

Yandoit Primary School

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'Learning and Growing Together'
Be Respectful Be a Responsible Learner
Be Honest and Trustworthy

Be Caring and Compassionate Be a Good Citizen

CALENDAR

September

Monday 16th

- Circus Skills workshop 4 Yandoit

Wednesday 18th (**NOTE Change in date to Wed**)

- Rotary Concert –Hepburn Shire Schools' Music Concert
- Daylesford Town Hall 6-7.30
- School Council meeting cancelled

Friday 20th

- Working Bee 9-10.30
- Final Day for Term 3
- Early Dismissal 2:30pm.

(School Holidays)

Wednesday 25th

- Slow Food 'What Food means to Me'
- Schools' Film Night
- Rex Theatre Daylesford

October

Monday 7th October

- First Day of Term 2

PUPIL FREE DAYS

Wed 20th Nov, Fri 6th Dec

School Term Dates 2013

Term 3 Tue 16th July – Fri 20th Sept

Term 4 Mon 7th Oct – Fri 20th Dec

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

I was very interested in the media article last week, reinforcing something that we have known in education for a long while. The article went onto to say...*Reading together still important after school, expert says. Parents who stop reading to their children once they reach primary school are missing out on an emotionally rich time, a literacy expert has said. Comments from Professor Bridie Raban, at the University of Melbourne's Graduate School of Education, come as a Galaxy poll of 1200 Australian parents found that just 23 per cent of parents read to their child every day.*



Our World of Maths celebrations were a great success. All our students visited the gym and took part in the problem solving activities. Our Maths Specialists have been putting the 'Spotlight on Maths' across the

school and I would like to thank them for the planning that went into allowing us to offer the World of Maths Roadshow. Well done Frances, Karen and Liss.



Thank you to all the parents who joined us on Wednesday night at the 'World of Maths' parent session. The pamphlet you received 'Spotlight on Maths' which was prepared by our Maths Specialists, clearly outlines the areas that we have been focusing on across the school. It offered many great ideas and tips on how parents can put the spot light on Maths through everyday activities.



We are looking forward to the Rotary Concert next week at the Town Hall. The Grade 5/6 advanced marimba group will be playing, as well as Yandoit Annexe Choir.

This is my final call for Prep enrolments for 2014.

A Reminder that we are finishing at 2.30pm next Friday for term holidays.

Peter Burke.

ROTARY CONCERT WEDNESDAY 17TH SEPT

The Rotary Schools Concert will be held next Wednesday 18th September at the Daylesford Town Hall at 6-7.30.

The students need to arrive around 5.50 and will meet Mrs R and be seated in the audience downstairs. The students will sit with Mrs R so parents are welcome to sit at the back of the schools area or up in the balcony.

Costume – black T-shirt/jumper/jacket, black jeans, tracksuit pants, football scarf and beanie. Students from BOITE CHOIR to wear Coco de Mer t-shirt

If you have any extra AFL beanies and scarves, could you send these along on Monday, as some children need a scarf, hat or both.

ANNEXES CIRCUS SKILLS AT YANDOIT

Our final Circus Skills Workshop will be held on Monday 16th September at Yandoit PS. Drummond students and teachers will travel over to spend the final session with us.

ELECTION DAY FUNDRAISER

Sausage Sizzle and Bake Sale Saturday 7th September

We would like to thank everyone for their help with baking, setting up on Friday after school, organizing the wood raffle, working the BBQ, the Bake sale and Coffees as well as packing up at the end of the day.

The weather was kind to us, although there appeared to be less attending Yandoit PS to vote in comparison to previous years.

However, the wood raffle made \$ \$117.50 and Sharon Treloar and Dave Lewis were the winners.

The BBQ and Bake Sale made approx

\$ 300 (after expenses).

WORKING BEE

On the last morning of the last day of term we have been having a working be to tidy up in and around the classrooms. (9-10.30)

If you can spare some time on Fri then that would be great.

CURRENT FOCUS

*Integrity – Being
Honest and
Trustworthy*

BUILDING NESTING BOXES



Thankyou Richard for collecting empty logs in order to help the children to build nesting boxes this week.



STUDENTS AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES



Get On Board the Community Bus

The community bus travels to Glenlyon on Fridays and will soon go to Yandoit on Thursdays and to Trentham on Wednesdays. It arrives in Daylesford at 10.30 and leaves at 1pm.

