Yerong Creek Public School
Newsletter

Small in size, big on opportunities and success

Week 4: Thursday 22nd May, 2014
Welcome to Grace Ubrihien who has started practicum with us this week. Grace is a 3rd year student from CSU, and will be working mainly with the 3-6 class. All of the children are very excited to have Miss Ubrihien with us.

Royce and Jack are in Sydney this week at the State AFL competition. Congratulations to Royce, who has been named co-captain of the Riverina team. Both boys have been playing well in their early games, with Royce kicking two goals and ‘putting on a clinic’ while in the forward line.

Next week is a very busy week, with students involved in a number of activities. Thank you to all the parents who are able to assist with transport. Without your help the children would not get to utilise all the opportunities offered to them.

As you would be aware, I finish up here as Principal this Friday, with Gayle returning on Monday. I have
thoroughly enjoyed every minute of my time here and will sincerely miss both the students and staff. Thank you to the parents who have welcomed me so openly and made me feel at home straight away. Yerong Creek Public School is a wonderful place, made even more so by such wonderful kids. I will miss you all.

Cheers,

Steven

Festival of Instrumental Music
Booking Information
Ticket sales for each concert only open on the day listed. Tickets are only available from the Sydney Opera House Box Office on 9250 7777

Jacaranda Concert Ticket sales open on Wednesday 28th May, 9.00am

The concert will be held on Wednesday 25th June from 7.00pm.

Lions Club Debating
The students from years 3 to 6 will be participating in a workshop at Billabong High School on Thursday 29th May. The transport for this day is being provided by bus and being subsidized by the P & C. Billabong will be providing lunch for the students.

State Tennis Knockout
The game organized for Monday 26th May for 10.30am has changed to start at 11.30am to allow for travel time for the Young team. All players all are to pay $2.50 to cover costs for the hire of the Mangoplah courts. We wish the team the best of luck for their games.

SRPSSA Cross Country
The Southern Riverina Cross country will take place on Tuesday 27th May at Jindera. The students who are representing Greater Kengal are: Rosie, April, Royce, Sophie, Luke, Jack, Rose, Rachael, Grace, Hayley, Molly and Jessica, good luck to our competitors.

Grip Leadership
The students from years five and six are attending a leadership conference in Albury on Wednesday 28th May. This is a conference which specifically concentrates on training student leaders for their role as school leaders. The goal is to have students leave the conference with a clear vision and solid understanding for their time as a leader.

Riverina Touch Trials
The Riverina Touch Trials for April, Rosie, and Sophie are in Wagga on Friday 30th May. All the students that submitted their names for the Southern Riverina trials were successful in gaining a spot for tryouts in the next level.

Creative Catchment Kids
Today Owen Dunlop from Creative Catchment Kids visited and presented a workshop to the years three to six students on solar power and battery power. Owen used cars to show the comparison between the two while also discussing circuits and their energy.

Reforms to P&C Federation
The NSW Parliament has introduced legislation to reform the NSW Federation of Parent and Citizens Associations, which has suspended operation pending Supreme Court action. While these reforms will not affect the day-to-day operation of individual school P&Cs, they will introduce a new executive structure which will ensure the Federation
State AFL Report

Jack and Royce have had a very enjoyable week at the state carnival. 13 sides have competed.
In the pool games Riverina has beaten Sydney East, and lost to MacKillop and CIS. They have rebounded to beat CIS in a semi-final, and play MacKillop in the grand final at 1pm today.
Both boys have played solidly. Jack has played in key positions, back and forward as well as in the ruck. Royce has played all over the ground.
Jack received an award for his performance in the first game against CIS. Royce had a good game against Sydney East kicking 2 goals in a quarter. Royce is team co-captain.
### Greater Kengal Athletics Carnival

#### April
- 2nd Senior Girls 800m
- 2nd 12 Years Girls 100m
- 2nd Senior Girls 200m
- 2nd Senior Girls Long Jump
- 2nd Senior Girls Shot Put
- 1st Senior Girls High Jump
- 1st Senior Girls Discus

#### Rachael
- 2nd 11 Years Girls 800m
- 3rd 11 Years Girls 100m
- 2nd 11 Years Girls 200m
- 2nd 11 Years Girls High Jump
- 3rd 11 Years Girls Discus

#### Rose
- 3rd 11 Years Girls 800m
- 2nd 11 Years Girls 100m
- 3rd 11 Years Girls 200m
- 2nd 11 Years Girls Long Jump
- 3rd 11 Years Girls High Jump

#### Grace
- 2nd Junior Girls 800m
- 3rd Junior Girls Long Jump
- 3rd Junior Girls Shot Put
- 3rd Junior Girls High Jump

#### Rosie
- 3rd Senior Girls Long Jump
- 3rd Senior Girls Shot Put
- 3rd Senior Girls Discus

#### Molly
- 2nd 9 Year Girls 100m

#### Annie
- 3rd Juvenile Girls 400m
- 1st Juvenile Girls Long Jump

#### Royce
- 3rd Senior Boys 800m
- 1st 12 Year Boys 100m
- 1st Senior Boys 200m
- 3rd Senior Boys Long Jump
- 1st Senior Boys Shot Put
- 3rd Senior Boys High Jump
- 1st Senior Boys Discus

#### Luke
- 1st Senior Boys 800m
- 2nd 12 Year Boys 100m
- 2nd Senior Boys 200m
- 2nd Senior Boys Long Jump
- 1st Senior Boys High Jump

#### Craig
- 2nd Senior Boys Shot Put
- 2nd Senior Boys Discus

#### Brodie
- 1st 8 Year Boys 100m

#### Rylan
- 1st 7 Years Boys 70m
- 1st Juvenile Boys 200m
- 1st Juvenile Boys 400m
- 1st Juvenile Boys Long Jump
- 3rd Juvenile Boys Shot Put
- 1st Juvenile Boys Discus Hoop

- **New Records**
  - **Royce**
    - 12 Years Boys 100m - 15.86
  - **Rylan**
    - 7 Years Boys Long Jump - 2.50
    - 7 Years Boys 70m - 12.13