For so much what shall we repay?

The 2015 Hay High Ten has been one of the most successful in terms of fundraising. Over $6,300 has been raised which will be shared among faculties to buy resources. Some of the money will be used to put driving lights on the school bus and some will be allocated to improve signage in the museum and to further develop the Riverina Sporting Blues honour board.

Congratulations to our two biggest fundraisers. Jodie Hicks raised over $1600 and Maria Stevenson raised over $600. Maria was the lucky winner of the major prize and she has chosen an iPad.

The following students are also to be commended on the fundraising efforts and had tickets in the major draw.
Sophie Cox, Jacquie Darlow, Darcy Cullenward, Brooke Arandt, Tyler Clancy, Brandy Deacon, Abby-Jean Doyle, Leo Fitzpatrick, Emerson Griffiths, Emily Headon, Bethany Hurst, Natasha Morris Whytcross, Kiana Shortt, Corinne Wooding, Mikaela Hurst, Anna Cattanach and Jack Cattanach.

A big thank you to the following businesses that supported the Hay High Ten by donating prizes: Wok in Hay, Westpac, New Crown Hotel, Murphy’s, Japps Pharmacy, Hills Corner Store, Charmed Décor, Harrisons IGA, Foodworks, Tantrum, Commercial Coffee shop, Hay War Memorial High School canteen, Marg Porter, Antonakas, Australia Post, Betta Electrical, Hay Visitors Information Centre, Hay Sports Store, Hay Newsagency and Robertson’s Hot Bread Kitchen.

2016 Captains Induction
The 2016 Captains Induction assembly will be held Friday, September 11 from

Reminder
Some families still have outstanding fees associated with their student’s 2015 rotation and/or elective subjects.

The payment of rotation and elective fees is mandatory and would be appreciated immediately.

Statement of Accounts have again been posted home this week.

If you require assistance, please contact the School Administrative Manager.

Contact details
Please ensure you have advised the school if you have changed address, changed phone numbers or wish to change your emergency contacts. It is imperative that these contact details are up to date at all times.
10:00am in the Spirit of ANZAC Centre. Families and community members are invited to attend this distinctive occasion along with the ex-students of Hay War Memorial High School. There will be a light morning tea provided at the end of the assembly for captains, staff, families, ex-students and community members.

**Year 12 Luncheon**
Year 12 students are expected to be in regular lessons until the end of Period 3 on Wednesday September 16. Their luncheon is also scheduled for Wednesday, Period 4 to 5 with their Year Advisor, Mrs Porter and their Year Head Teacher, Mr Clarke. Lunch will be followed by a volleyball match during Period 6.

**Farewell Assembly**
The Year 12 farewell assembly will be held on Thursday September 17 in the Spirit of Anzac Centre from 10:00 am. As this is a very special and formal occasion for students and parents, it is a requirement that students wear full school uniform or they will not be permitted to participate in the farewell assembly. Any student experiencing difficulty in meeting this requirement should seek assistance from Mr Clarke or Mrs Porter prior to the day to avoid disappointment. At the conclusion of the assembly a morning tea will be provided for the parents, guests, staff and Year 12 students. The Year 12 students depart the school with their family once the assembly and morning tea have finished.

Mr Y Chambers, Principal.

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**P & C meeting time change**
It has become obvious by the lack of numbers, that our P & C meeting time does not suit most people. So we are trying a new time next month of 5.30pm with the intention of finishing by 7pm.

Our meetings are not formal but do require a quorum of 5 members to attend in order to be able to vote on any motions.

New members bring new ideas, a different perspective, fresh thoughts and we would love to hear from you!

Any enquiries or suggestions are welcome.

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President: Rhonda Slattery 0427 932 140  
Secretary: Serena Wall 0437 931 808  
Treasurer: Helen Jacka 0428 931 972  
**Next meeting:** Thursday October 8 2015, Staff Common Room, 5.30pm

**PBL end of Term 3 celebration**
This Friday students will be invited to participate in the end of term PBL reward. Students who have not been placed onto Step 2 or higher from Week 7 on will be given a token at Friday morning assembly that they can cash in to receive a hot cinnamon donut and a drink at lunch time.

