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We show Respect,

We are Fair,

We are Learners.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Mon 27 th Aug	-School Council Meeting 7pm
Tue 28 th Aug	-Arts Festival 23LC, 23P & 4H
Wed 29 th Aug	-Father's Day Stall
Thu 30 th Aug	-Arts Festival F1A, F1K, 56BS & 56E -Student Banking
Fri 31 st Aug	-Cross Country Skiing -Hot Lunch
Mon 3 rd Sep	-Book club orders close
Wed 5 th Sep	-School Athletics
Fri 7 th Sep	-Cross Country Skiing Back Up day
Wed 12 th Sep	-State T-Ball
Fri 14 th Sep	-Supatramp Fundraiser
Mon 17 th Sep	-District Athletics
Fri 21 st Sep	-Last Day Term 3 – 2.30pm finish
Mon 24 th Sept-Fri 5 th Oct	- Vacation Care Operating
Mon 8 th Oct	-First day of Term 4
Fri 12 th Oct	-Upper Hume Division Athletics
Fri 19 th Oct	-Regional Athletics

Hot Lunch

Friday 31st August

Chicken Burger

Yr. 5/6 students skiing

Cost \$3.50

Orders need to be sent to school in a named paper bag with the student's class on it by 3.30 Wednesday

Helpers for this week

Rikki Treptow, Alicia Quaglio, Hannah Glanville & Natasha Schultz

Artwork of the Week

Year 2/3 have been making imaginative worlds inspired by Dr Seuss! Candy World by Zac Spargo, Lachi O'Sullivan, Lachie Korn and Niamh Stanyer. You might find them this week at the Wodonga Arts Festival.



Assembly Helpers
Cody Frank & Taya Waller

Principal's News

This week our Yr. 3 & 5 students will be sitting the online NAPLAN test. This is a technical readiness test and is not going to influence scores, grades or anything to do with curriculum. The test will not even be marked. By 2020 all schools will be conducting NAPLAN online and we are scheduled to begin in 2019. This week's test is simply to iron out any bugs in the system. We will be encouraging children to use the test as just another learning task – conducted in the NAPLAN test conditions. This readiness test is being undertaken by all schools sometime in the lead up to going online. As for the 'real' NAPLAN tests – I am assuming the results will be made available to you and the school soon.

This week our children will take part in the Wodonga Schools Arts Festival. This takes place at Galvin Hall, Wodonga Senior Secondary College. Yrs. 2/3 & 4 will be performing in the 11:30+ session on Tuesday and F/1 & 5/6 students will be performing in the 11:30+ session on Thursday. Family and friends are invited to attend. There is a small charge for entry at the door.

Congratulations to the seniors, teachers and parents who had a great day on the ski slopes last Friday. The weather was glorious and a great time was had. Thanks to the staff and parents who supervised on the day.

Michael Edwards
Principal

School News

School Athletics Carnival

The Athletics Carnival is fast approaching. Please ensure all permission forms are returned and specify whether or not your child is travelling by bus or car.

The event timetable is included in the newsletter for your perusal. The parents who have kindly offered assistance with age groups, some information will be sent home closer to the day.

Also, Stace is in need of some assistance with setting up hurdles (around 9:30am on the day) and 2-3 official timers/place givers for the running events. If these jobs tickle your fancy, could you please contact the school.

Skiing

We had a wonderful day at Falls Creek on Friday with beautiful sunshine and snow. Our Cross Country skiing day is scheduled for this Friday – at this stage the weather isn't looking too good but fingers crossed it is.



Music News

A huge thank you to family & staff in our school community who have generously donated instruments to our Music Department over the years. Your gifts are greatly appreciated and certainly well used. Jenny



Pictured is Amy with a Marimba donated by Kylie & Lyndon Schilling. Tess with a Bongo donated by Angie Vincent, Chelsea with a Guitar donated by Kerri Styan & Ollie with a Piano Accordion donated by Claire Kellaway.

School News cont..

Vacation Care

The Vacation Care program will be operating during the school holidays from Monday 24th September to Friday 5th October except for Friday 28th September due to the Grand Final Public Holiday.

The program is included with the newsletter tonight. Bookings can be made through the office. Remember if you are booking in for an excursion day a permission form needs to be completed.

Family Statements

Statements will be sent home this week. Please pay any outstanding amounts as soon as possible. Thank you.

French Word of the Week

Bonjour,

This week's French word is '*marionnette*' - which is a translation for 'puppet'.

A few classes are making and using puppets in French this term in order to convey stories to one another.

Here is an insight into the origin of the word:

The "*Marionnette*"

The French term "*marionnette*" has a religious origin. Called *mariole* or *mariolette* during the Middle Ages, then *marionnette* by the mid-16th century, the word referred to the figurines and small effigies of the Virgin Mary – hence the equivalence to "*petite Marie*" (little Mary) – that were present in churches, streets, processions, and that were used for public worship. Little by little the term was applied to all kinds of animated figures intended for entertainment.

Elsewhere the clergy used statuettes moved by springs, wheels or strings, to instruct the faithful who were often illiterate, and to make the holy figures seem more real.



This Wednesday, 31st August, Junior School Council will be holding a Father's Day stall during recess.

There is a great range of gifts available to purchase.

All gifts are \$3 and \$5

All money raised will be donated to the Yackandandah Men's Shed.

Achievement Awards

- Ivy Edwards** for consistent positivity and enthusiasm for learning.
Imogen Rolfe for great improvement during our unit on addition. Well done!
Zachary Spargo for developing initiative in checking his work independently.
Oliver Boddenberg for a positive attitude toward achieving challenges and tasks.
Flynn Graham for excellent participation in writing and performing an Aesop's Fable play.
Tess Griska for excellent co-operative skills working in a team.
Cameron McIntosh for working hard to write more neatly with correct letter formation.
Tarn Charles-Jones for always being organised and getting started on work quickly.
Willow Anderson for showing a real interest in your learning and making decisions that help you learn best.



