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### WYPS NEWS

22nd June

### **ACROSS OLIVER'S DESK**

Dear Parents,

For us to be in the grips of winter with the change in weather I would encourage all families to ensure they send their children off to school in warm clothing. There have been a number of students this week coming to school in just a t-shirt which leaves them shivering at recess and lunchtime. Thanks for your help with this.

### **BOYS TO MEN CAMP**

Last week our grade 5/6 boys went to Mt Evelyn to take part in a day camp and father/son dinner. The feedback we have received has been fantastic, both from dads and the boys. The giant swing was definitely the highlight for many. I'd like to thank Andre, Veronica, Mr Fielding and Mr Round for putting together a fantastic program for our boys. The department of education and the shire are so impressed with the program they have funded us for next year as well. Our gender program for our 5/6 girls and boys is another example of our schools commitment to being innovative and a leader in the Valley.

### SPEAKING COMPETITION FINAL

I'm always 'gobsmacked' by our students' presentations, but this year's speaking competition final was something else. We have raised the standards again and I congratulate all the finalists for their courage and effort. Each one of them made me very proud indeed. Sukey Russell and Ben Lombardi will go on to the next stage and represent our school in the Yarra Valley speaking competition final next term.

### REPORTS

Reports should be ready to go home on Friday. Our three way conferences are scheduled for next week where you can discuss the report with your child and their teacher.

### **PRODUCTION**

At the end of term three all children will perform in a whole school concert. This year we have changed the format and we are utilising the fantastic skills our staff have to run the production. The beginning of the production will showcase our junior school. There will be an intermission and then our middle and senior school will take over. This format will give more students the opportunity to have a speaking role and will give parents the option of not sitting through the whole production if they don't want to.



### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Friday 23rd June -Inter School Sports VS Healesville P.S.

Friday 30th June

CSEF Applications Close

Friday 30th June

Last Day of Term 2 — School finishes at 2.30

Monday 17th July

Back for Term 3

Friday 21t July

Curriculum Day no students at school





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### **CELEBRATING THE END OF TERM**

As a staff we will finish off our meeting schedule with a celebration of all the great things that have happened at the school so far this year. It is great to take time and reflect on how well we are going as a school with our great parents, wonderful students and amazing staff. I hope everyone has a fantastic holiday break with family and friends (make sure you keep warm!).

Have a great week!

And remember when life gets a little difficult, escape to the wonderful world of a book!

Oliver Thockloth Principal





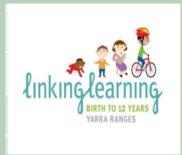
### **Running Club**

Miss White will be doing Running Club.

Tuesdays at 8.10am Meet in 5/6A.

3-6 students only.





### **Supporting School Success!-Wellbeing Report**

Woori Wallabies Playgroup –starting back Tues 25<sup>th</sup> July in the Multipurpose classroom 1:30-3:00pm

Whole School Head Lice Screening-Term 3/Wk 3 Thurs 6<sup>th</sup> July Breakfast program Tues & Thurs-cooking room 8:15am onwards Homework club Gr 3-6 Thurs 3:10-4pm Multi-purpose classroom Every Thursday 9-10am-parent morning coffee- staffroom Interchange sibling club-every Thursday afterschool 3:10-5:15pm



### Health

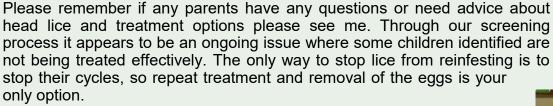
I've noticed some sleepy heads in the mornings trudging into school! Could we please encourage parents to support their children through the last weeks of term with reasonable bed times and adequate rest and nutrition. I've encountered a number of unhappy parents looking for jumpers. Staff are collecting lost jumpers and placing them in lost property for parents to find. (Lost property box is in the corridor outside the multipurpose room). Talk to your child to increase their personal organisation of their belongings and the steps needed to ensure the successful completion of this. Please check your child's clothing is clearly labelled so it can be returned if it is found in the school grounds. Veronica our school chaplain and myself can help out with spare uniform.



