

## Principal's Message

### What's on at HPS?

Anzac White Cross Ceremony & Grandparents Meeting	24/4
Anzac Day March	25/4
S/R Cross Country	4/5
NAPLAN Year 3 & 5	12, 13 & 14 May

### Monday 27th April

Next Monday **IS NOT** a public holiday and school will operate as normal.



### P & C Meeting

The next P & C meeting will be held on Wednesday 29th April at 7pm in the school library.

### White Cross Remembrance Ceremony

On Friday all students K-6 will walk to the Henty Memorial Park to attend the White Cross Remembrance Ceremony commencing at 10am. Parents and community members are invited to attend. Thank you to the P & C for organising morning tea and the numerous parents who have volunteered to supply food and assist.

### Anzac Day March & Service 2015

Students are asked to assemble at the Henty Community Centre at **10am** to commence the march at **10:30am**.

Students are asked to wear full winter uniform.

### 100 Reasons to Remember

#### Are your children able to participate?

On Saturday 25th April at 7:30pm students from numerous local schools, community groups and talented individuals will perform at the Henty Civic Centre. Students are asked to meet staff in the foyer of the new section of the Civic Centre at 7:30pm and will perform in the first half of the evening. We have had limited responses and ask your support of this event. If numbers are not adequate, Henty Public School will need to withdraw from the evening. Please complete the intention to attend note inside this Kalori.

Regards, Theresa



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# Class Notes

## Kindergarten / Year 1

Melanie Durnan

Welcome back to school and to Term 2, I hope that everyone had a restful holiday. It was wonderful seeing so many happy faces and stories of children's holidays.

Getting straight into work this week. Our sound focus is **v** as in van and **e** as is elephant. Kindergartens sight words are **or**, **can** and **no**; Year One's words are in **list 9**.

Art is still on a Tuesday morning with Mrs Fraser then children will go to library with Mrs Eulenstein. Scripture is on Wednesday afternoon and assembly will run on even weeks starting at 3pm.

Thursday morning we will be having a White Cross rehearsal at the park. Friday morning we will be leaving school at 9.40 for the White Cross ceremony, it would be really great if parents could attend, there will be a morning tea after the ceremony.

On Saturday morning children are allowed to walk in the march with the school, they are to wear full school winter uniform and meet at 10am.

Please remember that children have the necessary stationary to complete work at school and at home. Lead pencil, rubber, sharpener and glue sticks are required and it is very helpful if their belongings are named.

## Year 1 / 2

Emma Byles, Jolonna Brand

It is great to welcome everyone back to Term 2. From reports an enjoyable break was had by all. I am very proud of the effort the Year 1/2 children put into help create our class Anzac display. Each child had a phrase matching a letter of the alphabet to illustrate. It is now on display in the shop window next to the coffee shop.

Week Ahead

Monday	Staff Development Day
Tuesday	Art (Mrs Fraser)
Wednesday	Scripture, Assembly (Even Weeks)
Thursday	Library, History (Mrs Eulenstein)
Friday	White Cross Anzac Service

Just a reminder that I will be teaching Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday and Mrs Brand will be teaching Thursday and Friday.

This term in Literacy we will be writing recounts along with the continuation of reading and spelling activities. Home reading will continue to be checked daily and news plans will need to be completed each week. Next week home learning activities will resume.

In spelling we are focusing on u o in umbrella monkey. In maths we will be working on making equal groups and arrays, skip counting by 2, 3, 5, and 10, identifying and drawing 2D shapes and informally measuring area. In PD/Health our topic is focused on Drug Education and about keeping ourselves safe around medicines.

Please remember the importance of labelling all your child's clothing and keeping your child supplied with the necessary equipment needed to complete their learning tasks ie. grey lead pencils, rubber, glue, scissors, ruler.

# Class Notes

## Year 2/3

**Joanne Malmo**

It was great to welcome the students back to school today, I hope that you all had a wonderful break and enjoyed the rain!

There are some small changes this term regarding classroom organisation. We will continue to have art and library on Tuesdays, however, these sessions will occur from 9.30-11.30. Each Tuesday and Thursday from 12.45-1.30, the Years K/1/2/3 classes will be separated into year levels for numeracy. I will be teaching Year 3 and Ms Byles and Mrs Brand will be teaching Year 2. These sessions will form part of the Year 2/3 numeracy allocation for the week.

