

Newsletter



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Message from our Principals

Hello everyone,

One of the highlights of the school year for schools across Victoria has always been Book Week and that was certainly true here at Yubup yesterday. Our students participated in a whole school assembly, a Where's Wally picture hunt and some in class activities to help promote a love of reading across the school. Our staff and students all looked fantastic in their book week costumes and I would like to say a huge thank you to all the parents and carers who put in the time and effort to find, purchase or create costumes for our students this week. They all looked amazing and we really do appreciate it.

Parent Opinion Survey

We are pleased to invite every parent/guardian to complete our schools parent opinion survey. Your opinion is very important to us as it gives us valuable information on what we do well and what areas we could improve. Information about how to log into and complete the survey has been sent to all families via Compass. The survey will close soon, so please make sure you log on to complete it ASAP.

School Council Vacancy

We currently have a school council vacancy and are looking for a parent or carer to join school council in 2025. School council meets twice per term on Thursdays at 4pm and meetings go for an hour. If you are interested in this position and having a positive influence on our school, please contact our school office to register your interest.

Father's Day Drive Thru BBQ Breakfast

On Thursday the 4th of September we will be holding a 'drive thru' BBQ breakfast for all the Dad's in our school community. Our Dads will be invited to drive through our staff car park and pick up a sausage in bread for breakfast as recognition for the important role they play in our students lives. Sausages will all be Halal and will be available from 7.30am – 9am. We look forward to seeing all the dads in our school community for their drive thru breakfast on Friday morning.

Emergency Management Drill

Over the next few weeks we will be conducting our term 3 emergency management drill. This will be held towards the end of the week to provide our school with the opportunity to test our emergency management procedures.

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UPCOMING TERM 3 DATES

PLEASE PROVIDE CONSENT IN COMPASS

North Districts Athletics - Mon 25th Aug

Year 1 Swimming Program - Mon 25th Aug

Year 1 Swimming Program - Mon 1st Sep

Father's Day Drive-Through Breakfast
Thurs 4th September 7:30am - 8:30am

Father's Day Stall - Thurs 4th Sep

Bunnings BBQ Fundraiser - Sat 6th Sep

Year 1 Swimming Program - Mon 8th Sep

R U OK? Day - Thurs 11th Sep

Year 4 Media Studies Incursion - Fri 12th Sep

Year 1 Swimming Program - Mon 15th Sep

Foundation Bundoora Park Excursion
Group 1 (FA, FB, FC, FD & FE): Wed 17th Sep

Foundation Bundoora Park Excursion
Group 2 (FF, FG, FH & FI): Thurs 18th Sep

Year 1 Stay Late - Thurs 18th Sep

Year 2 Sleepover - Thurs 18th Sep

Sports Colours Dress-Up Day - Fri 19th Sep

Last Day Term 3: Fri 19th Sep, 2:15pm finish

We will notify you all when the drill is complete to let you know so you can chat about this to your child when they get home.

2026 Parent Requests and Considerations

We are now well and truly in the planning phase for the 2026 school year. As such, we are now providing families with an opportunity to submit confidential considerations IN WRITING for their child's classroom placement in 2026. Please note that these requests are not to be used for friendship group or specific teacher requests, but rather for raising concerns that may impact your child's learning or wellbeing.

Even if you have communicated these concerns in the past to us, please do so again to ensure that nothing is missed in this upcoming process.

While we will consider all requests, please understand that no guarantees can be made that we will be able to honour all requests. Additionally, if your consideration involves either a minor incident or a one-off incident that is historic, we cannot accommodate these requests.

These requests will remain open until the 5th of September. Any requests received after this date will not be considered, as the class formation process will begin immediately after.

Once class lists are created, no changes will be made.

Additionally, this year your child will also be listing "working buddies" they would like us to consider for their 2026 class placements.

Please remember to let the school know if you are not intending on staying with us in 2026 by Friday 6th of September so we can ensure accurate workforce planning.

Please email Ms. Natalie Cimarosti with any considerations at

Natalie.Cimarosti@education.vic.gov.au by the 6th September.

SunSmart

As you would be aware, as part of the Sun Smart Policy for schools, students must wear hats during terms 1 and 4. Changes to this policy are now in place to reflect important information provided by the Bureau of Meteorology in respect to the impact of UV levels reaching 3 or higher.

