



YASS HIGH SCHOOL

We value respect, responsibility, safety and learning.

Relieving Principal: Louise Pinson BA (Hons) Dip Ed

Relieving Deputy Principal: Dawn Bartlett BSc, Dip Ed

Showing Appreciation

There are many groups and individuals from within and beyond the school who support the Yass High School community.

Recently we acknowledged the contributions of some of these special people.



At a school assembly last month, Merv and Narelle Blinman were presented with a framed photograph by one of our prizewinning artists. Olivia Mercieca was joint winner of the People's Award in the Art-chi prize. The Blinmans provide \$1000 prize money to reward winners at our annual Talent Quest.

Last week there was great excitement on assembly as those students who had raised \$200 or more in our Brekky Club Walkathon went in a draw for some excellent prizes. Nick Whiting who was our biggest fund-raiser picked the number which corresponded to our biggest prize – a 40 inch flat screen TV.

We are proud to acknowledge the efforts of these people in enabling Yass High School to run programs and events which benefit us all.

Canteen Rebuild Begins

On Monday 5th September rebuilding of the canteen will begin. The canteen was damaged following a fire at the beginning of the year. It is expected that the work will take the rest of the year.

Early work will involve demolition of some existing structures and we have been warned that this work will be noisy. Once construction begins there will be additional traffic on the premises and the usual noise and movement of a building site.

Students are reminded of the importance of safety around the building site. They are asked to keep away from the fenced area and be alert to traffic or workmen using the area.

Brekky Club WALKATHON

On 10th August all students participated in the annual Brekky Club WALKATHON. It was an opportunity for the school community to contribute toward a program which supports YOU and so many others.

The inclusiveness which the Breakfast Club promotes stretches far beyond the black and white statistics.

The involvement of the whole school community is the real success of the Breakfast Club. Incorporating the Success for Boys program and a student volunteer program; it encourages partnerships in the broader community through sponsorship; it gives ownership to each and every school community member through participation in the Brekky Club Walkathon.



The Brekky Club Walkathon is only held when required, when the Brekky Club needs to raise funds to ensure its ongoing operation.

This year's event was our 5th Walkathon with numerous prizes on offer to encourage students to participate at a higher level. Of course all pledges are deeply appreciated, but special recognition was given to students who raised over \$200 in sponsorship.

The outstanding efforts of Nick Whiting, Laila Kassouh, Omar Kassouh, Taylah Wright, Cameron Broderick, Brad Jones, Lucy Bucknell, Julia Bucknell and Brent Hickey were recognised on assembly. These students were invited up on stage to randomly select a number which was attached to a digital presentation which then revealed their prize. Nick Whiting was the major prize winner, winning a 40" HD TV. Other prizes shared amongst the students included iTune vouchers, movie vouchers, a digital camera, hard drive and assorted shop vouchers.

All money raised in the Walkathon will go solely toward the ongoing costs involved in the Brekky Club.

It really is a program which is not about 'need', but rather all about 'support'. It is a club which is for every student. It's important. It's special. It is YOURS.



Parent Teacher Night

There was a good roll up at Parent Teacher Night, held earlier this term. Many parents took advantage of the event to talk to teachers about their child's progress after receiving their first semester report.

A number of parents attended a short information meeting on how to support their child at school in the library afterwards where they were introduced to some online learning tools their students would be using in high school.

You can check these out on the Principal's Blog at

https://www.det.nsw.edu.au/blog/327368-principalsblog/entry/helping_your_child_learn

Parents are reminded that they can call the school at any time to discuss their child's progress.

Beyond the HSC Trials

Year 12 have finished their Trial HSC exams and are in the process of receiving feedback on those exams. The work now needs to start for their HSC Exams in October and November. All students who have external exams should be working to maximise their marks on those exams. A session was held on Thursday for interested students and parents about planning a study program to maximise those results and the impact of those results on their moderated school marks. There are about eight weeks to the start of those exams. Students have received a Study Week program when teachers of various subjects will be available to work with students in group tutorials during the week immediately preceding the start of HSC exams.

