

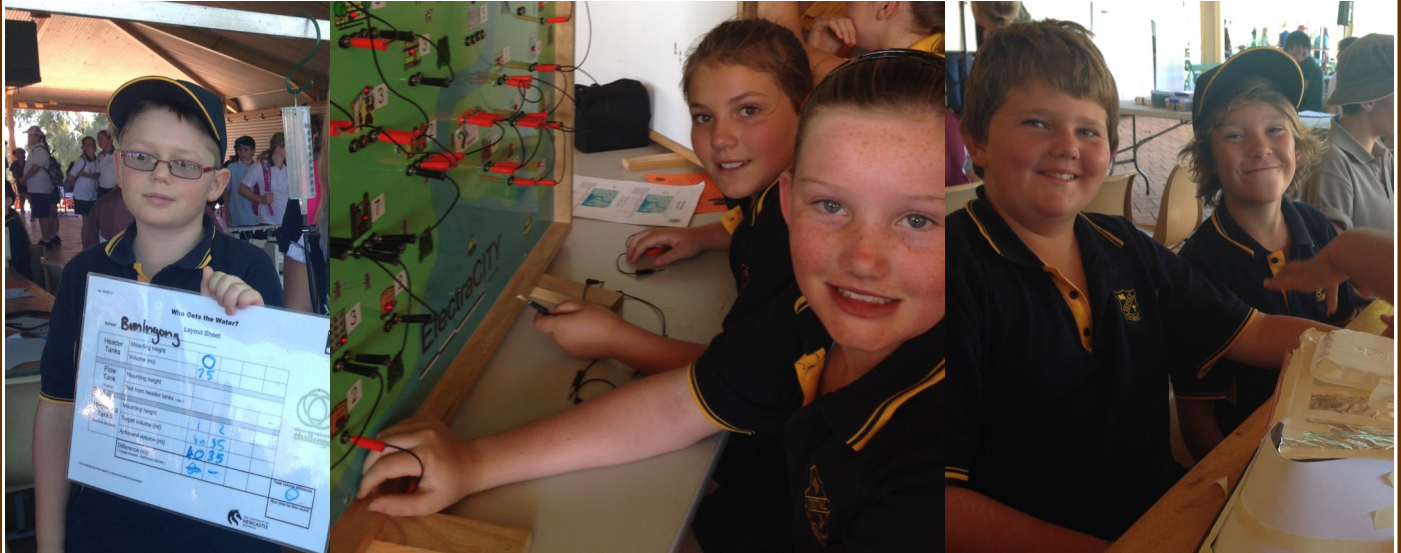


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OF  
EXCELLENCE

# Yeoval Central School

Term 1 Week 8

17 March 2014



# 2014 Science and Engineering Challenge

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

Next P & C Meeting  
**8 April 2014.**

A member of the  
Western Access  
Program



## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

Last Thursday, students from our primary department represented YCS at the **Primary Science and Engineering Challenge in Dubbo**. Thank you to **Renee McClure and Susie Porch** who assisted on the day.

Well done to several sporting teams who competed last week:

- **Water Polo** (secondary boys and girls) in Cowra.
- **WSSA Golf Matchplay** in Orange.
- **Softball Knockout** (secondary boys) in Mudgee.

Thank you to all of our **parent drivers- Don Cameron, Brooke Cusack, Lorraine McConnell, Stewart Fitzgerald, Eddie Monk and Renee McClure** who assisted with transport.

Included in the newsletter today is our latest Uniform Policy that outlines procedures for when a student is out of uniform. *Please send a note with your child with a legitimate reason if they are not wearing the full correct uniform.* This can be either the new uniform or old uniform (except for Years K, 7 and 11). If you have any questions, please call me at the school.

We are very excited to begin with our **new merit books** today. Students will receive the new merit to take home. Students will no longer need to hand their merits in as the teachers will have a tear-off section (much like a raffle book) for collation.

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| <b>YEOVAL CENTRAL SCHOOL</b><br>Student Name: _____<br>Year: _____<br><input type="radio"/> Academic<br><input type="radio"/> Sporting<br><input type="radio"/> School & Community Service<br><input type="radio"/> Extra Curricula<br>Teacher: _____<br>Date: _____ | <b>YEOVAL CENTRAL SCHOOL MERIT</b><br>This merit is awarded to: _____<br>of Year _____ for _____<br><input type="radio"/> Academic<br><input type="radio"/> Sporting<br><input type="radio"/> School & Community Service<br><input type="radio"/> Extra Curricula<br>Congratulations<br>Signature: _____<br>Date: _____ |
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Nicole Bliss  
Principal

## ASSEMBLY:

Whole School Assembly will be held on Friday 21 March at 1pm in the Hall. All welcome.

## COMING EVENTS:

18 Mar: WSSA Boys Football  
20 Mar: WAP Music Day  
21 Mar: National Day of Action Against Bullying and Violence  
24 Mar: Canoeing Yrs 8/9  
25 Mar: Canoeing Yr 10  
26 Mar: Primary Netball  
27 Mar: Yr 7 & 9 Vaccinations  
Yr 12 Hospitality Assessment

## MATHLETICS:

Congratulations to the following students who received awards this week:

**Bronze:** Ella Job, Johnathon Taylor, Brittany O'Neil, Phoenix Blatch, Angelina Koneska, Lauren Zell, Ailee Tremain, Boudicea Blatch, Kaitlyn Butler.

