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DATES TO REMEMBER

Tue 30 th Oct	-Ringwood SC Orchestra Performance
Wed 31 st Oct	-Foundation Transition Day 9-11am
Wed 31 st Oct-Fri 2 nd Nov	-Yr. 3/4 Melbourne camp
Thu 1 st Nov	-Student Banking
Fri 2 nd Nov	-Hot Lunch
Mon 5 th Nov	-Pupil Free Day
Tue 6 th Nov	-Melbourne Cup Public Holiday
Wed 7 th Nov	-Kanga 8's
Thu 8 th Nov	-Cricket Clinics Yrs. F - 4
Sun 11 th Nov	-Billy Cart Race
Mon 12 th Nov	-Finance meeting 5.30pm
Tue 13 th Nov	-Kindergarten meeting
Wed 14 th Nov	-Foundation Transition Day
Mon 19 th Nov-Thu 22 nd Nov	- School Swimming Program
Mon 26 th Nov-Thu 29 th Nov	-Yr 4/5 Sovereign Hill Camp
Tue 27 th Nov	-Great Victorian Bike Ride

Hot Lunch

Friday 2nd November

BLT

Cost is \$3.50 and orders need to be received at school by 3.30pm Wednesday.

Helpers for this week

Rikki Treptow, Alyce Pritchard, Bianca Wilson & Tracee Martin

Thank you to all the people who have offered to assist this term. The updated roster is attached to the newsletter.

Artwork of the Week

Claire and her 'Hark, it's me, Ruby Lee' character!



Assembly Helpers

Tara Nolan & Luke McAuliffe

Principal's News

Well done to the students and staff on a terrific school concert last Friday evening. The evening show was a full house and the crowd seemed to enjoy the show.

The Yr. 3&4 students leave for the Melbourne Urban Camp this Wednesday morning. They will be accompanied by Lauren, Carly and myself. Also helping out will be Elle Walker and Jo Beer. We are grateful for their help. It is a busy itinerary and there will be some very tired people returning to school Friday afternoon.

We are in the process of finalising details for 2019. It is helpful to know final student numbers as early as possible to help with this. If you know of any students who are planning to come to our school but have not yet enrolled, please encourage them to do so. Similarly, if you are moving away from the area (or to another school) please let us know as soon as you can.

At last Friday's assembly we introduced the new school shirt. It is similar in design to the current shirt, with a couple of white highlights. The new shirt is cotton lined and should be available from Brunella's School wear at some time this week. I would like to assure everyone that the shirts currently being worn by children are perfectly fine to keep wearing until they wear out. We are only asking that new shirts be bought when you reach the stage of needing a new one.

Principal's News



Michael Edwards
Principal

School News

Ringwood Secondary School Regional Music Tour

Yack Primary students are very fortunate to have Ringwood Secondary College music groups visit Yackandandah as part of their regional Victorian tour. An array of bands, choirs, soloists and orchestral groups will perform at a concert in the Yack Public Hall **this Tuesday at 9:30 for a one hour concert for all Yack Primary students.**

Ringwood Secondary College has a renowned music department and their music groups tour nationally and internationally. This is the second time the school has visited and the concert five years ago was brilliant!! As the concert is across the road in the Hall, permission for the excursion has been granted in the blanket Yack township permission forms signed at the beginning of the year. There is no charge for the concert.

Parents, younger siblings and friends are most welcome to attend!!
Jenny

Kanga 8's Cricket Carnival

This year we are sending 2 teams to the Kanga 8 carnival which is being held at the Baranduda Recreation Reserve on Wednesday, 7th November. Permission forms have been sent home with the students tonight and need to be returned to school by this Friday. Cost is \$10 per student.

Student Absences

Thank you to all the families who have been emailing or calling the school when their children are absent. We are now only having a few unexplained absences each week.

Late Arrivals/Early Departures

A reminder that if your child is late for school or leaving early they need to be signed in/out at the office by a parent or guardian.

School News

Pupil Free Days

Monday 5th November and Friday 21st December are Pupil Free days. OSHC will be operating on these days. If you would like to make a booking place contact the office.

Walk to School Month

October is Walk to School/Ride to School month and it has been great to see so many students walking and riding to school Flynn's idea was to become friends with the magpies! He thought that some bread on his cable ties might make them friendly. Unfortunately it didn't work and he had to run the gauntlet.



