









Be Safe, Be Respectful, Be Your Best

2015 Term 4 Week 1 Newsletter

MINI BLITZ- Weeks 1 & 2 The blitz for the next fortnight will

'No Hat, No Play, No Fun today!

CASUAL CLOTHES DAY and GOLD COIN DONATION in support of the School Fete. This Friday the 9th October.

The Newsletter next week will only be a single page due to school camps and staff being away.

#### Welcome Back

Hello everyone and welcome back to Term Four. The year has flown by and this term we'll find ourselves beginning our preparations for 2016. You may have noticed in The Border Mail we have advertised for three new teachers to commence next year. One will be replacing Kayte Barton in The Discovery Centre as Kayte will be taking twelve months leave without pay to travel overseas. The other two new staff members will take on two new classes; one in Year 1/2 and the other Year 5. By employing two extra staff we will be able to make the class sizes in these two areas significantly smaller which will certainly enhance the learning opportunities for the children.

#### Paul Away

Just a reminder to you all that I will be away with the Year Six children in Canberra next week. The Year Six camp to Canberra is always a wonderful experience, one that I value greatly as one of the opportunities to get to know the children a little better away from the school environment before they begin the next phase of their learning in secondary school.

Catholic Education Yarrawonga Arts on Display Our school is being transformed at the moment as various pieces of the children's work are being added to the display over the last few days. Our Artist Group has a separate area where their pieces are being displayed along with the VCE pieces that have come across from Sacred Heart Secondary College. If you're able to come along this evening from 5.00pm, I'm sure you'll be very impressed with the standard of work that is being achieved by the children. While you're moving about we will have some performances from the Choir and a few musical pieces to entertain as well.

#### TERM FOUR PUPIL FREE DAYS

Our Pupil Free Days for this term are –

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November – Report Writing Day

Friday 11th December – 2016 Planning Day (with new employees)

The final day of classes for 2015 is Thursday 17th December, 2015.

Peace and best wishes....

Paul

#### **Acknowledgement of Traditional Custodians**

Sacred Heart acknowledges the traditional custodians of the land on which this school is built. We commit ourselves to working in partnership with Aboriginal people for reconciliation and justice.



Phone: 03 5744 3339





Fax: 03 5743 1377

62 Orr St or P.O Box 199 Yarrawonga

principal@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au, hkeenan@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au, jnixon@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au,

October 7th 2015 Term 4 Week 1 Page 1

## **CATHOLIC EDUCATION YARRAWONGA**

# Arts On Display

You are warmly invited to attend the "Arts On Display" Exhibition at Sacred Heart Primary School, Yarrawonga.

Opening Night: Wednesday 7th October 2015

Time: 5:00pm

Location: The Mercy Centre, SHPS. Orr Street,

Yarrawonga,

The exhibition will be open until 8pm and then during school hours on Thursday the 8th October. Looking forward to

seeing you!





Week												Te	ern	ւ 4
	Mon	5 <sup>th</sup>	Tue	6 <sup>th</sup>	Wed	7 <sup>th</sup>	Thu	8 <sup>th</sup>	Fri	9 <sup>th</sup>	Sat	10'	Sun	11 <sup>th</sup>
1	Back to School		Hoop T Yr 3/4 E		CEY Ar Display 5.30pm-	SHP			Zone A Wang Woods Visit- 1 Parish Prep C 3/4MC	s Point 1/2B Mass-		Day an Coin or	Clothes ad Gold a Friday ctober	
	Mon	12 <sup>th</sup>	Tue	13 <sup>th</sup>	Wed	14 <sup>th</sup>	Thu	15 <sup>th</sup>	Fri	16 <sup>th</sup>	Sat	17 <sup>th</sup>	Sun	18 <sup>th</sup>
2	Year 6 Canberra Camp (12 <sup>th</sup> -16 <sup>th</sup> ) Cricket Clinics- Yr 1/2						Yr 4 Camp Great Aussie Resort Resort MacKillop Art Exhibition Regional Aths- Albury Zone Golf- Wang		MultiSport Festival		Yarrawonga Mulwala MultiSport Festival			
	Mon	19 <sup>th</sup>	Tue	20 <sup>th</sup>	Wed	21st	Thu	22 <sup>nd</sup>	Fri	23 <sup>rd</sup>	Sat	24 <sup>th</sup>	Sun	25 <sup>th</sup>
3	Fete Meeting 6.30pm P & F SHC 7.30pm		Kanga 8's Cricket Carnival				Morning Tea 9.30am Parent Well-Being		School FETE 5pm-8pm					
	Mon	26 <sup>th</sup>	Tue	27 <sup>th</sup>	Wed	28 <sup>th</sup>	Thu	29 <sup>th</sup>	Fri	30 <sup>th</sup>	Sat	31 <sup>st</sup>	Sun	1 <sup>st</sup>
4			Prep 2016 Session 1 10am-12noon				Yr 3 Camp Harrietville		Yr 3 Camp Harrietville * Daniel Day					

