Small in size, big on opportunities and success

Week 9: Monday 23rd June, 2014

**Coming Events**

**Week 9**
- June 25: Festival of Instrumental Music
- June 27: Welfare reward, Assembly

**Week 1**
- July 14: School Development Day
- July 15: Students return
- July 18: Ball Games @ Lockhart

**Term 3**
- July 21: Mobile Library, Circus Quirkus
- July 25: Debate @ Holbrook

**Notes and money to return to school**

- **Due Now**: Drivers licence and car rego details (all parents)
- **June 27**: 3-6 Excursion and $50 deposit, Circus Quirkus ticket order
- **July 16**: Ball games note

- $2 for soup and bread roll each Friday

**Nuts and Bolts of learning imitation**

When you use this learning muscle, you
- are ready to learn from others
- notice the approach and detail of how others do things
- improve physical skills and absorb ideas, strategies and thinking patterns, by observing other people
This will be the last newsletter for this term. I would like to thank Miss Ubrihien for the effort she put in, in teaching the students during the past five weeks. We would all like to wish Miss Ubrihien all the best for her future career.

Next week we have eight students performing at the Festival of Instrumental Music at the Sydney Opera House. It is a very exciting performance for the students, staff and parents.

I will be taking some long service leave at the beginning of next term, from 14-22 July, to attend a wedding in Thailand. Narelle McRorie will replace me in the classroom.

The Greater Kengal network will be holding a School Development Day at Pleasant Hills on Monday 14 July. Students will return to school on Tuesday 15 July.

I wish all staff, students and parents and restful and enjoyable school holidays.

Gayle

Premier’s Debating
Last Friday April, Luke, Rosie and Royce debated against Sturt PS in the Premier’s Debating competition. They were the negative team for the topic That all sports involving animals should be banned. The students worked exceptionally well as a team, and had some very strong and convincing arguments, which led them to being named the winners on the day.

Riverina athletics carnival
Due to extreme weather being forecasted for today, the Riverina athletics carnival has been postponed until Monday 4 August.

Festival of instrumental music
Next Wednesday evening April, Rosie, Sophie, Royce, Jack, Luke and Rachael and Rose will be performing at the Sydney Opera House in the Festival of Instrumental Music. They will join an ensemble of about 600 recorder players. This will be an amazing and exciting experience for the students.

Welfare Reward
All students who have remained on Green Level for the past four weeks will receive the welfare reward this Friday. The reward will consist of a mini pizza.

Assembly
The end of term assembly will be held at school on Friday commencing at 2 pm. Students will be sharing their learning for the term.

Greater Kengal Ball Games
All students will be travelling to Lockhart for the Greater Kengal ball games on Friday 18 July. Following the ball games, the students who will be participating in the Football-netball carnival (those 8 and over this year) will participate in training. The younger students will join in other games. Please return the permission note to school by Wednesday 16 July. All boys participating in football training will require to bring a mouthguard.

National AFL Carnival Tickets
We are supporting Royce with his expenses to travel to Sydney in July for the National AFL carnival. Tickets for a guessing competition are available at school for $2 each.

1st prize- Laptop Notebook Computer
2nd prize- LED TV (Approx. 25”)
3rd – 5th prizes- iPod Shuffle
Circus Quirkus
The Rotary Club of South Wagga is again presenting the amazing Cirucs Quirkus, which is a non-animal family orientated show. They are offering tickets to families at no cost.

The show will be held at Mater Dei Catholic Primary School Hall on Monday 21 July at 1 pm and 5:30 pm.

If you would like some tickets, please return the order form by Friday 27 June. Please not that all children need to be accompanied by an adult. The tickets are only available to families from Yerong Creek PS.

Fruit Break
Could the parents of the younger children please cut up their fruit, the children are finding it hard to eat and often run out of time as they are eager to start fitness.

Parent Transport
It is a Departmental requirement that parents offering to provide transport for school events, even for their own children, they must provide the school with a copy of their current drivers licence and car registration. Parents must also complete a Prohibited Employment Declaration for Child Protection purposes.

Kindergarten Transition program
We will begin the transition program for children who will be enrolling in Kinder in 2015 next term. Please contact the school with the name and contact details for any child you know who will be enrolling, so information can be forwarded to them.

Change of staff routine
June 25-26  Jess and Gayle will be in Sydney to attend The Festival of Instrumental Music. Robyn Menz will be teaching the remaining students at school.

Weekly Awards Week 8

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**Student Lunch- Soup Term 3 2014**

I would like to be placed on the soup roster for term 3:

Name: ______________________        Sign: _______________________

Soup that I can make: ________________________________
Your child/ren will be participating in Greater Kengal Ball Games.

**Date:** Friday 18 July

**Time:** 9.15am leave school and return by 3.00pm

**Venue:** Lockhart Central School and Recreation Ground

**General Information:**
- Students need to bring a drink bottle, hat and their lunch.
- There will be a BBQ and drinks available at a small cost.
- Boys participating in football training must have a mouthguard,
- Transport is provided by Miller’s Buses and subsidised by the P & C.

Could you please complete the attached permission note and return it to the school as soon as possible.

Gayle Pinn  
Principal

Yerong Creek Public School  
**Greater Kengal Ball Games 2014**

I give permission for my child/ren, _______________________________ to participate in the Greater Kengal Harmony Day at Pleasant Hills Public School Wednesday 18 July, 2014 leaving at 9.15 and returning by 3.00pm.

Transport will be provided by Miller’s Buses and subsidised by the P & C.

There is no cost for this activity.

I authorise the Teacher in Charge to seek medical attention for my child if considered necessary.

Signed: _______________________________  Date: _______
Please return to school by 27 June

Circus Quirkus order

Family Name ____________________________________________

I wish to order the following tickets for my family

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Signed ________________________________