



Together we inspire  
Together we learn  
Together we achieve

# YEOVAL CENTRAL SCHOOL

Term 4 Week 7  
25 November 2019

At Yeoval Central School we inspire all to be responsible, respectful learners. Working together to achieve and grow.

## Rural Aid and Gift of Music

Last week YCS students were the very lucky recipients of some amazing new Lego kits, courtesy of Rural Aid. We are incredibly grateful for the work that RuralAid does, and the kind donations they have provided the school. The primary students were very excited to have the Lego kits arrive in their classrooms, and teachers were too!

On Friday we were very privileged to be the recipients of a large number of musical instruments from Rural Aid's program – The Gift of Music. I thank Robyn from Rural Aid for her coordination and Ben from Landers Music in Orange for this amazing donation.

*Thank you very much to Rural Aid.*



**WHAT'S  
ON  
THIS  
WEEK**

**Term 4 Week 7**  
25-29 November  
Year 10 Work Experience  
**26 November**  
LAP Study Day - Condobolin  
Year 11 Metal & Engineering Day

**Primary Student Led  
Learning Tours  
&  
FYI Project 4 Book  
Launch**  
**Mon 2 December**  
**2.15-4.30pm**  
**All Welcome**

**Principal**  
Mrs Nicole Bliss  
**School Administration Manager**  
Mrs Toni Clark (Rel)

**Assistant Principal**  
Jodie Klein  
**Business Manager**  
Mrs Angela Bruce

**Secondary Head Teacher**  
Mrs Helen Tremain (Rel)  
**Instructional Leaders**  
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**P & C President:** Mrs Esther Gellert  
**Secretary:** Mrs Renee McClure  
**Treasurer:** Mrs Alison Smith

# A message from the Principal

Such a massive week of activities and opportunities for our students:

- ◆ **Schools Spectacular** – well done to our students who sang in the choir with 1000s of other students from NSW public schools. I thank **Mrs Helen Johnson and Mrs Renee McClure** who spent the week in Sydney with our students. These types of excursions take many hours to plan and our **office staff** are behind the scenes ensuring all details are covered.
- ◆ **Stewart House** – **Mrs Alana Kerin and Mrs Rochelle O'Brien** spent many hours organising this opportunity for three of our students over the last fortnight. I also thank **Mr Ben Lee** who spent Thursday night and Friday supervising the excursion from Sydney back to Dubbo.
- ◆ **Wish Upon a Star** – another amazing opportunity that Eliza and Brooke had staying at Narrabeen Sport and Recreation and being treated to Schools Spectacular on Saturday.
- ◆ **Work Placement** – Hannah, Angus and Chase spent last week in Dubbo completing their compulsory hours of work for Hospitality and Primary Industries. I thank **Mrs Crystal Stanford** (Head Teacher Access) and **Mrs Helen Tremain** for their coordination. Also thanks to **Mrs Helen Tremain and Mrs Elaine Bates** who assisted with overnight supervision.
- ◆ **UPA visit** – K12 visited our UPA residents, I thank **Mrs Alana Kerin, Ms Natasha Freeth and Mrs Susie Porch** for this opportunity.
- ◆ **Red Cross Christmas Luncheon** – almost thirty members of the Red Cross were treated to a delicious two-course lunch catered for by our hospitality students. **Ms Natasha Freeth and Mrs Sue Hogan** prepared for two days to ensure it was a success.
- ◆ **Kindergarten Transition** – our extensive transition program ended with the parent meet-n-greet BBQ and information session. I thank **Mrs Jodie Klein, Mr Andrew Jones, Mrs Rochelle O'Brien, Mrs Alana Kerin, Ms Natasha Freeth, Mrs Kate Lee and Ms Amanda Crain** for their efforts to ensure our 2020 Kindergarten class has had a great induction to 'big school'.

Last week, we were very privileged to be the recipients of a large number of musical instruments from **Rural Aid's program – The Gift of Music**. I thank **Robyn from Rural Aid** for her coordination and **Ben from Landers Music in Orange** for this amazing donation. *Watch out Schools Spectacular...*who knows what musical talent we will discover with our new instruments!

