

# YEOVAL CENTRAL **SCHOOL**

Term 4 Week 8 | 29 November 2022

## Responsible Respectful Cooperative Learning



Students cater for Red

Last Thursday, YCS Stage 6 Hospitality students provided a sumptuous Christmas lunch for the local Red Cross and community members under the careful guidance of Mrs Johnson.

Visitors were treated to a delicious roast lunch followed by sticky date pudding or individual

Room 5 was transformed into a Christmas wonderland complete with fairy lights, carols and of course, a lovely Christmas tree. The tables were also decorated to suit the festive theme.

But Christmas is not complete without a parting gift. Our guests were treated to homemade rocky road, once again made by our Hospitality team.

Our students are to be commended on their culinary skills and on the professional manner in which they conducted themselves during the lunch service. They did an outstanding job.

iradjuri Word of the Week: Ngurambula (New-rum-bull-ah)...Bowerbird

PRE-ORDERS ARE NOW BEING TAKEN FOR YEOVAL CENTRAL SCHOOL BACKPACKS. PRICE \$50.

Please enquire at front office on 6846 4004.

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## RESPECT RESPONSIBILITY A message from the Principal

The Tackling Tough Conversations program for secondary girls and delivered by Lifeline, has concluded. This important Program educates, supports and equips regional youth through open and honest conversations around mental health/suicide, relationships, domestic violence and informed consent.

#### **Transition Programs**

A lovely meet and greet for parents and carers of our 2023 kindergarten students was held at YCS on Monday afternoon. We look forward to seeing our newest students at school after the Christmas break.



Our 2023 Year 7 transition students headed off today on an excursion to Dubbo, celebrating their final transition event for the year. Students enjoyed 10-pin bowling, a pizza lunch and a visit to the Adventure Playground and Royal Flying Doctor Service Experience Centre – a great way to get to know each other better before they commence their secondary schooling at YCS.

#### **Future Yeoval Innovators (FYI)**

I was very impressed with our Years 7/8 students' FYI Exhibition held last Thursday and the way they embraced the Project 4 theme "How can everyone in our local and global community access basic resources?" I was particularly touched by the standard of the podcasts the students created and the way in which they portrayed the issues around homeless, which affects some 116,000 people every night in Australia.

#### **Red Cross Luncheon**

It was fantastic to welcome the Red Cross Yeoval Branch to our school last Thursday. Our Hospitality students did our school proud when they hosted the Red Cross Christmas luncheon for some 30 community members and the Australian Red Cross's Regional Manager NSW, Janelle Cazaubon. The students not only served up a delicious two-course meal, but they conducted themselves very professionally. Congratulations to all who catered for this event and thanks to Mrs Johnson and Mrs Hogan who ensured that everything ran very smoothly behind the scenes.

#### **Swimming Update**

The YCS Intensive Swimming Program for primary students is well underway and will conclude on Monday 12 December. A big thank you to parents for their cooperation and organisation in facilitating their student's participation in this important life skill. Our primary and secondary students are also utilising the Yeoval Community Pool for sport on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays until the end of term.

#### **Upcoming Activities**

As we head into some of our busiest weeks of the year, other upcoming activities at Yeoval Central include a Mock Car Crash Program for our Year 11 Life Ready students on 2 and 5 December, the Year 6 Farewell on 7 December, the SRC Movie Night on 8 December, Secondary Special Interest Days on 8-9 December, followed by the Major PBL Celebration Day on 13 December.

And of course, our annual YCS Presentation Evening will be held at the Yeoval Memorial Hall on 14 December with an end of term day planned at Yeoval Pool on 16 December.

#### Trish Henderson, Principal

THE YCS INTENSIVE SWIMMING
PROGRAM
FOR PRIMARY STUDENTS COMMENCED
MONDAY 28 NOVEMBER
AND WILL INCLUDE
THE FOLLOWING DATES:
Wednesday-Friday,
30 November-1 December.
Monday-Wednesday, 5-7 December
& Friday 9 December.
Monday 12 December.



### **FYI EXHIBITION—PROJECT 4**















Congratulations to our Years 7/8 students who presented their FYI Project 4 today: *How can everyone in the local and global community access basic resources?* 

Highlights included podcasts about homelessness, the creation of model homeless shelters using the program 3D Builder, "The Big Issue" mock up magazine covers, and a life-size homeless shelter; a worthy subject which has given all our students an insight into this issue, particularly with recent local flooding in our region.

Thanks to those community members who attended the exhibition.





## **School Calendar Dates & Notices**



#### STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

#### Term 4 Week 7

K/1: Phoebe

For working hard at sentence writing and becoming more independent with her work habits.

#### 2/3/4: Audrey

For her fantastic understanding of compound words and homophones.

#### 5/6: Chase

For having a great attitude in class and commitment to his learning.

#### Stage 4: Yasin

For embracing the challenges of his FYI podcast with confidence.

#### Stage 5: Dillon

For showing initiative, drive and leadership

#### Stage 6: Jiego

For his competence and confidence in hospitality.



#### WHAT'S ON

#### **TERM 4 WEEK 8**

28 November-2 Dec Years 9/10 Work Experience

#### Friday 2 December

Mock Car Crash Program— Year 11 Life Ready students

#### **Monday 5 December**

Mock Car Crash Program— Year 11 Life Ready students

## Thursday & Friday 8-9 December

Secondary Special Interest Days

#### **TERM 4 WEEK 9**

#### Wednesday 7 December

Year 6 Graduation Dinner 6pm, YCS School Hall

### **Thursday 8 December**

Super 8s Cricket

SRC Movie Night Primary & Secondary 4.10pm-6.15pm

#### **TERM 4 WEEK 10**

### Tuesday 13 December PRI Major Colebration Day

PBL Major Celebration Day

#### Wednesday 14 December

YCS Presentation Evening 7pm, Yeoval Memorial Hall

#### Friday 16 December

Last day Term 4 @ the pool

### WEDNESDAYS

Swimming for Sport—Secondary

# FRIDAYS Swimming for Sport— Primary

#### **ASSESSMENT CALENDAR**

#### **TERM 4 WEEKS 9 & 10**

#### Year 11

Agriculture
Agriculture Life Skills

Biology

**Community and Family Studies** 

Construction

**English Standard** 

Hospitality

**Industrial Technology** 

Legal Studies

**Mathematics Standard** 

Modern History

**PDHPE** 

**Physics** 

**Primary Industries** 

### BILLABONG VOUCHER WINNERS

Student/Teacher Merit Award:

Student: Skye
Teacher: Ms Livissianis

## **SCHOOL TIMES**

Roll Call: 8.55am
Recess: 11am
Lunch Primary: 1.15pm
Lunch Secondary: 1.30pm
School Finishes:
Primary—3pm
Secondary—3.15pm
Whole School Assembly:

8.55am Mondays