# School Camps- Are you eligible for a subsidy?

## Camps Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF)

The Victorian Government has announced \$148 Million over 4 years for Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF) to ensure all Victorian students can take part in school trips and sporting activities.

To be eligible for the fund a parent or legal guardian of a student attending a registered Government or Non government Victorian primary or secondary school must: \*Be the holder of a Veterans Affairs Gold Card or be an eligible Centrelink Health Care Card (HCC) or Pensioner Concession Card (PCC).

CSEF eligibility will be subject to the parent/legal guardians concession card successfully validating with Centrelink on either the first day of Term Two or Term Three 2015.

The amount payable for eligible primary and secondary students is: \*\$125.00 for Primary School Students \*\$225.00 for Secondary School Students. Families who hold a valid means tested concession card or who are temporary foster parents are eligible to apply. Application forms are available from the school office. These forms need to be completed and returned to the

school asap.
For more information about the CSEF visit

www.education.vic.gov.au/csef

If you have any queries please contact the school office.

#### **HELP WANTED**

YARRAWONGA MULWALA MULTISPORT FESTIVAL (YMMF)

Saturday 17th October & Sunday 18th October 2015. Volunteers are required for marshalling on both days. A letter has been sent home to all families and if you can assist it would be greatly appreciated. Please return the form to the school office by Friday 9th October if possible. Triathlon Victoria have requested that our Yarrawonga-Mulwala Splash n Dash Committee (with it's proven track record of event management) assist at this year's event. They will provide a substantial donation to our Sacred Heart Parent & Friends if we can provide manpower. If this partnership proves successful, our committee will increase our involvement with the Multisport Festival instead of running a separate Splash n Dash event. There is great potential for growth and it will still include our 1.4km State to State Swim, 10km & 5km Yarrawonga Foreshore Fun Run and Junior fun runs. For more information on the events offered this year - check out their website www.ymmf.com.au or their facebook page. If you can assist for a couple of hours on either day please contact Lynda White on 0407 432 756 or email <u>lford3@bigpond.com</u> We would love to hear from you.

# Staff Profile Ash Wheaton



Position: ICT Manager

Interests: Tennis, Swimming, Technology,

Education & Wine

Football Team: The Mighty Pies

Favourite Food/s: Can't beat the roast lamb (with a glass of Bobbie Burns Shiraz) that Grandma used to make!

Currently Reading: Student assignmentsand loving it!

Favourite Holiday Destination: Noosa Heads

3 people you'd invite to dinner: James Halliday, Nathan Buckley and Eddie Murphy.

What would you do with your last \$50?An iTunes voucher (not really!)- invest it on a bottle of Leasingham Classic Clare Shiraz

Favourite Movie: James Bond- All of them

Favourite Song: Hotel California, Eagles

Someone you admire: Musicians- As I have a poor ear for Music!

What do you love about our school: The common goal of providing the best education for every child.

#### Religious Education Meegan McInness

The month of October each year is dedicated to the Most Holy Rosary. This is primarily due to the fact that the liturgical feast of Our Lady of the Rosary is celebrated annually on October 7th. It was instituted to honour the Blessed Virgin Mary in gratitude for the protection that she gives the Church in answer to the praying of the Rosary by the faithful. In this month of October, let us consider this beautiful prayer of the Rosary as a means that we too can use in order to draw closer to Jesus and Mary.

Have a great week everyone.

Meegan

mmc inness 001 @shyarrawong a. catholic.edu. au

### Pastoral Wellbeing Janine Buerckner



jbuerckn@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au

Welcome back to Term 4. If you have any issues that you'd like to discuss, regarding your children's education or their social or emotional wellbeing, please feel free to come and see me – my office is in the Admin Block.

Our Breakfast Club is held each Wednesday and Friday mornings, before school. The Breakfast Club operates from the canteen.

I have a number of very good books that may support and continue to develop your parenting skills. Please come to my office if you'd like to borrow any of the following or if you'd like to find out more about any of the books.

