third generation Stolen Generations survivor and former resident of the Parramatta Girls’ Home.

She was part of a class action on behalf of former Parramatta Girls’ Home residents. Mary has recently been giving evidence at the Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse as part of the public hearings into the Parramatta Girls’ Training School.

She is also a mother and grandmother living and working in the Dharruk community. She has worked in many local Dharruk Aboriginal community organisations as an Aboriginal worker.

Mary is a founding member of the Stolen Generation’s Alliance as well as a former member of the NSW Sorry Day committee and the National Sorry Day committee. She is also currently a member of the South Western Sydney Stolen Generations Alliance Support Group and the current NSW Aboriginal Delegate for the Stolen Generations Alliance. One of Mary’s achievements has been to work with others toward the completion of the Stolen Generations memorial at the Mount Annan Botanical Gardens and she is currently working with the Waverley Council to complete the Stolen Generations memorial at Bondi Beach.

Mary is also working with the Stolen Generation’s Alliance to ensure all the recommendations of the Bringing Them Home Report are fully implemented. Her story can be found in the human rights and equal opportunity publication "Us Mob – Taken Away Kids" which was launched for the 10th anniversary of the release of the Bringing Them Home Report.

Mary’s story was a powerful story for our students.

**Mr Y Chambers, Principal.**
The Hay War Memorial High School community sadly farewells Mr Mike Sondheim this week.

Mr Sondheim came to Hay in September 1940 as a young man with the “Dunera Boys” and throughout his life retained strong ties with Hay, organising reunions for the former internees in Hay, facilitating the establishment of the Dunera Museum and initiating the Dunera essay prize for Hay War Memorial High School students.

Mike’s diary, kept meticulously during his time in the Hay Internment Camps in 1940 and 1941, provided much of the material for Mrs Harrison’s Hay War Memorial High School Elective Drama class’s original production of “Dunera Days” developed by the students in association with Hay Museum Learning and Outback Theatre for Young People. Mike has happily answered student queries over many years as they have researched his experiences both for the play and in other history class research. He continued to visit Hay, read student essays and answer emails about his extraordinary life well into his nineties and died peacefully last Saturday aged 97.

He is pictured here (centre, in striped shirt) with the original Hay War Memorial High School student cast of Dunera Days at their world premiere performance in September 2006 on the Hay Railway Station platform. The play then toured to Sydney for performances at the National Maritime Museum and the Sydney Jewish Museum. It has had several reprises since with a changing cast.

Mike Sondheim’s contributions to Hay War Memorial High School over the last 25 years have been significant and we extend our sympathy to his family.

**Careers with Ms McNally**

**University Entry for 2015**

Year 12 students who intend to apply for university in NSW and/or Victoria must attend the information session Ms McNally will be holding in sport/study periods next Wednesday. She will go through the process of applying for unis in NSW and Victoria as well as the application for the School Recommendation Scheme and other early entry schemes. In NSW, the Universities Admissions Centre (UAC) administer the system and in Victoria the Victoria Tertiary Admissions Centre (VTAC). All student should be receiving in the mail this week, a UAC Pin number which they will need to log on to the UAC site and must bring it on Wednesday.

**Jeans for Genes Day at Hay War Memorial High School**

It’s Jeans for Genes Day this Friday 1st August 2014. Please wear your jeans to school. The money raised provides care and support for thousands of children living with genetic disorders.

Jeans for Genes Day is a national day when people wear their jeans to raise funds for research into birth defects and diseases such as cancer, epilepsy, and a range of genetic disorders.

Please bring a gold coin donation (or more!) for our collection box at morning assembly on Friday. Students are reminded to wear their uniform shirt and jumper and to bring their correct footwear for the subjects where they are mandatory. Thank you for your support.
Canteen News  Phone 69931579

Roster

| Monday 4 | Martha Baird |
| Tuesday 5 | Maria Kouroulis |
| Wednesday 6 | Paula Petersen |

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

Next Week’s Menu

| Monday | ¼ Pounder w/ cheese | $4.00 |
| Tuesday | Chicken burger | $4.00 |
| Wednesday | Beef ravioli | $5.00 |
| Thursday | Chicken wraps | $4.00 |
| Friday | Homemade sausage roll w/ sauce | $3.50 |

P & C Information

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

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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.

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P.B.L. LAUNCH
You are invited to an assembly that is being held to celebrate the launch of Positive Behaviour for Learning at Hay War Memorial High School and to showcase the talent of our school community.
The assembly will be followed by light refreshments in the Spirit of A.N.Z.A.C. Centre and a free B.B.Q. lunch and live music in the Quad for students.

DATE  Friday 1st August 2014

Year 12 lamington fundraiser
Lamington orders will be available to be picked up and paid for on Saturday August 9 at the old fire station between 9am—12pm where Year 12 will also be selling cakes and fresh donuts. Thank you to everyone for their overwhelming support of the Year 12 lamington fundraiser.

For so much what shall we repay?