

# YEOVAL CENTRAL SCHOOL

Term 2 Week 6 30 May 2022

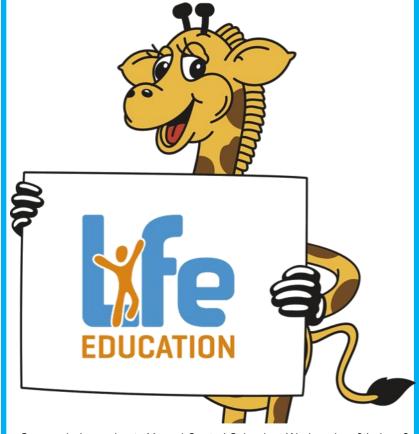
## Responsible Respectful Cooperative Learning

H20 pays tribute to National Sorry Day



Last week in our H20 Aboriginal Education session, K/1/2 brought their drawings of Wambuwany (Kangaroo) and Wilay (possum) to life by gluing real fur to the images, while Years 3/4/5/6 used their creativity to acknowledge and share their understanding of National Sorry Day.

When we participate in National Sorry Day we are acknowledging the significance of the losses of the past, which still affect Indigenous communities, families and individuals today. It is also a day to focus on healing and pursue reconciliation in Australian society. Our students used their hands to draw both the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander flags and write their own personal messages.



Guess who's coming to Yeoval Central School on Wednesday, 8th June? It's Healthy Harold and The Life Education Van!

Students will participate in workshops related to decision-making, the human body and healthy choices.

Permission notes with the full details have been sent home with primary students and are due back by Friday, 3rd June.





Our Little Eagles had fun last week challenging themselves and succeeding!



**FREE HOT CHOCOLATE DRINKS FOR STUDENTS** @ RECESS Thursday, 2nd June Please phone the School to **OPT OUT** or to advise of any dietary requirements.



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RESPECT

RESPONSIBILITY

COOPERATION



At Yeoval Central School we are respectful, responsible and cooperative.

\* Think twice, act once. \* Complete all tasks on time.

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# A message from the Principal

With the production of the Week 6 Newsletter, we are now officially over half-way through the term, and winter has well and truly arrived!

I'd like to congratulate our three students Lara, Olivia and Ezra who participated in the CWA Public Speaking Zone Finals in Orange last week. As this can be a daunting exercise, these students did Yeoval Central School proud – competing against the larger public and private schools.

For a town Yeoval's size, it has many wonderful facilities and the local Historical Museum is no exception. Our K-1-2s visited the Museum's O'Halloran Cottage last week as part of their history unit: *Learning about the past*. As you can see by the photos in this edition, our students were very engaged in seeing how the past looked in Yeoval.

Year 11 & 12 Primary Industries students participated in Quad Bike & Side-By-Side Safety Training at Peak Hill on Friday as part of the WAP Program. After completing the theory component in early May, this was the practical side of the course which included nationally recognised competencies. Students also participated in other valuable Primary Industries training on the day which will all add to their professional qualifications upon leaving school.

Congratulations to our students who travelled to represent Yeoval Central at Trundle for the Gobonderry/NARRAF cross country trials at Trundle on Friday; this is a great achievement and we hope you enjoyed participating in the event.



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Wishing all our Year 11 & 12 students well on their work placements this week. We look forward to hearing all about your experiences when you return.

A reminder that the next P&C Meeting will be held on Monday, 6 June from 6pm. All parents are very welcome to come along and be part of the discussions relating to your child's education at YCS.

Coming up on 15 June is our Year 7 Transition Day. We look forward to welcoming students from Years 5/6 at Yeoval, St Columba's and Cumnock, and parents are encouraged to attend an information session from 9.15am-10am in the School Hall.

Trish Henderson, Principal

# From our YCS students

# What ?



# most about Yeoval Central School

### Xander, Year 3

"I love seeing my friends and playing and talking with them.

"I even come to school on my birthday because I love being here.

"Maths is one of my favourite subjects because you get to do addition. Sport is also fun especially when we do soccer..."

### Demi, Year 8

"I love YCS because we have caring people to support us and the school community is very friendly..."



### K/1/2 STEPS BACK IN TIME



#### YEOVAL HISTORICAL MUSEUM

Kindergarten and Years 1 & 2 took a trip back in time when they visited Yeoval's Historical Museum on Tuesday 25 May.