Year 11 for 2012

The Subject Preference forms should have been returned to school by now. If you still have them, please do this urgently. We also need students who will not be returning to Yass HS in 2012 to complete the first questions and return it with parent signature and complete the Unlikely to Attend Yass HS form.

Over the next few weeks students will be involved in discussions with Ms Bartlett and Ms Pinson as decisions are made about which subjects will be running so that we can ensure the best possible result for our students. There will be a balance of scientific and humanities subjects, a balance of theoretical and practical subjects and a balance of ATAR and non ATAR subjects to cater for the diverse needs and interests of students in the Yass community.

Early in Term 4 students will receive a sheet with the subjects in which they have been enrolled for 2012.



Sunday Concert

It was a pleasure to spend part of Sunday afternoon listening to a concert by five of the Yass Music Club Scholars for 2011. Four of these musicians, who each received a generous scholarship from the Music Club, are Year 12 students at Yass High School.

The concert was held in St Clement's church and was well attended by members of the club as well as family and friends.



Dallas Dunley played popular and original songs

There was great variety in the music performed. Ross Armour played a jazz piece on clarinet as well as the ever popular 'Moonlight Sonata' on piano. Craig Wilkinson showed his expertise on electric guitar as well as alto sax, including an entertaining rendition of the Benny Hill theme music. Tom Pinson accompanied several of the boys and played two Chopin preludes and the well-named jazz solo 'Fingerbuster'. Dallas Dunley delighted younger members of the audience singing popular songs with guitar accompaniment. The concert finished with Dallas singing his own composition.

Rowan Phemister, who is home-schooled, played the harp including two pieces he will play at a pre-tertiary competition at the ANU in November.

It was wonderful to listen to these talented young men who represented their family and school so proudly.



Tom Pinson, Craig Wilkinson, Ross Armour, Rowan Phemister, Dallas Dunley, Ros Whiteley



Music students play 'delightfully'

Recently the HSC music class performed their examination pieces for an appreciative audience at an evening concert.

The night started with the premier screening of Kehani Manson's short film, 'Remember When' which explored the impact of Alzheimer's disease on a young grandchild. The film was shot locally and Kehani was responsible for every stage from initial concept, through casting, filming and editing. The final product was a well-crafted and moving film which received warm applause from the audience. The film was Kehani's English Extension 2 major work and, together with her director's logbook and reflection statement, was recently submitted to the Board of Studies.

We adjourned to the music room for further entertainment from a group of young people who have obviously been enjoying music for a long time. Items varied from the poignant 'Dust Bowl Dance' sung with great feeling by Clare Hansen accompanied by Natalia Shaw on piano to a powerful rendition of the Star Wars theme played on trombone by Tom O'Brien. Craig Wilkinson proved the saxophone can be an impressive classical instrument with Purcell's English Suite and Nick Gailer showed his guitar skills playing 'Mr PC'. Ross Armour entertained the crowd with 'O Fortuna' on piano and Dallas showed his skills as both composer and performer in his gentle song, 'Smile Delightfully'.

Unfortunately Hannah Robinson was unwell and unable to perform on the night.



Natalia Shaw & Clare Hansen

Craig Wilkinson kept the audience's spirits high with some bad jokes and puns and there was plenty of support from musicians within and beyond the school. Brian Hooley and David Martin obviously enjoyed playing with their young protégées. Jenny Chapman organised a tasty supper in the MCC kitchen where students and their families chatted after the performances.



David Martin, Sian Minary-Bland, Brian Hooley,
Craig Wilkinson, Ross Armour, Annie Hill

It was wonderful to see David Greenwood listening with his keen teacher's ear, at school for the first time since major surgery. Congratulations to Holly Britton who has been working hard with the students this term to ensure their performances were of a high standard.

Mrs Ros Whiteley, who was present on the evening, reminded students of the Yass Music Club Scholarships which are available to support and encourage local young musicians. Students in Years 9 and above who are interested in applying for a scholarship should talk to their music teacher or contact the Yass Music Club.

