



A
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OF
EXCELLENCE

Yeoval Central School

Term 1 Week 3

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P & C Meets the 2nd Tuesday of every month at 7.30 pm

Next P & C Meeting
11 February 2014.

A member of the Western Access Program

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

Congratulations to all competitors in last week's **Swimming Carnival**. Thanks to **Amanda Cameron and Brooke Cusack** for their organisation. Well done to our **Age Champions** who you will read about later in the newsletter. Congratulations to the **Paterson House** for winning the Swimming Carnival overall.

Well done to our students who nominated to be an SRC leader. **We will announce the new leaders tomorrow morning.**

Our first **P&C meeting** will be at the **Royal Hotel on Tuesday at 730pm**. All parents, carers and friends are welcome.

Good luck to our **Primary students** who will compete at the **3-way Swimming Carnival** with St Columba's and Cumnock Public School.

Nicole Bliss
Principal

ASSEMBLY:

Primary and Secondary Assembly will be held on Friday 14 February at 1pm in the Hall. All welcome.

COMING EVENTS:

- 11 Feb: P&C Meeting 7.30pm
- 13 Feb: 3-Way Primary Swimming Carnival @ Yeoval
- 17 Feb: Banjo Patterson Morning Tea @ Museum—Captains
- 19-21 Feb: Access Camp Yr 11
- 20-21 Feb: Yr 7 Camp

AUTHORITY TO PUBLISH

The new Authority to publish form is included with the newsletter. Please complete one per family and return to school by Friday 21 February.

PARENTS & VISITORS ENTERING THE SCHOOL BETWEEN 9AM & 3.30PM

To ensure the safety of all school students, staff and visitors, everyone entering the school between 9am and 3.30pm is required to **go directly to the office and sign the visitors register**. By doing this we know who is at the school in case of an emergency and we are able to maximise the students learning time.

LOVE IS IN THE AIR

Valentine's Day is on Friday 14 Feb. We ask that all children come dressed in red or enter the 'Famous Historic Love Couple' competition (e.g. Romeo and Juliet). Please bring a gold coin donation.

Remember: no singlets, mid-drifts or short shorts are to be worn. All students must wear appropriate enclosed footwear. For \$1 come and buy a little rose for your secret loved one or friend at lunchtime in the weather shed. All money raised will go towards our sponsor child.

SRC ICE BLOCKS

The SRC will be selling ice blocks again, due to the hot weather. It is yet to be decided where the money raised will be donated. Ice blocks will cost 50 cent each and will be sold at lunch times. Students are encouraged to bring money to help keep cool.

SCHOOL'S BACK

Life seems to go from zero to 100 during the first few weeks of school. These parents have pooled their years of experience to bring you some suggestions to make the rest of the year run more smoothly. Good luck!

Back to school checklist:

<http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/homework-and-study/planning-for-the-future/back-to-school-checklist>

YEOVAL SWIMMING CARNIVAL

Congratulations to all the competitors at the swimming carnival. The day was highly successful and this was due to the fact that participation was high by the students and the support was amazing from parents and staff.

Age	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
5/6 Boys	Jack Long	Brodhie Crain	Joseph McCall
5/6 Girls	Olivia Cameron	Lyndsey Tremain	Lacey Markcrow
7/8 Boys	Jacob Job	Caleb McClure	Johnathon Taylor
7/8 Girls	Carleigh Baker	Elke Bishop	Skye Cusack
9/10 Boys	Douglas Philipson	Phoenix Blatch	Connor Wilkin
9/10 Girls	Ailee Tremain	Lillie Snell	Makena Markcrow
11/12 Boys	Lochlan Cameron	Jake Baker	Harry Giblett
11/12 Girls	Boudicea Blatch	Tiarna Phillips	Hannah Taylor
12/13 Boys	William Phillips	Christopher Taylor	Colt Phillips
12/13 Girls	Jordan Fitzgerald	Sydney Tremain	Taleah Van Kemenade
14/15 Boys	Ethan Monk	Lincoln Monk	Aden Charnock
14/15 Girls	Shania Butler	Alison Brown	Mackenzie Tremain
Open Boys	Matthew Wykes	Jake Monk	Corey Furminger
Open Girls	Hannah Vickers	Kaitlyn Butler	Madaline Harvey
House	Paterson 461	Farrer 398	Macarthur 372

YEARS 7-12 ASSESSMENT TASKS:

TERM 1			
SUBJECT	DATE DUE	W%	TASK
Yr 12 Community & Family Studies	19 Feb	25%	IRP-Research & Methodology
Yr 12 General Math 2	26 Feb	25%	Half Yearly Exam
Yr 12 Visual Art	26 Feb	25%	Body of Work and VAPD Progress
Yr 12 Sport, Lifestyle and Recreation	26 Feb	30%	Half Yearly Exam
Yr 12 Information Technology	26 Feb	—	Website Development and Document
Yr 12 Advanced English	26 Feb	20%	Extended Response-Half Yearly Writing
Yr 11 Advanced English	26 Feb	15%	Creative Writing

ASSEMBLIES:

Primary Class of the Week: Kindergarten.

For settling in well.

Secondary Class of the Week: Year 12 English.

For outstanding effort towards studies.

Students of the Week:

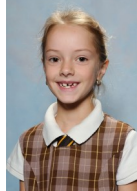
K/1: Adele Bishop.

For her sensible and consistent approach to all class work.



Years 2/3/4: Makena Markcrow.

For working well in literacy groups.



Years 4/5/6: Zali Wakely.

For being positive in her approach to new challenges.



Years 7/8: Brian Peacock.

For working well in all subjects.



Years 9/10: Sheridan Sharpe.

For working well in all subjects.



Years 11/12: Corey Furminger.

For working well in all subjects.



At the university the students were escorted by a fourth year dentistry student who gave them an insight into university life and they were shown the practical rooms for the courses for Pharmacy and Dentistry. They were shown the different types of accommodation if they were thinking of staying on campus.

When we arrived at Cadia mines we were given an introduction talk before commencing the tour. We were driven to the lookout to see the open cut mine and were provided with the future details of this mine. Some students were provided with orange overalls if they had not worn long pants and we were all given glasses and ear plugs to wear because of the noise and dust in the plant. We saw the plant working to separate the minerals from the rock. For students who had not seen a mine the sizes of vehicles and tyres was an eye opener. The students had a fantastic day and they represented their school well.

Mrs Bates.



SENIOR EXCURSION TO CSU & CADIA MINES

On Monday 3 February Years 11 and 12 travelled to Orange to visit Charles Sturt University and Cadia Mines.