Weekly draw winners for Weeks 7 & 8 include Lucy Tripney, Alp Yazan, Jai Poole, Ellie Hicks, Brooke Higgins, Aiden Shortt and Jessie Carter. Congratulations to these students who have been recognised for demonstrating our whole school expected behaviours of respect, responsible and achieve.
In early Term 2 we were fortunate enough to exhibit works in a joint exhibition held by Hay Public School and Booligal Public School. This exhibition showcased works to be selected into the Operation Art competition in Sydney. Operation Art allows young students in Years K-10 to create work for children in Westmead Children’s Hospital. The display of colourful and uplifting artworks helps to alleviate the anxiety felt by young people during periods of hospitalisation. Some young students and their parents in our community of Hay know what this feels like all too well.

Three works from Hay War Memorial High School were selected by Mrs Jeni Japp and Mr Chris McClelland for exhibition with 800 other works in Sydney. The artworks are professionally framed and hung at a pavilion in Olympic Park in Homebush Bay on display for about 6 weeks between September and October. They are then judged by a team, with 50 works selected for exhibition at the Art Gallery of New South Wales in Sydney and then they join the permanent collection of works at Westmead Children’s Hospital for rotational display in the corridors.

Now, for news of our success! Neve Watkin had her acrylic painted work “The Circus at Sunset” selected in the best 50 works. This is very exciting as she was unable to attend the event in person. Her inspiration for the work was “the circus, with the inclusion of tightrope walkers to remind me of dance classes with friends.” Neve’s work has been published in various materials for Operation Art 2015. Absolutely fantastic work Neve!

Lucy Tripney painted and collaged “Jerry the Giraffe” and believes that her subject matter, the giraffe “always looks like a happy animal”. Her work was selected for inclusion in the Teacher Resource Pack as an example of inspiration. This is a fantastic result!

Finally Kaylob Cowdrey with this work “Life of Mice” which came from our Elective Art unit of work on Abstraction. “I combined objects with the faces and ears of mice to give them a cute appearance – my work focuses on working together”. A fabulously original work, Kaylob is to be congratulated for this excellent artwork.

This is the first year that I’ve been able to co-ordinate work to be displayed in this event, and I’d like to thank Hay Public School for sponsoring the costs of one of our three entries. Lindy Stewart, teaching Principal at Booligal Public School and staff at Hay Public School are also to be commended for their wonderful organisational efforts. I’m sad that I didn’t get to attend the opening but will make my best efforts to get to the pavilion in Homebush. Miss Katie Conn, former teacher at Hay War Memorial High School was fortunate enough to attend the opening of the exhibition and was very excited to see our work there. Well done to Neve, Kaylob and Lucy on your fabulous creative efforts.

**Operation Art Success with Miss Lanelle Lee Chin**
**Careers with Ms Beth Schiller**

**SRS Schools Recommendation Scheme- Year 12 Early Entry Program for University**
If students wish to be rated by the school, they need to have completed their SRS applications by Wednesday, September 16. The process takes about 2 minutes. Students are strongly advised to have lodged their UAC and VTAC entries by now. Lunchtime sessions will run today and tomorrow in Room 7 to offer support to any Year 12 students with university entries, EAS (Educational Access Scheme), SRS, and Equity Scholarships. Students entering tertiary education in 2016 should also be aware that they will require a Tax File number.

**Local Job Opportunity - Apprentice Mechanic**
Motormatics are seeking a school leaver who has an interest in mechanics. This is an apprenticeship position. Applicants should present themselves to the manager with a resume and will need good literacy and numeracy skills.

**Traineeship opportunity at busy real estate office in Griffith**
See Ms Schiller for more details.

**Congratulations to White Card students**
We congratulate a total of 14 students from Years 8 - 10 who completed the White Card course and have now gained this valuable credential. We extend a big thank you to Mr Tripney for his efforts in organisation, preparation and delivery of this course. Over the next few days we will be completing the USI registration process which is now a requirement for all VET courses.

**Work Experience October 26 - 30**
It is pleasing to see the majority of students have now completed their organisation for work experience next month. It is disappointing that a few have not shown the initiative to finalise this important educational experience, despite repeated requests. Promptness and good organisational skills are critical generic skills required by all employers.