### **Head Lice**

I would like to thank parents for letting us know when their child has head lice in order for me to distribute the classroom alert notices. When a child has head lice parents need to notify us as we have processes in place to follow the guidelines under the Vic Health Act. Fortunately, this term our head lice reports have been low and Julie Reeves, the Shire Nurse has been on leave. I have booked a whole school screening for Week 3-Thurs 6<sup>th</sup> of July.

Head lice are spread so easily because when children play together they usually have very close contact. When children play closely or cuddle each other it's easy enough for a louse to, literally, walk from one child's hair to another. Generally speaking, the longer the hair the greater the chance a child has of getting head lice. I encourage all families to continually monitor and treat your children.



Lisa Tanner in our Before & Afterschool Care program sells a product called, "Nit Free for Me" which helps tame frizz and fly away hair. A number of parents have confidence in this product so please speak to Lisa further if you are interested.





### **School Notices & Parent Consent forms**

We have offered a number of outside events including sports days and camps and our time is absorbed with chasing consent. Please return notices including all consent forms as soon as possible.





### **Second Hand Uniform**

Veronica and I accept and appreciate all second hand uniform donations. All funds raised support our school breakfast program. Your generosity allows all our children to have a healthy start to the day. Keep it coming!

### **Urgent- Size 8 Boys Tracksuit Pants Needed**

We've had a number of children slip over and we try hard to avoid asking parents to come down to change their child. If your child comes home wearing a spare pair of clothes please wash them and return them to me. At present we have no spare black tracksuit pants and any donations will help out enormously. Thank you!

### **Attendance**

I am pleased that parents are calling to explain absences. This really helps us as we are able to communicate effectively with all relevant staff early in the school day. Thanks everyone!





### **Breakfast Club Tuesdays & Thursdays 8:15am+**

Come along and join in anytime for a piece of toast. Our huge menu can tempt the fussiest student into finding something they enjoy. There's a happy atmosphere and where children can be set up to have a great start to their day. See you there!

### Gr 5/6 Boys Will be Men Event!

We had a fantastic day and evening with our boys at YMCA's Mount Evelyn Recreation Camp. A huge thank you to Oliver, Dave, Daniel, Damien and Veronica as their help made the event run perfectly. Our program offered a range of physical and mental challenges that focused on strengthening the boy's self-esteem and resilience. The boys learnt about their limits, improved their communication skills which allowed them to take ownership of stretching themselves. Later the boys ate dinner with their fathers/significant adults and they listened to a presentation from Travis about the value of good health and fitness to equip the boys and their fathers be the best version of themselves. We are looking forward to offering it again next year.









### **Intervention Programs**

Students are thriving in their support programs. If you would like to know more about Fast for Word and your child's progress please come and see me. Also talk to staff about your child's progress with-

Quick Smart Literacy Quick Smart Numeracy

### Homework Club every Thursday Gr 3-6

This week will be our final session. I have to say the students coming along are getting value out of the sessions. Each week a teacher helps me and I've loved hearing their feedback about when they work with the kids, that they have enjoyed the growth in the students particularly when it comes to reading. The Three Way Conferences are coming up so please let us know if you are having any issues and we can work together to improve homework independence.











### **Woori Wallabies Playgroup**

We will start back in Term 3 on Tuesday the 25<sup>th</sup> of July, 1:30-3:00pm. I will send everyone a program for Term 3 beforehand. Have a safe and relaxing Term 2 break and we look forward to seeing you again next term.

### **Activities at break times**

	Recess	Lunch
Monday		Chess – Andre
Tuesday 8:15am – Running Club	Board Games – Miss McDonald BTN – Jess H	Reading – Mrs Harris Bat Tennis – Fiona
Wednesday	Zumba – Miss Greig	Mindfulness – Libby Mary – Keep the School Beautiful P-2 Choir - Clive
Thursday	Lego Building & Pokemon  – Flick	iPads – Kerri D 3-6 Choir - Clive
Friday	Writing – Mr Fielding	Electronics – Miss Ward

Our activity timetable is up and running. Many students enjoy experiencing a range of supervised activities over the course of the week and I'd like to encourage parents to remind children of the activities offered which may help students learn new skills in a fun and supportive manner. Some of the things we will be offering are different games, from bat tennis through to Zumba, choir, chess club and bring your device to school day.