Online Support for Learning in Maths

The Staff of Yass High School would like to announce a fabulous new initiative just introduced into our mathematics teaching programs. We have registered all of our students to use the fabulous teaching/learning resource at www.mathsonline.com.au . You may have seen the recent TV advertisements by their sponsors McDonalds Australia, and it is through this sponsorship that the program which previously cost its many thousands of satisfied clients \$40 per month for access, is now FREE to our students.

Some of the features that this program has are as follows;

- Full lessons for each concept with a voice over and numerous examples of varying difficulty. Every lesson has a pause and rewind facility to help students grasp concepts at their own pace.
- Every lesson has an accompanying printable summary and worksheet to consolidate the concept, with full worked solutions provided also.
- A student's ongoing use and progress in the program is stored for theirs and their teacher's perusal at any time.
- The program can be accessed from any internet ready site, not just at school.
- The entire Year 7 to 12 program is available to every student, not just their particular year group or course.
- Parents may register to get weekly updates on their child's program use and progress, by clicking on the 'Parents area' tab within their child's account.
- Many more features will also be made available on-line over coming months.

Given that the program covers most of the concepts that we teach, and as good as this resource is, the school wish to make it clear that it was never intended by its creators to replace the wonderful work that our mathematics teaching staff already do. This program is best used as a support to the classroom teaching/learning experience.

All students will be issued with their unique logins and passwords over the next few days by their maths teacher, and are encouraged to use this resource as directed by their teacher.

HSC Visual Art Body of Work Items on Display

The artwork of Year 12 was recently on display for the enjoyment of students and staff. There was broad variety in the form and subjects chosen by students. Natalia Shaw created a stunning metal piece called 'Metallic Landscape', and Talliesin Ryder produced a multi-textured sculpture called 'Fertility'. Christina Murphy designed a giant wooden jigsaw of Australia complete with iconic photos of the flora and fauna, Rebecca Hague painted a richly coloured landscape, Clare Hansen gave a new and feminist take on the Last Supper, Andrew Lyons created an enigmatic comic book and Tammy Martin produced decorated floral plates. The pieces reflected the hard work put in by students throughout the year.

Their work will be judged when HSC markers visit the school next term.





Student Leadership

An important part of the School Leadership process in the School Captain nominee interview.

On Thursday eleven of our Year 11 students were interviewed about their suitability as school leaders. Students had already been through an application process in which they had considered how they had upheld school values since coming to Yass High. They then filled in a form outlining leadership experiences and personal qualities. They were given questions to prepare and spoke to a panel consisting of Ms Pinson, Year 11 Adviser Ms Jenny Rajchert, SRC Coordinator Ms Halley-Barberis and P&C President, Mrs Lisa Wylie.

The panel was impressed by the calibre of applicants, by the way they were able to talk about the role of school captain and their own qualities.

Students believed that the purpose of a school captain was to be a role model for the school community, to be someone who reflected school values and could be relied upon to take initiative or do the work required to make something better. Several articulated that leadership was demonstrated through service to students, staff and community.

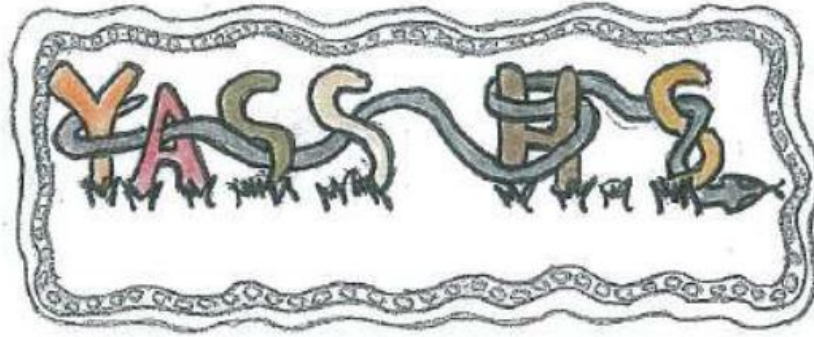
Students identified qualities such as loyalty, patience, honesty and being approachable as desirable characteristics of a school captain.

These students are already promoting Yass High School in the local community through the way they look, speak and behave.