'Why First Borns Rule the World and Last Borns Want to Change It' – Michael Grose

'Teach Your Kids to SHRUG!' – Michael Grose THRIVING! – Michael Grose

Best Behaviour - Michael Grose - (need full title)

#### Raising sensitive kids- (Michael Grose)

Do you have a sensitive child?

You know, a child who takes everything you or others say to heart; a child who has a thin skin and worries too much, particularly about things out of their control.

Sensitive kids worry about what others think of them. They often sense danger well

before others and they see the consequences of behaviours well before their peers.

Sensitive kids are like mood detectives with their antennae up trying to detect subtle changes in the moods of those around them. In some ways this is healthy as emotionally intelligent people are tuned into the behaviours and feelings of others. Sensitive kids generally have high emotional intelligence quotients.

If you have a sensitive child you need to see and appreciate both their sides. The side we most often see is the shy, inhibited, fearful worrier. The flipside is that sensitive kids generally have kind hearts; are empathetic, intuitive and usually possess a creative streak. These are wonderful attributes to have.

Recent research into the area of children's sensitivity revealed that around 40% of sensitive kids experience some form of real anxiety.

The secret to the 60% of kids who DON'T experience anxiety are certain 'protective' factors. The top of this list is parenting style. Sensitive kids benefit from having an optimistic, resilient parent who supports them but doesn't allow them to take themselves too seriously. It also helps if parents can encourage their child to take risks socially and applaud their social successes, no matter how minor. Parents need to show their child how to recognise their own emotional state and in doing so better manage their emotions so they can live happy, more productive lives.

The double whammy for kids of sensitivity and negative or pessimistic parents is not ideal. Kids need a parent who gets across the message that there are some unpleasant events but they can cope with them. Parents need to recognise their own emotions and response in order to help their child recognise and regulate their emotional state.

It is good if parents are supportive; even better if a parent is resilient so that the sensitive child sees how to cope with some of life's hurts, rejections and disappointments. In fact, sensitive kids are less likely to develop anxiety if at least one parent is of the 'thick-skinned', positive, even jovial type. This reinforces that the world really is a great place and not full of uncertainty and danger.

When sensitive kids are raised in a balanced way with proper understanding and encouragement, they are well placed to grow up to be happy, healthy, unusually well adjusted and creative adults.

For a regular supply of great parenting ideas subscribe to Happy Kids email newsletter at parentingideas.com.au



#### Children's Chatter Matters!

Language Learning activities to have a go at, at home.

Ten activities will be provided over Term 4 to help develop your child's vocabulary at home (you may need to adjust the activity to suit your child's level). See if you can think of more activities!

1. Have a box of different items collected from around the house, e.g. items found from the playroom, the kitchen, the bathroom and or the bedroom. An object is picked out of the box and is named, the next person must supply another word that is related to it. The game continues until a player gets stuck and cannot think of another word. Ask your child to justify how the words are related also – the relationship between the word may not be immediately obvious until they explain it.

e.g. Pig – Sheep – Cow (all farm animals) – flamingo, galah (all pink)

#### Apple iPad

Have you got a new iPad and don't know how to use it? This course is designed to introduce you to the basics of iPads including internet, email, Facebook and more! Come join in a supportive, friendly environment. Bring your own iPad if you have one, or we can provide you with one for the course. Find out the basics.

Date: Fri 9<sup>th</sup> October Time: 9.30am-12.30pm Cost: \$40

Venue: YNH Adult Learning Centre

#### **Computers for Scaredy Cats**

Want to get the most out of your computer? Learn to navigate your way around the keyboard, discover the wonders of Word documents and explore the internet. We can individualise classes to suit your needs.

Date: Thurs 15<sup>th</sup> October-3<sup>rd</sup> Dec Time: 9.30am-12.30pm Cost: Full Fee: \$100 Concession: \$79 (GST Free) Venue: YNH Adult Learning Centre

57441911



#### INTERESTED PEOPLE WANTED FOR STEERING COMMITTEE FOR INDIGENOUS PEACE GARDEN

We are planning an Indigenous Peace Garden around the cross at the front of our school. We need interested and keen parents to be part of the steering committee for this project. If you would like more information, drop into the music room and speak to Christine Cussen.

christine.cussen@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au

We have a few musical groups performing at the Arts on Display this evening. Come along and see our wonderful talented students beginning at approx. 5pm.

#### **Music Awards**

Joshua Baer for your amazing design, done on "Minecraft" of the Indigenous Peace Garden. Inspiring!

