



Dear Parents and Caregivers

Open Night

Next week, **Thursday 9th November**, YPS will be hosting our annual **Open Night**. Classrooms will be open from 4pm until 5.30pm. Following that, we would love families to stay on and enjoy a picnic on the school grounds. There will be some food vans available or you can bring your own picnic. Please see recent Connect notice for details about Food Vans. You will also need to bring chairs or a picnic rug. This will be an alcohol free event. The school will close at 7.30pm. We can't wait to see you there!

Class Placements for 2024

Staff work very hard in Term 4 to place students in classes for the following year. You can read our Class Placement Policy and our Split Grade Policy on our website www.yangebupps.wa.edu.au. We try to ensure that each class has a range of abilities (split classes included) and that each student has at least one friend. If a student has been in a split class one year, if possible, they are put in a straight class the following year. It is important to understand that split classes are not organised based on ability (we favour independent students for these classes). If there are any educational or behavioural issues that you think need to be brought to our attention before we place students, please let me know by email by **Friday 10th November**. Parents cannot request a particular teacher or not to be in a split class. Please note that I have not finalised allocating teachers to grades as yet. Students will have the opportunity to meet their new teacher for an hour on the last day of school and class lists will be posted in the library windows the day before. Students cannot be changed once classes are set because there are so many factors that go into the decisions so please do not ask for changes.

School Development Day Tomorrow

Throughout the day, staff will be working on our new Business Plan 2024 – 2026, analysing NAPLAN data and how we can improve, and working on our new Behaviour Policy.

Variety Toy Drive

If you would like to donate to the Variety Toy Drive, please drop it off at the front office. Toys suitable for 2-11 year olds need to be new, unwrapped and about \$20. Kmart vouchers for \$20 and cash donations also welcome. Donations need to be dropped off at the school by **Wed 15th November**.



Andrea Macfarlane
Principal

Dates to Remember

Thurs 2nd Nov
Interschool Carnival

Friday 3rd Nov
SCHOOL
DEVELOPEMENT
DAY

Tuesday 7th Nov
Crazy Hair Day

Wed 8th Nov
Assembly Rm 12

Thurs 9th Nov
Open Night and
family picnic evening

Wed 22nd Nov
Music Assembly

Fri 24th Nov
Lakelands Touch
Tournament

Thurs 7th Dec
Book Award Assembly

Wed 13th Dec
Yr 6 Graduation

Thurs 14th Dec
End of School Year

2024 School Year
commences
Wednesday 31st
January for
students

November Birthday Greetings



The following students celebrate their birthdays this month. We all hope you have/had a magical time on your special day.

Isabelle, William, Hanna, Mia-Belle, Abigail, Mila, Ariana, Johnn, Freya, Hera, Bodhi, Ethan, Xavier, Louise, Chayse, Cooper, Kyah, Nazh, Lucia, Max, Amelia, Xabier, Rebecca, Emma, Luke, Isaiah, Blake, Lola, Olivia, Wesley and Layla



Tiny Door Surprise

Room 1 had a surprise visitor this term in the style of a strange tiny door appearing in the classroom. We are not sure where it came from or who put it there but it has '*opened the door*' to some great story writing and interesting discussions in class. We decided to have a go at making our own tiny doors in Design and Technology. We can't wait to show them off at the open evening next week.

The door seems to open when no-one is around and little ladder is left hanging down. We are wondering who is coming or going? Do you have any ideas? If you have information about this little door please report this to any Room 1 students or teachers.



Bead Workshop

Our Year 6 girls have been enjoying their lunchtime Bead Workshops with Mrs Cridland.



Here we have Huntah and Sophia proudly showing off their creations.





*We are proud of our paintings
used to make Butterflies.*

by Kindy A



CRAZY HAIR DAY 2023

On **Tuesday 7th November** we will be holding a Crazy Hair Day for all students to help raise money for our Year 6 graduating students.

Children are allowed to come to school with the craziest hairstyle they can come up with or wear a wig – in exchange for a gold coin donation.

Some past examples are posted here. We look forward to seeing some wild and wacky sights!!

Crazy Hair Day



Year 5 Excursion to Fremantle Prison





P & C News

Cookie Dough Fundraiser

We hope you have had a chance to check out the order forms for the cookie dough fundraiser. They make a good holiday activity to do with your children.

All orders must be placed on line and paid by credit, debit card or paypal by

Wednesday 8th November. *Sorry no cash orders.*

Orders will be delivered to the school on

Wednesday 6th December.



P & C Meetings

Our final meeting for 2023 will be held in the school library on Wednesday 6th December.

We invite all parents to come along and join us.

Uniform Shop

The shop will be open on the following Wednesdays in Term 4.
22nd November and 6th December

*Yangebup P&C is here to help raise money for all the students of Yangebup PS.
Your contribution, whether of time or the support of fundraising activities, is very
much appreciated.*



Please remember that
with the weather
warming up
all students MUST
bring a hat and
water bottle to
school **EVERYDAY.**



COMMUNITY NOTICES



**Beginners programs starting now.
Four weeks free!**

**New beginners classes near you.
For children and adults.**

All classes run after school.
Classes are grouped according to age and experience.

Sensei Johnny Moran has a wealth of knowledge and
experience teaching karate to children and adults.

Perth Goju Karate classes build self-confidence, karate skill, respect
and self-defense with an emphasis on fun and friendship.

info@perthgojukarate.com 0402 830 402



Small changes,
big differences.



Free seminar for parents

**Fear-Less Triple P (Positive Parenting Program):
Helping your child learn to manage anxiety**

Appropriate for parents/carers of children and teenagers aged 6-14 years

Everyone experiences anxiety occasionally, and it's a normal response that can be helpful and typically passes quickly. However, anxiety can sometimes become overwhelming and interfere with our ability to cope with day-to-day activities.

Learning to manage anxiety effectively is a vital life skill that begins in childhood, and this FREE seminar can help you:

- ✓ Understand exactly how anxiety works
- ✓ Learn key anxiety-management and coping skills that you can teach your children and teens
- ✓ Manage your children and teens' anxious behaviour effectively

DATE	Friday 3 rd November
TIME	8.30am to 11am
VENUE	Honeywood Primary School
FREE	Entry, refreshments and take-home tip sheet!

REGISTRATION ESSENTIAL AS PLACES ARE LIMITED:
To register, [click here](#) or visit compassstx.com/e/vcxtbturac

*No child-minding available. It is recommended that children are not brought along to the session.

www.triplep-parenting.net.au/wa