

What's Happening

Hay War Memorial High School

- Respect
- Achieve
- Responsible



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2 August, 2018



HWMHS
Education Week
Assembly
Thursday August 9
10am
In the Spirit of
ANZAC Centre
All welcome.

Bell Shakespeare

Attention parents and carers: Changes to School Uniform Policy and associated guidelines

The NSW Department of Education has revised the School Uniform Policy and associated guidelines following an extensive review and consultation process, including with the NSW Parents and Citizens Association. The revised School Uniform Policy requirements include that:

- all students have the opportunity to access the full range of school activities, including physical activities while wearing a school uniform
- girls must have the option to wear shorts and pants
- consideration is given to cost and how to assist families, including for schools to inform parents how they can access financial support to purchase school uniform items.

The revised School Uniform Policy and associated guidelines can be found at the link: [School Uniform Policy](#).

Where changes are required to a school's uniform, there must be formal consultation with students, teachers and other staff, parents or carers, and the school community (including the Parents and Citizens'

Association). Parents and carers should be given up to 3 years to comply with any changes.

Uniform

Hay War Memorial High School is proudly a uniform school and we expect all students to show pride in their appearance and dress in the correct school uniform each day. By doing so, students indicate to their teachers that they are showing respect, one of our Positive Behaviour for Learning values. It reflects how they feel about the school and themselves. It shows that they see themselves as an important part of our school community.

We ask parents to assist this process by ensuring that their child is wearing the school uniform correctly. All students know they are required to arrive at school in the normal school uniform and then change into their sports uniform during the day if they have sport or a practical PE class. It is fantastic to belong to a school community where students take pride in their appearance.

Education Week

Today's schools - creating tomorrow's world
Education Week for HWMHS will begin on Monday 6 August. Events will include:

- Monday 6 - Max Willcox will be having poetry workshops throughout the day for students.
- Friday 10 - Education Week Assembly from 10.00am, in

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the Spirit of ANZAC Centre.

As part of our Education Week and NAIDOC Week, Christine Anu will be performing and sharing her story in the Spirit of ANZAC Centre from 1.30pm on Monday 13 August. School community members are invited to attend.

HSC Trials

The Senior students will be undertaking their HSC Trial examinations in Week 6 this term. Next week an examination timetable will be sent home with the students.

I ask all Senior students to maximise the time you have now to study and discuss any areas you need to focus on with your course teacher.

Warning Letter

The NSW Education Standards Authority (NESA) requires schools to warn students in Years 10-12 who are at risk of not completing a specific course. For students in 10, in particular, they may find they have received an N-Award Warning Letter for the first time in their schooling. Warnings are issued to students who have failed to complete a task or coursework. All work must be completed and submitted in order to redeem the N-Award warning.

Any student who receives an N-Award Warning Letter needs to take such a warning very seriously, as it is an indication that the student's performance in the course must improve in order for the student to complete the course successfully. If they are unable to complete the course successfully, they will be unable to progress to the next stage with their cohort.

Please note, a minimum of 2 warnings will be sent before a student is assigned an N-Determination in Year 10 and the Preliminary courses. For the HSC students who receive warnings letters totalling in excess of 51%, they may receive an N-Determination.

Students are provided with support from the school to redeem their work; however, it is their responsibility to access these supports. Supports include, but are not limited to homework, Year Advisor assistance and counsellor assistance. Our wonderful teachers often donate their

personal time to assist our students. Students are encouraged to utilise these supports in order to achieve their personal best.

If your child receives an N-Award warning letter, the best course of action is to contact the student's classroom teacher to determine the most effective way of redeeming the N-Award warning and getting back on track. Not responding to these letters may have a detrimental impact on the student's ability to proceed to the next stage (Year) and in some cases, their ability to remain at school. Students and parents should have an open dialogue with their teachers and complete all work to ensure they do their very best.

