



Together we inspire
Mawang ngiyahni marra marra
Together we learn
Mawang ngiyahni yalbilinya
Together we achieve
Mawang ngiyahni banga-duri-nya

YEOVAL CENTRAL SCHOOL

Term 3 Week 4 | 8 August 2022

Responsible Respectful Cooperative Learning

Goating around!



With the postponement of our NAIDOC Day/ Education Week activities on Friday due to inclement weather, our kissable and huggable four-legged kids from the Ag Farm graced our classrooms with their fun-loving antics.

Snowball and three-day old twins (yet to be named) caused much laughter and excitement as they were fed from a bottle and mingled with the students across all year levels. At one point, cheeky Snowball even lined up at the BBQ for the sausage sizzle!



Wiradjuri Word of the Week:
Wandayali
(Wun-da-yarli)
'Echidna'



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

Our Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) focus areas for Term 3 are:

* Follow instructions promptly with learning focus * Positive interactions with others



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A message from the Principal

It is my pleasure to inform you that **Mrs Tracey Ind** was successful in the recent K-6 classroom teacher merit selection process for Yeoval Central School. Mrs Ind is an experienced and dedicated teacher and we welcome her as a permanent staff member.

It was with much disappointment that the weather resulted in the postponement of our NAIDOC/Education Week activity day on Friday. The staff have a great day planned to acknowledge these significant events and we look forward to joining with our families and school community when a new date is determined – keep an eye on our Facebook page for this announcement.



Congratulations to our three YCS students who participated in the Western Schools Sports Association Secondary Athletics Trials on Friday at the Barden Park Athletics Centre of Excellence in Dubbo. **Brock, Lillie** and **Brooke** proudly represented YCS, while **Michael H** and **Lance** also qualified for the trials but unfortunately could not attend.

Tomorrow, we have **Xander, Heian, Ethan, Wade, Ezra, Jai, Lara** and **Cruz** participating in the Gobondery/NARRAF Athletics Trials for district primary schools. Wishing them all the best in their various events which covers everything from shot put and discus throw, to short and long-distance running. Myself and Miss Goulding look forward to accompanying the students to this event.

Year 11/12 students will be attending the Western Access Camp at Lake Burrendong with their WAP peers and teachers on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday this week and I am also looking forward to spending some time there with them.

Term 3 is shaping up to be the 'Term of sheds' at YCS. We are very grateful to the Yeoval Progress Association and Cabonne Council for providing us with a new shed at the oval, which is part of a major upgrade of Yeoval's Sports & Recreation Precinct. The new bus/General Assistant shed on our main school site (behind Gift & Homeware House) and the extension to the shed on the ag farm are also near completion. These sheds will be great assets to our school.

Parents and carers will have received an email today regarding new COVID cases in our school community. A reminder that students should not be attending school if they have any flu-like symptoms. If you would like additional RATs or have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the front office.

I am looking forward to meeting with our P&C tonight from 6pm. Hopefully we will see some new faces in attendance.

Trish Henderson
Principal

Online Safety Basics

In this and future editions of the YCS newsletter, we will be publishing information to help your children safely navigate their digital world and educate them to avoid harmful online experiences. Your support and guidance as a parent/caregiver can give your children the confidence to make sound decisions online — and ask for help when they need it.

