

Yetman Public School

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Week 9, Term 4 Thursday 4 December 2014

Yr 5/6 Fun Day

Last Thursday, the Year 5 and 6 students hosted our annual Fun Day. This year we had a huge turnout of parents and community to slip and slide their way through an action-packed day of water fun and disco dancing. The students had a ball and we have some hilarious photos of soaped-up little ones (and a few big ones) flying down the slide. After the slide, we pulled out the drum kit and blasted out some dance music. With an eclectic mix of music genres and at least one demographic left out during each song we boogied the afternoon away. The funds raised are for the Year 6 leavers' farewell excursion to be held tomorrow at Green Valley Farm.

School Uniform

There have been continued issues around the school uniform. Prior to the commencement of 2015, ensure that the following is addressed:

FULL SUMMER UNIFORM:

This is the uniform to be worn every day and when specified for school excursions, outings and school based events:

YPS Navy Polo Shirt or Girls Dress
Navy Shorts / Skorts
Navy Broad-brimmed Hat
Navy Socks & Black Shoes

SPORTS UNIFORM:

YPS Gold Polo Shirt
Maroon Shorts or Skorts
Maroon Netball Skirt with Maroon Gym
or Bike Pants underneath
White Socks & Sandshoes
Navy broad-brimmed Hat



We would like to welcome Shinae to our Transition Class!

School Captain Speech Day

On Wednesday December 3, our Year 5 students delivered their School Captain speeches to the Kindergarten – Year 4 students, staff and Year 5 parents. This process is to select our School Captain and Vice-Captain for 2015. I found their grasp and skill of public speaking profound. All of our applicants delivered a commendable performance. The successful applicants will be announced at our Presentation Night on the December 15.



Bus

We are lucky to have a consistent and reliable bus run at Yetman. Our drivers are professionals whom deliver the students to school safely each day. Please ensure that you are at the bus stop at your designated times and are not inhibiting the timing for all stops after you as the run-on effect leaves some wondering if they have missed the bus due to it being late. Thank you.

Whole school scope and sequence:

Key Area	Week 9	Week 10
Literacy /Grammar & Punctuation	Creative and Evaluative Language	Punctuation
Numeracy	Fractions & Decimals / Chance	Revision
Behaviour	Resilience	Persistence

Kind regards,
Mr Ben Delanty
Principal

Y.P.S UPCOMING EVENTS

DECEMBER 2014

2015

THURSDAY 4	LAST DAY OF CANTEEN - NACHOS FOR LUNCH!
MON 8 - FRI 12	SWIMMING WEEK AT TEXAS
MONDAY 15	PRESENTATION NIGHT
WEDNESDAY 17	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL
THURSDAY 4 FEB	FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS IN 2015



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Influential Women's Workshop North Star, NSW

This 1 day workshop will be hosted by past RIRDC Rural Women of the Year, Catherine Marriott and former AFL Player and now resilience and mindfulness expert, Bowman Nixon. The Workshop aims to instill confidence & knowledge around social media, teamwork and resilience in your local people. Catherine and Bo are passionate advocates for rural Australia and most importantly, it's people. They have hosted inspirational workshops throughout Australia & internationally. This is a must for any person with interest in or around agriculture, community, learning and having a laugh!

- When:** Friday, 12th December 2014
Where: North Star Sporting Club, Yetman Road
Time: Registration: 8.30 am
 Workshop: 9am start – 4pm finish
 Includes lunch, teas & refreshments
How: Bookings <http://www.trybooking.com/GMDX>
 Enquiries to Jennie Coldham Phone: 0427 260 258
 Email: jennie@nenwlandcare.org.au
Cost: With the kind support of sponsors, there is no cost associated.

This workshop will cover:

- Introduction to Social Media
- Leadership and team dynamics
- Handling stress and building resilience

What to bring

- A tablet or computer
- An open mind
- A smile to share with us all

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This event is part of the Australian Government's drought assistance package

5/6 FUNDAY





Farewell to Cindy Otto

Lance and Lily presented Cindy with a farewell gift from all the staff and student of Yetman School. Thanks you Cindy - it is so sad to see you go!!



