



YANCO PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

“THE IBIS”



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Yanco Public School.....Towards a better world

Dear families,

This is the last newsletter for me this term as I will be taking leave and heading away from the end of week 9. I wish for everyone to have a safe and happy break and take the time to relax and recharge.

It has again been a very busy term and already seems like forever since the students returned from their Canberra trip. We are asking each of you to complete the Tell Them From Me survey this week.

Sporting Achievements

The girls are leading the way this fortnight with their sporting success. Participation in representative events can only happen with great sacrifice in time and money from families and I know that the kids appreciate the support they are given in pursuing their passions.

Taya and Bella travelled to Albury and represented Leeton Narrandera PSSA at the Riverina Athletics Carnival on Friday of Week 6 and they did us proud in their respective events. I know Taya was very happy with her new PB in high jump and both girls said they had a great day.

Harriet represented the school at the NSW State Interschool Snowsports Championships. Amongst 110 competitors in the Alpine GS event, she soared to an impressive 19th place in the state, showcasing her remarkable skiing prowess. Harriet's tenacity shone through as she also claimed the 39th spot in Skiers Cross. Harriet's resilience and accomplishments have made her school and community incredibly proud.

And finally, for the third year in a row, Indie was a pivotal member of the Riverina Girl's Rugby 7's team. With training sending her to Wagga Wagga and the carnival occurring in Mudgee, she again demonstrated her leadership skills as a co-captain for some of the games. Awarded the Riverina Medal, we can't wait to see her flourish in her chosen sport as she enters secondary school in 2024.



Tell Them From Me

The Tell Them From Me surveys provide schools with student, teacher and parent perspectives about the engagement and wellbeing of their students. This information is valuable to schools and can be used to identify strengths and successes, as well as areas to target for improvement. We would appreciate it if you could take the time to complete this survey. <http://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/yancops>



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LEARNING SUPPORT NEWS

Check in assessments will soon begin for all our years 3, 4 & 5 students over the coming weeks. We look forward to using this data to continue to guide learning for all these wonderful students.

Right: some of the fantastic work of just one of the reading and writing work groups that have been happening on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. Students in this group were learning about how they can use conjunctions in their writing.



TERM 3 2023

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
8	Sept 4	Sept 5	Sept 6	Sept 7	Sept 8
	Salvation Army School Program	Sandhills Artefacts Narrandera visit (selected students) Scripture			Whole School Assembly & Book Week Parade Little Learners Kinder Transition
9	Sept 11	Sept 12	Sept 13	Sept 14	Sept 15
	Salvation Army School Program	Scripture			Stage 2 Rugby League Gala Day Leeton Little Learners Kinder Transition
10	Sept 18	Sept 19	Sept 20	Sept 21	Sept 22
	Salvation Army School Program	Scripture			Little Learners Kinder Transition LAST DAY OF TERM



YEAR 4 5 6 CLASS NEWS



CLASS REPORT - WEEK 8, TERM 3 (YEAR 4, 5, AND 6)

IN WEEK 7 @ 8 OF TERM 3, OUR CLASS HAS BEEN BUZZING WITH EXCITEMENT AND LEARNING. WE'VE HAD AN EVENTFUL WEEKS FILLED WITH ACHIEVEMENTS AND VALUABLE EXPERIENCES.

FIRST AND FOREMOST, WE PROUDLY BROUGHT HOME THE TROPHY FROM THE LEETON EISTEDDFOD, SHOWCASING OUR INCREDIBLE TALENTS AND TEAMWORK. OUR HARD WORK AND DEDICATION TRULY PAID OFF.

ADDITIONALLY, WE'VE BEEN HONING OUR WRITING SKILLS BY CRAFTING CAPTIVATING STORIES TO ENTER INTO THE WESTERN RIVERINA ARTS LITERACY COMPETITION. IT'S BEEN A WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITY TO EXPRESS OUR CREATIVITY AND SHARE OUR UNIQUE VOICES WITH A WIDER AUDIENCE.