In this edition: *5 Tips to keep your family safe online*

SCHOOL TIMES

Roll Call: 8.55am
Recess: 11am

Lunch Primary: 1.15pm
Lunch Secondary: 1.30pm

School Finishes:
Primary—3pm
Secondary—3.15pm

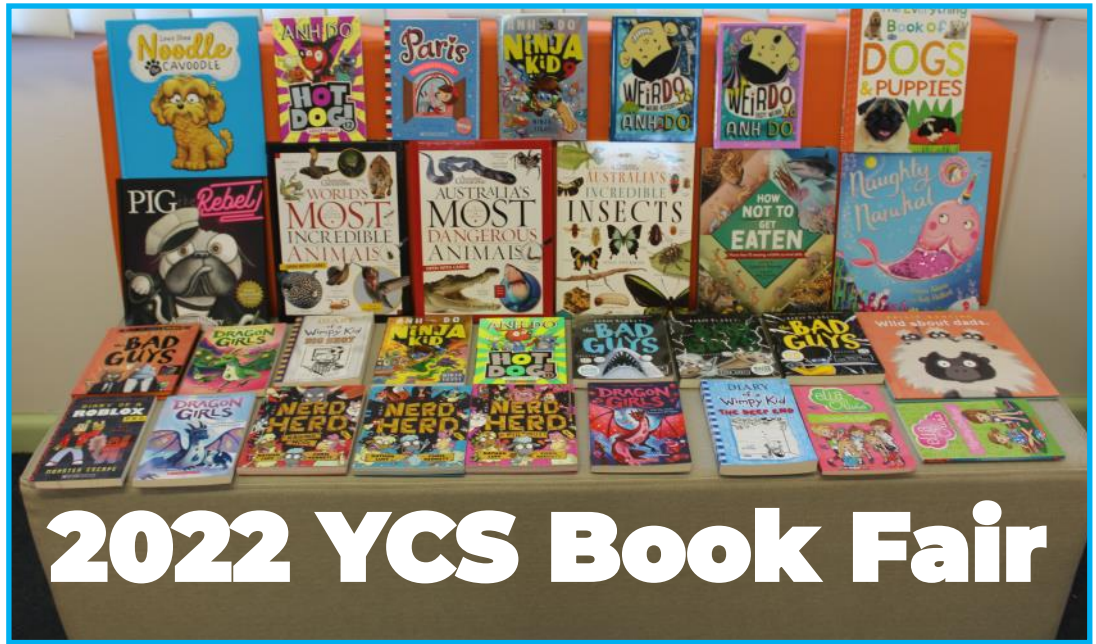
Whole School Assembly:
8.55am Mondays



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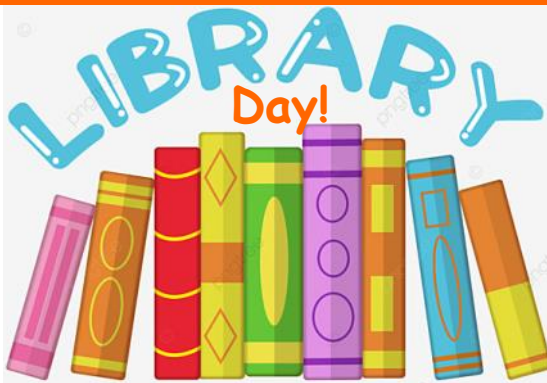


The Yeoval Central School Book Fair held on 27 July sold \$1173 worth of books! That means YCS receives a healthy commission and vouchers, allowing the school to purchase an exciting new range of library resources that will benefit our students.



2022 YCS Book Fair

THURSDAY IS



Please ensure your child has a library bag each week!

ARE YOUR FAMILY CONTACT DETAILS UP-TO-DATE?

A reminder to please make sure that the school has all of your **contact details up-to-date**.

This includes mobile phone numbers, emergency contacts and email addresses. This information is vital in an emergency situation or if your child is sick.

For your child's wellbeing, we need to be able to contact you when needed and to arrange collection if necessary.



Days missed = years lost

A day here and there doesn't seem like much, but...

When your child misses just...

they miss weeks per year

and years over their school life

1 day per fortnight
M T W T F
M T W T F

=

4 weeks



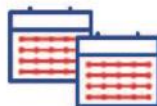
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Over 1 year missed

1 day per week
M T W T F
M T W T F

=

8 weeks



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Over 2.5 years missed

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COUNTRY WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION (CWA) OF NSW

Country of Study 2022/2023

LATVIA

SECTION	CLASS	ACTIVITY	SIZE
SECTION K	Kindergarten	Flag	A4
SECTION 1	Year 1	Colouring-in	A4
SECTION 2	Year 2	Poster	HALF sheet WHITE cardboard
SECTION 3	Year 3	Poster	FULL sheet WHITE cardboard
SECTION 4	Year 4	Project Poster	FULL sheet WHITE cardboard
SECTION 5	Year 5	Project	Display book Maximum 10 pages
SECTION 6	Year 6	Postcard	A4 - WHITE

Projects due to YCS by Tuesday, 13 September

Teachers will send full details home with students in each class.

