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Yandoit State 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

CALENAR
August
September
Wednesday 9th September
Fundraising meeting 9-10.30
Return Fundraising Help Note
No School Council in September
Saturday 12th
Working Bee 10-12
Family BBQ 12 -2 Sausage sizzle provided
Please bring a salad or dessert to share
Wednesday 16th September
Rotary Schools Concert at Daylesford Town Hall   6-7pm
Friday 18th September
Last day of Term 3 Early Dismissal -2.30pm

October
Saturday 24th
Swiss-Italian Festa Parade
Yandoit Gourmet Sausage Sizzle Fundraiser
Sunday 25th
Swiss-Italian Festa Fireworks
Yandoit Sausage Sizzle Fundraiser

School Term Dates 2015

CRICKET WITH MR COMBER
PREP ENROLMENTS FOR 2016 NOW DUE

CURRENT FOCUS

Integrity
(Being Honest and Trustworthy)

We can be regarded as a person who has integrity through what we do and say. Our integrity can be clearly seen by our conduct, how we work and how we interact with other people both at school and at home.

Some of the qualities that people demonstrate when they have integrity:

- Honesty
- Being fair
- Keeping your commitments
- Accept responsibility for actions
- Being trustworthy
- Showing respect

Being a person of integrity is something we all want to be. These qualities will be evident in our play, when we are working with others in class, at home and when we are involved in our wider community.

Some people say that integrity means: ‘who you are when no-one is watching’

David Garner.

SWISS-ITALIAN FESTA FUNDRAISER MEETING

Meeting Wednesday 9th September
9-10.30
Please return Fundraising Help Note by Wednesday

PRINCIPALS REPORT

The Goldfields Athletics were conducted at Llanberris Reserve on Monday (third time lucky). Our students competed with determination and a terrific sense of sportsmanship. Many personal best times and distances were achieved and a large number of students advanced through to the next level. The Divisional Athletics are next Friday the 11th September.

Our Pupil Free Day on Wednesday allowed the staff to engage in an excellent professional development called ‘Big Write’. The focus of the PD was on writing and how to teach writing. One of our school priorities is to improve writing outcomes within our students. The ‘Big Write’ approach is very engaging and the staff are excited about what the program can offer our school. More information about ‘Big Write’ will flow through to parents via the children and classroom teachers and we will be publishing relevant elements, so that parents are informed about the language and the approaches that occur within the program.

Peter Burke

GOLDFIELDS ATHLETICS

Finally, after two previous attempts to hold the Goldfields Athletic Events were cancelled due to weather, last Monday was finally weather friendly. Despite being overcast with a small amount of
drizzle during the early morning, the morning remained overcast which finally led to a pleasant sunny afternoon. This finally allowed students to compete in their events against students from other schools from the district which included Creswick, Clunes, St Michaels, St Augustine and the two Daylesford teams.

Throughout the day it was evident that students were giving their best effort while showing great sportsmanship and team work. I must congratulate students who showed leadership and initiative when it came to filling in for others. This was evident in the way students were able to support each other by filling in field events and relay teams they were not initially chosen for. Well done all.

Finally, I must congratulate all students for their efforts and extend a further congratulation to those students who have made it through to the District Athletic Meeting which will be held next Friday 11th of September at Llanberris. I wish all those students all the very best as they compete against other schools from the surrounding Ballarat district.

On final note; I want to thank all the staff and parents who attended and helped during the day. This again makes the day a success and allows students to participate in a fun and enjoyable day.

Thanking you
Andrew Kiellerup
Sport Co-Ordinator Daylesford PS, Drummond and Yandoit Annexes

Well Done Lenny!!

BOOK CLUB

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Final day for orders is Thursday 10th September. Payment must be made at the time of ordering, either by credit card, cheque made out to Yandoit Primary School, or cash.