Daily sun protection times are forecast by the Bureau of Meteorology for the time-of-day UV levels are predicted to reach 3 or higher, based on location.

At these levels, sun protection is recommended for all skin types. In Victoria, UV levels typically reach 3 or higher daily from mid-August to the end of April.

To provide the best possible sun protection for our students, **hats are required to be worn from Monday 25th August.**

Hats are to be labelled with your child's full name please. From Monday the 25th of August, students without an appropriate hat will be asked to use shaded areas or suitable areas protected from the sun.

Finally, please remember, we always welcome and would love to hear any feedback you have about our school, so please feel free to pop in and see us or email us at ANY TIME at:

Maree.Moyle@education.vic.gov.au

Daniel.Taylor2@education.vic.gov.au

Natalie.Cimarosti@education.vic.gov.au

with any thoughts, concerns, feedback or suggestions that you may have to help continue to make our school a wonderful place to be, to grow and to learn. We will get back to you as soon as we can and really do appreciate any feedback that you have to share.

Have a great weekend ahead everyone!

Maree, Daniel & Nat

SCHOOL TERM DATES

Term 3: Last day of term, 19th September - 2:15pm dismissal

Term 4: 7th October - 18th December

STUDENT FREE DAYS NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS	PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS
Mon 6 th October Mon 3 rd Nov (Staff Professional Practice Day) Fri 19 th December	Thursday 27 th November

OTHER INFORMATION

School Hours & Before/After School Care

Classrooms open for soft start in the morning at 8:35am and school commences at 8:45am sharp. Students arriving after 8:45am are required to get a late pass from the office.

At the end of the school day, students are dismissed at 3:15pm daily.

If you are unable to pick up your child on time, please make alternate arrangements.

Team Kids is available for before and after school care bookings if you require.

Compass

Our school uses 'Compass School Manager' to communicate with families. This includes providing updates on important information, event consent & payments, attendance and school reports. It is important that all families are utilising this program, otherwise you will miss out on vital information. If you do not have your login details, please contact the office for assistance.

Lost Property

Please check the lost property box, located in the administration office, for your child's lost belongings.

Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club runs on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, from 8am-8:30am.

Breakfast Club is located in the kids kitchen, near the foundation playground. We offer toast, cereal and milk.

Foundation 2026

Foundation enrolments for 2026 were due to be submitted on Friday 25th July.

If you have a child due to commence school for 2026 and you have not yet submitted an enrolment form, please visit the school office to collect an enrolment pack asap. Please visit the school website 'Enrolment' page for further details.

Thank you for reading!

WELLBEING NEWSLETTER

Bullying – What It Is and How to Help Your Child

Bullying is more than the odd disagreement. It's when hurtful behaviour is repeated, deliberate, and involves a power imbalance. It can be physical, verbal, social (leaving others out), or online. The most important thing to remember it is repeated behaviours over time (not a once off incident of somebody being unkind.)

You can support your child by helping them build the skills to respond:

- Talk regularly so they know they can share what's happening.
- Practise calm, confident phrases like *"Stop It I don't like it"*. (see poster below)
- Encourage kindness and supportive friendships.
- Model positive ways to solve problems.
- Keep an eye on online use and talk about safe choices.
- If your child experiences or sees bullying, encourage them to speak to their teacher or a trusted adult at school.

Working together, we can keep our school safe, caring, and respectful for all.

Check out the tips on building resilience with your children at home on the next page.....how does this link to bullying? We cannot control what others do but we can control how we react and let it affect us!



Building Resilience in Children

Resilience is a child's ability to bounce back from challenges, cope with setbacks, and keep trying even when things are tough. It's a skill that can be taught and strengthened over time.

Here are some simple ways to help build resilience at home:

Encourage problem-solving – instead of fixing everything, guide your child to think of solutions.

Celebrate effort, not just success – praise persistence, trying again, and “having a go”.