**CWA scholarships**
Application forms are available from the front office or Ms Schiller for CWA scholarships. These should be completed at home with parents and returned to the school by next Wednesday, September 16.

**Enrolments for Distance Education close tomorrow**
Any senior student who wishes to enrol in a distance education subject in 2016 should see Ms Schiller no later than 9am tomorrow.

Above Connie Andrews and Sophie Stephens at work placement - Hay Tourist Information Centre.
We wish to thank Hay Shire for supporting our students.
OTHER AWARDS:

Note: The successful applicant will not be permitted to hold any other major scholarship.

Auscott should be notified immediately of applicants acceptance of any other major scholarship.

PAYMENTS:

Payments will be made from a trust account in NINE instalments during each tertiary year of the scholarship; the amount of each being that agreed upon with the Administrator.

It is intended that these payments will be largely governed by each student's needs and can be modified to suit.

REQUIREMENTS:

Recipients will be required to provide copies of each semester's results. In addition, at the end of each academic year, as well as their results, the recipient will be required to supply the Administrator with a brief report outlining his/her progress during that year.

Occasionally students may be asked to speak to local schools in their district.

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(for further information, please contact the Auscott office closest to you)

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Canteen News

Roster

Monday 14
Maxine Moorhouse

Breakfast 8.30am-8.55am
Toasted cheese sandwich $1.00

Next Week’s Menu

Monday
Chicken burger $4.50
Tuesday
Egg & bacon roll with BBQ sauce $4.50
Wednesday
Toasted wraps: H/C/T or chicken/cheese with sweet chilli sauce $4.50
Thursday
Crackles $2.50
Friday
Homemade sausage rolls $3.50

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Week 10

Wednesday 16
• Yrs 9/10 NSW RFS Secondary Schools Cadet Program
Thursday 17
• Yr 12 Formal assembly - 10am
• Yr 12 Dinner - 7pm - 11pm
Friday 18
• End of term

Term 4 starting date
• First day back next term will be Tuesday October 6 for staff and students.
• It will be Day 2 on the timetable.

Holiday Drama with Outback Theatre!

Outback Theatre for Young People are running free holiday workshops with the young people of Hay to build their theatre making skills and to gather creative inspiration for our project - The Echo in Our Walls.

We are deriving a show that looks to the people in Hay for its inspiration. We want to make a show that celebrates who you are, where you've come from, and the places you're going. And we need your voice to be part of the journey!

The Echo in Our Walls explores the history of your town, and the sort of experiences your families might have had during their time in Hay. We want to skip forward too, to see what life is like now as a young person growing up in an outback town, and what the future might hold.

This is where you come in! Whether you love performing, writing, directing, costume-making, designing, making music or just being people around, we've got a job for you in this production.

(If you're not a young person anymore, but have a great story about the history of Hay to share with us, we'd love for you to get in touch with us too, via the phone number or email address below.)

There will be 2 information sessions on Saturday 19 September at Bishop's Lodge:
• Primary School ages: 10:30am-12:30pm
• High School ages: 1:30-3:30pm

To find out more, please get in touch with Jessica Bellamy, Artistic Director of The Echo in Our Walls, on jessica@outbacktheatre.com or ring 0413 086 138

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Tell Them From Me: Partners in Learning survey

You're invited to participate in the Tell Them From Me (TTFM) Partners in Learning survey designed for parents and carers. This survey complements the TTFM student and teacher surveys, which focus on student engagement, wellbeing and effective teaching practices. All Department of Education schools have the opportunity to participate if they choose.

Why should I participate?
Parents and carers are an important and valued part of the school community. Schools can use survey feedback to make practical improvements and inform school planning.

What does it involve?
This online survey takes about 15 minutes to complete. It is anonymous and voluntary. If you have more than one child at this school, you can complete the survey more than once.

How can I participate?
You can access the survey in your own time, between 17 August and 16 October 2015. Follow the link below on your computer or tablet:
https://www.tellthemfromme.com/1/aceeI_security_check?username=parent&790368i_e

Please copy and paste the link into your internet browser. This will ensure the survey branches directly to page one of the survey.

More information on the Partners in Learning survey can be found on the NSW Department of Education TTFM website: http://surveys.cese.nsw.gov.au/