

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

February

Friday 24th

- P-6 Excursion to Daylesford PS
- Grades 3-6 Swimming Sports Daylesford Town pool. Transport by bus.
- Grades P-2 Activities at Daylesford PS

March

Monday 6th March (**Sorry!!! Final Change of Date**)

- Working Bee 2pm – 5 pm
- Family BBQ 5pm (Provided by School Council)
- Bring a salad or dessert to share

Wednesday 8th

- Performance by Yandoit PS Choir 11am
- Franklinford CFA Morning Coffee
- Yandoit Hall 10-12 noon

Monday 13th

- Labour Day Holiday

Wednesday 15th

- Parent-Teacher Interviews. Note in Newsletter

Monday 20th

- School Assembly 3. 3:30pm

Tuesday 21st

- Cultural Day
- Excursion to Daylesford Primary School
- Transport by bus

Friday 24th

- Mrs R's Retirement BBQ at Yandoit PS
- 5pm
- Please bring a salad or dessert to share

Friday 31st March

- Last day of Term 1
- 2.30 Dismissal

Term 1 – Monday 30th January – Fri 31st March

Term 2 – Tuesday 18th April- Friday 30th June

Term 3 – Monday 17th July- Friday 22nd September

Term 4 – Monday 9th October – Fri 22nd December

EXCURSION TO DAYLESFORD PRIMARY SCHOOL

Date	Friday 24th Feb
Time	8.50 to be at school Bus departs at 9 Bus returns to Yandoit by 3.30
Cost	\$8 per student
P-2	Bring, play, lunch, lunch and a drink
3-6	bathers, towels, sunscreen, play, lunch and a drink.

School hats will be collected before departure.

Please note that students are not permitted to buy from the pool canteen and must sit in their House Groups. Parents are most welcome to attend, but are not able to sit in House groups with students.

Corinella	Kate, Lila
Sutton	Coco, Zac
Tipperary	Bella, Chloe, Jade, Charlie, Sam
Wyuna	Amber, Dante, Freya, Yuri

Play by the rules

“Playing Fairly” “Being a good Winner” “Being a good Loser” 34K DPS

We discussed this week and even played games where rules weren't explained clearly and then were. We discovered that it was very important that everyone understood the rules to a game and therefore everyone knew what was happening and most importantly, everyone participated and enjoyed what we were playing. So playing by the rules is important.

Be respectful and play safe! If you play by the rules, it will be fun for everyone. If you play by the rules you won't get hurt and that also means using the school equipment appropriately. Finally, if you include others there will be no arguments.

Zak Resuagan

Playing by the rules is important because:

No one gets hurt, it's more fun and you get to make more friends!

Things you need to do:

Have Fun! Play Fairly! Listen to the rules! Keep your hands, feet and objects to yourself!

Tamara Brooks

You should always play by the rules because it is safe and it shows you are a better role model for other people, definitely for the preps. I love playing by the rules, it is fun!

Dylan Gledhill

Play safely
Listen carefully to the rules
Agree on the same rules
Yes! You can play with me.

Be careful.
You can be part of our game.

Tell the rules to everyone playing.
Helps friendships.
Explain the rules to rules to your game.

Re explain the rules.
Use the playground equipment appropriately.
Let people play.
Enjoy!
Solve problems by talking.

Heidi Torrance

FAMILY WORKING BEE AND BBQ



I can't believe that I have muddled the date for our Working Bee and Family BBQ AGAIN!!!

At our Unit meeting last Monday, we were going over our meeting timetable for the term and discovered that both Jose and Nicole are at a meeting for the new Victorian curriculum next Monday 27th Feb. As the plan for the afternoon was for Jose and Nicole to be familiar with the work associated with planning a working bee, then they really need to be there,

I trust that this has inconvenienced you all working. We will need to move it forward to Monday 6th March, still starting at 2pm and Family BBQ at 5pm.

JUNIOR SCHOOL COUNCIL

Last Thursday we held our first Junior School Council for 2017. We elected our Office-Bearers for 2017.

President	Charlie and Yuri -Shared Role
Vice-President	Freya
Secretary	Kate
Assistant Secretary	Amber
Treasurer	Chloe
Assistant Treasurer	Dante

We had so many enthusiastic students nominating themselves for positions. These students will form our Advertising Committee:-
Bella, Coco, Lila, Jade, Sam and Zac

SAVE THE DATE

Our next School Assembly will be Monday 20th March at 3-3.30.

We are trialling a few different times for our school assemblies. Our first one was held on Thursday 9-9.30. Our next one will be Monday 20th March 3-3.00.

Hope to see you there!

CONVEYANCE ALLOWANCE

Are you eligible?

For students to be eligible for a conveyance allowance they must:

- Be aged over five by 30th April 2017.
- Live more than 4.8km by the **shortest practicable** route from the nearest bus stop, and
- Be enrolled at the nearest government school.
- Parents who applied last year will need to reapply for 2017 by Tuesday, **28th February, 2017.**

- If you have been placed on a waiting list for bus travel you may also be eligible.

CSEF and PARENTS/CARERS OF PREP STUDENTS

- Prep students in 2017 who are eligible Camp, Sports and Excursion Funds (CSEF) recipients are automatically eligible for uniform support.
- Applications for the Prep Package will open **Tuesday 18th April** (First day of Term 2)

ALL VOLUNTEERS

When volunteering at school, working with children checks are now required in line with The Child Safe Standards.

WWC forms are available on line
<http://www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au>
 Volunteer checks are free of charge.

All volunteers are to present their WWCC card to the office for registration before commencing volunteering.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE – INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

DO YOU HAVE A VALID MEANS-TESTED CONCESSION CARD?

Then you may be eligible to apply for the CSEF (CAMPS, SPORTS & EXCURSION FUND)

Eligibility will be subject to the parent/carer's concession card being successfully validated with Centrelink on the first day of either term one (30 January 2017) or term two (18 April 2017).

The annual CSEF amount per primary student will be \$125, which will be paid to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions or sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

***Please contact the office for an application form (or download from the CSEF website www.education.vic.gov.au/csef)
 The CSEF Program closes on 30th June, 2017***

STUDENTS AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES



**Franklinford CFA Coffee Morning
 Wednesday 8th March**

**Please save the Date!!
 The famous Children's Choir of Yandoit Primary School, will be the Guest Performers...The Star Attraction!!!**

**Coffee Morning – 10-12 noon
 Raffles, Trading table
 All money raised supports our local CFA**



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