Yvan Chambers

Principal

Bendigo Sheep and Wool Show

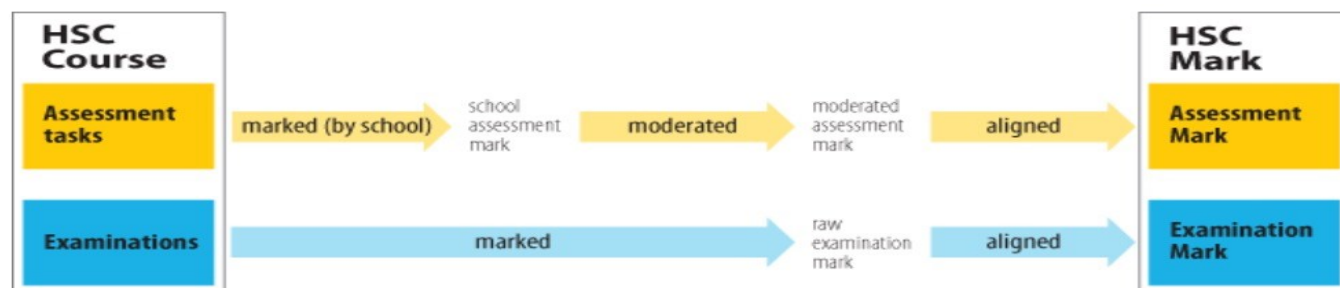
The HWMHS sheep showing team travelled to Bendigo during the end of Term 2 holidays.

It was another successful event with many of our team members coming home with ribbons.

Congratulations to the following students:

- 2nd place to Katie Schiller, 3rd place to Benjamin Caughey & 4th place to Charly Moorhouse in the Junior Handler aged between 13 & 18 years old.
- 1st place to Jaiyana handled by Gemma Tassell & 4th place to Millicent handled by Katie Schiller in the White Dorper ewe lamb, born in the current year.
- 2nd place to Hope handled by Grace Weymouth in the White Dorper ewe, under 1 1/2 years old born before 30/04/2017.
- 4th place to Trigger handled by Georgia Booth in the White Dorper ram over 2 1/2 years old.
- 1st place to Aurora handled by Charly Moorhouse in the Dorper ewe, under 1 1/2 years old born between 01/08/2017 & 30/09/2017.
- 2nd place to Lucy handled by Benjamin Caughey in the Dorper ewe, over 2 1/2 years old.
- 1st place to Boss handled by Katie Schiller & 3rd place to Duke handled by Charly Moorhouse.
- 4th place to Poseidon handled by Benjamin Caughey.
- 7th place to Charly Moorhouse in the Corriedale Junior judging.
- 3rd place to Apollo handled by Gemma Tassell in the schools interbreed long wool/prime lamb ram, any age, any breed.

The following steps are involved in producing the HSC results for students for each course they study:



NSW AFL Under 15s

Congratulations to Hugh and Delilah Crighton who recently competed in the National Championships for The NSW AFL Under 15s teams.

Hugh and Delilah travelled to Adelaide to compete in a very strong competition. Delilah's team played in the finals but narrowly missed out and came home with second place. Hugh's team had a competitive field and came home with an impressive fifth place.

Well done Hugh and Delilah!



State Cross Country

Congratulations to Alex Hussain who represented the Riverina Team in the State Cross Country Championships. Alex finished mid field and was very competitive with his time. Well done.



Regional Athletics

Good luck to our HWMHS team who will be travelling to Albury on Friday to compete in the Regional Athletics Championships.

