Students had points that they had to follow, including:

- Brainstorm ideas
- Create 3 draft copies
- Draft an explanation of their ‘identity’ work
- Create a masterpiece
- Students could use the medium of their choice
- Students had to design and make a frame for their artwork

Students had to consider some questions during the process;

- Can your best friend or family identify you in your self-portrait?
- Is it unique like you?
- Are you expressing parts or all of you?
PRINCIPAL’S REPORT:

Congratulations to Darby Tremain, Jake Monk, Charlie Iffland and Caitlin Nuss who have all received early entry offers into University. Absolutely fantastic news and a credit to the students who worked exceptionally hard, and to the teaching staff, for their countless hours of support.

The P and C meeting for Tuesday has been moved back until the Tuesday 17 November with a venue to be announced.

Secondary exams and work placement for Year 11 students are on this week and I wish all the students involved all the very best. Hard work and dedication can produce wonderful results.

Scott Olsson
Principal Rlg

PAVERS

Last chance to purchase a commemorative paver. Our original order has arrived and the organisation for laying them is underway.

We will be placing a last chance order this Friday. Pavers are $25 each. We will only place another order if the minimum 100 pavers is reached.

Order forms are available from school or on the website.

Closing date will be Friday 13 Nov.

REMEMBRANCE DAY

Students will walk down to the Memorial Hall at 10:45am on Wednesday 11 November to participate in the Remembrance Day ceremony.

Students are to wear full school uniform. They will be returning to school after the ceremony has finished.

Any family or community members are most welcome to join us.
The Pozières French-Australian School Project
Gold Coin Donation Day, November 11

The Camp Gallipoli Foundation has been appointed with the responsibility of engaging with schools to assist the Pozières French-Australian Schools Project. Camp Gallipoli welcomes the opportunity for our school to be involved in this important act of kindness and mateship, as was the case nearly 100 years ago. It is an opportunity to maintain our unique Australian bond with Pozières, where so many ANZACs paid the ultimate sacrifice. Importantly, each individual’s contribution can create direct engagement with the events of 100 years ago by activating a living tribute in the minds of Australian school students today. All Australian schools participating in the Pozières French-Australian Schools Project will be acknowledged with their school’s name forever engraved on a plaque to be erected at the newly built Pozières School.

Our SRC would like all students to make a contribution to this very worthy cause. We are also asking the wider school community to make donations as well. These can be left at the school office.

After the horrors of Gallipoli in 1915, the Australian army found no reprieve on the Western Front of France and Belgium in 1916. The Battle of Pozieres was the Australians’ first battle in the Somme, France. Australian official historian Charles Bean, said that the Pozières ridge “is more densely sown with Australian sacrifice than any other place on earth.”

Over 6 weeks in July and August 1916, there were 23,000 Australian casualties at Pozieres amongst the 1st, 2nd and 4th Battalions, of which 6,700 soldiers were killed. This is nearly as many casualties and deaths that occurred over the entire 8 months of the Gallipoli campaign.

On 11 November 1993, soil from the Windmill site at Pozieres was cast over the coffin of Australia’s Unknown Soldier during his funeral at the Australian War Memorial in Canberra.

Pozieres is a small village in a rural farming district of France with similar undulating countryside to that around Yeoval. Its official population is also similar to Yeoval’s (238 in 2006). It was totally destroyed during the First World War, but was rebuilt afterwards.

A number of soldiers from the local area probably fought in the battle of Pozieres, including: William Leaver, Charles Gibson, Harold Sparkes and Arthur Kearney (Yeoval), William Hendrick (Obley), Arthur Johnston and Frederick Coram (Baldry).

KINDERGARTEN 2016 INFORMATION AFTERNOON
WEDNESDAY 11 NOVEMBER
4:30PM
KINDERGARTEN CLASSROOM
NB. Due to time constraints, there will not be a BBQ this year.

ASSESSMENTS DUE

Yr 7/8 Tech Mandatory, Metal Working Portfolio
Yr 7/8 Visual Arts, Cartoons/Pop Art
Yr 7/8 Tech Mandatory, ICT, Digital Media Project
Yr 9/10 Industrial Technology, Materials and Finishing
Yr 9/10 IST, Networking Analysis
Yr 9/10 Visual Arts, Installation and Contemporary Art
Congratulations to all the following students who have received awards this week.

**Class of the Week:**
- **Years K/1/2**
  For their sunsafe Claymation task.
- **Years 5/6**
  For showcasing our school beautifully at our special assembly.
- **Year 9/10 Geography**
  For outstanding work on population density
- **Year 9/10 IST**
  For application to assessment tasks and engagement in learning.

**MATHLETICS:**
- **Bronze:** Michael Hennock, Samara O’Neil, Adele Bishop, Daniel Fuller, Olivia Cameron, Jessica McClure, Lyndsey Tremain, Caleb McClure, Joshua McClure, Jayden Fox, Lucy Smith, Lillie Harvey, Talissa O’Neil, Douglas Philipson, Jackson Kenney x 2, Roudey Porch, Ailee Tremain, Bridget Smith, Hin Yin Foster x 2
- **Silver:** Thomas Haycock

**READING AWARDS:**
- **50 Nights:** Carleigh Baker, Elke Bishop
- **150 Nights:** Lyndsey Tremain

**MERIT AWARDS:**
- **Bronze:** Natasha Bennett, Harrison Finlay, Cooper Williams, Michael Woods
- **Silver:** Abilee Berney, Eliza Evans, Brooke Haycock, Keri Phillips, Alannah Van Kemenade
- **Gold:** Jessica McClure

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**2016 ACCESS CAMP**

2016 Year 11 and 12 students have been sent home medical and consent forms for the Access Camp being held in early 2016. This information is required by Sport and Recreation prior to all students attending. Please return these as soon as possible to assist us with our organisation.

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**2015 PEPPERCORN**

This year will see a special limited colour edition of the 2015 Peppercorn. These will be available for purchase at our School Presentation Night for $15. It will assist the school greatly in our ordering if you could notify the school with your intention to purchase.