We are continuing to focus on narratives in writing and we will re-visit persuasive texts in week 3, prior to the NAPLAN testing.

Our term 2 Science unit is 'Products' and the students will be describing how products are designed and produced, and researching the ways people use them. In PDHPE we will be looking at ways that drugs affect ourselves and others.

This Friday, at 10am, the whole school will be taking part in the White Cross Ceremony at the Cenotaph. The students are to be dressed in their sports uniform. Please take time to view the Henty Public School window display next to the coffee shop. Mrs Kane, Miss Ross and Miss Durnan have put together a wonderful collection of the childrens' work in honour of the men and women who have served in conflicts for Australia. I hope to see many of the Year 2/3 students attend the ANZAC day march this Saturday. Please assemble at the Community Health Centre at 10am on Saturday and be dressed in the full winter uniform. Also, please read the Kalori notes regarding attendance on Saturday night at the Henty Civic Centre, all students are welcome to join the choir for this event.

There is no assembly this week.

Classroom leaders: Jai and Konnar

## Year 4

**Julie Clancy/ David Pickett**

Welcome back! I hope everyone had an enjoyable break. This week is a very busy week with many Anzac events taking place. The White Cross Ceremony will be at 10 am on Friday. The children will be asked to wear sports uniform. All parents and community members are welcome to attend.

For students participating in the Anzac Day March on Saturday please assemble at the Community Centre at 10 am. Students are to be dressed in full winter uniform, with a tie if you have one.

This week there will be no homework. It will start next week. In literacy this week the students will be learning about the significance of Anzac Day. In maths the students will be looking at data. They will collect data and construct suitable data displays.

I would like parents to know that we will be using iPods or similar devices for various learning activities in our classroom. For the children who have their own device we ask for your permission for them to bring it to school for use in the classroom only. They will be stored in our desk draw and will not be taken into the playground. If you have any questions about this please see myself or Mr Pickett.

Mrs Clancy and Mr Pickett

# Class Notes

## Year 5

**Mary Liston**

Mrs Liston is still on leave but will be back teaching this Friday. By all reports she is having a lovely time visiting her family in Ireland.



## Year 6

**Theresa Kane & Claire Ross**

Welcome back to Term 2. We hope everyone has had a relaxing break and are ready for another busy term.

The week ahead:

Wednesday: Scripture, Creative Catchment Workshop at Culcairn 10am-12pm (selected students), Library.

Thursday: Excursion to the cemetery with Mrs Kane 12:30pm

Friday: ANZAC White Cross Ceremony leaving school at 9:40am, Riverina East Netball Trials (selected students), Art.

Good luck to Imogen and Sarah who will represent Southern Riverina at the Eastern Riverina netball trials on Friday in Albury.

The Creative Catchment group of Preston, Charlie, Imogen, Sarah, Tara and Joely will travel to Culcairn with Miss Ross for the first workshop tomorrow. This year the group will research a community member that has assisted the community in the management of pests. We look forward to hearing all about the project.

Please make sure you view our school ANZAC display down the main street.

Students are encouraged to participate in the ANZAC day March. Please meet at 10am on Saturday near the Doctors Surgery in full WINTER uniform.

On Saturday night students have been invited to sing as a part of the 100 Reasons to Remember our ANZACS. Please return the note regarding this to the office if your child is interested in participating in this special event. It would be wonderful to see our senior students involved in this singing. It will be held at the Henty Community Club on Saturday at 7:00pm.



### **AFTER SCHOOL HOMEWORK CLUB - HENTY LIBRARY**

Wednesdays at the Henty Library—4pm to 5pm.

Afternoon Tea provided at \$2.00 per session.

Ph; 69 293 770

### **PLAY NRL SPORTING SCHOOL PROGRAM**

The PlayNRL Sporting Schools program is an introductory program that aims to offer participants a " non-competitive " program that focuses on fun and participation.

#### **Program Information:**

Ages: 5 to 14 year olds

Where: Walla Walla Sports Ground

When: 3.30pm to 4.30pm

Contact: Dean Whymark 0411 159 456 or register at <http://www.playnrl.com/programs/>



Start Date: 20/04/15 to 25/05/15

Duration: 6 weeks

Cost: \$60.00

### **REGIONAL MUSEUM WORKSHOP**

Caring For Regional Collections (Conservation, Curation, Presentation)

Presenter: Margaret Simpson—Curator, MAAS ( Powerhouse Musuem)

Date: Wednesday 22nd April 2015

Time: 9.30am to 11.30am

Location: Henty Library

Cost: Free but places are limited

This is an informative workshop focusing on best practice for regional collections. The workshop will begin with a 50 minute talk covering basic methods of cataloging, conservation, exhibition improvements, label writing, ways of engaging with the public (locally & online), developing schools content & publicity. The focus is particularly on machinery collections but the workshop will be of interest to anyone with a broad interest in collections.

