



Wandin Yallock News



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TERM 3

14th July 2016

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TERM PLANNER			
JULY		Notices Sent Out	Due Back
Tues. 19 th	Graduation Committee Meeting 2.30pm	Book Club Flyers	29/7/16
Wed. 27 th	Practice Prep Session 2.30-3.30pm	Bright Star Fundraiser	
Fri. 29 th	Grade 1/2 Hooptime	Flyer	
AUGUST			
Fri. 5 th	Grade 3/4 Hooptime		
Tues. 9 th	YVFM		
Wed. 10 th	Whole School Mini Olympics		
	Meetings: Finance 5.30pm/Education 5.30pm/ School Council 6.30pm		
Fri. 12 th	Grade 5/6 Hooptime		
Wed.17 th -Tues.23 rd	Book Fair		
Wed. 24 th	Practice Prep Session 2.30-3.30pm		
Thurs. 25 th	Mont De Lancey Visitors		
Tues. 30 th	Mont De Lancey Visitors		

Creativity, Achievement, Respect, Integrity, Nurture, Growth

Dear students, parents and friends,

Welcome back for another term of learning together. Despite the freezing weather, the students have returned fresh and full of energy for the term ahead.

At the start of this term we have welcomed three new students into our school community. We look forward to getting to know Angus, Abbey and Michelle and the rest of the Farrelly family as they continue their learning journey at Wandin Yallock.

Over the last two nights we have held the three way conferences with most families attending. The beginning of Term 3 is a great opportunity to reflect on the learning growth achieved so far this year and set new goals for the remainder of the year. If you were unable to attend this week, I do encourage you to contact your child's teacher to arrange another suitable time as these meetings are vitally important to continued learning growth.

Thanks to the small group of volunteers - parents and students - who ran our Election Day sausage sizzle over the holidays. After selling out of sausages three times, we managed to raise about \$810 for the school. Thanks also to the families who made cakes and slices. They were very popular and sold quickly.

After reviewing the Community Time initiative late last term, we have revamped the program for the beginning of this term. Community Time still remains an opportunity to connect with each other in a meaningful way by getting to know and understand each other and build important social skills at the same time. It's designed to strengthen the already wonderful community we have at Wandin Yallock PS. This term, Community Time activities will revolve around four key themes: team challenges, getting to know and understand each other, getting moving and active to start the day and mindfulness. This time is an important part of the learning for the day and therefore students need to be at school on time so they can fully participate and grow in this area of their personal and social development. The School Council approved start to the school day is 8.50am, so students who arrive after this time will be recorded as late. Each class has their plans for community time on display in their windows for students and parents to see. Our Monday morning assembly has moved to 8.50am on Monday so that the whole school can come together and celebrate together as a community. Our senior students will be having greater involvement in assemblies as the year progresses.

Finally, Term 3 means the annual School Concert - always a highlight of the year. Staff met this week to decide upon a theme for this year and will no doubt be working with classes very soon to begin the creative process of writing and choreographing their class performances. After last year's very successful production with a youth theatre, we have decided to return to the previous format where our concert evening is produced 'in house' by our teachers and students. Once again all students will be heavily involved and will be given the chance to highlight their talents. Parents will again be encouraged to get involved behind the scenes; we will let you know how you can do this later in the term. As always, it's certain to be a great event.

Remember, our classroom and office doors are always open if you have any questions or concerns. We love hearing from our community.

Have a great weekend and stay warm!

Trevor Vass
Principal

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GRADUATION COMMITTEE MEETING

The next Graduation Committee meeting will be on Tuesday 19th July 2.30pm in the staffroom. Hope to see you there.

FUNDRAISING NEWS

Thank you to all our volunteers on Election Day and to those who helped tidy up after the event. \$810 was a great result from only selling sausages and cakes.

We have 2 new fundraisers happening now, as well as our continual sale of Entertainment books and Lisa Angus Photography vouchers.

A family of our school has offered tubs of Raw Extracted Honey for sale with a percentage of profits being given to school. Prices are in the poster below. Just come to the office or fill in the form below.

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Honey Sales

Yes I would like to purchase

	Number of tubs	Total
1kg Tub @ \$15	_____	_____
500g Tub @ \$8	_____	_____
	Total enclosed	\$ _____
		(cash only)

Name: _____

Child's Grade: _____



Bright Star Kids

Fundraiser www.brightstarkids.com.au

Are you tired of lost jumpers, containers and drink bottles at school?

We've got the answer.....Why not log onto the bright star kids website and order your name labels for your children's belongings.

Invest in some sticky and iron on labels and think of the money you'll save when your children's property no longer goes missing!

A flyer has been sent home with this newsletter.

BE SURE TO NOMINATE WANDIN YALLOCK PS IN THE PAYMENT AREA WHEN YOU CHECKOUT, so we can raise funds for our school.

Why not see if your friends, sister or sister-in-law wants to order for their children?

Yarra Valley Emergency Services

invite you to ...

Teenage Road Information Program

Heritage Funeral Homes
Healesville - Koo Wee Rup Rd
Woori Yallock

Wednesday 3rd August 2016
6.30pm for 7.00pm start

RSVP / Enquiries to:
yarra.valley.trip@gmail.com

This program gives an in-depth insight into what happens to road crash victims and the aftermath from injuries and fatalities.

It is designed to be a hard hitting presentation and is delivered by the presenters who have lived through their own experiences and emergency service personnel who attend the crash scene and experience the devastation caused.



Warburton / Yarra Junction, Woori Yallock & Healesville
Community Bank Branches of **Bendigo Bank**

