



Wandin Yallock News



A TRADITION OF CARING & EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION

TERM 2

18th May 2017

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TERM PLANNER			
MAY		Notices Sent Out	Due Back
Fri. 19 th	Year 3-6 Cross Country	Camps, Sports, Excursion Fund Application	30/6/17
	Year F-2 Photo Trail (POSTPONED)	Essential Education Items Payment	31/3/17
Tues. 23 rd	Mont De Lancey Visitors		
Wed. 24 th	Yarra Valley FM		
Mon. 29 th	School Nurse Visit		
	3D Arts INK workshop		
Tues. 30 th	Mont De Lancey Visitors		
JUNE			
Thurs.1 st	F-2 Students to Mont De Lancey		
	Year 6 Leadership Day at Yarra Hills		
Fri. 2 nd	Year 5/6 Aussie Sports Expo		
Mon. 5 th	3D Arts INK workshop		
Tues. 6 th	Mont De Lancey Visitors		
Fri. 9 th	Curriculum Day (No Students required at school)		
Mon. 12 th	Queen's Birthday Holiday		

Creativity, Achievement, Respect, Integrity, Nurture, Growth

Dear students, parents and friends,

It's been another busy week at Wandin Yallock with lots of extra curricular activities happening around the school, helping to create a vibrant and exciting learning environment for our students. To start the week the students were very excited to welcome back Cale and Collette from 3D Arts who will be running our school production for us this year. The production called 'Ink!' is going to be spectacular and very different to what we have done previously, giving the students a broader experience in different aspects of the performing arts. The students began learning some choreography and hearing a little bit about what the play is about. Our performance is still a long way off but tell your family and friends to keep Monday 18th September free in your diaries because you will not want to miss it.



Continuing the performance theme today, all students experienced an amazing cultural indigenous dance incursion. Mat the presenter was very engaging and had all students on their feet learning aboriginal dance moves. Students learnt how indigenous people represent the actions and movement of animals through their various dance.

The cross country for Year 3-6 students is planned for Friday and provides an opportunity for students to either enjoy a relaxed run/walk or a competitive challenge. All students are expected to participate, even those not wishing to compete, as it forms part of our PE program and helps build fitness and stamina required for other sports or simply a healthy lifestyle. Thanks to the parents who have volunteered to help out, however, we still need a few more to be marshals at the cross country. If you can help please call the office.

Unfortunately, the F-2 photo trail event has been postponed due the forecasted rain. At this stage the cross country will still go ahead unless it is really heavily raining. Students are advised to bring spare warm dry clothes to wear after the event should they get wet.

If you were at assembly this week, you would have heard me talk about how wonderful our students are at showing nurture towards each other. Before school on Monday, one of our young Foundation students hurt his finger on the playground and was quite upset. What I witnessed on yard duty was a group of 10-15 students from all year levels gather around this student, comforting him and escorting him to the office for first aide. This is just one of many, regular examples of our students supporting each other and demonstrating our CARING values without a second thought. Congratulations Wandin Yallock students, you truly are amazing and make Wandin Yallock a great welcoming, friendly and safe school for all.

Finally, a very huge thankyou to Bree Woolf and Paul King for their time and assistance last Thursday collecting resources and other equipment from Yellingbo PS. Paul also gave up most of his Saturday afternoon collecting more equipment. Your help is greatly appreciated.

Have a great weekend.

Trevor Vass
Principal



Last week's award recipients

OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENTS



JACK D.

5/6M

Jack can be very proud of the outstanding effort he is making every day at school to improve his learning outcomes in every aspect of school life! Jack's determination to achieve his best is evident in the way he makes such good use of class time, setting to work immediately on a given task. Jack loves to help out: he arrives at school bright and early and is always happy to help teachers with various jobs that need to be done. Jack has demonstrated high levels of integrity, and Farmer Graham loves Jack's self-motivation when working in the farm. At Mont de Lancy this week, visiting teachers commented on the outstanding manner in which Jack represented our school! Jack-you are fantastic and it is wonderful to see your leadership skills really begin to shine!

French News

The French room is looking for donations of empty cereal boxes s'il vous plait. Any donations can be sent to the office or delivered directly to the French room, merci.

LIBRARY NEWS

Our library is looking fabulous thanks to the hard work of dedicated library volunteer, Nicole Hartley. Nicole, mother of Ethan in 1/2S, has spent many hours stacking and tidying shelves, cataloguing new books and sorting through donated items. Thanks to Nicole we will have many new books on our shelves and a more user friendly borrowing system. Both staff and students are very appreciative of Nicole's time and efforts. Thank you Nicole!

The Premier's Reading Challenge has gotten off to a fabulous start at Wandin Yallock, with many students registering and listing completed books. Remember, P/1/2 students need to read or experience 30 books and 3-6 students 15 books. Some of these books must come from the Challenge list which can be found on the web site. Our school library has many of the list books on our shelves, which can be identified by a sticker on the back saying PREMIER'S READING CHALLENGE.

Keep reading everybody!



Our school is participating in Redgum Book Club this term and the catalogues will be sent home this week. This is their largest catalogue to date, with over 415 new titles and products.

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- **Welcome to Country** - Aunty Joy Murphy
- **No Longer a Wandering Spirit** - Aunty Phyllis Andy and Sharon Huebner
- **Return of the Firestick** - Dave Wandin
- **First 1000 Days - The social and cultural determinants of Aboriginal health** - Professor Kerry Arabena

LIGHT
REFRESHMENTS
PROVIDED



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