



YANCO PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

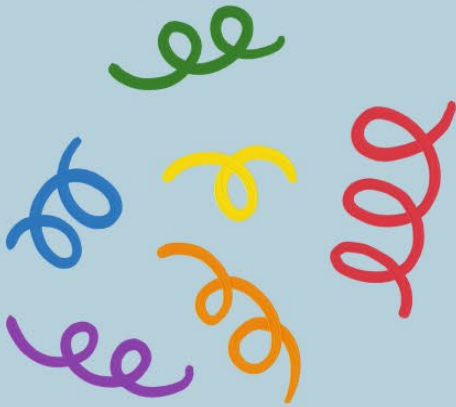


Term 3 – Week 9
15th September, 2022





WEEK 9 AWARDS



Dear families,

Week 10 will see us all head to Griffith Pioneer Park on Wednesday. Please remember that all students will need to be ready to leave school by 9:10 at the latest as we are heading off as soon as rolls are marked. They will also need to have a packed lunch with them on the day. The school will be closed for students who are not coming on the excursion and they will need to stay home. A third permission note has been attached to this newsletter if we have not yet received one for your child/ren.

Miss Jennings, who has been with the Stage 2/3 class for the past few weeks on her practicum finishes this week and we wish her well as she completes her studies.

School hours are 9:10am-3:15pm. Please try and have your children at school between 8:40 and 9am. This gives them time to check in with their friends, put away their bag and be ready for the start of the day. We have an increase in the number of students who are arriving closer to 8am. Staff are not required to be on active supervision until half an hour before the school day, please be mindful of this.

Every parent should have now been sent a code for the Sentral attendance app. This App will allow you to inform us if your child will not be at school on a specific day. Thank you to those families who have already set this up and used it to keep the school informed. We will also be sending reminders to families who have not let us know reasons for absence.

As this will be the final newsletter for the term, I hope you all have a wonderful and safe break. I am looking forward to spending time with my granddaughter who is now walking and will most probably make sure I have all those 'precious items' put in a safe place. School will return on **Monday, October 10** and students will be expected to be in their summer uniform and have a **school hat** for playing outside in the sun.

Mrs Taylor

LEARNING SUPPORT NEWS

Brain breaks are calming and reduce anxiety and frustration. They help children learn how to self-regulate and be more aware of when they are getting fed up or losing focus.

Brain breaks used at our school include crunch and sip, go noodle dances, fitness breaks and even simple things like going to get a drink of water. It has been great to see some calming activities being utilised in the playground as well. A very interesting one at the moment is small world making using leaves, sticks, rocks and grass. This inspiration grew from K12's study of the artist Andy Goldsworthy, an artist who creates artworks in nature using natural materials around him.



PB AWARDS

ETHAN-MIA-AUBREE





My Favourite Food:
Chocolate



My Learning Goals:
To be better at writing and running

I like to play:
With my puppy Gina

I am inspired by:
Gran

I want to learn how to:
Get better at writing

I think I am improving in:
Reading



Maggie



RISHARD



My Favourite Food: Chicken wrap

Learning Goal: writing

I like to play: Fortnite

I am inspired by: Leelan, as he can play the didgeridoo

I want to learn how to: make a didgeridoo

I am getting better at: reading and footy





Amelia

My Favourite Food: Mashed potatoes

My Learning Goals: To write 5 pages

I like to play: Lego

I am inspired by: Rick Riordan

I want to learn how to: do Python coding properly

I think I am improving in: Maths



LIBRARY NEWS

BOOK WEEK

WOW! WHAT A GREAT DAY FOR THE BOOK WEEK CELEBRATIONS!
SUCH WONDERFUL COSTUMES, IT WAS FANTASTIC TO SEE SO
MANY STUDENTS DRESSED UP FOR THE OCCASSION!!



Positive Living Skills



This week in the Kitchen Garden we enjoyed toad in a hole, pancakes for breakfast and chocolate Weetbix slice.

YUM!!

We would also like to thank the Downes family and Jenny & Daryl Grigg for the contribution of oranges and mandarins. The students have really enjoyed them.

THANK YOU!



Busting lunchbox myths!

Marketing and health claims can make choosing everyday foods very confusing.

Did you know that whilst a muesli bar contains healthy ingredients, the added sugar and fat make it a sometimes food?

Swap from muesli bars to sunflower or pumpkin seeds, roasted fava beans, Weet-bix bites, yoghurt or fresh fruit.



Nutrition Snippet

SNACK SWAPS.



Swap cake for these healthy snacks:

- Apple and date muffins *
- Banana pikelets *
- Fruit loaf *

* make a batch and freeze for later

Check out our interactive [healthy swaps](#) section for more inspiration!

ST PETER'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, LEETON

FETE and ROSE & GERANIUM SHOW! with BLESSING of PETS

Saturday 15th October 2022

Cnr Oak & Church Sts

9am to 1pm

- Plants!
- Produce!
- Cakes!
- Craft!
- Jewellery!
- Major Raffle!
- Jams & Pickles!
- All-Day Breakfast!
- Indoor Lunch!
- Coffee!
- Donuts!
- Jumping Castle!
- Face Painting!
- Entertainment!

St Peter's Op Shop open 9am to 1pm