

# Peppercorn Press

## Carrathool Public School

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Term 3 – Week 2

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> July 2017

### CALENDAR:

Playgroup – Every Wednesday 9am-11am  
Everyone is welcome.

Mobile Library – 9<sup>th</sup> August; 6<sup>th</sup> September; 11<sup>th</sup>  
October

Week 4 - Tues 8<sup>th</sup> July - Healthy Harold Visit

## Principal's Report

Welcome to Term 3. This term is already proving to be a busy one with sport and preparation for another excursion. This term's excursion will be to Sovereign Hill at Ballarat which will complement the studies of Gold and its effect on Australia currently undertaken in the classroom.

We warmly welcome Mrs Kathy Duncan to our school during Weeks 1 to 4 this term. Mrs Duncan is currently in her final year of Bachelor of Education-Primary at UNE. As Kitchen Garden specialist at Hay Public School, Mrs Duncan brings a wealth of knowledge with her that we are eagerly utilising during her time with us. We all are enjoying having Mrs Duncan at our school.

Congratulations to all our students who participated in the Athletics carnival in Hay yesterday. The weather as perfect and many students stepped outside their comfort zone, pushing their sporting abilities to their limits. SOTA was the winning Small School this year, but we all had fun on the day.

Enjoy your week,  
Mary-Ann Headon  
Relieving Principal



## Captain's Report

For the first four weeks of term we will have Mrs Duncan in our classroom while she completes her University studies. She has supervised us while we made our Enviro Champs worm towers. She helped us with our worm towers because she has had lots of experience with kitchen and garden activities. Mrs Duncan teaches us various subjects as part of her Uni studies.

This term we are learning about gold before we go to Sovereign Hill in Ballarat at the end of the term. For gold we are using a 42 grid that contains 42 different activities about gold, eg, I am creating a timeline about the discovery of gold in Australia.

By Sam Merrylees.



## **Sport Report**

Over the past two terms all the kids of Carrathool Public have been preparing for the athletics carnival. We have been running the kilometre club and doing long jump, sprints and hurdles. We are still waiting for the high jumps mats to arrive.

Yesterday we joined Booligal, Hay SOTA and Hay Public School for our annual Athletics Carnival. We all did very well with great participation by all students. We won a few races and field events and the winner of the Small Schools trophy was Hay SOTA. Something that did come in the mail was the basketball hoops to go on the little concrete area near the classrooms! We are hoping to get some new basketballs. Thank you to the P & C for the equipment and to the teachers.

By Benjamin Cameron.



## **Literacy news.**

# Gold



- 1 You find gold in the creek.
- 2 Put the rocks in the pan.
- 3 Wash the rocks in the creek.
- 4 Find the gold.

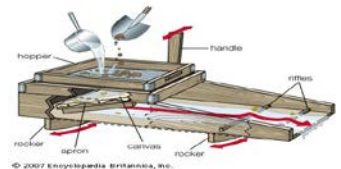
By Eliza Rawle.



## **Gold**

This term we have been learning about gold because we are going on an excursion to Sovereign Hill in Ballarat at the end of the term. We have made a mural with Mrs Duncan about gold. Each student participated in the making of the mural. We started with the landscape and added some miners. We will add more things as we learn more about gold.

By Ben Merrylees.



## **Gold Tools**

This term we are learning about gold. Here are some of the tools miners used – a pickaxe, shovel, Californian Cradle, pan and water.



By Lincoln Dewson Carvell

## **Enviro Champs**

During the past two weeks Years 5 and 6 have participated in Enviro Champs. So far we have built four worm towers. We spray painted PVC tubes then drilled holes in the bottom of them. We put the towers in our garden beds with some manure and torn newspaper. We looked at what worms ate and now we recycle our fruit and vegetable scraps into a container in our fridge to feed our worms via our worm towers. We also discussed having nude food days and how we can bring nude food (food without packaging) to school because less packaging is better for the environment.



By Bree Clarence,  
Cassidy Dewson  
Carvell and Dean  
Blair.



## Community News

If you need community notices advertised in our newsletter please contact the school either by phone, fax or email.

Phone: 02) 69 935 143      Fax: 02) 69 935 002

Email: [carrathool-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:carrathool-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au)

### **Playgroup**

Playgroup meets each Wednesday in the library at the school. All are welcome to attend.



### **Sports Club**

The Sports Club would like to advise that they will meet on the last Sunday of every month at 10am at the Community Hall.



### **Drum Muster**

The Carrathool Shire Tip is the collection site for any 'clean' chemical drums. The drums need to be cleaned and sighted by an inspector. Once this is done, and paperwork completed, the drums can be dropped off at the collection site.