You will be picked up at your home and can choose from 4 stops in Daylesford. A gold coin donation is requested.

Bookings are ESSENTIAL - call 1300 44 35 34 before 5pm two days before. **Everyone is welcome!**

Where	When	Book before 5pm
Musk/ Bullarto/ Trentham	Wednesdays	Monday
Yandoit/ Franklinford/ Clydesdale	Thursdays	Tuesday
Wheatsheaf/ Glenlyon/ Denver	Fridays	Wednesday

DAYLESFORD LIBRARY

SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

Holiday Fun @ Daylesford Library

Circus Dogs

**Wednesday
25th September
@ 11.30am**

Come see the cutest, cleverest poodles in this high energy, action packed comedy show.
Suitable for ages 4-12

Free event, spaces are limited please book at the Library or on 5348 2800



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Holiday Fun @ Daylesford Library



**Tuesday
1st October
@ 2.30pm**

Build & decorate your own wooden Birdhouse!

Suitable for ages 4-12

Free event, spaces are limited please book at the Library or on 5348 2800.



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Baby Rhyme Time Tuesdays at 11.30
Preschool Storytime Weds at 2.30pm &
Thursday at 11.30am continue as normal.

YMCA Ballarat/ Ballarat Roller Derby League

FUN SKATE SESSION

Saturday 14th September 2013

Delacombe Stadium 1pm – 4pm.

\$10 per person includes skate hire and 3 hours of skating.

Kiosk Operating Ages 4 +

Skating lessons available (Bookings essential)

Contact Stacey 0434 743 993

DAYLESFORD JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB

Presentation night
SUNDAY 15th September

Town Hall, 2.00pm

PLEASE BRING GAME DAY JUMPER

AGM : Monday 18th Nov. 2013

Daylesford Bowling Club, 7.00pm

Election of Office Bearers + Committee

All Positions Vacant

All Members and interested parties welcome and encourage to attend.

Sprung Circus Holiday Camp for Acrobatic Fanatics!

2nd, 3rd, 4th of October, 2013.
10-1pm each day.

Balance, handstands, minitramp, tumbling, unicycles, stilts.

2 experienced coaches - these workshops will accommodate beginners through to high level
8 - 25 yrs At the Arc. Smith Street, Daylesford
call 0477499342 to book!

Spring School Holiday Craft Workshops

Threadneedle Craft will hold craft workshops for school children once again during the school holidays.

This time we thought we would help you prepare for Christmas with a number of different decorations to be made. The workshops will include beading, papercraft and beginners sewing to inspire kids' creativity. A full program can be downloaded from www.threadneedle.com.au.

Workshops will be held at Threadneedle Craft, 2/52A Vincent Street, Daylesford. Class sizes will be limited, so it we recommend that you book in advance.

Please contact Merrilyn Sim on Ph. 5348 4277 for enquiries or for bookings.



STEAM TRAINS FOR KIDS

Family Railway Fun

MALDON STATION

Sat/Sun: October 5 / 6

Steam Trains depart 10.30am, 12 noon & 1.30pm

Train Rides – Steam & Diesel

Animal Farm. Model Railway.

Clown on board. Novelty Rides. Fun Games. Sausage Sizzle.

Horse Cart Rides

Join the Fun From 10.00am

Great Family Day

PH: 54706658 www.vgr.com.au

Adults \$25. Child (2-15) \$15.

Family \$75 (2 adults+ 2-3ch'n)

On line Booking Discounts.

SATURDAY MORNING JUNIOR TENNIS COMP
Mt. Prospect Jnr Tennis Association, situated in Creswick – offering a Jnr comp throughout Term 4, 2013 & Term 1, 2014 (total 16 weeks plus finals).

9am – 12 noon. (approx.. \$30-35, includes registration & club membership) + ball fees of \$5 for each week played.

Enq. Tulsa Andrews 0400 299 882.

Simply Music Piano Lessons: A revolutionary, Australian-developed piano learning method that offers a breakthrough in music education. This remarkable approach has students of all ages playing great-sounding contemporary, classical, gospel, blues and accompaniment pieces - immediately - from their very first lessons. 6 - 8 year olds starting this month. Please contact Georgina Williams at Bridport Studios for more information, 53481575.