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YETMAN PUBLIC SCHOOL

Week 1, Term 4

Thursday, 14th October, 2010

What's Coming Up?

Wed, 20 October
The Thinking Brain

Thurs, 21 September School Banking

26-29 OctoberCharna at Principal's
Conference

Thurs, 28 October School Banking

Monday, 1 November National Bandanna Day

22-26 November Great Aussie Bush Camp

6-10 December Swimming School

Tues, 14 December Presentation Night

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Welcome back to our last but very busy term. I assume that it will begin to warm up soon although I am impressed that our students who went through the whole of winter without jumpers are now complaining that they are cold. We are in full summer uniform and students can wear their jumpers for the cooler mornings.

Reminder for Christmas Concert toys

You should have all received a letter from Teresa about ordering toys for the Christmas Concert. Teresa would like to place the order to ensure that the toys arrive in time. If you have not already done so can you please send the forms back to school with the appropriate amount of money.

Excursion

I am busy finalising the excursion to The Great Aussie Bush Camp and need final numbers in order to do the costing. If you have not already indicated that your child/ren are attending or are definitely not attending could you please contact the school. If you are having difficulties with the financial side of the excursion please contact me as the school does have money to ensure that our students don't miss out on activities due to this reason. At this stage the excursion should be between \$200 – \$250 per student.

Leave

I will be away next week from Tuesday and will then go onto the principals conference so will not return to school until the 1st of November. I will be in contact with the school regularly and will be checking my emails daily. If you need to contact me please do not hesitate to email me or call me on the school mobile.

SCHOOL CAPTAIN'S REPORT

Welcome back everyone for Term 4.

We would all like to say "Good Luck" to Liam for the State Athletics in Sydney next week.

We will be going to Tenterfield next week for "The Thinking Brain". I hope we don't have to dissect another brain! Remember your Coles and BiLo Vouchers for our sports equipment.



Sarah Hamilton

ICAS

The ICAS exams are external exams that students from both NSW and the ACT are eligible to sit. We have had some very pleasing results in these exams and they are as follows.

Computer - Liam Wood - Distinction

Spelling - Max Cleversley - Distinction

Mathematics - Liam Wood - Distinction

Ted Hamilton - Credit

English - Liam Wood - Credit

I do not have Max's mathematics results as yet but would expect him to do very well in this exam.

Interest Groups

Interest groups are due to start tomorrow weather permitting. This term we will have

Miss Nixon doing fishing (hopefully they will get there more than once this term)

Helga Taylor – Christmas craft (please keep collecting your milk bottle tops)

John Hamilton - Chook pen building

Mrs Wood – puzzles and computer activities. I would like to do pottery and I am currently looking for someone who could show me how to use the kiln.

State Athletics Homebush

Liam Wood will be representing Yetman and the North west at the state athletics carnival next Wednesday and Thursday at the Olympic Athletics stadium at Homebush. He is competing in two events the High Jump and 200m. Good luck Liam.

Visit from Richard Torbay

Richard Torbay has indicated that he will be visiting Yetman Public School on Wednesday 3rd November from 1.40pm until 3.20pm. He will arrive in his helicopter and is hoping to plant his pumpkin seed while he is here. Full details of his visit will come home closer to the date.

P. & C. Report and Canteen Report

P & C NEWS

- Thanks to everyone for the cooking, help and support given for the Reunion Fundraiser. Everything was fantastic and the results will be out soon.
 Please give your costings to Katie ASAP.
- Please remember to bring your slice in tomorrow (Friday) for the Old Time Dance.
- We are looking for donations for the raffles for presentation night. If you have anything at home you think may be suitable could you please send it in.
- Girls school uniforms have arrived. All sizes are available

CANTEEN NEWS

Here is the roster for Term 4:

DATE

Mon 18 Oct Julie
Mon 25 Oct Helga
Mon 1 Nov Katie
Mon 8 Nov Julie
Mon 15 Nov Helga

Mon 22 Nov NO CANTEEN - Great Aussie Bush Camp

Mon 29 Nov Katie

Mon 6 Dec NO CANTEEN - Swimming School

Mon 13 Dec Erica

Regards

Erica Holcombe

Nutrition Note

VITAMIN B

There are eight different vitamins in this complex group and vegetables and fruit contribute to seven of them. The B Vitamins play many roles in the repair of tissues, healthy blood and the body's ability to produce energy from carbohydrates, fats and proteins.

FOUND IN:

Thiamin (B1), riboflavin (B2), niacin (B3), pantothenic acid (B5), pyridoxine (B6) and biotin are widely distributed in foods such as mushrooms, peas, sweet corn, sweet potato, broccoli, asparagus, potatoes, cauliflower, avocado, bananas and passionfruit. Green veggies are top sources of the B Vitamin folate.



CanTeen is calling on all schools to take part in National Bandanna Day and help make sure that young people don't have to face cancer alone.

We will be selling bandannas and badges at school on Monday 1 November for CanTeen. There is a great variety of colours and designs in the bandannas and they will be available for \$4 each. There will be badges for sale as well.

Farm Office Workshops

'Partners in Grain' is hosting a fantastic one day workshop to teach the "offic"-ially challenged members of our farm businesses how to best run their farm offices. The workshop content centres around office set-up and procedures that work, including paying bills, filing systems, archiving, office design, wages and business communication.

The workshop will be held in the Yetman Hall on Monday the 15th of November. Registration at 8.45am with a 9.00am kick-off finishing up at 3pm. Morning tea and lunch will be available.

The cost is \$330 GST inc per person (second person from business \$110 GST inc). This course is approved with FarmReady so primary producers may be able to claim the cost back post workshop.

Register with Theresa Kunde on 0428 147749 or t.kunde@bigpond.com by 8th November.

ENROLMENTS FOR 2011

We are starting to take enrolments for Kindergarten Students in 2011.

Enrolment packs will be sent home shortly to the families of Tharawonga Students who are eligible to commence Kindergarten next year.

If you know anyone who is interested in their child attending Yetman Public School who may not be on our list, please ask them to contact the office.