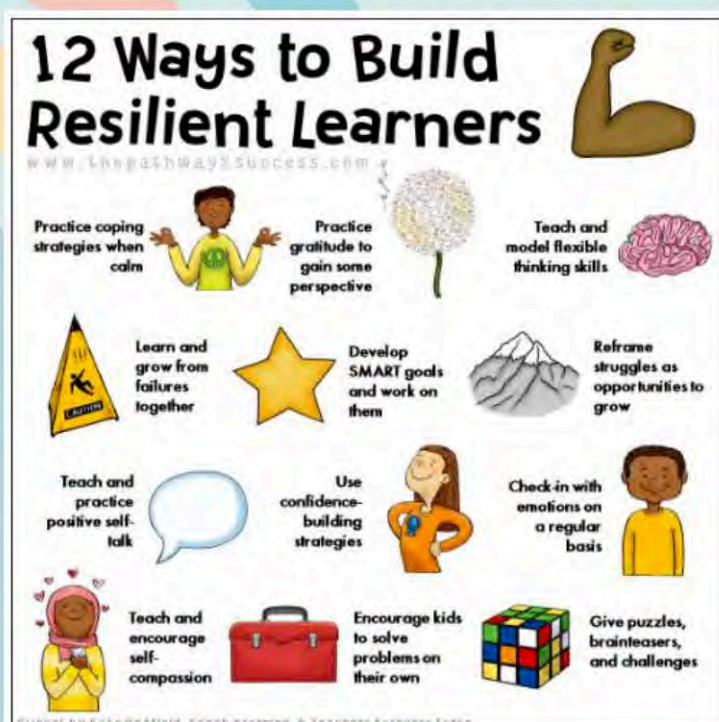
Model calm responses – children learn from how we handle stress and disappointment.

Promote positive self-talk – help them replace “I can't do it” with “I'll keep trying”.

Build connections – strong relationships with family and friends provide support and belonging.

Encourage healthy routines – good sleep, balanced nutrition, and physical activity all boost resilience.

Resilience doesn't mean children won't feel upset or worried. It means they have the confidence and strategies to manage challenges and grow stronger through them.





YUBUP STAFF DRESS-UP FOR BOOK WEEK



Foundation E Book Week

Foundation E had an exciting Book Week filled with fun and learning! Students paired up with their buddy class to enjoy shared reading time, helping build confidence and connection through books. They also dressed up as their favorite book characters — everyone looked fantastic! It was a joyful week celebrating stories, imagination, and the love of reading



BOOK WEEK CELEBRATIONS IN 1E 2025

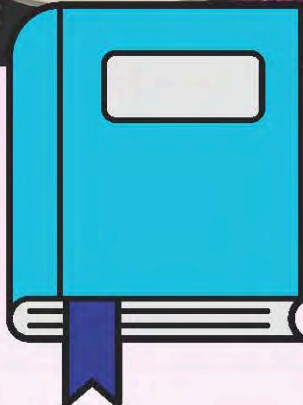
1E had heaps of fun on Thursday celebrating book week with great costumes and AWESOME book based activities.



Miss Alana, with her class 2A came and visited us, and we read "Book Week Bear" written by Rory Mathers, illustrated by Ruth-Mary Smith. We worked collaboratively and made our own colourful book week bears!



I ♥ READING



BOOK WEEK DRESS-UP DAY



FIRST, STUDENTS SHOWED OFF THEIR
COSTUMES AT ASSEMBLY!

IN 2A



**THEN IT WAS TIME TO COLLABORATE
WITH IE TO CREATE RAINBOW TEDDY
BEARS AFTER READING THE STORY "BOOK
WEEK BEAR"**

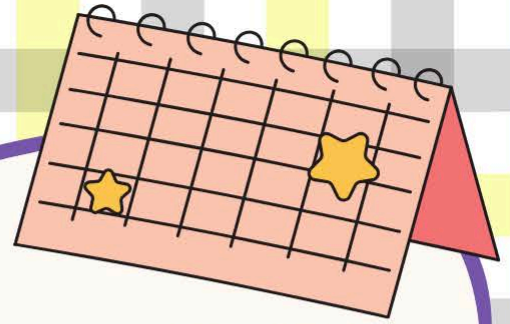


THEN TIME TO PLAY!