Noah Ferguson for expertly playing, 'Mary had a little Lamb' on the recorder. Perfect timing with exact fingering.

Well done.

## **Library** Mrs Ryan



Our school Library is a central component of this well resourced school. We have an online catalogue, a module from our library software package, Oliver Junior V which may be used from home computers.

The links/steps are as follows:

- 1. Google Sacred Heart Primary School, Yarrawonga Home Page.
- 2. Locate School Library website (in Blue border), Press Go.
- 3. Click on Orbit icon.
- 4. Press Search or Click and Pick or New icons.

Happy reading and searching.

The Library Timetable for Term 4, 2015 is:

Monday, 1/2T, 3/4C, 3/4MC, Prep C

Tuesday, 1/2B, 3/4G

Wednesday, 1/2V, 1/2H, 3/4W, 5B, 5O

Thursday, Prep A, Prep S, 6C, 6L

Children need to bring Library Bags and books they are returning to Library Lessons. I am looking forward to a term of delightful reading.

#### LOST JUMPER- Nicolette Lazar

A jumper was lost at the Athletics Sports. Please return to the office if found. Thank you.

Term 4 Week 1 October 7th 2015 Page 6

# Foundation (Prep) News



#### Prep A Awards

Sam Taylor - thinking about the choices you make every day. You are making MANY 'right choices!'

Super effort!

<u>Tige Sanderson</u> - the fabulous participation at the Athletics Sports. Thank you for all you did to help.

Lani Seamer - a fabulous Term 3. You are doing your very best and should feel proud!



Jack Bourke - being an enthusiastic team member during sports practise and Athletics Day. Well done on giving everything a go!

Matilda Clayton - writing detailed recounts using lots of describing words and trying hard to write on the dotted thirds. Well done!

#### Prep S Awards

Alex Preston - the excellent effort you are putting into your reading and spelling. Awesome work Alex!

River Burns - the fabulous way you participated in the school Athletic's Carnival. Way-to-go River!

Charlotte Wallace - the amazing resilience you showed participating in the Athletics Carnival whilst still sick! Awesome effort Charlotte!

### Welcome Back to Term 4

#### Art Show

A reminder that The Sacred Heart Art Show is on this afternoon from 5pm. You are welcome to wander trough the school and look at the beautiful art work the children have produced.

#### Reminders

Term 4 is a 'No Hat No Play' term. Please ensure your child has their hat labelled.

The 'What's in the Box' rosters have been sent home. Remember that toys are not encouraged.

#### Congratulations

Well done to all the students who participated in the Yarrawonga Show. Below is a sample of some of the winning artwork.









Kellie Cowan



 $\underline{astacey@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au} \ \underline{isagaidak@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au} \ \underline{kcowan@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au} \ \underline{kcowan@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au}$ 

# **Discovery Centre News**



Renee Scherell for your pleasing PAT test results and for being a caring person. Well done, Renee.

Anna Van Den Bosch for your wonderful PAT testing results and for your amazing resilience. Very proud of you, Anna!

Jack Dobson for getting 100% on your PAT Maths test. Well done, champ!!

Ayden Peebles for your brilliant reading and the effort you have put into this throughout the term.

Jason Yang for your excellent progress during Term Three and for having a "Red Hot Go" at all you do.

Zoe Farey for your fantastic work habits and achievements throughout Term Three.

Ash Jones for improving your behavior and making right choices in the yard and in class. Keep it up.

Cooper Ridley for always wearing a smile and being a leader.

#### WHAT'S ON?

#### CRICKET CLINIC

On Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October, all students from the Discovery Centre will participate in a Cricket Clinic. As such, students will need to wear their sports uniform on Monday.

Cricket Clinic times:

9:00 1/2V 9:30 1/2B 10:00 1/2T 10:30 1/2H

## TERM FOUR, WEEK ONE LEARNING INTENTIONS

#### INQUIRY: DISCOVERING YARRAWONGA

Our Inquiry focus this term is based on Biological and Natural Science. Students will discover our local environment and explore the changes that have contributed to modern day Yarrawonga. Students will also explore various animal habitats and life cycles through a range of resources.

#### **MATHS**

Number (including Ordinal Number, place value, skip counting, odd and even numbers).

#### LITERACY

Writing - Holiday recount & Writing to
Inquire

Spelling - Exploring sounds and grouping according to letter/s representing the sound:
or, awe, ore, au, oor

#### REMINDERS

#### LOCAL EXCURSION

Today, we sent home a note regarding a local excursion in which the students will attend as part of this term's Inquiry unit: 'Discovering Yarrawonga'. Please ensure that you complete the permission note and return it ASAP.