SUPA TRAMP

Fundraiser

School Council is organising a fundraising afternoon at Supatramp in Wodonga on Friday September 14 between 4 and 6pm.

The cost is \$25 per participant, of which \$10 goes to the school.

Supervision will be by Supatramp staff but each child will need to have a nominated adult at the centre, that is, if parents are not staying at Supatramp they'll just need to organise another parent to be responsible for their child.

\$25 per child should be paid to the school by September 7. We hope to see you there!



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Tuesday 4 Sept 2018

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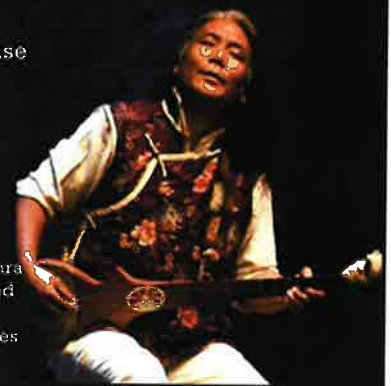
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Tenzin Choegyal, Sangeet Mishra and Shen Flindell, three talented artists from Tibetan and Indian traditions, Raga Shambhala takes the audience on a musical journey to the Himalayas and beyond.



NEW BATTERY / SOLAR OFFER

Totally Renewable Yackandandah has partnered with the Mondo Power Community Energy Program to provide a second solar panel and/or battery offer for residents and businesses.

Want to know more?

Attend one of the following information sessions where TRY and Mondo Power will be providing more information and answering your questions.

Place:

Yackandandah Public Hall

Information session times:

Wednesday the 5th of Sept,
11:30am for a 12:00pm start

Wednesday the 5th of Sept,
6:30pm for a 7:00pm start

Light refreshments provided

RSVP: By 31st of August please email info@mondopower.com.au

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EVENT TIMETABLE – ATHLETICS CARNIVAL 2018

9.45 All competitors sit in their age groups and listen to “welcome”, ready to move to first events

TIME	HIGH	HURDLES	SHOT	LONG	DISTANCE	DISCUS	TRIPLE	SPRINT
10.00	11 Girls & Boys	12/13 Girls & Boys	5/6 Girls & Boys Soft-shot	Nil	7 Girls Boys 120m	8 Boys Girls Vortex	9/10 Girls	9/10 Boys 100m
10.30	9/10 Boys	11 Girls & Boys	12/13 Girls & Boys 3kg	5/6 Girls & Boys	Nil	7 Girls Boys Vortex	8 Boys Girls (break)	9/10 Girls 100m
11.00	9/10 Girls	9/10 Boys	11 Girls & Boys 2kg	12/13 Girls & Boys	5/6 Girls & Boys 120m	Nil	7 Girls Boys (break)	8 Boys Girls 75m
11.30	8 Boys Girls	9/10 Girls	9/10 Boys 2kg	11 Girls & Boys	12/13 Girls & Boys 200m	5/6 Girls & Boys Vortex	Nil	7 Girls Boys 75m

12.00	7 Girls Boys	8 Boys Girls (break)	9/10 Girls 2kg	9/10 Boys	11 Girls & Boys 200m	12/13 Girls & Boys 750g	5/6 Girls & Boys (break)	Nil
12.30	Nil	7 Girls Boys (break)	8 Boys Girls Soft- shot	9/10 Girls	9/10 Boys 200m	11 Girls & Boys 750g	12/13 Girls & Boys	5/6 Girls & Boys 60m
1.00	5/6 Girls & Boys (Relays)	Nil	7 Girls Boys Soft-shot	8 Boys Girls	9/10 Girls 200m	9/10 Boys 500g	11 Girls & Boys	12/13 Girls & Boys 100m
1.30	12/13 Girls & Boys	6 Girls & Boys (break)	Nil	7 Girls Boys	8 Boys Girls 200m	9/10 Girls 500g	9/10 Boys	11 Girls & Boys 100m
2.00	All events finished							
2.15	Clean up, assembly and present trophy to winning house. Thank volunteers!							
2.30	Back on buses. Students leaving with a parent must see classroom teacher so all students are accounted for.							

Please note: Running events will be started in the following order...

1. Sprint
2. Distance
3. Hurdles

Distance and hurdles may be 15 to 20 minutes later than advertised time.

Holidays

Sept/Oct 2018

<p>Mon 24th</p> <p>CHILLOUT DAY</p>  <p>Run, jump, draw, dance, read, build, & relax</p>	<p>Tues 25th</p> <p>Flyaway Gymnastics Albury \$30 + Lunch at Sunnison Gardens</p> 	<p>Wed 26th</p> <p>Paint a self-portrait or abstract painting on canvas</p> 	<p>Thurs 27th</p> <p>Footy Frenzy Dress in your sport colours & play footy</p> 	<p>Fri 28th</p> <p>CLOSED Grand Final Holiday Go Tigers!!!!</p>
<p>Mon 1st Oct</p> <p>Free Play Choices of all your favourite indoor & outdoor activities</p>  <p>Whiterslack 175204255</p>	<p>Tues 2nd</p> <p>Construction Day Use your imagination, Take your built item home</p> 	<p>Wed 3rd</p> <p>STUFFLERS \$17</p> 	<p>Thurs 4th</p> <p>Movie-Albury \$30 & Noreuil Park</p> 	<p>Fri 5th</p> <p>Isaacs Park & Sausage Sizzle</p>  <p>Whiterslack 175204255</p>

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