**AND FINALLY TIME TO REST...
WHAT A DAY!**





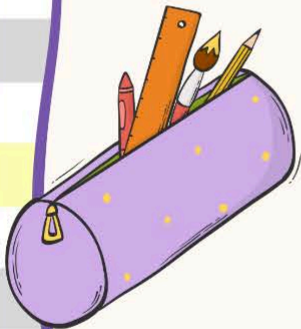
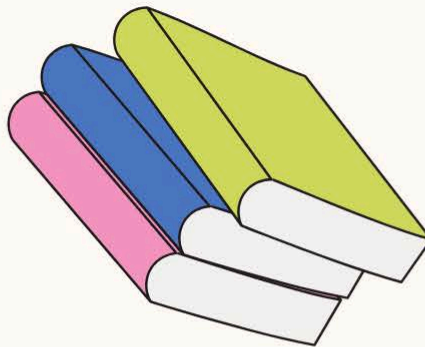
2C NEWSLETTER

ANNOUNCEMENT



WE HAVE BEEN FOCUSING ON HELPING EACHOTHER AND SHOWING SCHOOL VALUES SUCH AS COLLABORATION DAILY. THIS IS DONE IN MORNING CIRCLE AND ALL STUDENTS CONTRIBUTE THEIR IDEAS AND THOUGHTS, BEFORE WE COMPLETE A "Y" CHART OF WHAT WE EXPECT IN THE DAY.

WE ALSO CELEBRATED BOOK WEEK THIS WEEK IN 2C AND ALL THE CHILDREN JUST LOVED DRESSING UP.



WE ARE 2C AND WE ARE KIND EVERYDAY- AZRA E



5/6C



NEWS



Did you know that Ned Kelly got hung at the old Melbourne Goal on November 11 1880 when he was 25 years old.

When Ned Kelly was born the shine of the sun was glistening in his eyes. Ned Kelly went to Admirey common school, he liked to swim when he was a kid. Ned Kelly had 7 siblings and his parents were John Red Kelly and Ellen Quinn. Ned Kelly saved a small child when he was drowning and he became a hero.

Ned Kelly became a hero by saving a kid and later on he started to be famous and he was a robber. Ned Kelly wasn't married and didn't have kids. Ned Kelly was the eldest and he was former fuf.

Ned Kelly's quot was: at well such is life, that were his last words. Ned Kelly was remembered a hero, robber and his iron man suit.

Ned Kelly was escaping from cops then he shot one because they wanted to get his brother. When Ned Kelly was around the age 10 or 16 his parents sold him. Ned Kelly's last meal was roast lamb and bottle of glass.

Andrew Thomas

Adventurous Astronaut, Andrew Thomas's bravery fills up within space. He was a fearless Australian astronaut who was the first to do the spacewalk. He wasn't just an astronaut but a passionate man who really cared about his career.

The fuming hot blazing sun was being shined down as Andrew Thomas came into this world. He grew up with his parents in Adelaide, South Australia, his parents are Mary E. Thomas and Adrian C. Thomas. Andrew Thomas was educated at St Andrews primary school, he had also attended highschool in St Peters college. He enjoys horse riding, mountain biking, running, wind surfing and classical guitar playing.

Andrew Thomas is known for being a beloved astronaut from NASA. Andrew had worked at Lockheed for over a decade, first as an aerodynamics researcher and eventually became the manager of their Flight Sciences Division. Then in 1989, he moved to California to join NASA's Jet Propulsion Lab. It was a prestigious career in its own right, and a time that Andrew looks back fondly.

This past few lessons in the grade 5/6 classrooms we have been working on our significant Australian speeches. The students are excited to share the speeches next week!

Olivia

Newton

John

Introduction:

Did you know that Olivia Newton-John had breast cancer 3 times? Her acting in movies, her singing/lovely voice gained her so much popularity. She was very passionate to make her fan happy and that's exactly what she did.

Main Body paragraph 1

The fun blooming season and the sun beaming with joy an amazing singer and actress named Olivia Newton-John was born into her free, happy life on the 26 of September 1948. She grew up in the U.K. 5 years and then moved into Australia (Melbourne, Victoria) for the rest of her life (until she was 73 yrs old).

Main Body paragraph 2

Olivia Newton-John had lovely parents Bry Newton-John and Irewin Born who excitingly became a Newton-John.



