**Students Sharing Individual Learning Focus**

**F/2P Toby**
- My writing goal is to copy the sentence off the board.

**2S Rhianna**
- My learning goal is to learn my 5 x tables.

**3M Sam**
- My writing goal is to use commas in the correct place.

**4/5F Perry**
- My learning goal is to include paragraphs in my first draft.

**5/6U James**
- My writing goal is to not always use the word “then” at the start of the sentence.

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**Dates to Remember**

**June**
- 24th  Last Day of Term 2
  - Finish 2.15pm

**July**
- 11th  Term 3 Commences
- 14th  F/1/2 Open Day for Kinder Students
  - 9am-11am
- 18th  Sporting Schools
- 19th  F/1/2 Open Day for Kinder Students
  - 10.30am—12pm
- 20th  F/1/2 Camp
- 21st  F/1/2 Campers return
- 25th  Sporting Schools
- 26th  Parent Forum 2.15pm
- 28th  Passion Projects 11.30am-1.30pm
  - Sub Finance 2.30pm
- 30th  Boite Practice 2-4pm at Yea PS

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**Urgent - P/1/2 Camp**

Please return the permission forms for camp this week so camp booking can be finalised.

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**All library books are due back this week.**

**Thank you!**
This is the last week of what has been a very busy and long term. There have been a lot of sporting events particularly for the older students, market days related to the ERP’s economic focus, ANZAC Day services, school photos, QUANTAM excursion for all grades to Melbourne, Boite practises, Sporting Schools, NAPLAN, Grade 5/6 camp, Tuning into Kids program and various incursions. Teachers have also put together reports for each student and met with parents for Parent/Teacher Interviews.

This last week is looking to be wet and rather cool so I’m sure everyone will be ready for a holiday on Friday when we break up at 2.15pm. As this is at the end of lunchtime school lunches from Café Christie will still be available. Thank you to Alana for providing lunches every Friday this semester, I know it is a treat that many students look forward to each week.

Absences
Please remember to contact the school when your child is absent for whatever reason. We are required by DET policy to contact parents when we have been given no reason for a child being absent. Jo has made comment that she has had to ring many more families of late. We realise that it is very busy when a child is unwell but a quick phone call would be great.

Grade F/1/2 Camp
The students are very excited for their camp to Adanac in week 2 next term. Many parents have not yet paid for the camp. It would be great to get this done by the end of this term. Please contact Fiona if you are not sure how much you owe to complete your payment.

Passion Projects
The holidays are a great time to support your child to get their Passion Project completed ready for presentation in multi aged peer groups on the 28th July from 11.30 – 1.30pm. Choose a book and create any mode of presentation, poster, slide show etc. It is a lovely day and the students enjoy sharing their work with the group.

4/5 Market Day
Grade 4/5 ran their Market Day in the multipurpose room on Monday the 20th of July. There were many delicious things to be bought and activities to enjoy. Due to the weather some outdoor activities were postponed until later in the week. Congratulations to both the 4/5 and 5/6 grades as they came up with some fantastic ideas to support their current focus of economics. There were lots of aspects to this concept and the students were required to plan and execute their idea. Approximately $1000.00 was raised for various charities including the Salvation Army. We certainly have some budding entrepreneurs!

Thanks

Deb
How to Set Notifications For The Yea PS Facebook Page

The Yea Primary School Facebook page has been set up to share our learning and achievements with the community as well as being a tool to share important information and reminders. Many people miss important information from the Yea PS because their Facebook news feed is continually updating, forcing Yea PS Facebook status updates further down the order. Follow the steps below to change the settings below so that you always see new Yea PS Facebook updates first on your news feed every time you open Facebook. You can also set up to receive alerts about new Yea PS updates when Facebook is closed.

1. While in Facebook, go into the Yea PS Facebook page and click on ‘follow.' It should change to ‘See First.'

2. To set notifications click on ‘more.'

3. Now click on ‘Notifications.'

4. Select ‘Set Notifications.' Then you will receive notifications how you usually do for Facebook. To change HOW you receive Facebook notifications you need to go into the settings for your device.
Dates coming up at Yea PS
Thursday 9th June - Info Night 6-7pm

Drop in and have a look days

Thursday 14th July – Literacy 9-11am
Tuesday 19th July – Numeracy/Ukulele 10:30-12pm
Tuesday 2nd August Investigations 9-10:30am

Transition days
(Parents stay with child or child stays alone but must be enrolled)

Monday 22nd Aug 9am-11am (bring fruit/vegie snack)
Monday 12th Sep 9am-11:30am (bring fruit/vegie snack, morning tea & a hat)
Monday 17th Oct 9am-1:30am (bring fruit/vegie snack, morning tea, lunch & a hat)

Statewide Transition to school
Tuesday 6th December 9am-3:15am (bring fruit/vegie snack, morning tea, lunch & a hat)
WINTER UNIFORMS ARE NOW AVAILABLE!

UNIFORM SHOP – (multipurpose room)

TUESDAY & THURSDAY
8:30am – 9:00am
3:00pm – 3:30pm

Orders and payment can be placed throughout the week and we will pack on MONDAYS and the order will be sent home with children.

ORDERS MUST BE PAID IN FULL
BEFORE COLLECTION
(Bpay or Cash)

Picture of uniform items

Do your children wear the correct uniform?

- Long sleeve polo Shirt
- Polo Fleece Jumper
- Long Pants
- Skirt
- Navy Tights
- White Socks
- Black Shoes
- Blue Beanies
- School Jacket
Passion Projects 2016

BOOKS

Passion Projects will be on Thursday 28th July

This year Passion Projects will be on books again, all students will be asked to make a presentation about their favourite book; this could be a story book, an author or a non-fiction book or subject. The presentation can take the form of a PowerPoint presentation, a book review or a poster. Students can dress up as a character or as the author but the main goal of the exercise is to speak for no more than 3 minutes about your book. Students have more than 6 weeks to prepare their presentation, and hopefully this could be a winter holidays’ task. This is a fun project that gives students a chance to practice their speaking and listening skills as well as sharing their interests with others.

All students will present a Passion Project of their own choice, the presentation needs to go for about 2 to 3 minutes, and some example topics could be Harry Potter books, a Paul Jennings story, a book about trucks, Australian animal information, science fiction, Australian Explorers. Etc. This is a home project, whilst we love parents to help source materials we would like students to do their own preparation. Each classroom will be covering public speaking skills and I have attached some tips for a great presentation. Public speaking can be challenging for some but a great achievement for all, please support your child with this venture.

Sal Phillips

All students will present to parents in multi–age family groups, so keep 11:30-1:30 pm free on Thursday 28th July.
Passion Projects - tips for a great presentation

Here are some ideas for students to keep in mind when they are preparing and practicing their Passion Project.

**Preparedness**
Student is prepared and has obviously rehearsed.

**Posture and Eye Contact**
Student stands up straight, looks relaxed and confident. Establishes eye contact with audience during the presentation.

**Stays on Topic**
Stays on topic all of the time.

**Volume**
Volume is loud enough to be heard by all audience throughout the presentation.

**Enthusiasm**
Facial expressions and body language generate interest and enthusiasm about the topic.

**Props**
Student uses props that show work/creativity and which make the presentation better. This might be the book, a poster or a photo, etc.
WEAR WHITE! WE WILL HAVE UV LIGHTING - GLOWARE AVAILABLE

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June 24th

5.30 - 7.30PM | Prep to Yr 7 | $6

Yea Shire Hall

27 High Street, Yea

Contact Leading Senior Constable Jane Marks 5735 0205

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Please Ask Your Parents To Like The Page If You Are Under 13

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