F/2P Adam
• My writing goal is to say the word out loud to hear the sounds and to use full stops.

F/2B Dustin
• My writing goal is to write with bigger letters and to use full stops.

2S Indi
• My writing goal is to write a procedural text and include title, materials list and method.

3M Hayden
• My writing goal is to use lowercase p’s in the correct place.

4/5F Taj
• My learning goal is to use quotation marks in the correct place.

5/6U Shayla
• My writing goal is to put question marks in the correct place.

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
There has been a lot of illness with students and teachers over the last few weeks so the long weekend was certainly appreciated by all. I hope everyone had a relaxing time.

**Writing/Reading Information night**
An interested group of parents attended the Reading and Writing information session on Thursday night. The key to success in anything is practice and this was an important message shared by Sal, Miss Bennett and Mrs Cronk to the parents. Listening to your child read should be an enjoyable experience as you support them to think about the words and content of the text read. I hear many students read and enjoy their enthusiasm and comments they make about the text as we are enjoying a story. A team effort between home and school will enable your child to achieve at a greater level.

**Tropical Dress up Day**
The SRC ran their first fund raiser last Friday to raise money for Fiji. Many students enjoyed the opportunity to dress up and support others. The amount raised was $170.00, thank you to everyone who donated.

**2016 Shopping Tour**
Jo is busy planning the Shopping Tour for 2016. On Saturday 15th October we will be heading to Melbourne to many factory outlets to shop particularly for Christmas. The shops visited will be varied and suit all needs. Come along and join us for a fun day out. Please put this date in your diary and get your name and deposit of $50.00 to Jo. The deposit is non refundable.

**Pavers Replaced**
Thank you to Richard, Dean, Aaron and John who worked together on Friday to remove and begin the job of replacing the pavers near the sand pit as they were very dangerous. Also thank you to Lachie White who brought his Bobcat along which saved many hours of back breaking work. The reason discovered for the drop in the pavers was an old tree stump that had been paved over had started to decay and thus the pavers in one area had moved quite a lot.

This is the last newsletter for Term 1. We wish all our families a happy Easter and a relaxing holiday.

*** Thursday 24th March is a Pupil Free Day. Teachers will be working with Michelle Hutchison to extend their understanding of her spelling method, Smart Spelling***

Thanks,

Deb

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**Values Award**

**WANTED**

Any overgrown zucchinis or strange looking vegetables for the Harvest Picnic tomorrow. Please drop anything you have into the school office as soon as possible.

Riley

For showing initiative and supporting his classmates!
Library News

It is lovely to see lots of children using our school library during Monday and Wednesday lunchtimes. Children can read books or play board and card games.

Unfortunately, the quality and quantity of our games is quite sad and tatty. If anyone has some spare games at home collecting dust, the library would gladly take them off your hands.

It is nearly the end of term and there will be no more book borrowing until term 2. Could all borrowed books be returned before the end of term.

Thank you.

Community Food Table

FREE or BY DONATION

Fresh Produce every Wednesday & Thursday!

@ Yea Library Foyer
9:30-4pm

Bring in your excess garden produce!
Monday 21st March
Yea Primary School
All students will be involved in multi-aged groups
Wear Rainbow colours on the day.
Little Wing Puppets will be performing at 2:15pm
“A Little Bit of Blue”
**NET SET GO – 2016**

Net Set Go is a netball skilled based program for 5-10 year old school children. We run a program of basic ball skills, drills and modified matches.

**Cost:** $49 – includes 10 week program, Net Set Go Pack and membership to Netball Victoria

**Where:** Yea Recreation Reserve (netball court)

**When:** Wednesdays 3.45pm – 4.45pm
Starting **April 13** and concluding **June 15**
(There will be at least two Saturday sessions incorporated into the 10 weeks – dates will be advised at the first session)

**Co-ordinator:** Cindy Hayes 0429 772 011
temagong@bigpond.com

**REGISTRATION**

Registration and payment is now online for the convenience of parents.
Numbers are limited to 25 and payment must be made to confirm your child’s place.
Go to netsetgo.asn.au – find a club (Yea) and register.

