Staff Development Day

Staff completed professional development directly related to learning intentions and the classroom observation and teacher mentor program being implemented at the school. Teachers will commence peer observation this week. This process will involve constructive feedback from colleagues to enhance and develop further professional development and practice.

Our Sincerest Condolences

Staff and students at Henty Public School extend their sympathy to the Morison family on the loss of Mrs Joan Morison. Mrs Morison was a teacher at Henty Public School for a period of twelve years, from 1979 to 1982, a scripture teacher at both Henty Public School and Billabong High School and an active member of the Henty Public School P & C.

Staff and school captains attended the funeral service yesterday as a sign of respect and recognition of Mrs Morison’s ongoing and life-long support of the school.

Regards, Theresa
Year 1 / 2  
Emma Byles, Jolonna Brand

Welcome back to Term 3!!! I hope everyone had a safe and enjoyable break. Thank you to all the carers and parents who could attend parent interviews at the end of last term. It was great to catch up and have a chat about your child’s progress. Please remember that our classroom door is always open to discuss your child or any questions or concerns you may have.

Week Ahead
Monday  PD/Health
Tuesday  Art (Mrs Fraser)
Wednesday Scripture
Thursday  Library (Mrs Eulenstein)
Friday  Sport

This week I encourage all children to resume their home reading and continue to write nightly reading into their home reading log. All children will also be welcome to share their news this week, no news plan is necessary.

Next week all home learning will resume. There will be a couple of changes with compulsory and additional learning tasks for the children to work on. More information about home learning will be provided next week.

This week we are straight back into our classroom learning with no real changes to our timetable. In spelling we are focusing on ar a in star glass. In maths we will be working on making equal groups and multiplying by ten, identifying and continuing number patterns (forwards and backwards), describing the properties of 3D shapes and measuring mass.

Thankyou to the carers and parents who have also continued to supply their child with the equipment needed (especially grey lead pencils!!!), to complete classroom tasks. It really makes a huge difference when a child is organised and they can focus on the task at hand.
It's great to see everyone returning to school feeling refreshed and ready for another term. Term 3 is always a busy term as we prepare for the annual Gala Night to be held in week 9. Dance lessons will begin next week.

Of course, we will be continuing with our usual learning activities, including Science and PDHPE. Our Science focus this term is Information Technology. We will be exploring ways that technology assists us in our everyday lives and the students will be learning to make a video and create a small presentation using Windows Movie Maker. In PDHPE our unit is Child Protection and we will be learning about protective strategies when in a threatening situation. The students will be given the opportunity to analyse situations, identify feelings and to explore alternative courses of actions and their consequences. Focus areas include teaching and learning in the areas of safety strategies, assertiveness and talking about concerns. If you would like to know more about these topics, I would be more than happy to chat with you.

Lucinda Eulenstein will be teaching Geography during Library this term.

Homework will begin this week and once again the students will be rewarded for returning completed homework each Friday. Our writing focus is describing and this includes learning how to create an information report as part of their homework tasks.

If you were unable to attend the parent/teacher interviews last term, please contact me and I will make a time in the next few weeks.

Classroom leaders for this week are Hannah and Sam.

Happy Birthday to Amarlie for the 5th July.

Welcome back everyone. We can't wait to start the new term and we hope everyone had a relaxing holiday.

In the first week back we will give homework a miss due to a revamp of the homework activities. We encourage that you listen to your child read for 10-15 minutes, at least 4 times this week.

In spelling, the students will be learning about the p (as in pig) and r, wr (as in wrist) sounds. We will be looking at wrapping up our writing unit on storytelling and moving into reportbased writing texts. Sequencing will be the focus during reading sessions (students remember: you are allowed to log onto Reading Eggs from home using your school login).

In maths, we will be looking at reading whole numbers and identifying the place value of a digit in large numbers.

David & Julie
Welcome back to all students and we hope you had an enjoyable break, ready to go again.

Our homework task this term will be a project based one and students have already received it. The first task is due in Week 2. We will be revisiting the requirements on a regular basis and there will be some class time allowed for research.

This term will be our Gala production and we will be commencing dance lesson this term as part of our PDHPE syllabus and in readiness for dance presentations in Gala shows.

Could all footballers from the Tony Lockett please return their football jumpers to me as soon as possible.

Our sport preparation this term will have a focus of football and netball with the Bernie O’Connor which will take place on August 14th.

In literacy, the focus for the term will be Descriptive texts which will include factual and literacy descriptions, information reports, narrative, personal response and review.

Choir will now take place in school time. It will occur every second Wednesday on odd weeks from 2.50 to 3.25pm. If you are interested please make sure you return the note in this Kalori as soon as possible.

Welcome back to Term 3!

I hope you had a relaxing break. Lots of opportunities for Year 6 this term including; debating, sport and our Gala production.

The week ahead:
Tuesday- Band
Wednesday- Library, Scripture, Premier’s Debating (selected students)
Friday- Sport

Dance lessons will commence this term. More information to come during the week.

Good luck to Tara, Charlie, Preston & Hannah on Wednesday in the next round of the Premier’s debating. Mrs Kane will accompany the team to Uranquinty.

Good luck to Imogen Jones who will represent Riverina at the State Netball Championship next week in Tamworth.

There will be no homework this week, our weekly homework routine will begin again on Friday.

Just a reminder that all students need to come to school equipped with pens (blue/black & red), lead pencil, rubber and ruler.