#### FETE BASKETS

Please support the school by providing an item for your child's class fete basket. Each class has a different theme. These themes

are:
1/2H Bathroom
1/2T Christmas
1/2B Summer
1/2V Halloween

#### THANK YOU

A huge thank you to Kate Hanley for supplying all the Discovery classes with sunscreen. Your generosity is very much appreciated.





Lisa Handreck



Kayte Barton



Monica Van Ro



ctregoning@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au, kbarton@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au,

<u>Ihandreck@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au</u> mvanroy@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au



## Bridging Centre News

#### Holidays

We hope that everyone had a wonderful and restful holiday. The weather was certainly very kind to us, blessing us with some beautiful, warm, spring days. Term 4 is a very busy one, so please write important dates and events down as we put them to print each week!!

#### This Term:

- Week 1- Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup>
   October- Art Show- 5-8
- Week 2- Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> Oct-Gr. 4 Camp- Great Aussie Resort
- Week 3- Friday 23rd Oct-School Fete 5-8
- Week 4- Thursday 29th Oct-Gr. 3 Camp- Harrietville

#### Hats

The warmer weather is upon us, so we need to be wearing our hats when outside. Please ensure that your child's hat is clearly named. If your child has misplaced it, please purchase one from Mensland.

#### Casual Clothes Day

This Friday, 9<sup>th</sup> October we are having a casual clothes day and we are asking that each child bring a gold coin to support the fete.

#### Camp

The Grade 4s head off to the Great Aussie Resort next Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> October. Thank-you to all those parents who volunteered to assist us. Craig Frauenfelder, Matt Hicks and John Coulter will be attending as parent helpers.

3/4 MC's Bluearth day has changed from Thursday to Friday for this Term!!

#### Art Show

This Wednesday, 7<sup>th</sup> October, we are holding our Annual Art show from 5-8pm.

The children in the Bridging Centre have completed a number of fantastic

masterpieces that you must come and see and some children will be performing on the night. Remember to bring your wallets along!!

#### Feter Friday 23rd October- from 5-8pm

Each class has been allocated a stall. Please help us to make this fundraiser a great success by volunteering for an hour or more. We really appreciate your continued support!!

#### Congratulations to our Centre Award Winners for the last week of Term 3!

3/4MC- Tom Ryan- the improvement in the presentation of your work. It has been great to see Tom. Keep it up for fourth term. Kaydia Lean- the amazing progress you are making in reading. Your hard work is certainly paying off.

3/4H- Beau Cummins- your overall efforts for term three. You're flying along. You should be very proud of yourself! Keep up the fantastic work Regul

Marcus VannMannen- for your fantastic efforts yesterday at the Athletics Carnival. You gave 100% effort all day. Great job Marcus!

3/4C- Hunter Frauenfelder- for your efforts towards our Inquiry presentation. It was great to see you working well with your peers.

Xavier Martin- for a fantastic term! You continue to push yourself to achieve high results and always give everything a go! Well done

Xavier!

3/4W- Teagan Kelly- for your supportive nature and great sportsmanship at our Athletics Carnival. You are a star!

Morgan McCrae- for having a 'red hot go' at our 'Word Origins' spelling group. Keep up the fabulous attitude Morgan!

3/4G- Max Holgate- for always trying to achieve your best in all areas of your learning. Well done on your end of term spelling test. Good job Max!

Henry White- for your wonderful job as a narrator, presenting our Inquiry presentation to the Bridging Centre about Hume and Hovell.

Elli Head- for always going above and beyond with your learning Elli. You are committed to your progress and it's paying off. Well done Elli.



Maureen McLarty & Nikki Connell



Mel Whiteley

Caitlin O'Dwyer



Patrice Goldman

mmclarty@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au, pgoldman@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au codwyer@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au, mwhiteley@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au, khillier@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au

## Leadership Centre News

#### Class Awards

Jobe Kennedy (5B): For showing great leadership throughout the Athletics Day, by encouraging and supporting the younger students during their events. Super work Jobe!

**Frances Lonergan (5B):** For participating with a positive attitude in all events during yesterdays Athletics Day. Well done on your efforts and the sportsmanship you displayed.

Kyah Harvey(50): Your continued positive attitude. You have never complained once with your broken leg. Coming along to camp and even participating at athletics yesterday, all with your big beautiful smile. Well done

Nick Wood (50): A great display of sportsmanship at athletics yesterday. You gave your best in every activity. Super effort Nick

Charlize James-Hayden (6C): A fantastic term of learning and development. You always display the 3Bs of our school in an excellent way. Awesome!