Visiting the museum allowed us to make connections with our history unit: Learning about the past. We were able to discover how we can use artefacts and sources such as the museum, to think about how stories from our own community help us to learn about our past.

Wow, what a fabulous place to visit!

The students were amazed to see how the past looked in Yeoval. They loved seeing each of the rooms exactly how they may have been. They were particularly taken by the telephone exchange and boot maker's tools, and they were both confused and fascinated by the idea of 'guzzunder', a strange old leg, and the fact there were no taps in the kitchen! Of course we must not forget the wonderful old toys.

They enjoyed their lunch in Buckinbah Park under the old slab hut, and discovered the significance of the trees planted in the park. We would like to thank Bec and Ray Parkes for their time and efforts showing us through this wonderful Yeoval experience.



The Yeoval Historical Museum/O'Halloran House is open on Tuesdays & Fridays from 10am to 2pm and it is located in the main street across from the Yeoval Memorial Hall.

















### YCS-A STEP BACK IN TIME:Part 10

In 1934, a sanitary service provided by the Amaroo Shire Council was introduced at Yeoval School, replacing pit toilets! The conversion was undertaken by Mr WH Stanbrook, the local plumber. The pit toilets had their problems and their uses.

Occasionally, as local resident Keith Neville recalled: "Someone would throw a hastily smoked bumper (end of a cigarette) down the pit and then somehow it would catch alight and smoulder...causing smoke to waft out for anything up to 3 days at a time!"





## **STAGE 6 PRIMARY INDUSTRIES**







Stage 6 students travelled to Peak Hill Central School on Friday,
27 May for the NSW Regional High Schools Quad Bike and Side-By
-Side Vehicle Training, and a Primary Industries Training &
Assessment Day.

Students had the opportunity to complete nationally recognised competencies for operating quad bikes and side-by-side utility vehicles including safety, undertaking pre-start checks and shutdown procedures, and carrying out routine maintenance.



# STAGE 5 FOOD TECHNOLOGY



Stage 5 Food
Technology focused on
healthy school snacks
last week.

Nathaniel and Dillon took out the taste test and Georgia and Olivia won the presentation award!



# School Calendar Dates & Notices



#### STUDENT OF THE WEEK

#### Term 2 Week 5

#### K/1: Logan

For always trying his best in all areas of learning.

#### 2/3/4: Ezra P

For displaying excellent bravery in the presentation of her CWA speech in Orange.

#### 5/6: Jack

For using creativity in his writing and making the start sizzle!

#### Stage 4: Lance

For consistent application in all subject areas.

#### Stage 5: Elizabeth H-P

For her amazing effort on her assessment task demonstrating her future career goals.

#### Stage 6: Sam

For his consistent effort in all areas.

#### **BILLABONG VOUCHER**

Student/Teacher Merit Award Winners:
Student: Xavier

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Teacher: Mrs Woodley

► Congratulations to all Week 5 Students of the Week!

#### WHAT'S ON

#### Term 2 Week 6

Monday 30 May—Friday 3 June Year 11/12 Work Placement

#### Friday 3 June

Love Bites—Years 10-12 (Notes due 1/6/22)

#### Term 2 Week 7

6pm Monday 6 June P&C Meeting



#### Wednesday 8 June Healthy Harold visit

#### Term 2 Week 8

#### Wednesday 15 June

Year 7 Transition Day

#### **YCS Parent Portal**

https://info.sentral.com.au/ new-app-getting-started

Bronze Merit Award Recipients: Lance, Riley, Elizabeth H-P, Logan





#### **ASSESSMENT CALENDAR**

#### Term 2 Week 6

#### Years 9/10:

Industrial Technology—Metal

#### **Years 12:**

English Studies Numeracy

#### Term 2 Week 7

#### Years 12:

Ancient History
Construction
Legal Studies
Mathematics Advanced

#### Term 2 Week 8

Years 7/8
FYI Exhibition

#### Year 11

Community & Family Studies
Construction
Numeracy
PDHPE
Physics
Sport, Lifestyle & Recreation
Work Studies

#### Year 12

Aboriginal Studies
Exploring Early Childhood
Industrial Technology
Sport, Lifestyle & Recreation
Work Studies



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