Mrs Nicole Bliss  
Principal

## Garlic Crop

Back in April, Years 9 and 10 students planted the annual crop of Russian Giant Garlic.

After a 7 months of weeding, fertilising, mulching and growing, the crop was ready to harvest.

On Friday 22nd November, Years 9 and 10 harvested the garlic crop. There were some impressive bulbs harvested 10-15cm in diameter, but on average the bulbs harvested were smaller than previous years.

The crop is now drying and curing. In a few weeks time, the class will remove the vegetative tops and clean the bulbs.

Mr Ken Horley





# Schools Spectacular 2019



After a long bus ride, we got to our cabins on Friday night.

On Saturday we met The Hon. Sarah Mitchell, MLC who is the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning before going to see Schools Spectacular, which was AMAZING!

Afterwards we had a swim at Narrabeen Sport and Recreation and headed home on Sunday. It was great to meet so many new people.

*Brooke and Eliza*

## Important Dates to Remember



SCHOOL CAPTAIN NOMINATIONS  
**REMINDER**  
 DUE TOMORROW  
 26 NOVEMBER

*Presentation Night*  
 WEDNESDAY 11 DECEMBER  
 7.00PM  
 YEOVAL MEMORIAL HALL





## Student of the Week

### Term 4 Week 6

**K/1/2: Lara**

For great effort during writing

**3/4: Eliza**

For working consistently in all Key Learning Areas

**5/6: Ebony**

For taking ownership of her own learning journey

**Stage 4: Cooper**

For an exceptional narrative supported by illustrations with huge appeal to his intended audience

**Stage 5: Jorja**

For her endless school citizenship and an outstanding HSIE extended response

**Stage 6: Hannah**

For being a fine ambassador for our school during work placement

## School Calendar

### Term 4, Week 7

**25-29 November**

Year 10 Work Experience

**26 November**

LAP Study Day - Condobolin

Year 11 Metal & Engineering Day

### Term 4, Week 8

**4 December**

Year 11 Hospitality Day

Year 7 Transition Day - Dubbo

SRC Meeting

### Term 4, Week 9

**9 December**

Gold Merit Lunch

**10 December**

Super Skills for Survival Yr7-11

**11 December**

Year 11 Primary Industries Day

Presentation Night

**12 December**

2020 Yr 11 WAP & VET Induction

**13 December**

PBL Celebration Day

### Term 4, Week 10

**16 December**

Year 6 Graduation Dinner

## Assessment Calendar

### Term 4, Week 7

**Year 10**

Work Experience

## Yeoval Swim Club

**Sub Juniors** 5.30-6.00pm

**Juniors** 5.45-6.45pm

**Seniors** 6.30-7.30pm

For more information:

[swimmingclubyeoval@gmail.com](mailto:swimmingclubyeoval@gmail.com)

All welcome



## Giant Pumpkin Growing Competition 2020

It's time to get started on the Inaugural Yeoval Schools Giant Pumpkin Competition, for the Annual Yeoval Show

Pumpkin seeds will be distributed this week.

## Our PBL focus areas for Weeks 6-10 are:

- ◆ Kind thoughts, Kind words, Kind Actions
- ◆ Follow instructions first time



**SRC DROUGHT RELIEF**

**DISCO**

**TUESDAY**  
**3 DECEMBER**

Primary 5.00-6.00pm  
Secondary 6.30-7.30pm

FREE LIGHT REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED



## Cinema Under the Stars

Friday 29 November - 7:30 pm

Yeoval Golf Club - Free Admission

BYO Food, Drinks, Chair or Rug



Rally till it Rains - Supporting Each Other

All Welcome



RURAL ADVERSITY MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAM

# Ag & Chat

**Join us for a free morning  
tea & chance to chat about  
getting through the dry.**

Where: Buckinbah Park Yoeval  
Cnr Forbes and Lachan Sts

When: Tuesday 10th December  
At 10-00am

RSVP: Di Gill on 0427 460 430  
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Guest speaker to be confirmed