Our school proudly has a partnership with Interchange where we support a sibling respite program in the cooking room on Thursday's afterschool.



**INTERCHANGE OUTER EAST (IOE)** is a non-profit, community based organisation which supports families who have a child or young person with a disability, living in

Melbourne's outer eastern regions of Knox, Maroondah and Yarra Ranges.

Through offering a range of programs and services, Interchange opens opportunities to families and allows them the choice of how this support is provided. If you are looking for further information or you know someone here in the Yarra Valley please see me or contact-

### Yarra Valley office

Coordinators: Heather Sayer & Sarah Ward

Address: Yarraburn Centre, 1 Park Rd, Yarra Junction Phone: (03) 59672433 Email: activ8@ioe.org.au

Primary Welfare Officer- Andre Campbell





### Expressions of Interest for After School Knitting Group, Terms3 & 4

I am pleased to let you know that the local Country Women's Association has some lovely volunteers who would like to come and share their knitting skills with our students. We will be offering this program in Terms 3 and 4, Thursdays 3.15 - 4.30pm. It is hoped that the group will be able to do a community group project, which if finished may also be able to be submitted to the Lilydale Show.

There will be limited spots available, so please make sure you come and register your interest with Veronica or Andre, as soon as possible. A permission form will then be sent home for you to fill out.

### Chaplain's Chat

Derek Redmond was a British Olympian who found himself leading his 400m race in the 1992 Olympic Games only to hear the sound of his hamstring pop at the halfway mark. He fell to the track in agony, clutching his leg. What made this story impressive was that after a few moments, this broken athlete got to his feet and began to limp down the track, determined to complete the race. But it didn't end there. As he limped down the track, an older man ran to his side. It was Derek's father, who proceeded to comfort and accompany his hurt and crying son down the track and across the finish line. What an incredible story of perseverance in adversity and also of the power of coming along side another and offering support and encouragement.

Last Tuesday our grade 5/6 boys had a wonderful day at the Mt. Evelyn Recreational Camp where they were encouraged to push past some of their fears, problem solve together and work as a team. There were a number of things that really impressed me as I watched the boys achieve things that they never thought they could. They accepted the challenge of the high ropes course and the giant swing and with the encouragement and support of their friends; they were able to reach their goals, achieving their personal best.

I loved the way the boys came along side each other, cheering each other on to the end. There was no talk about one boy doing better than another. It was acknowledged, that whatever effort each boy made, they had done a good job and that was to be celebrated. This opportunity for the boys to actually experience how it felt to push past some of their fears will help strengthen their characters and build resilience. I am so proud of them all.

The school is very thankful to Yarra Ranges Council for making the funds available for this event to occur. It is great that Council is supportive of these intervention programs and sees that these opportunities are valuable for our students.

Let's look for opportunities to come along side each other and offer the support and encouragement that is needed to get over the finish line. Words and acts of encouragement are powerful motivators to succeed. Let's be a community that builds each other up, rather than tear people down. Blessings,





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• information regarding my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund may be disclosed to the Victorian Department of Health and Human Services and /or State Schools Relief for the purpose of evaluating concession card services or confirming eligibility for assistance. You are able to request access to the personal information that we hold about you, and to request that any errors be corrected, by contacting your

Signature of applicant\_

Applications close Friday 30th June

This is your LAST CHANCE TO APPLY **FOR 2017** 

### CAMPS, SPORTS & **EXCURSIONS FUND** (CSEF)

Families who held a concession card as at the 30<sup>th</sup> of January 2017 may be eligible for the Camps, Sports & Excursion Fund for your child/ren.