31st October – Saoirse Beatty
2nd November – Ella Owers

School News

News from the Art room

Last Tuesday during Art, students in 5/6 visited our local Opportunity Shops to collect 'lost things'. The students had fun visualising how their found objects might be transformed into creatures, inspired by author/illustrator Shaun Tan. Many items were donated and it was great watching all the bargains being purchased! Thank you to the Community Op Shop and the Re-Creations Op Shop for opening up and welcoming us.



This week we are visiting the Sluga Gallery during Art to watch a painting demonstration by artist Charles Sluga. We will be walking down the street and watching the demonstration in Charles Sluga's studio and gallery. Any Parents with a valid Working with Children Check are most welcome to join us for what will be an incredible experience!

Caz

Yackandandah Billy Cart Race

The big race is taking place on Sunday, 11th November and it's not too late to get your entry in – entry forms are available from the school office and attached to this email.

This is a great event for the family and a terrific way to spend a Sunday morning. Scrutineering will be at 8am with racing commencing at 9.00am and concluding at 1.30pm. With thrilling speeds and potential spills around every corner, this year's event will be edge of your seat stuff!

The Box Billy Cart Race for the Foundation & Year 1 students is also a terrific event and many of the students are looking forward to their opportunity to put their box-creations to the test. Their race will be at **12 noon** so bring them along, have something to eat, and enjoy the action.

Thank you to those people who have offered to help out on the day. We still need a lot more helpers - much of the success of the day is due to people pitching in. A help sheet is attached, if you would like to assist on the day please return the form or see Sandra.

Straw Bales

After the Billy Cart Race we will have straw bales for sale for \$6 each or \$7 if you would like them delivered (40 or more ordered).

The straw needs to be paid for prior to the day and collected after the races are finished (approximately 2pm).

A straw order form is attached or alternatively just call into the school office.



The Great Victorian Bike Ride is passing through Yack, and there's \$\$ to be made.

On Tuesday 27th November, over 3,000 bike riders will cycle into Yackandandah for a quick break. Yackandandah Primary School is the mornings' official designated rest stop" for that day's ride.

Let's take advantage of this fantastic opportunity!

Our plan is to run stalls selling "quick-grab" healthy food & drink snacks to the riders. We'd like both parents and children to get involved. It will be fun!

The plan is supported by the school's Health & Well Being Team. Funds raised will go towards purchasing equipment to provide our kids with some fun, physical activities for indoors on rainy days.

So how can you help!

Later this week, we'll be asking parents how you and your kids can get involved – either through cooking, or helping with the stalls. You may even be interested in coordinating a class's effort? Have a think and let us know.

Thanks, Kate Purnell.

Achievement Awards

Vanessa Williams for excellent effort in her investigation of a Ladybug.
Saoirse Beatty for a positive attitude and 100% enthusiasm in all she does.
Ella Owers for excellent recognition of onomatopoeia in imaginative texts and poetry.
Remy Lane for an outstanding attitude towards learning in all areas.
Hugh Mason for great enthusiasm during our poetry unit. Well done, Hugh.
Will Enright for excellent research and writing of information texts.
Cody Frank for excellent use of strategies in solving addition and subtraction problems.
Hamish Murray for showing great care and attention to detail in his letter to Sovereign Hill.
Kai Schlup-Carson for working hard to catch up with work missed due to his extended holiday.
Ben Hardisty for being a responsible computer monitor.
Owen Overall for always having a happy and positive attitude to learning.
Stella Brinsdon for going above and beyond in our end of year concert.
Liam Wall for encouraging sharing and "fair go" during lunchtime play.
Jayde Pritchard for developing a positive approach to class activities and always working hard.
Lily Schultz for always being a helpful class member when other need assistance.
Cameron McIntosh for a fantastic week of numeracy fluency when focusing on finding quarters.



Community News

Yackandandah Community Centre

Museums Tour




Part of the October Victorian Seniors Festival
 & Indigo Shire Ageing Well Connect

Thursday, November 1

From 9:30am, returning at approx 4pm

Join the tour from Yackandandah and visit:
 Yackandandah Museum, Chiltern Athenaeum and
 Burke Museum in Beechworth.

Lunch will be at the Chiltern Bakery. 
 Alternatively, attend just one museum tour:

-  Yackandandah at 9:30am
-  Chiltern at 11:45am
-  or Beechworth at 2:30pm

VENUE: Yackandandah Community Centre,
 29 High Street, Yackandandah



COST: Lunch at your own cost:
 Pastry & drink for \$8, or sandwich & drink for \$9.

