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The Newsletter of Yellingbo Primary School

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Principal's Message

Student Free Day

I know that some people find the idea of student free days difficult to deal with, but they are really important for teachers; they give us an opportunity to get stuck into professional learning for a day without interruption.

Next Monday will be our second student free day for the year (the first was the day before school started in January). On Monday Carolyn and I will be involved in a range of planning activities at school in the morning, and then visiting Wonga Park Primary School in the afternoon - along with staff from Don Valley Primary. Wonga Park have an excellent Challenge Based Learning program, which is what we are basing our combined work with Don Valley on. The opportunity to see the Wonga Park program in action will greatly enhance our ability to run a valuable program for our students.

Welcome to another Yellingbo Baby

Crystal Keating doesn't mess about with long labours, apparently. Almost as soon as we heard that she was on the way to hospital to have her baby on Tuesday, we were hearing that the baby was born. Tyler and Ryan have a new baby brother, Casey. From the looks of the photos I have seen, all are well and happy. Congratulations.

Open Night

Our second open night will be held next Tuesday (2nd June) from 5.30 – 7.00 pm. We have delivered

CALENDAR

May 2015

Friday 29 th	Year 5 & 6 Aussie Sports Day.
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June 2015

Monday 1 st	Curriculum Day- no students at school.
Tuesday 2 nd	School Open Night 5.30-7pm
Friday 5 th	4,5,6 Winter Sports.
Monday 8 th	Queen's Birthday holiday
Friday 19 th	Yellingbo PS Trivia Night 7pm
Friday 26 th	Last day of Term – early dismissal 2:30pm.

July 2015

Monday 13 th	First day of Term 3
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NOTICES SENT HOME

Notice	Due Back
Bunnings BBQ	ASAP

many invitations and fliers to the surrounding preschools and look forward to seeing some new faces in our little school.

Parents are welcome to come along and join us as we talk to visitors and show them around the school. The more positive people we have here to win over visitors, the better.

Sandy Walter will be cooking up a storm in the kitchen with some delicious pizzas on the go.

Aussie Sports Day

Last week it was the P – 2 students off to the Photo Trail event. This Friday we have the year 5 and 6

students involved in the Aussie Sports Day. This is an opportunity to try something that they may not have tried before, such as lawn bowls, aerobics, kayaking, break dancing, Zumba, juggling, pool or racquetball. I hope they enjoy the day.

Trivia Night Request

Jo Hardy needs help. No, she hasn't "lost it", but she does need some volunteers to assist her on the Trivia Night. There are lots of things to do: selling raffle tickets, assisting with the auction, all kinds of things. If you are willing to help out on June 19th, please let Jo know as soon as possible.

Have a good week,

Rick.

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK



Tray	For concentrating all week on his work!
Riley	For his great detail in writing, insight when reading & problem solving in maths. No stopping you Riley!

Notices on our Noticeboard
Outside the Office

- Upper Yarra Secondary College Newsletter.
- Yarra Ranges Athletics Cross Country Open Day.