Chloe Hart (6C): For her excellent work with her Parliament matrix. A great variety of achievements. Well

Baxter Droop (6L): For your awesome attitude towards your learning - putting your very best effort into your work and displaying commitment and dedication to

Claudia Lazar(6L): For the thought and effort you have been putting into your school work - producing fantastic independent reading tasks and always working really hard on the presentation of your work!

#### Coming Up....

- ❖ Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October Canberra camp~16th October
- Friday 16th October Parish Mass Year 5, 12pm
- ❖ Friday 16th October Peter Robertson-Professional Triathlete visit
- Tuesday 20th<sup>th</sup> October Kanga 8's Cricket Carnival~ Vic Park
- Friday 23rd October School Fete.



Meg O'Sullivan Daniel Boulton

dboulton@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au dcarroll@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au

## LEADERSHIP

#### Our Learning Intentions ...

#### Numeracy

Angles (Year 5) Nets and 3D shapes (Year 6)



Spelling blends ~ ar Writing ~ Report/Researching

Healthy Habitats (Year 5 and 6)

Religious Education Life Relationships (Year 5)

People of Prayer (Year 6) Inauirv

#### Welcome Back!

We welcome all our families back after holidays. We hope everyone had a relaxing break and ready for another busy term of learning! There are a lot of things happening in the next few weeks... Our Year Sixes are off on camp to Canberra Monday morning. We hope you have a fantastic week away and a big thank-you to Mrs Lawless and Mr Carroll for all the work they do in preparing the students for camp.

With the weather already in the 30's we are asking all students to be wearing their hats. Term 1 and 4 are the terms we wear hats. Please make sure your child's name is clearly written on their hat. These need to be brought back to school this week.

#### Zone Athletics

Congratulations to those students who made it into Zone Athletics. This is held on Friday 9th October in Wangaratta. A reminder to any students who are racing in the 1500m to be there before 9am. All other events begin at 9.30am. Relays are at end of day at 2pm. Thank-you to those parents who have offered to drive over.

<u>Congratulations</u>
Well done to Mr Boulton on his fabulous display of produce at the Yarrawonga Show last week. The School's produce was placed first for the best exhibit-fruit and vegetable

**Graduation Mass** 

Year 6 students are asked to bring in a pre-prep photo of themselves for the upcoming graduation mass. Could these please come into school ASAP!



Dean Carroll Lynne Lawless



mosullivan@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au llawless@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au

#### The Fete - Friday October 23rd. 5-8pm.

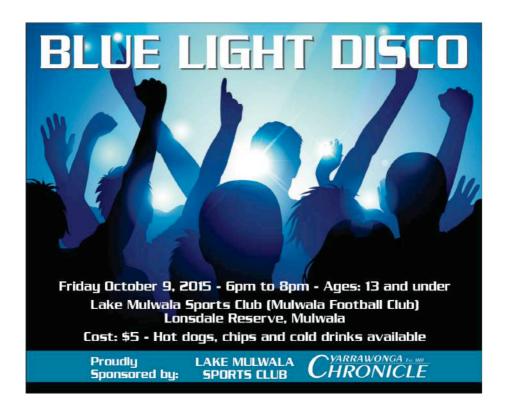
You will have received a note home yesterday about the fete with some raffle books attached. The fete is a major fundraiser and both the primary school and the college will benefit from funds raised.

Some reminders from the fete committee:

- please bring in your books and magazines. There is a box in the office for your donations.
- any donations of plants in pots would be welcomed.
- encourage your child to enter a Lego creation or a dressed teddy
- please assist with the fete if you can. There are 1 hour time slots available. See the form on the back of the handout you received yesterday.
- please sell your raffle tickets. There are always generous prizes.

Fete book competition.... bring new or used books to school and drop off with your class teacher. We will tally each week and see which class can collect the most.





#### YARRAWONGA & DISTRICT GARDEN CLUB INC

SPRING SHOW & FAMILY DAY 2015 Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> October – 12 Midday to 5.00pm

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> October – 9.00am to 4.00pm Where: Old Convent, Murphy Street, Yarrawonga

<u>Presentation of Awards –</u> 3.00pm Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> October

\$2 BBQ from 10.00am – 1.00pm Morning/Afternoon Tea available TRADING TABLE STALLS RAFFLE OF GARDEN GOODS

ADMISSION: \$4 (Children under 16 Free)

#### Mixed Adults Basketball

The YMBA mixed adults basketball round robin competition will start up again for 8 weeks in Term 4 on a THURSDAY night starting Thursday October 8th.

