

Harvester History

The invention of the Sunshine Harvester by Hugh McKay in 1883 and production of the commercial model Sunshine Harvester was so important to Australia agriculture that when McKay purchased land in Braybrook in 1904, the entire area was called Sunshine.

The Sunshine Harvester was an immediate success because it could separate the grain, straw and chaff using rotary fan making the entire harvesting process automatic.

It is this type of creative thinking that we want to instil in the students at St Paul's, so that like Hugh McKay they know with a bit of hard work and inspiration, anything is possible.