**Silver:** Zali Wakely.

**Gold:** Lauren Zell.

## MERIT AWARDS:

Congratulations to the following students who have received awards in the Student Merit System:

**Bronze:** Adele Bishop, Cathryn Brown, Lillie Harvey, Lauren Zell, Boudicea Blatch, Grace Monk, Darby Tremain.

## AUTHORITY TO PUBLISH

Please ensure all Authority to Publish notes are signed and back to the office this week. Your child will not be able to appear in any school publication including the newsletter and Peppercorn without this note.



## VACCINATION PROGRAM 2014

The first round of vaccinations for all Year 7 students and Year 9 boys will be on Thursday 27 March 2014. All consent forms are to be back to the office by tomorrow.



## SRC REPORT

The SRC will be holding their first 'Treats Day' for the year. We are asking Year 3 and Year 8 to provide treats.

Prices will range from 50 cents to \$2.

## STEWART HOUSE DAY 2014 DONATION DRIVE

We have attached donation envelopes for Stewart House. Any donation is appreciated with a minimum of \$2. Please insert donation into envelope, seal it and return to the school office.

## SOFTBALL KNOCKOUT

On Thursday 13 March the Yeoval Yankees travelled to Mudgee to compete in the Western area softball championship.

The boys were enthusiastic and displayed a high level

of sportsmanship throughout the day.

The boys went down to Orange High 6-1 and also Blayney High 10-1 who have won the championship four years in a row. The Yankees stepped it up in their final game beating Canobolas High 15-10.

I would like to thank my assistant coach Eddie Monk who not only helped with transport but passed on his knowledge to the Yankees and coached at first base. I would also like to thank Renee McClure and Stewart Fitzgerald for transporting the boys. These great sporting events cannot go ahead without the assistance of parents. Go the Yankees.

Andrew Rogers  
Softball coach.



## YEARS 7-12 ASSESSMENT TASKS:

| TERM 1                           |          |     |   |
|----------------------------------|----------|-----|---|
| SUBJECT                          | DATE DUE | W%  | TASK                                    |
| Yr 12 Agriculture                | 19 Mar   | 30% | Topic Test-Plant & Animal Product Study |
| Yr 12 Community & Family Studies | 19 Mar   | 15% | Comparison-Groups in Context            |
| Yr 12 Hospitality                | 19 Mar   | —   | Practical Assessment                    |
| Yr 11 Chemistry                  | 19 Mar   | 10% | Separating Mixtures                     |
| Yr 11 General Maths              | 19 Mar   | 10% | Online moodle Quiz                      |
| Yr 11 Maths                      | 19 Mar   | 15% | Topic Test                              |
| Yr 11 Hospitality                | 19 Mar   | —   | Practical Assessment                    |
| Yr 12 Biology                    | 26 Mar   | 15% | Half Yearly Exam                        |
| Yr 12 General Maths 1            | 26 Mar   | 25% | Half Yearly Exam                        |

## ASSEMBLIES:

### Primary Class of the Week: K/1.

For working well in all areas.

### Secondary Class of the Week: Stage 6 Maths.

For working with diligence and application in class.

Years 7/8 English.

For extraordinarily hard work all week.

## Students of the Week:

### K/1: Lacey Markcrow.

For always trying her best during her time at YCS.



### Years 2/3/4: Alannah Van Kemenade.

For outstanding application in maths.



### Years 4/5/6: Lillie Harvey.

For great diligence in all literacy activities.



### Years 7/8: Taylee Hall.

For quality work in English.



### Years 9/10: Ankica Koneska.

For consistent application in all subject areas.



### Years 11/12: Darby Tremain.

For outstanding work in Hospitality Assessment Task.



## WELLINGTON SOCCER REGISTRATION DAYS

Saturday 29 March 9am - 12pm

Saturday 5 April 9am - 12pm

Saturday 12 April 9am - 12pm

At the Pioneer Oval Wellington

## WELLINGTON NETBALL

The start date for the netball season has been set for Saturday 3 May.

Registrations will take place at the Tennis/Netball Centre from 10am to 12noon.

The dates are:

Saturday 29 March and

Saturday 5 April.

The cost of registrations will be as follows:

|                 |      |
|-----------------|------|
| Fun net         | \$45 |
| Junior          | \$70 |
| Senior          | \$70 |
| Open 18 years + | \$80 |
| Disability      | \$30 |
| Non-player      | \$45 |

All registrations include a pair of Wellington Netball socks.

There will be a third date yet to be decided which will be in the April school holidays.

Remember netball is also for male players, so boys if you wish to play, come and register.

Ages being catered for are from 4 years to 18 years of age.

## PRIMARY SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING CHALLENGE

A team of six students were selected to participate in a day-long competition designed to provide students with a challenging experience as well as an insight to the possibility of a career in science and engineering.

"I thought Science and Engineering was boring, but now, I think that it is interesting and fun." Daniel McClure.

"You get to do heaps of activities where you get to design and create interesting things. You also get to meet other kids and make friends." Angus Berney.

"I would recommend that if you are given the chance to go, do it! It is fun building and constructing things like an Eco house and doing experiments. You get to meet new people." Jake Baker.

"Even if you don't succeed you get to think of other options and ideas to solve the problem." Matthew Tremain.

Debbie Blatch