Last Friday staff and students supported Jeans for Genes Day. Mr Honan and several students competed in a sponsored push-up challenge.

**VP Day commemoration**

Saturday, 15 August 2015 celebrates the anniversary of the end of World War II for Australians. It commemorates the unconditional surrender of the Japanese and the end of the war in the Pacific. This date is known as VP Day - Victory in the Pacific.

The war in Europe had ended on 7 May, 1945 with unconditional surrender by Germany.

To commemorate this occasion students and staff from all Hay’s schools are invited to participate in a community march which will be led by the Australian Army Band Kapooka. This will follow the same route as the Anzac Day march, finishing at the front of the Hay War Memorial High School. The march will be followed by the fly-over of a Lockheed P-3 Orion from the Royal Australian Air Force.

At 2:00pm there will be a free concert by the Kapooka Band in the Spirit of Anzac Centre. Much hard work was involved in getting the band to Hay and it promises to be a great concert for all members of our community.

11:00am - Assemble at the War Memorial Hall in Lachlan Street in full winter uniform

11:45am - Military aircraft fly-over

2:00pm - Free musical concert in Spirit of Anzac Centre

**ANZELA Conference**

Congratulations to Mr John Breen who

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**Driving Lessons**

Bruce Staines will be in Hay for driving lessons on Friday 21st August. Summit Employment is no longer the contact point for these lessons. Please phone Bruce direct on 0409 935775 prior to Monday 17th August for appointments.

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**P & C Meeting**

**tonight**

**August 12**

**@ 7.30pm**

Staff Common Room

All welcome to attend

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**Formal Assembly**

**Friday August 14**

**@ 12pm**

Spirit of Anzac Centre

All welcome to attend
has been offered a scholarship for the purpose of contributing to his attendance at the ANZELA (Australia New Zealand Education Law Association) Annual Conference.

The conference will be held in Brisbane in late September.

**Hay High Ten scheduled for 19th August**

The Hay High Ten is a traditional community fun run that is held each year. This event will take place at 1:30pm on Wednesday 19th August.

Students received their sponsorship cards last week and are encouraged to get as many sponsors as possible. All monies raised will go towards school resources. The event is either competitive or fun. The aim is to complete the course in the set time.

There will be prizes for best dressed person.
1. Don’t lose cards – they are legal documents and they all have to be returned prior to the run. If you lose your card a Statutory Declaration must be filled out.
2. Every $5 of sponsorship raised – entitles you to a raffle ticket in a random prize draw. Many local businesses donate a huge range of prizes and vouchers.
3. Major incentive prize – choice of an IPAD or Go Pro – every $100 raised entitles you to one ticket in this draw.

**Ag News**

**Calves to Shine a Light on Dairy Careers**

Calves are helping to shine a light on dairy industry careers through Dairy Australia’s innovative school program, Cows Create Careers. Farm Module is a National Centre for Dairy Education program funded by Dairy Australia and industry sponsors.


*Dairy Australia is the national services body for the Australian dairy industry. The company acts as the collective investment arm of the industry, investing in essential research, development, extension and industry services. For more information on Dairy Australia and dairy service levy investments visit [www.dairyaustralia.com.au](http://www.dairyaustralia.com.au)*

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**Support, counselling and referral**

DirectLine 1800 888 236  www.counsellingonline.org.au
Family Drug Support 1300 368 186 (NSW)
Australian Drug Foundation 1300 85 85 84

For more information on ICE Facts: [www.adin.com/help-support-services](http://www.adin.com/help-support-services)

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**For so much what shall we repay?**
NSW Rural Fire Service Secondary Schools Cadet Program

Thumbs Up
Pictured right are Zoe Biggs, Belle Barnes and Zac Slattery working as part of the NSW Rural Fire Service Secondary Schools Cadet Program. This program runs periods 5 and 6 every Wednesday afternoon over 10 weeks.

Graduating students will be presented with their certificates in October.

2015 SRC network meeting

‘Look to the future’ was the focus of the 2015 SRC Network meeting held in Deniliquin on 4th and 5th August. Four students represented Hay War Memorial High School’s SRC committee at this event.

Year 10 students, Lucy Tripney, Sophie Cox and Neve Watkin along with Mikayla Macartney from Year 9 attended the two day meeting with SRC co-coordinator and teacher Ms Gretl Schiller.

Each of the following schools sent a delegate of students ranging from Year 6 to Year 11: Balranald Central School, Oaklands Central School, Barham High School, Finley High School, Tooleybuc Central School, Deniliquin High School and of course Hay War Memorial High School. Over thirty four students attended.

The meeting, held at Deniliquin High School, was coordinated and presented by Learning and Engagement Officer Vicki Hutton and was structured to maximise interaction between students from each school.

Activities included:
- Evaluating your SRC’s effectiveness
- Speed thinking and communication
- Roles in SRC
- Action planning for a particular goal

Activities continued during the evening meal at the RSL Club and students continued to get to know each other whilst staying at the Paringa Big 4 Caravan Park on Tuesday night.
- Wednesday continued with the following discussions:
  - How an SRC should work
  - What to do with money raised by SRC
  - Priorities for SRC and mapping on school action plan
  - Decision making and problem solving
  - Evaluation

Our students thank Vicki Hutton on an excellent event and have returned full of ideas and a plan to implement them.

School fees
Reminder that any outstanding school fees are due and need to be paid for 2015. Your assistance would be appreciated.
Hay War Memorial High School

Term 3, 2015

Week 6

Wednesday 19
Hay High Ten

Thursday 20
Questacon

Week 7

Monday 24 to Wednesday 26
HSC Trial exams

Tuesday 25 to Wednesday 26
Wether Show - Dubbo

Wednesday 26
Yrs 9/10 NSW RFS Secondary Schools Cadet Program

Canteen News

Roster

Monday 17
Maxine Moorhouse

Breakfast 8.30am-8.55am
Toasted cheese sandwich $1.00

Next Week’s Menu

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Ready for high school checklist

Tick each item when it has been done (not all tasks will apply to you)

This year
- backpack: medical condition or special needs talk to the high school principal early.
- encourage your child to participate in any transition to high school program offered to them.
- School uniforms above high school at http://www.schools.nsw.edu.au/highschool

At high school
- orientation
  - find out about:
  - school uniforms (including sports uniform), where and when to buy them;
  - map of school
  - school start and finish times
  - transport in and from school - forms for travel pass or subsidy, if applicable
  - uniform offered in the school
  - book packs and school supply lists
  - ways to become involved in the school
  - the name of the Year 7 adviser

Next year
- P.R.A.I.M.E.
  - Pay school uniforms, books, stationery, school bags, etc.
  - Read everything
  - Plan in school shoes to make them more comfortable
  - Practice travelling to and from school with your child
  - Use the transport they will use
  - Set up your child's school email address
  - Search your child's home for the timetable for the bus, train or ferry as appropriate

Tips for the first week of high school
- Regular school uniform/optional uniform
- Help your child to note all assignments, homework and tests in their diary
- Check through the information each night with your child and their bag – including sports uniform
- Encourage your child to eat healthy food and get good night’s sleep
- Give the school your current contact details

Whooping cough (Pertussis)
Generally if your child feels unwell, keep them home from school and consult your doctor.

Starts with a running nose, followed by persistent cough that comes in bouts. Bouts maybe followed by vomiting and a whooping sound as the child gasps for air.
... until the first 5 days of an antibiotic course has been completed. Unimmunised siblings may need to stay home too until treated with an antibiotic.