Training is available to anyone who would like to become an inspector and is free of charge.

The Carrathool P & C receive a small amount (\$0.25) per drum once they have been collected by

a contractor. The site has already collected 11,249 drums to date.

Collection is usually made for 500 drums approximately 2-3 times a year. If anyone has 1,000 drums or more, collection can be made directly from the property.

For more information please visit the website

[www.drummuster.com.au](http://www.drummuster.com.au).

### **Telstra Tower Upgrade to 4G**

The residents within the shire of Carrathool having issues with Telstra are invited to provide their name and/or business to start a campaign to have the Telstra Tower at Carrathool upgraded to 4G. In order to do so please supply the following details:

#### **Mobile Phones and Broadband**

*Businesses* – Business name and all numbers associated

*Individuals* – Name and number

(Please clarify if mobile phone or broadband when giving details).

Please supply your details to Kerry Aldred either by calling 02) 69935 012 or via email to

[admin@coonarafarming.com.au](mailto:admin@coonarafarming.com.au)



# Lets celebrate Aboriginal Children's Day

## Calling all Kids to Wiggle and Giggle!

Where: Intereach Hay Hub  
When :Thursday 3rd August  
Time: 11am  
It's free!

Come along and help create  
some wonderful works of Art!



## Advanced Training in Suicide Prevention



### Health Professional Education and Training

#### Workshop Details

**Where:** Hay Bowling and Golf Club  
**When:** Thursday 17 August 2017  
**Cost:** No cost to the participant  
**Time:** 9.00am-5.00pm

#### Program Description

Our new workshop aims to increase health professionals' skill and confidence in taking a detailed suicide history and developing a collaborative management plan to increase the safety of people planning suicide. The workshop provides practical tools for health professionals managing the full spectrum of suicide risk presentations including the acute suicidal crisis, care after a suicide attempt and assisting families experiencing suicide bereavement.

#### Suitable for:

GPs, GP Registrars, Psychologists, all Health Professionals

#### Accreditation

- 40RACGP QI&CPD Category I
- Mental Health CPD (GPMHSC)
- 30ACRRMPRPD points
- 6hours CPD (Psychologists)



Please register via the link.

[www.mphn.org.au/events/advanced-training-suicide-prevention-hay](http://www.mphn.org.au/events/advanced-training-suicide-prevention-hay)

Further enquiries to Erin Kelly 02 69233146

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Garry Bazzacco in conjunction with the Hay Show Society will be conducting Photography workshops on Saturday 12th August for participants aged 15 years and older & participants under 15 years on Sunday 13th of August. Both days start at 9.30am and will be held in the Auditorium at the Hay Services Club.

These workshops are suitable for beginners through to those who wish to learn more. An early bird discount is available to all registrations that are paid before the 31 July.

Forms and money can be left at Hay Jewellers or alternatively you can EFT your payment to Hay Show 032-753 462839, please use your surname & phone number for reference. Please email your registration form to [hayshow@westnet.com.au](mailto:hayshow@westnet.com.au) or alternatively leave it at the Jewellers.

For more information you can call Garry on 0428 213385 or Jill on 0429 930691.

## REGISTRATION

Full Name \_\_\_\_\_

DOB (if under 18) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Type of camera \_\_\_\_\_

Areas of interest \_\_\_\_\_

Which workshop (please tick)



9.30am SATURDAY 12 August. \$60.  
Early bird discount of \$10 if paid by 31 July



9.30am SUNDAY 13 August. \$35.  
Early bird discount of \$10 if paid by 31 July

Payment **MUST** accompany form unless paid by EFT to 032753 462839  
HAY SHOW SOCIETY, please use surname & phone number as reference

TOTAL PAID \$ \_\_\_\_\_ CASH EFT (please circle)

## PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP BY GARRY BAZZACCO

Accredited Professional Photographer

*Learn to Shoot like the Pros'  
Curriculum.*

*\*The Camera.*

*\*Camera Handling.*

*\*Explanation of the settings,  
their uses and applications.*

*\*Shutter speed, Aperture and  
\*ISO combinations.*

*\*Exposure, and balancing for  
correct exposure.*

*\*Aperture and depth of field.*

*\*Shutter speed and movement.*

*\*Camera setup.*

*\*Looking for and seeing the light.*

*\*Shooting in Jpeg and RAW files.*

*\*Hands on Photo Shoot.*

*\*Advice on Equipment to purchase.*

*To register contact:*

**Garry Bazzacco 0428 213 385,**

*"My teaching methods emphasize getting it right in the camera, and maybe  
using Photoshop as a creative tool, not a corrective tool."*

