Education Week Photos

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PRINCIPAL’S REPORT:

Thank you to all parents and community members who were involved in our Leaders Morning Tea, Service and Open Classroom visits during Education Week last week. Our student leaders organised several activities for the students during the week. Well done!

Congratulations to our Primary staff and students who competed at the Wellington Eisteddfod on Tuesday. See our list of our results in this week’s newsletter. We were all privileged to have Year 5/6 perform their speech for us at assembly on Friday. It was amazing – they came 1st in this category!

If you are aware of any family or friends that may be moving to our area to start the school year in 2015 please contact the school so we can send them an information pack. We are taking enrolments now for Kindergarten to Year 12.

Good luck to our Year 12 students who are sitting their Trial HSC examinations over the next two weeks.

Nicole Bliss
Principal

Whole School Assembly:
Friday 8 August, 1pm in the School Hall.

COMING EVENTS:

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SPORT NEWS:

Congratulations to Corey Furminger who recently competed at the Western Area Athletics championships in Bathurst. He competed in the long jump, 400m and 800m. Corey performed extremely well and came 1st in the region for the 400m and 800m. This means that Corey will now represent Western Area in Athletics at the NSWCHS Athletics championships in Homebush. He is a dual Western Area Representative this year as represented at cross country and will now be part of the athletics team.

Wellington Eisteddfod
Verse Speaking Results

First place
5/6 Verse Speaking
5/6 Original Work by a school group

Second Place
K/1/2 Verse Speaking
Yeoval Improveables - Impromptu
Improvisation Group

Highly Commended
3/4 Verse Speaking
Yeoval Stage Monkeys - Impromptu
Improvisation Group
CHANGES TO STAGE FOUR AND STAGE FIVE ENGLISH ASSESSMENT TASKS

To better align with the introduction of the new English curriculum, it has been necessary to adjust the assessments for both stages in term three. Stage four will be submitting an online magazine task in Week 10, instead of the original task which was due in Week 9. Stage Five will submit a visual text/oral explanation in Week 6 and a discussion piece in Week 10. Please contact either Mrs Johnson or Mrs Tremain if you have any concerns.

HSC INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY

Industrial Technology raises students’ awareness of the interaction between technology, industry, society and the environment, and to develop their ability to make value judgements arising from this interaction. Students apply practical experiences to the study of the technology, management and organisation of industry.

Students are currently producing Major Projects and Planning Folios including a timber cabinet, queen size bed, bar unit and a timber chair to be submitted for marking early in Term 3. We have also travelled to Dubbo to study some local businesses. I would like to thank Ramien’s Timber, Bender Kitchens and Granny’s House for their support.

WAP METAL AND ENGINEERING

Metal and Engineering Students have been highly engaged through challenging practical projects that have incorporated the use of hand and power tools this semester. Students across the Western Access Program have created a tool box from sheet metal, a tool maker’s clamp and begun creating a collapsible shovel. These projects have challenged students to continually improve their use of measuring and marking skills as well as hand tool manipulation. Similarly theoretical work completed during video conferences has complimented the practical aspects of this course. Late last term many Year 11 and 12 students completed work placement which provides them with hands on experience in the industry. This experience ranges from the creation of steel framework for the construction industry to agricultural fabrication and repair. Work placement provides students with a snap shot of daily life in the Metal and Engineering industry and allows them to make better decisions about future career aspirations.

(Right: Charles Iffland and Cody McConnell showing off some of their projects completed this semester in Metal and Engineering.)
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Weekly Awards

ASSEMBLY:

Primary Class of the Week:
All classes!
For their excellent performance at the Eisteddfod.

Secondary Class of the Week:
Year 7/8 Standard English.
For their outstanding effort in class.

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK:

Years K/1
Brooke Haycock.
For being a great contributor in all class activities.

Years 2/3/4:
Thomas Haycock.
His enthusiastic and mature approach to his learning.

Years 4/5/6:
Dusty Millis.
For embracing the challenges presented in performing in Choirs.

Years 7/8:
Taleah van Kemenade.
For her positive contribution during English.

Years 9/10:
Jessica Aramini.
For her consistent diligent effort in Mathematics.

Years 11/12:
Joshua Berney.
For his outstanding HSC Assessment Task for PDHPE.

Congratulations to the following students who received awards this week:

MERIT AWARDS:

Bronze: Thomas Haycock, Jordan Fitzgerald, Joshua Berney.
Silver: Joseph McClure, Brian Peacock, Taleah van Kemenade
Gold: Jake Baker, Hannah Taylor.

MATHLETICS:

Congratulations to the following students who received awards this week:

Bronze: Hin Yin Foster.
Silver: Boudicea Blatch

READING AWARDS:

100 Nights: Jacob Job.

PARENT INFORMATION

Parents can now access the school website to make payments online. Our website address is www.yeoval-c.schools.nsw.edu.au

LOOM BAND COMPETITION

Students are reminded to bring $5 this Wednesday, 6 August as entry into the P&C Loom Band competition during lunch time.
You will receive 1 loom board and 1 packet of bands. There are great prizes up for grabs!