Valuable Donation to the School Library

On Friday 22nd May 2015, former Hay War Memorial High School student Mr Noel Sheppard donated an exquisite book, Sharpe’s Birds of Paradise, to our library.

Mr Sheppard was a student at the School from 1955 to 1958. He lived at Clroughton House in 1955 - 1957. Mr Sheppard travelled from Nambucca Heads to donate this beautiful book to our library as he thought this would be the most appropriate place for the book to be displayed and treasured.

His is a very generous donation of one of the greatest bird books from the end of the 19th Century. The book includes seventy nine plates of illustrations in original size, spectacular colour and...
amazing detail. There is a limited edition of one thousand copies of the book available and includes a forward by David Attenborough. The illustrator, Richard Bowdler Sharpe was Assistant Keeper of the British Museum’s Zoology Department and collaborated with John Gould on The Birds of New Guinea.

We are very grateful to Mr Sheppard for his donation and honoured that our library will be home to this unique book. We hope to display Sharpe’s Birds of Paradise in our school soon.

Mental Health Forum 4th June
Year 10 students will be attending a Mental Health Forum at the Roxy Theatre in Leeton along with our PDHPE teachers next week.

Motivational Media 15th June
Every day, young Australians are subjected to thousands of messages seeking to influence the way they think and act. Pressures from all aspects of daily life including peers, advertising, television, radio and internet are shaping their young minds. The results are sometimes frightening, and often lead to young people engaging in behaviours that cause harm to themselves and others.

Motivational Media will be at our school on 15th June (10:00am) to both challenge and inspire all of our students to develop strategies that will enable them to reach their true potential so that their life choices will not be diminished through avoidable and reckless behaviours.

Motivational Media’s programs are high impact presentations delivered in schools. They make use of three large, panoramic screens, along with state of the art synchronised projectors, producing an image 13 metres wide. This is combined with amplified sound, current popular music and inspirational stories creating an experience that grips students’ attention like no other program.

Mental health awareness and headspace presentation
Through the assistance of Mr Peter Dwyer (CASE) and the community-minded helpers from CASE, 15th June will be a day for our students to become more aware of mental health through guest speakers. Also, Headspace on 15th June (2:00pm) will be upskilling our students about their role to reduce the impact of anxiety, depression and suicide in the community by raising awareness and understanding, empowering people to seek help, and supporting recovery, management and resilience. Parents are welcome to attend the Headspace presentation at 2:00pm in the Spirit of ANZAC Centre. The organisation beyondblue has kindly donated resources which will be provided to our students on the day.

NSW School Liaison Police Officer
Years 7 to 10 students will be given the opportunity to hear the facts about the consequences when using electronic devices (such as mobile phones and computers) inappropriately on 18th June.

If you have any questions or require clarification about any of these events please contact the school on 02 69931408.

Mr Y Chambers, Principal.

Photography
On Wednesday 27th May 2015, professional photographer Yenny Huber visited Hay War Memorial High School as part of the Moran Arts Foundation schools photography workshops program. Yenny initiated quality lessons in using digital cameras to an audience of 30 students from the high school and Booligal Public School. Students were taught how to frame images, shoot in macro mode, look for interesting lines and lighting and also looked at portraiture. Photographs were then edited using online editing software. Students were also allowed to print images from the day using nifty little printers. Big thanks to the Moran Arts Foundation for sponsoring our school with this excellent workshop.
Primary Industries Students Work Placement 1-5 June
The majority of the class will be on work placement next week in Hay, Hillston, Wagga Wagga and Deniliquin and we wish the students good luck on their second experience. This will complete the compulsory 70 hours of industry placement required to be awarded this subject in the HSC. A few students will be doing their placement at a later date during the school holiday due to employer requirements.

As always we are indebted to our valuable and loyal employers who support students in this process, share their industry experience and knowledge and set aside the extra organisational time that is required to accommodate a work placement student. A huge thanks to local and regional employers.