IN THE REALM OF MATHEMATICS, WE'VE BEEN DELVING INTO THE WORLD OF PERCENTAGES, MASTERING THE ART OF WORKING THEM OUT. THIS NEWFOUND KNOWLEDGE IS EMPOWERING US TO TACKLE REAL-LIFE PROBLEMS WITH CONFIDENCE.

CELEBRATING NATIONAL INDIGENOUS LITERACY DAY WAS A HEARTWARMING EXPERIENCE. WE'VE IMMERSSED OURSELVES IN WIRADJURI CULTURE, LEARNING NEW WORDS AND LISTENING TO ENCHANTING DREAMTIME STORIES. THIS HAS DEEPEENED OUR APPRECIATION FOR THE RICH INDIGENOUS HERITAGE OF OUR LAND.

MOREOVER, WE'VE BEEN EMBRACING THE VALUES OF KINDNESS AND CONSCIENTIOUSNESS, STRIVING TO BECOME EXEMPLARY STUDENTS AND SCHOOL LEADERS. IT'S HEARTENING TO SEE OUR CLASS FOSTER AN ENVIRONMENT OF RESPECT AND EMPATHY.

AS WE CONTINUE THIS JOURNEY OF LEARNING AND GROWTH, WE LOOK FORWARD TO MORE EXCITING ADVENTURES AND OPPORTUNITIES IN THE WEEKS AHEAD. STAY TUNED FOR MORE UPDATES FROM OUR ENTHUSIASTIC AND DYNAMIC CLASS!



Year 2/3 Classroom News

Term 3 has continued be a **BUSY** term for 2/3.

The year 2 students worked hard with the K/1 class on a brilliant winning dance performance and the year 3 students dazzled with the 4/5/6 students in a knock out winning choral performance at the Leeton Eisteddfod.

In week 5 the class thoroughly enjoyed the visit from Sandhills Artefacts. We especially liked trying the Kangaroo and ice cream!



In Maths, we have been looking at lines of symmetry. We investigated which shapes have different lines of symmetry using mirrors and we even tried creating patterns with blocks that had a line of symmetry.

We have also explored the idea of equal, and what equal looks like. As part of our exploration we attempted to make our own equal arm balances.



In English we have been learning about poetry and discovering different types of poems and their special features. We have been busy creating some wonderful haiku's and cinquains over the last couple of weeks.

Fork
Wiggly, rusty
eating, picking, jumping
sad, angry, small, disgusted
utensil

Maggie Holland

Bruno
strong, fast
playful, fall, sook
happy, sad, scared, mad
dog

Bella Burrows

Pigs are dangerous.
Pigs eat lots of crops and hay.
Pigs slide down the hill.

Kruze Basham

Someone mowed the grass.
Miss Jeffs watered my dry grass.
Miss Jeffs mowed my lawn.

Harrison Walsh

Kitchen Garden News



Week 6 Kitchen Garden...

Year 2-6 worked well together on Friday to make savoury crepes and lemon pudding. We used celery, parsley and spinach from the garden for the crepes and lemons from our school tree.



POSITIVE LIVING SKILLS



In the Kitchen Garden for breakfast, we got cooking cheese toasties, waffles and toad in the hole, yum!

Yanco Public School had many entries in the Narrandera show and came away with a lot of 1st and 2nd prizes.



ATHLETE'S FOOT GRIFFITH PROMOTION



Don't forget to mention Yanco Public School when you make a purchase and we will receive \$5 for EVERY pair of shoes you or a family member purchase



DOCKET PROMOTION

Don't forget Yanco Public School participates in the Golden Apple shopping docket promotion.

Simply collect all your dockets and drop them in to the school office at any time.

We would really appreciate your support!



Working together to support school-aged students on the autism spectrum

FREE 2 Day Autism Workshop for Parents and Carers

Location: Wagga Wagga, NSW

Join other local families to learn more about autism and ways to strengthen the partnership between home and school



During the workshop you will learn about:

- The diversity of autism
- Understanding sensory processing
- Understanding behaviour
- Working together with your child's school

Morning tea and a light lunch will be provided



7th & 8th November 2023
9.30am - 2.30pm



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Interpreters available upon request

For more information or to register visit
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For help, call:
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