Yea Primary School Newsletter
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Students Sharing Individual Learning Focus

F/2P Tomi
• My writing goal is to write neatly on solid lines.

F/2P Charlie
• My writing goal is to write between the lines to make it smaller

F/2B Jordan
• My writing goal is to leave spaces between words.

2S William
• My writing goal is to use capital letters in the correct place.

3M Locklan
• My writing goal is to slow down and write neatly.

4/5F Jack
• My learning goal is to learn new spelling words by sounding them out and practising them at home.

5/6U Reed
• My writing goal is to leave a smaller gap (pinky width) between words when writing.

Conveyance Allowance
The conveyance allowance is a form of financial assistance to help families in rural and regional Victoria with the cost of transporting their children to their nearest appropriate school.

The conveyance allowance is available to eligible students travelling by public transport, private car and private bus. The conveyance allowance is also available to eligible students whose nearest school is not serviced by a free school bus.

Applications forms are available from the office.
Applications close Monday 30th May

Dates to Remember
May
2nd Sporting Schools
School Council
4th Mother’s Day Stall
Tuning into Kids 9.15am –11.15am
9th Bookfair
Sporting Schools
10th Bookfair
NAPLAN
11th Bookfair
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Tuning into Kids 9.15am –11.15am
12th Bookfair
NAPLAN
Grandparents Day 2.15pm—F/1/2
The Anzac weekend commenced with Austen, Olivia and I travelling to Melbourne where we enjoyed a wonderful service with over 5000 students from all over Victoria. The sun was shining at the Shrine and the addresses given by the Governor of Victoria Linda Dessau and Alicia Ranasinghe who was the 2015 Legacy Public Speaking winner were inspiring. We had time to look around the shrine exhibits which are so interesting and well put together. There were primary and secondary students on our bus from Mansfield, Eildon, Alexandra, Yea, and Flowerdale who all represented their schools well. Thank you to Legacy who funded the bus and morning tea.

The sun was shining at the service in Yea on Monday. Our four school leaders Olivia, Austen, Declan and Brea laid flowers during the service on behalf of the school community. Thank you to our parents who prepared food for the celebration at the RSL hall after the service. Many students were offering food to visitors and helping the parent helpers who set up the food and hot drinks.

Welcome
A warm welcome to Rhianna (Grade 2), Andre (Grade 5) and their family who arrived at Yea PS for their first day on Tuesday. They both very confidently spoke at assembly on Monday and were able to share information about themselves and their previous school.

School Council
The first meeting for this term will be held on Monday the 2nd May at 6pm. Please contact the school if you are unable to attend.

Art Smocks
It is very frustrating for families when their children come home with paint on their uniform for Art activities. Thus we have asked that all students bring an art smock/old shirt to wear during these sessions to protect their clothes. Many students have not brought an art smock to school and this is very difficult for Miss Fillmore to protect their clothing during Art. Please send an art smock or shirt to school with your child that is clearly named.

Cross Country
Students who enjoy Cross Country went to Eildon PS today to compete. They have been practising at recess and lunchtime and we wish them well. Thank you to Mrs Male for organising the entries and our students.

Sausage Sizzles
We will be holding a sausage sizzle on four Tuesday’s later in the term to do some fundraising for the school. Dates are 17th May, 7th June, 14th June and 21st June.

Pupil Free Day
The school will be closed Monday 30th May for report writing.

Thanks,

Deb
Head Lice
This is just a friendly reminder for parents to continue to check their child’s hair on a regular basis.

Values Award

Jayden and Stephen
For showing integrity by coming in early to help the teacher get ready for the day!
A huge thank you to all the families that chipped in to make the Anzac day catering fundraiser an absolute success on Monday! It was a fantastic effort with our cakes, slices and sandwiches going down a treat at the RSL for lunch. Thank you to the following; Amanda Jolly, Natasha Ward, Liz Bastion, Karen Anstey, Megan Santarossa, Deb Redding, Carol Ross, Karen Anstey, Erin Pappadopolous, Jane Marks, Deb Schickerling, Lauren Cronk, Jason Dalziel and Zani, Raelene Mold, Amanda Ross, Heather Luke, Prue Smith, Samantha Fitzsimons, Jo Dignam, Fiona, Lou Fillmore, and of course Natalie, Bethany & Bradley Fulford, Maree & Jackie Boyd, Tina Brunt, Lesley Hartman, Nick Behm, Nellie & Audrey Warren-Behm who all gave up their time on the day to help out. Without all of your hard work this would not have been possible. Regards Kylie Warren.
Have you ever thought...