Tea & Coffee will be provided.

RSVP & enquiries: Kim Biggs, Museum Advisor- 0427 933 278

### **HAVE A GO SCRAP METAL ART**

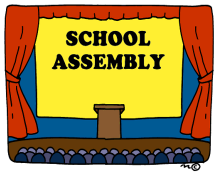
Learn how to breath life into old car parts with Michael Laubli, the creator of 'Owlbert' found in the Henty Library. He will be conducting two one day workshops. The aim of the day is to offer participants the time and opportunity to get in touch with their artistic side and exercise it through a progressive set of activities which will lead them to creating their very own sculptures by the day's end.

When: Saturday 2nd or Sunday 3rd May 8am to 5pm at The Henty Mens Shed

Cost: \$95 per person, Morning & afternoon tea will be provided

BYO protective clothing & lunch

Bookings: Phone Debbie at The Henty Post Office 69 293 287 by the 28th April.



### ASSEMBLY

There will be **NO** assembly tomorrow



### Canteen Roster

#### Canteen

Co-Ordinators are  
**Alison Baldock &  
Mary-Anne Scott.**

### EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

#### FIRST AID COURSE

We are looking at conducting a first aid course one Sunday this term. The cost will be \$195.00 per participant and we need a minimum of 12 people for it to go ahead. Please let the office know if you are interested.

#### Term 2

27/4: Cindy Scott  
4/5: Julie White  
11/5: Saja Reddy  
18/5: Sandy Newton  
25/5: Michelle Lieschke  
1/6: Debbie Klemke  
Tue 9/6: Jo Hutchesson  
15/6: Teneal Jones  
22/6: Volunteer needed



### STEWART HOUSE DONATION DRIVE 2015

Each year 1800 public school children attend Stewart House at no cost to their parents or carers. During their 12 day stay they are provided with dental, optical, hearing & medical screening & treatment. They participate in educational programs & excursions designed to develop their social & emotional skills, build self esteem & improve their overall wellbeing.

Every year Stewart House has a donation drive in order to support those children who attend Stewart House. There are envelopes sent home with the Kalori today so if you wish to make a donation please return the envelope to the office by Friday 8th May

### 100 REASONS TO REMEMBER CELEBRATION

\_\_\_\_\_ will participate in the 100 Reasons To Remember ANZAC Celebration Evening at The Henty Community Civic Centre on Saturday 25th April. I understand that parent supervision is necessary.

\_\_\_\_\_ Signed (Parent/Guardian) \_\_\_\_\_ Date



# Sport



**SR CROSS COUNTRY:** This week students who were unable to compete in our school cross country will have the opportunity to run and times will be assessed to see if they are eligible to compete at the Southern Riverina Cross Country. We are still awaiting further information about this event and permission notes will be distributed as soon as we receive the information.

**AFL:** Congratulations to Nicholas Newton and Samuel Male who trialled at the AFL Riverina trials at the end of last term. A special congratulations to Samuel Male who had been selected to be a part of the Riverina AFL team to compete at the state championships later in the term.

**NETBALL:** Good luck to Sarah Brennan and Imogen Jones who will compete at the Riverina East Netball Trials on Friday in Albury.

**STATE TENNIS:** We wish Toby Murray and Samuel Male all the best as they compete at the state tennis tournament next week in Sydney. What an experience these boys will have. We can't wait to hear all about it. **GOOD LUCK!**



**TENNIS:** We have one more tennis lesson to complete our session; that will take place in Week 2 Term 2, due to Anzac commitments in Week 1.

**GOLF LESSONS:** Golf Lessons will recommence for Term 2 this Sunday 26th April at 8am at The Henty Golf Course.

Date	Event	Location
24th April	Eastern Riverina Netball Trials	Albury
4 <sup>th</sup> May	SR Cross Country	Burrumbuttock
15th May	School Athletics Carnival	Culcairn





Some snapshots  
of the children  
enjoying their  
first day back at  
school