*Registrations open on March 14 and will close on April 6.*

*Please remember that a parent or guardian needs to be in attendance for the duration of each session for insurance purposes. Please consider this before registering your child.*

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**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 3:30 to 4:30 pm, starting Wednesday 13th April 2016

**Where:** St Luke’s Church Hall.

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

**Fees:**

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 Clayten, co-ordinator

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**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)

**CO ORDINATOR:**

**TATE MCGILLIVRAY**

**0417 556 376**

Email: reservations@tartanmotel@bigpond.com

**REGISTER ONLINE NOW: www.auskick.com**
TWILIGHT MARKET

SATURDAY 19TH MARCH
High Street YEA

Featuring Live Band
4 pm - 10 pm
BLACKHILLS RAMBLERS
Gold Coin Donations Appreciated

- Market stalls
- Wine, Beer & Cider stalls
- Food stalls
- Raffle prizes
- Bushrodders main street cruising & display
- Trade stalls
- Kids face painting
BLUE LIGHT
FRIDAY, 18TH MARCH
YEA SHIRE HALL
27 HIGH ST, YEA
5.30 - 7.30PM (PREP-GRADE 6) | 8-10PM (YEAR 7 TO 12)
COST $6
CONTACT: LEADING SENIOR CONSTABLE JANE MARKS 5735 0205

KINGLAKE RANGES BLUE LIGHT
ASK YOUR PARENTS TO LIKE THE PAGE IF YOU ARE UNDER 13

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Live Music / Jam Session

Sunday 20th March, 2-6pm

New Caledonian Hotel, 64 High Street, Yea

Featuring local students, musicians and bands

Dear Parents,

Here is a chance to watch your child and other students perform in the beautiful courtyard and listen to some great music from my band and other talented musicians from around the area. Bring your friends and relatives for a great afternoon.

PA, AMP and drums supplied.

For further information contact Terry Redding 0427 312 561 or 5797 2710

LINE DANCING with Patricia
Introduction to line-dancing. Strictly for fun! 1 hr beginner to intermediate lessons. Mondays 6-7pm @ St Luke’s Hall Cost: $2 pp/class. To find out more call Patricia 5797 2368. Yea Community House: 5797 3070 / info@yeahouse.org.au

PILATES *****new instructor***** Learning to engage your core and increase flexibility, balance and joint mobility. Pilates builds strength, balance, pelvic stability, and long lean muscles, while preventing lower back pain, shoulder pain and hip dysfunction. It is fun and makes you feel great! For all ages and levels. Mats and equipment provided. Cost: $15/session (paid in 4 week block) $60 Where: Thursdays 9.15-10.15am (starting February 24th 2016) Book now!

HATHA YOGA—Join instructor Carol for HATHA YOGA incorporating Alexander Technique. Minimum of 4 participants needed to run When: Tuesday evenings Block 1: 4 week block starting 2 Feb, ending 23 Feb $48, Block 2: 4 week block starting 1 Mar ending 22 Mar $48 (or pay for 8 weeks $96) Venue: Yea Community House

VINYASA YOGA—Melissa leads a vinyasa power flow yoga that incorporates slower yin style holds towards the end of class, leading into a healing savasana to finish. The classes are designed to be fun, promote healing and improve strength, flexibility and mobility. Where: Under the peppercorn trees @ Yea Railway Park When: Thursday 10.30am Cost: $15 session (60 for a 4 week block)

POWER PALS—Live Longer Live Stronger
Join Power Pals strength based training to find out how to improve your everyday movement and mobility. Date/Time: 5 classes per week Tue & Thur 8am and 9am and Sat 8am Cost: $2/session. Venue: Pioneer Reserve Contact: Sandra 5797 2756 ***there may be some interruptions to classes due to renovations***

‘WALKIE TALKIES’—Walking Group
Meet people and stretch your legs with the Heart Foundation Walking Group in Yea. Meet at the Yea Community House. Date/Time: Mondays 9.15 – 10.15am during school terms Cost: Free Contact: Bridget Clarke at Yea and District Memorial Hospital on 5736 0479

GROUP TRAINING SESSIONS—Monday, Wednesday & Friday 6.30am-7.30am Group Training sessions Monday and Friday 9.15am –10.15am Core Stability Sessions—Tuesdays 5.30-6.30pm Sessions are for all fitness levels and cost is $15 per session. Sessions include boxing, weights, cardio, circuits and you are guaranteed to have fun! Contact Claire: 0432 144 755

Term 1 2016: 27 January to 24 March