If you have any queries or questions regarding the term please don’t hesitate to contact me at school.
**HENTY PARK TENNIS CLUB AGM**

Monday, July 27, 2015
At the Henty Public School Library at 7.30pm
All players (old and new), parents, team captains and committee asked to attend.
Information: Kellie Penfold 02 60366158 or Tania Wettern 0428 634 72

**MOVIE X+Y Media Release**

Aspire Support Services would like to announce the exclusive showing of the Movie *X+Y* at the Regent Cinemas in Albury on Wednesday the 22nd of July at 7.00pm with a light supper available from 6.00pm.

*X+Y* follows Nathan; a teenager with Autism Spectrum Disorder who suddenly has to deal with the death of the one person who understood him; his father. As he struggles to connect with those around him, he is introduced to an anarchic and unconventional maths teacher who takes him under his wing. Soon Nathan finds himself selected for the UK Mathematics Squad and, against the odds, representing his country in Taipei. Nathan’s rational brain can cope with the most complex maths problems just fine, the real test comes when he meets his female exchange partner, and has to cope with falling in love; the most irrational thing of all.

This screening of *X+Y* is open to the general public to raise the awareness of Autism Spectrum Disorder in our community.

Cost of the movie is $25 which includes a light supper before hand.
Tickets are available from Aspire Support Services offices at 220 Borella Rd, Albury and 4 Footmark Court, Wodonga.
Direct Deposit is also available upon request.
For further details contact Sue Pringle on (02) 6058 4000 or email sue.pringle@aspiress.com.au

**Ngulagambilanha: To be returning home**

Ngulagambilanha: to be returning home is a program that brings seven schools in Wiradjuri Country together with The Art Gallery of NSW, Wagga Wagga Art Gallery’s collections and The Arts Unit, The NSW Department of Education, to create artworks that are stimulated and inspired by connections with local Wiradjuri artists.

Wagga Wagga Art Gallery
Civic Centre, Cnr Baylis & Morrow Streets
Phone: 02-69 296 660 - www.wagga.nsw.gov.au/gallery Free Entry
**ASSEMBLY**
There will be **NO** assembly tomorrow.

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

**Term 3**
- 20/7: Kirsty Brennan
- 27/7: Cindy Scott
- 3/8: Saja Redha
- 10/8: Sandy Newton
- 17/8: Michelle Lieschke
- 24/8: Debbie Klemke
- 31/8: Joanne Hutchesson
- 7/9: Teneal Jones
- 14/9: Julie White

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**Travel Authority**
Parents transporting school students to school events are required to complete travel authority documentation. Documentation can be obtained from the school office. Parents are required to attach a copy of their drivers' licence and car registration to the completed form and return all documentation to the school office.

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**Protective Strategies**
In line with the PD/H/PE syllabus this term protective strategies will be taught in all classes. Parent permission was requested on the general permission note at the beginning of the year. Focus areas include teaching and learning in the areas of safety strategies, assertiveness, and talking about concerns. An outline of topics is provided below and parents are asked to speak to their teachers if they require additional information.

- **Kinder**—Safety strategies: NO GO TELL, Networks, Standing strong - saying NO
- **Years One/Two**- NO GO TELL, Happy and unhappy secrets, Telling - persistence, My strategies.
- **Year Three/Four**- NO GO TELL, Rules intended to protect people from harm and injury, recognise behaviours and situations which may be threatening and identify safety strategies which could be taken?
- **Year Five**- NO GO TELL, Personal network of trusted adults, Identify individuals on their network who might be approached about different issues?
- **Year Six**— NO GO TELL, The Hormone factory.

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**Speech Lessons**
Mrs Stein will not be working with students this week.

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**Value Awards Responsibility 24/06/15**
- K/1: Sophia Kilo
- Year 1/2: Ashton Scholz
- Year 2/3: Maddie Phillips
- Year 4: Jada Murphy
- Year 5: Genevieve White
- Year 6: Joel Smart
Bernie O’Connor Carnival: Bernie O’Connor will take place on Friday 14th August. Training will commence on Fridays during sport time. We will be seeking the assistance of parents/families as coaches and team managers again this year. If you can help please let the school know as soon as possible.

Riverina Netball: Imogen Jones will participate as a member of the Riverina team in the state carnival next week at Tamworth. Good Luck Imogen.

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On the last Thursday of term, some of our Year 5 & 6 students participated in the Tony Lockett Shield. The children had a great day and ended up coming third overall.
Parent Teacher Interviews

Thank you to those parents who attended the parent / teacher interviews last term. If you did not have an interview with your child’s teacher and/or require a follow-up interview please contact your child’s teacher. We would appreciate your feedback to support the parent / teacher interview process at the school.

☐ I am satisfied with the current parent / teacher program and times
☐ I would prefer a longer interview time eg 15 minutes
☐ I would like a break between interviews eg 5 minutes

Additional comments and ideas appreciated

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Working with Children Check for Volunteers

All parents volunteering at the school are required to complete the volunteers Working with Children Check. This can be completed online at http://www.kidsguardian.nsw.gov.au/working-with-children/working-with-children-check

This check is for free. If you require any assistance in completing this, please contact the office.

School Choir

This term choir will be offered on Wednesday afternoons from 2:50—3:25pm every odd week of term. This will commence tomorrow. Please complete the following permission note to indicate your child’s attendance.

I agree to allow my child/children ________________________________ to participate in the choir program on Wednesday afternoons.