Please complete the application form as soon as possible and return to the office. Applications close on June 30 and will not be accepted after this date. See Lani in the office if you have any queries. Please note families who made an application through Woori Yallock Primary School in 2016 are not required to complete another form in 2017.



### **CSEF ELIGIBILITY**

Below is the criteria used to determine a student's eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF).

### Criteria 1 - Eligibility

To be eligible\* for the fund, a parent or legal guardian of a student attending a registered Government or nongovernment Victorian primary or secondary school must:

- · on the first day of Term one, or;
- on the first day of Term two;
  - a) Be an eligible beneficiary within the meaning of the State Concessions Act 2004, that is, be a holder of Veterans Affairs Gold Card or be an eligible Centrelink Health Care Card (HCC) or Pensioner Concession Card (PCC) holder, OR
  - b) Be a temporary foster parent, and;
  - c) Submit an application to the school by the due date.
- \* A special consideration eligibility category also exists. For more information, see: www.education.vic.gov.au/csef

Parents who receive a Carer Allowance on behalf of a child, or any other benefit or allowance not income tested by Centrelink, are not eligible for the CSEF unless they also comply with one of (a) or (b) above.

### Criteria 2 - Be of school age and attend school in Victoria

School is compulsory for all Victorian children aged between six and 17 years of age inclusive.

For the purposes of CSEF, students may be eligible for assistance if they attend a Victorian registered primary or secondary school. Typically, these students are aged between five and 18 years inclusive.

CSEF is not payable to students attending pre-school, kindergarten, home schooled, or TAFE.

### **Eligibility Date**

For concession card holders CSEF eligibility will be subject to the parent/legal guardian'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).

### **PAYMENT AMOUNTS**

### **CSEF** payment amount

The CSEF is an annual payment to the school to be used towards camps, sports and/or excursion expenses for the benefit of the eligible student.

- Primary school student rate: \$125 per year.
- · Secondary school student rate: \$225 per year.

The CSEF is paid directly to your child's school and will be allocated by the school towards camps, sports and/or excursion costs for your child.

For ungraded students, the rate payable is determined by the student's date of birth. For more information, see: <a href="https://www.education.vic.gov.au/csef">www.education.vic.gov.au/csef</a>

Year 7 government school students who are CSEF recipients are also eligible for a uniform voucher. Secondary schools are required to make applications on behalf of parents so please register your interest at the school.

### HOW TO COMPLETE THE APPLICATION FORM

### NOTE: ALL SECTIONS MUST BE COMPLETED BY PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN

- Complete the PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN DETAILS section.

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- Make sure that the Surname, First Name, and Customer Reference Number (CRN) details match those on your concession card. You will also need to provide your concession card to the school.
- If you are claiming as a Foster Parent or a Veteran Affairs Pensioner, you will need to provide a copy of documentation confirming your status as a temporary Foster Parent or provide your Veterans Affairs Pensioner Gold card to the school.
- 2. Complete the STUDENT/S DETAILS section for students at this school.
- 3. Sign and date the form and return it to the school office as soon as possible. The CSEF program for 2017 closes on 30 June, 2017.

CSEF payments cannot be claimed retrospectively for prior years.

Queries relating to CSEF eligibility and payments should be directed to the school.





## HOLIDAY PROGRAMS **VACATION CARE**

July school holidays 2017

Woori Yallock Monday 3rd - Friday 14th July



Venue - Woori Yallock Primary School Healesville Koo Wee Rup Road Woori Yallock Contact number during program - 0458 278 228

Opening Hours - 7.00am - 6.30pm

Cost - \$65.00 per day (\$10 fee will be applied to your account for excursion/incursion maximum costs

Please note that there are limited places for excursions

Please bring or wear suitable clothing for all planned activities, including runners, comfortable clothing and a

Children must wear appropriate summer clothing (no singlets).