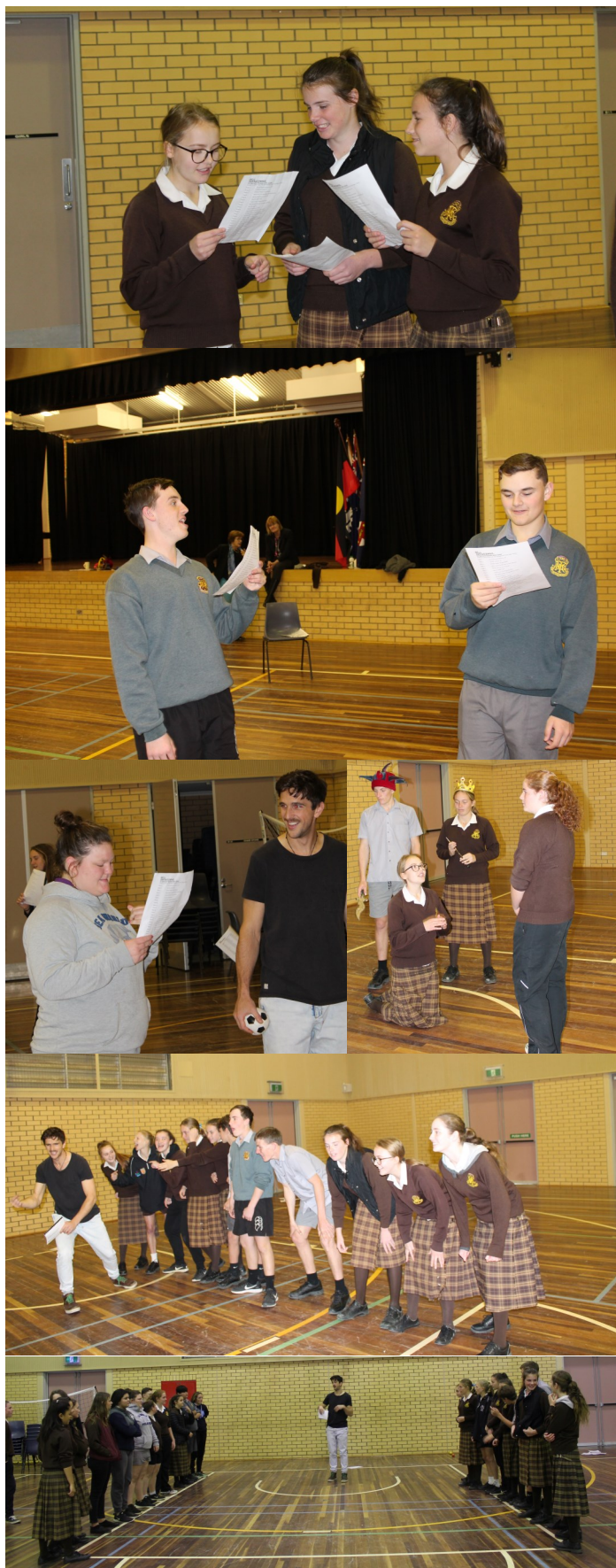
Bell Shakespeare

Our Year 7, 8, 9 and 10 students have all enjoyed working with Bell Shakespeare Arts Educators, Huw McKinnon and Owen Little, this week. They are here developing students' understanding of plays, Shakespeare's language and in particular 'Romeo and Juliet' through a wide range of physical activities. Huw also revised The Tempest with the Senior English Standard class.

Staff also enjoyed a session with Huw and Owen on Tuesday afternoon and parents had the opportunity to meet them and explore some of the activities on Wednesday evening.

We have welcomed Huw and Owen into our school community this week and are very grateful to the P&C for their generous sponsorship of the program and also to Mrs Steph Cattnach for her very generous offer of

accommodation for the Bell Shakespeare team, which further reduced the school's costs for the Residency. It's great to see our students experiencing opportunities often more readily available to metropolitan students.



School Photos

School photos will be taken on Monday 20 August and are significant for individual students and their families, as well as a forming a permanent record of students who have attended Hay War Memorial High School.

In K Block there are student photos of the school from 1997. All students must be in school uniform to be in the photo. School jumpers are to be worn in the photo. If students forget their jumper they will be given one to wear in the photo.

For families new to the school, year group photos are taken, i.e. there is one Year 7 group photo, not 7Y and 7B. All students are included in their year group photo and have their individual photo taken, even if they are not purchasing photos.

Photo envelopes will soon be sent home with students.

Careers News Week 2, Term 3, 2018

Year 12 University Entrance

Application for all NSW and ACT universities through the centralised UAC (University Admissions Centre) opened on 1 August. On Thursday, interested Year 11 and 12 students were taken through the process. They were also provided the information for reference over the coming months including important cut off dates. Applications for Victorian unis through VTAC open on Monday 6 August.