RSVP AND ENQUIRIES: David on 02 6027 1743

Transport options from other towns possible. Please discuss with David.

Shoes with a Purpose.



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 22 Dandenong St South, Dandenong VIC 3166
 Tel: (03) 5202 4200

Bellica Bundoora
 Shop 4, 714 Dandenong Rd, Bundoora VIC 3085
 Tel: (03) 9375 2428

Bellica Broadmeadows
 147 Chesham Rd, Broadmeadows VIC 3121
 Tel: (03) 9328 7165

Bellica Emerald Hill
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 Tel: (03) 9878 2711

Bellica Geelong
 188 Poplar St, Geelong VIC 3220
 Tel: (03) 5221 8545

Bellica Chiltern
 42C Alham St, Chiltern VIC 3437
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 Shop 1/151-152 Parnoo Hwy, Ballarat VIC 3200
 Tel: (03) 9372 2181

Bellica Melbourne
 280 George Street, Melbourne VIC 3002
 Tel: (03) 5128 2165

Bellica Phillipston
 1/55 Ross Hill Rd, Phillipston VIC 3810
 Tel: (03) 5941 4180

Bellica Mansfield
 8/13 Connaught Rd, Mansfield VIC 3712
 Tel: (03) 5477 1277

Bellica Werriang
 16A Seymour St, Werriang VIC 3644
 Tel: (03) 5118 5877

Bellica Warragul
 Shop 5-6 William Square, Warragul VIC 3820
 Tel: (03) 5622 2500

Bellica Wodonga
 94 High St, Wodonga VIC 3680
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 Tel: (03) 8189 5400

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**HOT LUNCH
MENU & ROSTER
TERM 4 2018**

Please remember – lunch is at 11am so please be in the school kitchen by **9am**.
Thank you for your support.

DATE	MEAL	HELPERS	
26 th October	3 steamed Dim Sims	Alicia Quaglio Hannah Glanville-Jones	Natalie O'Connell
2 nd November	BLT	Rikki Treptow Bianca Wilson	Alyce Pritchard Tracee Martin
9 th November	Sausage Roll/ Vegetarian roll	Rikki Treptow Hannah Glanville-Jones	Vanessa Page Michelle Croker
16 th November	Egg & Bacon Roll	Renae Walsh Alicia Quaglio	Tennille McIntosh Vanessa Page
23 rd November	Potato Fritter	Rikki Treptow Hannah Glanville-Jones	Vanessa Page Renae Walsh
30 th November	Chicken Burger	Rikki Treptow Kate Rooney	Alyce Pritchard Andrew Wilson
7 th December	Pizza	Rikki Treptow Alyce Pritchard	Renae Walsh Clare Kellaway
14 th December	Hamburger	Rikki Treptow Paul Anderson	Alicia Quaglio Clare Kellaway

Billy Cart Roster

Straw Collection from Rutherglen - Trailers & Utes Needed	Saturday 8am - 1pm	Dave McIntosh	Helpers needed	
Setting up Track/straw bales	Sunday 6.30-8am	Phil Edwardes Craig Brinsdon	Geoff Barrows Ben Stagg	Dave McIntosh Helpers needed
Starting line on day	9 - 10am	Richard Stamp	Helpers needed	
	10 - 11am	Helpers needed		
	11 - 12 noon	Helpers needed		
	12 - 1pm	Helpers needed		
Starter	All Day	Helper needed		
Timer	All day	Sandra McKibbin	Bec Stamp	Bron Nolan
Announcer	All day	Helper needed		
Photographer	All day	Helper needed		
First Aid	All day	Marty O'Sullivan		
Finishing Line/Hook carts to 4 wheelers	10 - 11am	Michelle Croker	Julia Brinsdon-Farr	
	11-12 noon	Lily McPherson	Geoff Barrows	
	12 noon - 1pm	Lily McPherson	Geoff Barrows	
Quad Bike/4 wheeler drivers & supply of vehicles	All day	Colin Thornton	Suzanne McIntosh	
Co-ordinate food stall	All day	Rikki Treptow		
Set up food stall & start cooking	8 - 10am	Helpers needed		
Food Service/BBQ cook/fairy floss	10 - 11am	Renae Walsh Vanessa Page (9-11)	Natalie O'Connell	Sharla Muller
	11am - 12 noon	Renae Walsh	Sharla Muller	Sarah McAlister
	12 noon - 1pm	Helpers needed		
	1pm-2pm	Meg Salter	Julia Brinsdon-Farr	
Donation of Eggs (for egg & bacon rolls)	Drop off to school prior to the day	Denita James Hillier (2), Renae Walsh, Kate Rooney		
Making a slice, muffin or cupcakes for stall	Drop off to school prior to the day or first thing in the morning	Emilie Owers (2)	Sarah McAlister	Kate Stagg
Cutting up Onions	Prior to Sunday	Emilie Owers	Kate Rooney	Louise Thornton
		Suzanne McIntosh		
Pack Up	2.00pm onwards	Richard Stamp	Bec Stamp	Gary Paull
		Vanessa Page	Helpers needed	