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Term 3 Week 3

K/1: Logan

For great knowledge using ten frames for a structure.

2/3/4: Georgia

For her amazing maths skills—doubling the tens and adding the ones.

5/6: Hailey

For her reflection on our class novel.

Stage 4: Michael H

For always producing his best effort.

Stage 5: Savannah

For confidently embracing her learning journey.

Stage 6: Lillie

For her excellent approach in hospitality.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO
ALL OUR WEEKLY
ACHIEVERS**

WHAT'S ON

Term 3 Week 4

Tuesday, 9 August

Gobondery/NARRAF Athletics

Wednesday-Friday, 10-12 August

WAP Camp, Lake Burrendong

Term 3 Week 5

Monday-Thursday, 15-18 August

Years 5/6 Canberra Excursion

Tuesday, 16 August

Year 7 Transition Day 2

Term 3 Week 6

Tuesday, 23 August

Book Week Parade

Term 3 Week 7

Wednesday, 31 August

Secondary Gala Day—Trundle

29 August—2 September

WAP Work Placement

Friday, 2 September

Father's Day Stall

KINDERGARTEN TRANSITION

INFORMATION SESSION:

4.30pm, Wednesday, 7 September 2022

ASSESSMENT CALENDAR

Term 3 Week 5

Years 9/10

Visual Arts

Year 11

Biology

Industrial Technology

Work Studies

Year 12

Aboriginal Studies

Ancient History

Biology

Community & Family Studies

Construction

Drama

English Standard

Hospitality

Industrial Technology

Legal Studies

Mathematics Advanced

Mathematics Standard 2

Mathematics Standard 1

Primary Industries

BRONZE MERIT AWARD

RECIPIENTS:

Michael H, Georgia



BILLABONG VOUCHER

Student/Teacher Merit Award Winners:

Student: Alani **Teacher:** Ms Henderson

5 tips to keep your family safe online



Parents and carers can use a combination of strategies to help young people build their digital technology skills and have safer experiences online.

1. Start the chat

Get into the habit of talking about online safety as a family, so your child feels comfortable coming to you if they ever need help working out an issue. It's never too early to introduce [good online habits](#) such as respect, empathy, critical thinking, responsible behaviour and resilience. As your child grows older, eSafety's advice about [hard to have conversations](#) will help with some of the tricky topics like sending nudes, online pornography and contact from sexual predators.

2. Create a family technology agreement

Creating a Family Technology Agreement can help you and your kids decide together when and how digital technology will be used at home. As a family, brainstorm easy-to-follow rules and display them where everyone will see them. Your agreement could cover things like: time limits, apps your kids are allowed to use and online behaviour. Families with younger children can [download](#) a template to guide the conversation.

3. Set up parental controls

Parental controls let you monitor and limit what your child sees and does online. It's best to use them in combination with the other online safety strategies listed here. [Taming the technology](#) can help you understand your options. Grab a device and get started with our guides to setting up parental controls on [devices and accounts](#) or in [social media, games and apps](#).

4. Choose games and other apps carefully

Use eSafety's [App checklist for parents](#) to think about the positives and negatives when your child asks to download a new game or other app. The checklist covers things like age ratings, managing privacy settings and reporting abuse in-app. You can also use [The eSafety guide](#) to check and set up safety features with your child.

5. Use digital technology together

Exploring or playing on devices or online with your child can be a positive experience that promotes learning and development. Ask questions, be curious and get involved. To learn more, read our blogpost [How to encourage good screen practices for your child](#).