Registrations are now open online on the YMBA homepage <a href="www.foxsportspulse.com">www.foxsportspulse.com</a> -> Basketball -> Victoria-Country -> Yarrawonga Mulwala Basketball Association.

Games times will start from 7.00pm on the Thursday, at the YP-12 ECA centre.

Past and new players born 1998 or before are most welcome. Each player will be placed in a team to ensure an even competition. Spouses/partners may be placed in a team together.

Fees are \$48.00 plus BVC fee of \$38.00 (for players who haven't paid BVC fee this year yet).

Registrations close Friday 18th September. See our website for more information. Any enquiries to yarramulbasketball@gmail.com

Amanda Wheaton President Yarrawonga Mulwala Basketball Association 0407 507 493

#### YARRAWONGA SHOW GATES

Sacred Heart Parent & Friends sincerely thank our wonderful volunteers who manned the Yarrawonga Show Gates last Friday.

Nicole McPherson, Belinda & Scott Pendergast, John White, Mel Whiteley, Jared Loughnan, Mary-Anne White, Natalie Holgate, Fiona & Craig Marshall, John McLennan, Cara Bott, Shelley Soutter, Loretta, Dave & Eddie Myers, Leah Willis, Nicole Nieuwenhout, Jo Leonard, Nanette Meaney, Michelle O'Meara, Michelle Connell, Debbie, Jason & Daniel Herrod, Nedean Clarke, Dot Hicks, Greg Duncan, Robyn Connell, Sam & Issy Ridley, Serrin Canfield, Alana White, Christine Martin & Les, Robyn Wooley, Jane Griffin, Scott Jaques, Travis Watson, Fred Cummins, Debbie Hayes, Gen Connell, Jodie Robinson, Ben Lawless, Darren Forrester, Michelle O'Meara & Mick Connell. Thank you for volunteering your valuable time to assist the Yarrawonga Show Committee and raising funds for our schools, you all did a fabulous job. Lynda White.

On behalf of Sacred Heart P & F.



#### Yarrawonga and District Netball Assoc. Inc.



#### Friday Night Junior Competition

Commences Friday 16th October 2015, Duration 8 Weeks, Concludes Friday 4th December 2015

Junior	11 & Under	YDNA Competition	5.00pm - 6.00pm					
	13 & Under	Fees \$50						
	15 & Under	( plus Netball						
	17 & Under	Victoria VNA )						
	Players for 15 & Under or 17 & Under may enter							
	team or may	team or may enter as an individual and be placed in a						
	team							

#### Wednesday Night Senior Competition

Commences Wednesday 14th October 2015, Duration 8 weeks, concludes Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> December.

| Senior | Club Fees \$40 per player | Time to be advised | |
\*Teams will also need to supply an umpire each week

## YDNA Competition Registration

Monday 14th September 2015, 4.00 – 6.00pm – Netball Clubrooms, Victoria Park
On Registration day – complete registration form including Netball Victoria
Registration Number, Payment of Fees by Cash (correct money if possible please) or
Cheque made payable to Yarrawonga & District Netball Association.
Registration forms will also be available to print form the Yarrawonga and District
Netball Association Facebook page under More, group info, files.

Expressions of interest for coaches and umpires.

Further information – Tanya Burgess 0417 521 673 or

Sarah Bruce 0418 301 417



#### ROTARY CLUB OF YARRAWONGA/MULWALA INC.

P.O. Box 154 Yarrawonga 3730 Vic.

President: John Taylor.

Secretary: Ed Byford.

The Principal, Sacred Heart Primary School Yarrawonga, Vic., 3730.

28-08-2015.

The Portsea Camp for January 2016 is open for applications from children aged 9 to 12 years. I have enclosed a flier for your notice board and an article for your school newsletter

Participating in a Portsea Summer Camp allows children to broaden their horizons by mixing with children from differing backgrounds and participating in activities which may not have been available to them before. The emphasis is on fun, fun and fun. Qualified staff members achieve this in a safe, controlled environment.

hope you will bring this great opportunity to the notice of the eligible students of your school. If you require any further information please contact me on one of the phone numbers listed below.

Thank you for your help in spreading the word about the Portsea Camp 2016.

Noel Tinney Portsea Camp Co-ordinator for the Rotary Club of Yarrawonga-Mulwala.