For full day excursions please place children's lunch and water bottle in a suitable back pack Please bring a nutritious lunch, including enough snacks for the day and a water bottle

All Cire Children's Services School Holiday Programs are nut free zones

# NOTE: PLEASE BRING A HAT AND NUTRITIOUS LUNCH, INCLUDING ENOUGH SNACKS FOR THE DAY.

# BOOKING INFORMATION

OSHC centre or email cc-oshc-wy@cire.org.au prior to program commencement. Once the Program has commenced please call the relevant mobile number for your program. You must have current Child Care Bookings for the July School Holiday Program will be taken by Cire Children Services Woori Yallock Benefit and Customer Reference Numbers to book. Phone Centrelink on 13 61 50 for more information. Quote Program Numbers, Woori Yallock Vacation Care.

Due to limited places being available bookings are based strictly on the Australian Government Priority Access Guidelines.

## CANCELLATIONS

Due to fixed costs associated with the program cancellations will only be accepted up to 4.00pm on 23rd

Bookings not utilised or cancelled after this date will incur normal fees

### HOW TO PAY

Invoices (less CCB discount) are processed and mailed out at the conclusion of the program. Payment is due within 7 days.

- Families with Current outstanding Accounts will not be able to book places until payment is made.
- Direct Debit to NAB BSB: 083 982 Account No 03785 5491. Use your surname and program as the
- CREDIT CARD Payments can be made over the phone on 5967 2776 only







# HOLIDAY PROGRAMS VACATION CARE

July school holidays 2017

Monday 3rd - Friday 14th July Woori Yallock

# PROGRAM CALENDAR - BOOKINGS 0458 278 228

Day/date	Activity	What we will be doing on the day	Excursion/ Incursion times Please sign permission form on arrival for excursions
	Chicken Hatching (Incursion)	Today our chicken eggs in the incubator arrive. We will have a couple of days with the eggs before the chickens hatch. How Exciting!!!	Start time to be confirmed
	Movie/Pyjama Day	Come dressed in your favourite pyjama and slippers and your favourite G/PG rated movie to share with your friends.	Start time to be confirmed
	Christmas in July (Incursion)	Take part in Christmus in July activities. Bake Christmas shortbreads, decorate the tree and room, Ohristmas songs and much more	Start time to be confirmed
	Rainbow and Crazy Hair Day	Come dressed up in your favourite colour or colours, with the best crazy hair style you can imagine up. Take part in colour crafts and games.	Start time to be confirmed
	Sun Dye Day (Incursion)	Produce your own pillow case or library bag using sun dying.	Start time to be confirmed
WEEK 2			
Man 10th	Sports Day and BBQ Lunch at Woori Yallock Primary school (Incursion)	No need to bring lunch today just snacks and lots of water. Wear comfortable clothing and sneakers.  Badger Creek and Mt Evelyn will be joining us on this day.	Start time to be confirmed
	Race around the world	Create your own passport and travel to different countries to collect a stamp. In each country we will play a game or do an activity native to that country.	Start time to be confirmed
Wed 12th	Football Day	Come dressed in your team colours and have a day filled with football and practice your skills. Make sure you wear comfortable dothing and bring your footy boots if you want to.	Start time to be confirmed
Thu 13th	Slice Day (Incursion)	Baking all of our favourite yummy deficious slices. No need to bring afternoon tea today.	Start time to be confirmed
	Movie and Party Day with our Friends at Badger Creek Vacation Care. (Excursion)	Enjoy a movie on the schools big screen, popcorn and party food. Please bring along a nandy plate of food to share with your friends for a party lunch. No need to bring lunch today just smacks and water. If you like come dressed up in your favourite party gear.	Start time to be confirmed

# School Holiday Program

Bear & Moon Present

3 hours of fun, dance, singing, eraft, games, prizes and new friends Monday 3rd through to Thursday 6th from 9:30am until 12:30pm. The program is suitable for both boys and girls of ages 5 to 10 Book now to secure your position as numbers are limited. saking bookings now for the July holiday program. 5-7 Clarke Street, Lilydale, ph - 03 9735 9045 \$30 single days or \$100 for the 4 days

Monday 3rd July Activities. Meet and greet everyone Craft balloon wall display Minute to win it games lee breaker games Crazy head bowling Olifter gel making Face painting