UOW Early Admission - Applications closing soon

From 1-24 August

UOW Early Admission is an early offer program which assesses students through an interview and academic results during Years 11 and 12. Successful students are rewarded for their hard work with a place at UOW before they sit their final exams. For full details, including application criteria, visit :

<https://www.uow.edu.au/early>

Hay Inc 2019 Rural Education Program

Expression of Interest are currently being taken for this course from school leavers for next year. This program is a 'hands on' program of various workshops and mentoring by people with vast industry experience on local properties. Previous HWMHS Year 12 students have participated in this program and enjoyed the experience, as well as learning new skills. All Year 12 students have been sent an email with further details from Ms McNally, who is happy to discuss and assist students complete the Expression of Interest form.

Help your child choose the right subjects to get a building & construction apprenticeship

The Apprenticeship Engagement Forum website has 11 downloadable flyers that suggest subject choices for years 9 to 12. The subjects have been recommended by each industry. The flyers cover bricklaying, signs & graphics, fire sprinkler fitter, carpentry, shopfitting, stonemasonry, wall & floor tiling, plumbing, wall & ceiling lining, painting & decorating and roof tiling. <http://ow.ly/gDci30l0b7H>

Sydney Trains – 2019 Apprenticeship Program

The 2019 Apprenticeship Program for Sydney Trains closes 5 August.

Pay rate starting at \$572.65 per week or \$870.45 per week for adult apprentice (over 21) plus applicable allowances, employer's superannuation contribution and annual leave loading.

- Telecommunications
- Signal Fitting
- Signal Electrical
- Substations
- Rail Traction
- Auto Electrician
- HV Cables
- Rail Maintainer Fitter
- Rail Maintainer Electrical

<https://bit.ly/ASA-Sydney-Trains-2019>

**HWMHS
P & C Meeting
Thursday August 2 2018
5.30pm
In the HWMHS staffroom

All welcome.**



Meet Our Staff

Mr Shane Orchard - School Chaplain

What are your main commitments at HWMHS?

As Chaplain my role is to be available to meet any social, spiritual and emotional concerns within the school community. Each day is different, from visiting classes, one to one conversations, conflict resolution and caring for staff and parents. I also coordinate the Duke of Edinburgh Award.

What has helped you improve your learning most and why?

Age and attitude have helped me the most. I see myself in some students at HWMHS. I wasn't too concerned with learning and didn't see the benefit. A bit of maturity has helped me realise life is about growing and challenges. I believe I can learn and achieve what I put my mind to.

What has been your most memorable moment so far at HWMHS?

The 2017 Duke of Edinburgh canoe trip was a highlight. I also loved getting back on the drums with students in 2016 performance night.



Meet Our Students

Harley Curtis - Year 11

What is your favourite subject at HWMHS and why?

Sport is my favourite subject because I love participating in sport and I really like the thrill of competition.

What has been your most memorable moment at HWMHS so far?

My most memorable moment so far was when I represented the school playing rugby. Not only was it my most memorable moment at school but in my rugby career as it was the best game I ever played.

Where do you see yourself in ten years?

In ten years I see myself as a successful entrepreneur.



Bendigo Sheep and Wool Show 2018

Make a date with your school mates for **Anzac Day weekend 2023**. Join in the festivities to mark the Hay War Memorial High School Centenary and create your own magical reunions with school friends.

HWMHS - a living memorial for 100 years.

A school is more than the buildings, the current staff and students or its history, it is the sum total of all the people who have passed through its doors.

Let's make the Anzac Day weekend 2023 an amazing reunion weekend for all.

HOW?

1. Start reconnecting with your year group now – you have five years to find them all!
Do you already have a network? Is there already someone who coordinates your year group?

Would someone like to take on that role and begin re-connecting with all of your year?

Let us know if you are that person.

Email: HWMHScentenary@gmail.com

2. Tell us where you've been since school – South Hay or North Pole?

We'd like to see every student (and teacher) from the first 100 years of HWMHS represented in our school over the centenary weekend in a display:

100 years of every day heroes

Make yourself a poster for the 2023 Centenary weekend and send an electronic copy to the school before December 2022.

Include on your single page poster:

Name

Years you attended HWMHS

Photo as a teenager

A more recent photo

Information you'd like to share with the school community about your life since leaving school.

Need a new laptop?

Or car rego, TV, washing machine, or other essential item?

NILS

No Interest Loan Scheme
bought to you by Intereach



The No Interest Loan Scheme (NILS) provides no interest loans to people on low incomes (below \$45,000).