Phone: 03 5744 1995 (please leave a message if I am not available).

Mobile: 0427 550 923 Email: jentinney@gmail.com

# Portsea Can anuary 2

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

#### Vacancies exist for children

to participate in the Portsea Children's Camp January 19th. - 25th. 2016.

#### Requirements:-

- red to have a great time with others be prepa
- be aged 9 12 years old
   be prepared to be away from parents for 7 days
- should be ready for excitement, adventure and mateship
   fill in an application form available from Noel Tinney.
- Phone Noel on 03 5744 1995 or 0427 550 923and leave a message or send an email to jentinney@gmail.com
- · Total cost \$327 per child, which is broken down to
  - \$35 subsidy by the Rotary Club of Yarrawonga-Mulwala \$292 to be paid by the child's parents.

For any inquires or application forms, contact Noel Tinney Phone 03 5744 1995, 0427 550 923 or email

jentinney@gmail.com A project supported by the Rotary Club of Yarrawonga-Mulwala.

Portsea Camp Portsea Camp Portsea Camp \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

#### The Portsea Camp. - Summer holiday on a budget.

The Portsea Camp, as a long history of providing exciting holidays for school children who may not have an opportunity for a holiday with their peers. The Camp is situated on 2.8 hectares of securely fenced land on the bay beach at Portsea. The Portsea Camp offers a safe residential holiday experience for 9 to 12 year old children. It is accredited by the Camping Association of Victoria, and is fully supervised by responsible adults, with a ratio of less than 1 adult to every 10 children. There is a medical team available on site 24 hours a day with all Recreational Officers trained in first aid. Meals are provided by an extensive kitchen which serves healthy, nutritious meals, as well as catering for special diets.

What activities are available?

You may choose riding the giant swing or the flying fox, abseiling from the old fort, climbing on a purpose built boulder wall, archery, discos, concerts (your acts), helicopter rescue and CFA demonstration, cricket, football, giant slide, tug-o-war, Star Wars game, orienteering, mountain-bike riding, and much, much more. Who can go?

The camp is open to schoolchildren aged 9 to 12 years who want to have a good time. It is aimed at those children who would not normally be able to have a holiday. The camp provides a special opportunity for children of similar ages to enjoy a holiday together in a safe, supervised environment. Children who have been pampered at home may not like the camp as they are required to be self sufficient and able to do things for themselves. The children are encouraged to mix with others and to create their own entertainment. Computer games, videos and other forms of pre-packaged entertainment are not welcomed at the camp.

Who looks after you? Who looks after you?

Counselors are the adults with most contact with the children. They are responsible for the well being and Counselors are the adults with most contact with the children. They are responsible for the well being and day to day needs of a group of children They make sure the children get to meals on time, keep their but clean and tidy, organize groups for different activities and help with any problems the children may have. Recreational officers organize and supervise the activities for the children to participate in. They are trained and qualified and attend up to 5 camps a year. All counselors and recreation officers are now required to have a Working with Children card.

#### How do you get there?

Bus travel to and from the camp is included in the cost. Buses usually leave Yarrawonga about 7.30am and arrive back about 3pm. The buses are usually tourist coaches giving a very comfortable trip each way. Counselors are present on the bus to help organize entertainm ent and refreshments

What is the cost?

The summer camps are designed for children who would not normally get a holiday. The cost is set at a much lower level than the regular cost of a camp there. Costs have risen marginally this year. There is a camp fee of \$327, which includes bus fare, hat and T-shirt. However the Rotary Club of Yarrawonga-Mulwala has decided to contribute \$35 per student. This will mean the camp will cost parents \$292 per child

#### When is the camp?

The Yarrawonga group is booked into the third camp for 2016. This is from Tuesday January 19th, to Monday January 25th, 2016.

When do applications close?

Applications close on Saturday 14th. November, 2015. Remember there are a limited number of places available.

Who do you contact?

The Rotary Club of Yarrawonga-Mulwala is acting as the coordinating body for this area. The club accepts The Rotary Club of Yarrawonga-Mulwala is acting as the coordinating body for this area. The club accepts all applications from students and counselors. All camp fees are paid to the Rotary Club who then forwards them to the Portsea camp in one payment. Rotarian Noel Tinney is the contact person to answer all inquires. Application forms and further information can be organized by contacting Noel by phone 03 5744 1995, mobile 0427 550 923, or email <a href="mailto:inclumentalismoscopics">inclumentalismoscopics</a> Please leave your name and contact phone number if Noel is not available.