5/6E'S BOOK WEEK ADVENTURES



WHO'S HIDING COMPETITION



JOBAN 'BIN' DRESSED UP AS A BIN



WHOLE COHORT ACTIVITY

YEAR 1 SWIMMING

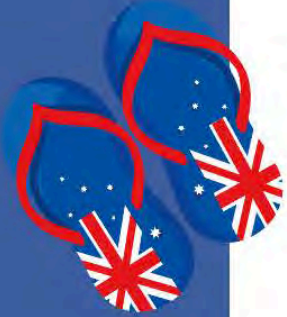
Every Monday

From Monday 4th until the end of term 3

SPLASH AQUA PARK

**PLEASE PACK THE FOLLOWING IN A
SEPRATE BAG (NOT IN BACKPACK)**

- **BATHERS UNDER SCHOOL
UNIFORM**
- **TOWEL**
- **CLEAN UNDERWEAR**
- **POOL APPROPRIATE SHOES (FOR
USE AT POOL ONLY)**
- **PLASTIC BAG FOR WET CLOTHES**
- **GOGGLES**
- **WATER BOTTLE**



★★ **DRIVE THRU BBQ** ★★

 **YUBUP FATHER'S DAY DRIVE-THRU SAUSAGE SIZZLE** 

THURSDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER | 7:30AM – 8:30AM

CALLING ALL DADS, GRANDPAS –

WE'D LOVE TO CELEBRATE YOU WITH A FREE SAUSAGE IN BREAD!

 **DRIVE SLOWLY THROUGH THE STAFF CAR PARK**

 **MEET OUR AMAZING STUDENT LEADERSHIP TEAM**

 **SAUSAGES WILL BE HALAL**

WE CAN'T WAIT TO SEE YOU!

PLEASE DRIVE CAREFULLY THROUGH THE CARPARK..

ALL SAUSAGES WILL BE HALAL.

THURSDAY
SEPT 4 YUBUP
STAFF
CARPARK





BUNDOORA FARM



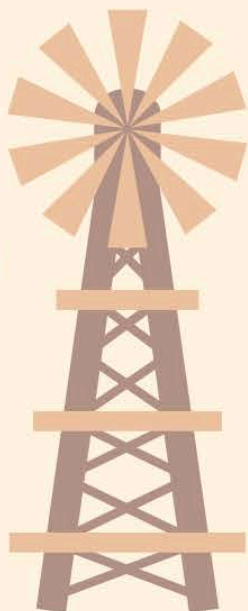
**OUR FOUNDATION STUDENTS
ARE OFF TO THE FARM**



**WED 17TH SEPTEMBER
FA FB FC FD FE**

**THUR 18TH SEPTEMBER
FF FG FH FI**

**PLEASE BRING A
PACKED SNACK AND
LUNCH BOX IN A
SMALL BACKPACK
WITH A WATER
BOTTLE FOR THE DAY**



**PLEASE CHECK
COMPASS FOR EVENT
DETAILS AND
PAYMENTS.
ENSURE YOUR CHILD IS
AT SCHOOL ON TIME
FOR A 9:00 AM
DEPARTURE.**

YUBUP TEAMKIDS

NEWSLETTER



WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING

Children had a wonderful time celebrating Book Week with lots of creative and fun activities. They made colourful bookmarks, designed their own book covers, and wrote imaginative stories that showed their creativity. Everyone enjoyed dressing up as their favourite characters, which brought lots of excitement and joy to the Book Week party. Alongside the celebrations, children also engaged in active play, having fun games of gaga ball and badminton, which added energy and balance to the day. It was a great celebration of books, imagination, and teamwork.

IMPORTANT DATES

 **MON 01st SEP**

World letter writing day

 **TUES 16th SEP**

National playdough day

 **MON 22th SEP**

VAC CARE

TEAMKIDS CLUBS

ASC WEEK: **5**

MONDAY

Leg master

TUESDAY

art club

WEDNESDAY

cooking club

THURSDAY

stem club

FRIDAY

Art Attack club



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NEWSLETTER

Team
Kids



FREE

Father's Day Family Event

Bunnings Craigieburn



Thursday 4th of September

6:00pm – 8:00pm

Activities and fun for the whole family

Bluey Scavenger Hunt, Kids D.I.Y.s, entertainment, free sausage sizzle, local community groups and more! We appreciate you booking your attendance so we can best plan for the event. We can't wait to see you in store!

**Don't miss out,
register now!**



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BUNNINGS
warehouse