THE ANNUAL GREAT YACKANDANDAH BILLY CART RACE

Sunday 11th November, 2018

PROUDLY SUPPORTED & ORGANISED BY THE YACKANDANDAH PRIMARY SCHOOL

Well it's now time to organise your team and Billy Cart design and pluck up the courage to tackle the hills of Yack, in our annual Great Yackandandah Billy Cart race. But firstly here are a few ground rules to get the event off to a safe start.

1. Your cart must have a fully functioning brake system that operates on at least two wheels and is independent from the steering system. If cart has rope steering it must also be steerable with feet so that when the brakes need to be applied the driver will still have full steering control.
2. Your cart must be no more than 1200mm wide.
3. Your cart must have a tow hook for attaching to be pulled up the hill – no hook? No tow! It's a long push up that hill!
4. The weight of your cart must not exceed 60 kg (not including driver) and the braking system must be in proportion to the weight. (In other words the heavier it is the better your brakes have to be)
5. Your cart must have a minimum of 4 wheels.
6. Braking by the use of any body parts is prohibited and will lead to disqualification. Braking systems will be carefully checked in 20178.
7. All Races will begin with a 'NO PUSH' start.
8. Brakes must be applied to stop – if the driver uses the safety barriers to stop their time will not count
9. Any decorative attachments or junk added to try and impress judges has to be securely attached. If any parts become dislodged during the race you will be disqualified.
10. The safety of the carts will be checked prior to racing.
11. Full protective clothing must be worn. This will include full face helmet, gloves, fully covered skin (old overalls would be great), and fully covered shoes. Your safety gear will be scrutineered the same time as your cart.
12. No driving will be permitted if the driver is deemed to be under the influence of any performance enhancing substances, or performance inhibiting substances.
13. Prize categories on the day. The judges' decision is final.
14. Sponsorship for individual teams is allowed but to be organised by each team.
15. More rules may be made up at the organisers' discretion.
16. The organisers reserve the right to disallow any entrant or billy cart without having to justify their decision.
17. All entrants enter this billy cart race at their own risk.
18. Scrutineering for pre-approved (or pre-raced carts) on the day. For new carts a scrutineering appointment must be made prior to the day with Dave McAuliffe on 0428271547.

ENTRANTS PARTICIPATE AT THEIR OWN RISK AND MUST SIGN A WAIVER – ALL U18 MUST HAVE WAIVER SIGNED BY PARENT/ GUARDIAN

THE ANNUAL GREAT YACKANDANDAH BILLY CART RACE

ENTRY FORM

Team Name _____

Contact phone number _____

Team members

_____ Age as at 11/11/18 _____

_____ Age as at 11/11/18 _____

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Preschool and Foundation (An adult and child race with child attached by a rope or pole and parent running very fast behind)

Name _____ Age as at 11/11/18 _____

New Event Traditional Billy Cart Racers (Primary School children only) – separate fee and cart for this race (ie you can't race the same cart as major run) \$5 per child

Name _____ School year 2018 _____

Entry fee is: \$5 per child
\$10 per adult
\$30 per family (2 adults 3 children max)

I have enclosed.....entry fee.

Please remember this is a fundraiser event for Yackandandah Primary School– all additional donations gratefully accepted

STRAW ORDER FORM

I would like to purchase.....straw bales @ \$6 per bale. I understand that I need to collect them at the end of the Billy Cart Race on Sunday 12th November.

I would like to purchase.....straw bales(minimum 40 bales) @ \$7 per bale and have delivered to.....

Please find enclosed \$.....

Name.....

Phone Number(number which you can be contacted on that day)