La Trobe University Visit to Hay War Memorial High School
On Tuesday morning La Trobe University School Engagement Officer Jessica Watts gave an interesting and comprehensive talk to our Year 11 and 12 students about university study. It was terrific to see the students asking questions and gaining insights into options that are available to them. Thanks to Mrs Porter and Miss Smyth who kindly supervised the session in my absence. Students took away current course brochures for future consideration. The early entry scheme ASPIRE was also explained. This opens on June 1. Jess (right) and student ambassador Megan (left) are pictured with some of the students. We would like to express our gratitude to La Trobe University for this service.

Sport Report

Snow excursion
This is going ahead as planned from the 26th to the 29th July. All students have a detailed information note with suggested items and a payment plan. Please read this note carefully and return the permission section by 29th May. There are some spots available for any student that would like to go. For more information contact Leonie Booth or Catherine Britt.

Girls Under 15 AFL
The annual Giants Cup was played in Barham on Tuesday 5th May in wet and muddy conditions. The Hay girls performed creditably with three strong wins against Deniliquin, Barham and Moama but lost to the stronger and more experienced Finley.

Results:
Hay 38 defeated Barham 0. Hannah Stewart 4 goals and Chloe-Jane Simpson 1.
Hay 77 defeated Deniliquin 1. Chloe-Jane Simpson – 2 goals, Chloe Leetham – 2 goals, Hannah Stewart – 3 goals, Ellie Hicks – 1 goal, Lily Tassell – 1 goal, Liz McKenzie - 1 goal, Molly Christensen – 1 goal
Hay 31 defeated Moama 14. Hannah Stewart – 2 goals, Lily Tassell - 1 goal, Liz McKenzie - 1 goal, Ellie Hicks - 1 goal, Chloe Leetham - 1 goal.

All girls played well in the spirit of the game. The strong combination in the midfield of Ellie Hicks, Hannah Stewart and Lily Tassell dominated all four games. They were support well by Liz McKenzie. Best new players were Emily Headon, Katie Arandt and Chloe-Jane Simpson. Mikayla Hurst, Laura Cox, Heidi Booth, Grace Weymouth and Gemma Tassell all tried hard in defence but sometimes did not see much action. Charly Moorhouse, Corinne Wooding, Molly Christensen, Abby-Jean Doyle and Chloe Leetham all tried hard in the difficult conditions.

Thanks to Ruby Stewart who coached the girls on the day.
### Canteen News

#### Roster

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**Breakfast 8.30am-8.55am**
- Toasted cheese sandwich $1.00

#### Next Week’s Menu

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### Term 2, 2015

**Week 7**
- Thursday 4 • School social

**Week 8**
- Wednesday 10 to Friday 12 • Sheep show - Holbrook
- Friday 12 • Regional cross country

### Skoolbag

Hay War Memorial High School uses the Skoolbag App to help us communicate more effectively with our Parent/Student community and is proving to be a popular way to obtain information including assessment tasks issued to students.

“Push” notifications are often sent to advise users of information being loaded onto the app. Newsletters and information notices will always be “pushed” to all users. If you wish to streamline your app to only receive a “push” notification of assessment tasks relevant to yourself/your child you simply:

1. Click on your Skoolbag app
2. Click the "More" button on the bottom right of the App, then "Setup".
3. Toggle on the Push Categories that are applicable for you. For example: Year 8 “on”, all other years “off”.

If you don’t already have the App, here is how to install it:

#### For iPhone and iPad users:
1. Click the "App Store" icon on your Apple device.
2. Type your school name in the search, using the words Hay Skoolbag will help.
3. If iPhone, you will see your school appear, click "Free" then "install".
4. If iPad, change the drop list to "iPhone Apps", your school will then be visible, click "Free" then "install".
5. When installed click "Open"
6. Select "OK" to receive push notifications, when asked.
7. Click the "More" button on the bottom right of the App, then "Setup".
8. Toggle on the Push Categories that are applicable for you.

#### For Android users:
1. You must first have signed up with a Google Account before installing the app.
2. Click the "Play Store" button on your Android Device
3. Click the magnifying glass icon at the top and type in your school name, using suburb name will help.
4. Click the school name when it appears in the search.
5. Click the "Install" button.
6. Click "Accept" for various permissions (please note, we do not modify any of your personal data on your device).
7. Click "Open" when installed.
8. Click the "More" button on the bottom right of the App, then "Setup".
9. Toggle on the Push Categories that are applicable for you.