Loans for amounts up to \$1500 are available for essential goods and services, including educational equipment such as lap tops.

Once your NILS is approved, repayments are set up at an affordable amount for 12 to 18 months.

No additional fees, charges or interest is payable, and you have control over which brands and model you decide to purchase.

Further information available at Hay Community Hub, 78 Lachlan Street Hay Ph 6997 2500.

HWMHS Canteen Menu

LUNCH		SNACKS		DRINKS	
Salad Box with Chicken Strips	\$6.50	Biscuits	\$1.50	Water	\$2.00
Salad Roll	\$6.00	Muffins	\$2.00	Juice Box	\$1.50
Salad Sandwich	\$5.00	Fruit Salad (Seasonal)	\$2.50	Moove Milk	\$2.50
Egg/Lettuce Sandwich	\$2.50	Chips	\$1.50	Orange Juice	\$3.00
Chicken/Lettuce/Mayo Sandwich	\$3.00	Daily Treats Available		Nippy's Flavoured Milk	\$2.50
Ham/Cheese Toasted Sandwich	\$2.50			Dare	\$4.00
Chicken/Cheese Toasted Sandwich	\$2.50			Hot Chocolate	\$3.00
Hot Cheese Roll	\$2.50			Cappuccino/Latte	\$3.50
Bolognaise Roll	\$4.50			Mocha	\$4.00
Chicken/Gravy Roll	\$3.50	Please notify the canteen if you require any dietary requirements. Gluten free food is available upon request.			
1/2 Vegemite Roll	0.70c				

Toasted Cheese Sandwiches are available for breakfast from 8.30am to 8.55am for only \$1.

Rhonda's Weekly Specials

Monday	Chicken Burger	\$4.50
Tuesday	BBQ Chicken Roll	\$4.50
Wednesday	Steamed Dim Sims (3) w. Soy Sauce/Tomato or BBQ	\$2.50
Thursday	Lamb and Gravy Roll	\$5.00
Friday	Goujons	\$2.50

For so much what shall we repay?

Hay War Memorial High School

Deputy Principal
Mrs Janine Nelson

Head Teacher English
Mr Darren Clarke

Head Teacher Maths
Mrs Lil Aylett

Head Teacher Science
Mr Jim Mackintosh

Head Teacher HSIE
Ms Tegan Hatfield

Student School Counsellor
in Training
Mrs Carla Wickham

Learning and Support
Mrs Cathy Millyard

School Administrative Manager
Mrs Chris Huntly



Education

Canteen News

Roster

Monday 6 August	Wendy
Thursday 9 August	Karen

Pulse Youth Group

'Pizza Night' @ Moses & Karen's Murray Street, this Fri 3rd August.

7.00pm – 9.30pm. If you require a lift, please call Ruth by Thursday on 0428 437 779.

Are you a breast cancer survivor or dealing with diagnosis or treatment?



If this is you, please join us for dinner and support at Bishop's Lodge Motel Restaurant at 6.30pm on Tuesday 7 August 2018

For more information & to RSVP please call Jill on 0429 930691

Our group meets informally in April, August and December. Anyone who has had a breast cancer diagnosis is welcome to join us.



What's Happening Term 3 2018

Week 3

Friday 10 August Education Week Assembly

Week 4

Monday 13 August Christine Anu Performance

Week 5

Monday 20 August School Photo Day

Wednesday 22 August Project Empower

Week 6

Mon 27 - Wed 29 August HSC Trial Exams

Thursday 30 August Hay High Ten

Week 7

Wed 5 - Fri 7 Sept CHS Athletics

Thurs 6 - Fri 7 September Ag Vision - Junee

Week 8

Thursday 13 Sept R U OK day

Week 9

Tuesday 18 Sept Under 16 AFL - Deniliquin

Friday 21 Sept School captains Induction Assembly

Week 10

Wednesday 26 Sept Year 12 Community Service Day and Luncheon

Thursday 27 Sept Year 12 Farewell Assembly

Thursday 27 Sept Year 12 Dinner

PBL WINNERS

Week 2

Demi Ellis

Benjamin Caughey

Gus Martin x2

Congratulations.

Each winner receives a \$15 Canteen voucher.