Dates to Remember

April
18th Sporting Schools Starts
25th ANZAC DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY
27th Gr 3-6 Cross Country at Eldon
   Tuning into Kids 9.15am –11.15am

May
2nd Sporting Schools
   School Council
4th Mother’s Day Stall
   Tuning into Kids 9.15am –11.15am
9th Bookfair
   Sporting Schools
10th Bookfair

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

Term 2 SRC Reps

02B Jemma and Lachlan
02P Chloe and Cody
2SS Mia and Bailey
3M Chloe and Locklan
45F Kiera-Lee and Aaron
56U Zoee and Angus

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 by emailing 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 Joseph, Business Manager
We have returned to Yea PS for Term 2 and are enjoying beautiful autumn weather. Everyone seems very refreshed and the students have lots of stories to share about their holidays. As always we have a busy term planned and we are looking forward to continue sharing your child’s learning journey.

**Primary Care Connect** is running a Free six session “emotion coaching” program for parents and carers of children aged 2 – 12 years. In this program you will learn how to communicate with your child, understand your child’s needs and emotions, help your child learn to manage their emotions and have the tools to help manage your child’s behaviour. This program will start Wednesday 27th April from 9.15 to 11.15 in the multipurpose room. There is always something we can learn to make parenting easier please consider attending and bring along any friends and family.

**Welcome**

Congratulations to Jonathan and Sarah Fisher on the safe arrival of baby Esmè. She is a beautiful baby and apart from lack of sleep all is well!

I would like to welcome Esther Coad to our school community. Esther has just arrived in Yea and has offered to work at our school as a volunteer. She will be working in the junior rooms with Sal and Miss Bennett who are looking forward to her assistance.

**School Photos**

All school photos were taken today. If you did not return your envelope this can still be done on line by midnight tonight any later will cost an additional $10. If you have concerns please contact Creative Exposures on 5255 5042.

**Sporting Schools**

Sporting Schools begins on Monday 18th April and the students will be enjoying table tennis and soccer with Terry after a healthy afternoon tea. This sport has become very popular with a lot of practise taking place at recess and lunchtime. Forms are available at the office and must be filled in for each term. At the moment here are plenty of places available for Monday and Friday lunchtime.

**Yea High School**

Jaylin and Francis from Yea HS will be running sporting activities for students in Grades 5 & 6 every day next week from 1.40 to 2.10pm.

**Gardening**

I realise everyone is very busy but the garden at the front of the school needs some urgent weeding. If you have some spare time and would like to support the school please contact me. A regular group of 3-4 people will able to keep this area under control and this would be very much appreciated.

**Walking/Running Group**

Everyone is welcome to walk and or run on Monday afternoon at 4.30 after Sporting Schools. We will meet at the Railway Reserve and make use of the Rail Trail. It will be a good way to start the week. See you there!!

Thanks,

Deb

Thank you to Leisl Gaetano and Declan Ingham for donating some books to the F/1 area.
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- Grandparents Day on May 13th.
- Mother’s Day on May 8th.
- Bookfair on May 9th.
- NAPLAN Bookfair on May 10th.
- NAPLAN on May 12th.
- Boite Choir Rehearsal 1-3pm at YPS on May 21st.
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- Walk to School Day on May 20th.
- Regional Cross Country on May 15th.
- Queens Birthday Public Holiday on June 12th.
- Parent Open Forum 2.15pm on June 14th.
- QANTUM Foundation, Half of 1/2 and Gr 3 Sub Finance 2.30pm on June 2nd.
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- Foundation 2017 Information Night on May 5th.
Monday 25th April 2016
Yea Primary School Fundraiser – Catering at the RSL

It is that time of the year again when Yea Primary School supports our local RSL branch with catering for the Anzac Day Service.

So..................We need your help!!

Please indicate what you can do to support on this special day;

☐ I can provide a round of sandwiches (1 loaf)

☐ I can provide a cake or slice

☐ I can help on the day, serving tea/coffee & washing up, start at 11am and finish by approx 2pm

Name: ____________________________

Phone No: ____________________________

Food:
Please indicate what you will be able to provide;

Sandwiches: Quantity ____________ Variety: __________________

Cake: Quantity ____________ Variety: __________________

Slice: Quantity ____________ Variety: __________________

Please text Kylie Warren on 0427 895421 or email through to warbe@bigpond.net.au.

Thank you so much - Your help is appreciated!!!
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
**LIBRARY NEWS**

Thank you to Charlie Madden's grandmother, Ivy Tranter for her kind donation, which has allowed us to purchase new games for the library. The children are looking forward to their arrival, which should be sometime next week.

Thank you also to the ladies who have offered to cover new books and to Jasper Dalziel for donating one of his games.

The library will be purchasing new books throughout the year. If there is a particular book or series of books that you or your child would like us to stock, please record it on the list in the library.

Beth

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**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!

Any further questions please contact either Jo or Fiona in the office - 5797 2724
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!
Live Music / Jam Session
Sunday 17th April, 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

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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.
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

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START DATE

FRIDAY 15th APRIL 2016
EVERY FRIDAY 3.30pm to 4.30pm
YEAL RECREATION OVAL

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

CO ORDINATOR:
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