K,1 NEWS

K,1 have worked very hard over the past few weeks completing their sea creature books and assessments tasks.



This week, as well as some English and Maths, we are doing some Christmas Craft.



Captains' Reports

SCHOOL CAPTAIN - LILY HAMILTON

Over this year I have had the amazing experience of being the School Captain of Yetman Public School. I have experienced many things that I would never have done if I was not a Captain, such as: write in the newsletter and if we were out for events, I would have to say thankyou to lots of people, which was quite hard for me but after I finished I felt happy with myself and all the weight lifted off my shoulder. I can't wait for high school and I hope I will have a great time there and hopefully achieve some great things like I did in primary school. The best thing was that I got to be a School Captain at Yetman Public School and I will never forget this school of that I got to be the Captain at the best school in the world!



VICE CAPTAIN - LANCE ALLISON

On the 27th of November Yetman Public School held our 5/6 Funday. We had a slip and slide and we also had a disco. We had an amplifier for the disco and we had the drums to keep everyone occupied. Everyone had a very good day and all got a go on the slip and slide and also got a go on the drums. The adults all had a go on the slip and slide and they raced the children on the slip and slide. Then we were all using a kick board on the slip and slide and we used a whole heap of soap and dishwashing liquid. Tharawonga came over to attend the event and enjoyed themselves. Everyone went under the sprinkler and used heaps of soap. The 5/6 Funday was very successful and very fun and I hope everyone enjoyed themselves. Thank you to the P&C for running the canteen. The food was very yummy. Thanks for all the hard work you did to make our food yummy and enjoyable.

Year 2/3/4 News



OUR BRILLIANT MATH MEDALLISTS



MEDALS	TANAMI	OLIVIA	TYLER	NATALIE	BROOKE	ALICE	BILL
PLATINUM 100%	1	6	4	4	2	4	
GOLD 95-99%		3	3	1			1
SILVER 70-95%	6	6	6	7	2	4	5
BRONZE 60-80%	1	1	1	2	3	3	4

The table above shows the medals gained in the Maths Online Diagnostic tests! These are fantastic results and each medal is the result of many lessons in one particular area of mathematics. The children work on these lessons throughout the year and then may sit the test when they have achieved above 80% in all their lessons.

WELL DONE to our all our medallists!

Schools nearly over!!





Sport and Recreation's Swim and Survive starting soon

Australian summers usually involve plenty of fun in and around the water, but no parent can forget how important it is to make sure children stay safe.

Sport and Recreation's Swim and Survive classes for preschoolers and school-aged children help youngsters learn important ways to be safe and enjoy our pools, rivers, beaches and lakes.

The intensive nine-day programs give wonderful results, and are great fun as well! Plus, family discounts make our program affordable for all the children in the family.

Sport and Recreation runs Swim and Survive classes in pools throughout regional NSW, including somewhere near you.

Our instructors are nationally qualified and screened for their suitability to work with children.

Prices for nine lessons are \$67 for school-aged children and \$48 for preschoolers (prices exclude pool entry fee).

For more information or to make a booking, visit www.dsr.nsw.gov.au/swimandsurvive or phone 13 13 02



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YCDI Awards!

Week 6: Organisation

Well done to Lily M,
Stacey and Alice for showing
great organisational
skills!



Week 7: Resilience

Congratulations Jake, Brooke and
Lily for showing great resilience!



Week 8: Persistence

Great job Bill, Caitlyn, and Shelby for
your persistence with your school
work!



Happy Birthday to:

William Delanty - 11 on 3rd December.

Charlie Paynter - 12 on 5th December.

Cassie Bailey celebrated her birthday on 19th November, turning 12. What an interesting cake!!



Caitlyn made delicious chocolate brownies to share with us for her 11th birthday on 2nd December.



Louise brought in some beautiful cupcakes to celebrate her 13th birthday on the 4th of December!