Create and preform rap song Hip Hop Pay 5th July Press in Hip Hop gear. lee breaker games Meet and greet Feat box and rap Oraffiti arm art Breakdaneing Craft balloon COMP

With loads of garnes

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Face paint

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Each child takes home a

group photo

Pesign your own pillow cases Craft balloon wall display Magnet faces Making dream eatchers Pyjama day 4th July Meet and greet lee breaker bingo Slow mo Vollyball Balloon twisting

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Party day Thursday 6th

lee breaker games

Meet and greet

### Tuition in Classical Ballet, Jazz Ballet, Tap Dancing, Hip Hop & Pilates

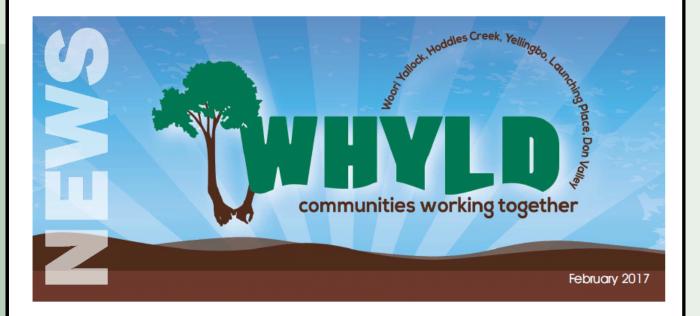


Small friendly classes held at Launching Place Primary School, Carter St, Launching Place.

**5964 6629** or **0409 960 713** 

spendlovedancing@gmail.com





WYTAG Garage Sale Saturday March 18, 2017

9 am - 1 pm

WYTAG Reserve Healesville Koo Wee Rup Rd Woori Yallock

wytag1502@gmail.com

**Winter Warming** 

**Sunday June 18, 2017** 

3 - 7 pm

Wickhams Reserve Wickhams Road Launching Place

welcome@whyld.org.au

Woori Open Day

Saturday March 25, 2017

10 am - 2 pm

Woori Community House & WYTAG Reserve Woori Yallock

woorihouseinc@bigpond.com

Woori Kid's Fest

Thursday October 26, 2017

3 - 6 pm

Presbyterian Church Healesville Koo Wee Rup Rd Woori Yallock

woorihouseinc@bigpond.com

WHYLD@Wickhams

Sunday March 26, 2017

3 - 6 pm

Wickhams Reserve Wickhams Road Launching Place

welcome@whyld.org.au

Camelot Castle Medieval Village Fair

Sunday November 12, 2017

10 am - 4 pm

Healesville Koo Wee Rup Rd Yellingbo

info@medievalvillagefair.org

Welcome to WHYLD country and our inaugural newsletter. WHYLD is an acronym that stands for the towns of Woori Yallock, Hoddles Creek, Yellingbo, Launching Place and Don Valley. As residents of these towns you are all considered to be part of WHYLD. The WHYLD community group have been around for a few years now, and our vision is to unite these five small towns to form a larger and more connected community. WHYLD have facilitated a number of free local events aimed at bringing residents together. This newsletter provides a snapshot of previous events with details for 2017. Keep these diary dates on the fridge as a reminder and bring the family and friends along to support your community events this year. See you soon!

WHYLD welcome new members, so if you are interested in any of our events or activities, please feel free to contact us by email: welcome@whyld.org.au, message and please do like us on Facebook: WHYLD Community Group, or for more information visit our website: whyld.org.au.

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## Student Banking Every Wednesday

Please bring your Bendigo Bank passbooks to school on Wednesdays

Thank you, Lani & Ellen



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### **WORKING FOR YOU SEVEN DAYS A WEEK**

**DRIVE THROUGH BOTTLE SHOP** 

MONDAY TO FRIDAY	7AM-7PM	MONDAY TO THURSDAY	9AM-7PM
SATURDAY	8AM-5PM	FRIDAY & SATURDAY	9AM-9PM
SUNDAY	9AM-5PM	SUNDAY	10AM-5PM

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PHONE: 5964 7202



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