Welcome back to what will be a productive term, filled with quality learning opportunities for our students.

**Anzac Day 2015**

Leading up to Anzac Day our Student Representative Council members will also be given the opportunity to attend the planting of the two Lone Pine trees at the Hay Hospital on Friday 24th April.

The Anzac Commemoration Ceremony is being held this Saturday and Hay War Memorial High School will be a major focus of the day. I look forward to seeing many people at the Dawn Service at the cenotaph where our captains will lay a wreath. As is customary, our students will march as a group in full school winter uniform. For students who are participating in the march please meet at the War Memorial Hall in Lachlan Street at 10:00am.

After the march the Anzac Day Service will occur at the school, followed by a cup of tea and an ANZAC biscuit. The opening of the two major Anzac Day Exhibitions, After Anzac banners and a sculptural ceramic mural will also occur. The mural depicts Hay’s First World War service, development of our school and the growth of our town.

**New staff members**

We also welcomed Ms Gretl Schiller and Miss Alison Britt to our staff. Ms Schiller will be working with our senior students throughout the year. Miss Britt will be with us for the next few weeks replacing Ms Booth whilst she is on long service leave.

**School Development Day**

Our recent School Development Day on Monday 20th April was another well organised and interesting day of learning for the staff. The main focus areas were acknowledging our achievements, learning about disabilities, catering for student learning needs and Positive Behaviour for Learning.

Thank you.  

*Mr Y Chambers, Principal.*

For so much what shall we repay?
**Ag Plot update**
This week nine students from the Primary Industries class completed training in Operate Quad Bikes and Operate Two Wheel Motorbikes. Trainers from Riverina Institute TAFE Deniliquin and Leeton ran the course in Cow Park Forest. These units will go towards their Certificate II in Agriculture. Students will also be doing a course in chemical use soon which will benefit them if they seek employment in the agriculture industry.

The new security fence will be erected over the coming weeks depending on the weather and Cow Park Forest will be fenced by the Primary Industries class not long after that.

It is prime time for year 9 and 10 ag classes to begin planting winter vegetables so if anyone has some seeds that they would like to donate to the school they would be gratefully accepted.

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**Keynote Speaker for Anzac Day 2015**

**Air Commodore Warren McDonald, CSC**

This year Warren McDonald has accepted the invitation of the RSL to be the keynote speaker at the Anzac Day service on Saturday.

Warren McDonald was born in Hay, attended Hay War Memorial High School and joined the Royal Australian Air Force at the age of 15 as an apprentice transport fitter.

After commissioning and undergoing pilot training in 1989 he enjoyed a long career in the P-3C/SP-3C maritime patrol world, rising to become commanding officer of 11 Squadron in 2007 and then officer commanding 92 Wing in 2009.

In late 2011 McDonald deployed to the Middle East as the Australian Air Component Commander for Joint Task Force 633 as part of Operation Slipper, before returning to Australia in May 2012 when he was promoted to Air Commodore and appointed Director General Capability Planning – Air Force. He subsequently assumed command of Air Mobility Group in December 2013.

Air Commodore Warren McDonald, CSC
- currently Commander Air Mobility Group at RAAF Base, Richmond, NSW
- recently promoted to rank of Air Vice - Marshal and will take up the appointment of Deputy Chief of Air Force from July 2015

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**Reminder**
Outstanding school fees are now due, your assistance with this matter will be much appreciated.

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**Assignment starters A-Z**
What projects or essays does your child have that are due by the end of term? One of them could be among the School A-Z website’s assignment starters – resources designed to point you in the right direction. Find out more: http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/homework-and-study/other-subjects-and-assignments
Thank you from the P & C

Last Saturday evening eleven stunning young ladies and their handsome partners were presented at the Hay Services Club 2015 Debutante Ball. It was a culmination of eleven weeks of practice and preparation and we hope you all had fun along the way.

This night would not be possible without the hard work and dedication of our marvelous dance instructors, Kevin & Marilyn Walter and Sue and Les Wall. Thank you.

Thanks must go to our flower girls and page boys, Jade Doidge, Max Mijok, Charli Giddins and Arlee Deacon who did a wonderful job and looked so cute.

Thank you to Mr Darren Clarke and Mrs Cathy Millyard for doing an outstanding Job as Master of Ceremonies.

Thank you to Miss Lanelle Lee Chin for taking our official group photo and to Kristen Hiebl for the amazing cake.

Thank you to our behind the scenes workers Serena Wall (and her husband Jason, who spent hours and hours making paper flowers) Kerry Barnes, Bev Wilson & Rhonda Slattery who all dedicated countless hours to every detail of the evening.

Thank you to everyone who helped make decorations, collect tickets, man the door, security, set up and pack up.

Thank you to all the guests that attended the evening and helped make our debutantes night so special.

We hope you all enjoyed your journey and had a memorable night!

Sport news

Staff and students at Hay War Memorial High School would like to congratulate the following girls who have been selected in the U/16 Riverina AFL girls team for 2015.

Ellie Hicks, Hannah Stewart, Ruby Stewart and Lily Tassell

The girls will play in Geelong in the School Sport Australia AFL championships from the 19th-25th July.

We wish them good luck.

Boys AFL

Darcy Cullenward, Ben Arandt, Jock Crighton and Jack Cattanach also travelled with their parents to Narrandera today for the South West AFL trials.
Canteen News

Roster

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Breakfast 8.30am-8.55am
Toasted cheese sandwich 80c

This week & Next Week’s Menu

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Sports carnival menu

- Hot chips
- Pies
- Sausage rolls
- Caesar salad
- Donuts
- Soft drinks
- Sport drinks
- Mars bars
- Kit-Kats
- Assortment cakes & slices

Term 2, 2015

Week 2

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HAY SCOUTS ANZAC DAY
FAMILY FUN BOWLS

4pm, Saturday 25th April
Hay Bowling Club

$400 prize for winning team

kindly sponsored by Crighton Engineering

Entry $10 per adult, $5 per school-aged child.
Names to the Bowlo bar prior to start time on the day. Teams of 4. Enter a team or just yourself and we’ll make up teams on the day.
Lots of great raffles at the Bowlo on the night.

Youth Group
7.30pm @ Hay Baptist Church
Corner of Church & Hope Streets
Years 6-12 Supper provided
Enquiries 0428437779

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