‘If only my children would listen, things would be calmer at our house!’ or

‘Sometimes my child's behaviour makes me feel really angry’?

You are not alone!

Come and join us at the:

’Tuning in to Kids’
Parenting Program

A six session ‘emotion coaching’ program for parents and carers of children aged 2–12 years where you will learn how to

- Communicate with your child.
- Understand your child’s needs and emotions.
- Help your child learn to manage their emotions.
- Assist your child to deal with conflict.
- Have the tools to help manage your child’s behaviour

Starting: Wednesday 27th April for six Wednesday mornings
Time: 9.15am to 11.15am
At: Yea Primary School
23 Station Street, Yea,

This is a free program.
Program is open to all members of the public
Bookings are essential as places are limited
To register or for further information contact Joanne at Primary Care Connect
Tel: 5823 3200

Brought to you by Hume Region Parent Education Service
Yea Primary School Shopping Tour 2016
Saturday 15th October

This year’s shopping tour includes:

♦ Quality local coach with a built in urn provided by Seymour Coaches
♦ Coffee/tea and biscuits provided at morning tea
♦ Hand picked quality shops—list available from school office
♦ Complimentary champagne on the trip home

BYO lunch/drink

$50 per person will secure your seat.

Please feel free to invite family and friends as this is a fantastic fundraiser for our school and a great opportunity to get Christmas shopping sorted and have some fun along the way!

Message from school Finance
BPay Request

BPay is a great, secure and hassle free way to make payments and the school encourages families to use this facility. We do however request that persons making a BPay deposit into the school account advise the school what this money is for and/or how to allocate. Please email instructions, date and receipt number to accounts@yeaps.vic.edu.au. This saves any confusion and ensures no monies go astray as we have had issues with the departmental up load of BPayments over the last quarter. Many thanks for your assistance. Fiona, Business Manager

For bookings please RSVP via this link
https://www.trybooking.com/LFWV
COMPOST CARBON CALLOUT!

Our garden needs compost - and our compost needs carbon! So if you have any of the following - please PLEASE bring them into the garden at the school:
- shredded paper
- wood ash
- straw/ hay/ silage
- sawdust
- dead leaves

Thanks heaps!

COMMUNITY FOOD TABLE

The Community Food Table has changed days to every Tuesday and Wednesday - in the foyer of the Yea Library. The fresh produce is free or by donation for anyone who wants it!

Being the end of much of the summer produce time we more than ever need people to bring in any garden donations they have to spare. It doesn't matter if it's one lemon or a small bunch of parsley - it's all appreciated by someone who doesn't have it! So drop contributions into the Library foyer on Tuesdays and Wednesdays or to the school office first thing Tues/ Wed mornings. Or come along to the food table and grab some things you need... THANKS!
School Uniform Shop

Open every Thursday
Before & after school

**TIMES**
8:50am—9:10am
3:00pm—3:20pm

Don’t forget that every Tuesday is School Banking day. Students need to bring in their deposit book on this day. It will be returned at the end of the week.

St Luke’s Kids’ Club

Every Wednesday
in term time
Starting in Term 2
For Primary School Students

Hear the wonderful stories from the Bible
Enjoy craft activities
Play some games
Sing some songs
Munch on a snack

**When:** Wednesdays 3:10 to 4:10 pm, starting Wednesday 12th April 2016
**Where:** St Luke’s Church Hall.

Students will be collected after school and walked to the hall.

**Free:**
Application forms available at the school office
Return forms to school or place in an envelope marked “Kids’ Club” and drop into red box in St Luke’s Church (right-hand side through glass doors).

**Come and join in the fun**

Joy Clayton, co-ordinator

START DATE

**FRIDAY 15th APRIL 2016**
**EVERY FRIDAY 3.30pm to 4.30pm**

YEA RECREATION OVAL

AGES: 5 to 9 years old
(If younger contact Tate all welcome)

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