When asked how they would respond when peers were trying to pressure them into doing what they knew was wrong, several students agreed that they had found themselves in this situation. They would try to say no, although some admitted that this was not always easy. They would try to persuade others not to take the wrong course of action, through persuasion or suggesting an alternative action. If necessary they would call on an adult to support them or dissuade others. One student felt that there were times when learning by experience and facing a negative consequence was the only way for teenagers to learn the lesson.

The next step of the process is the delivery of a speech on next Tuesday's assembly.

It was a privilege to speak to these young people about leadership and responsibility. Each of them showed strength of character and commitment to their school. The student leadership of our school will be in good hands, whatever the outcome of next Tuesday's election.



Invitation

Guest Indigenous Author Luncheon

at

Yass High School

Tuesday 6th September

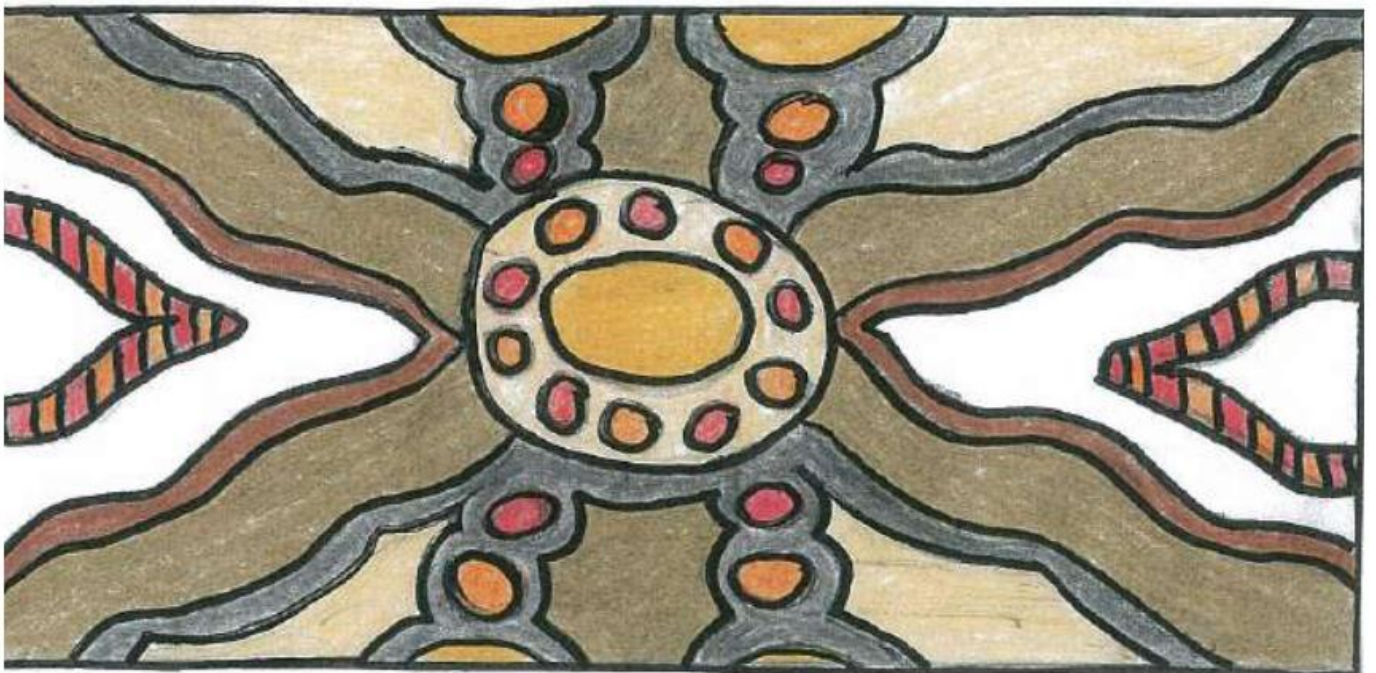
1.10pm

Celebrate Indigenous Literacy Week

All staff, students and community members are most welcome

Gold coin donation

*All proceeds go to support the Remote Australian Indigenous
Literacy Program*



Artworks by Trae Taylor and Jay Vickery.

Careers

Résumé and Portfolio

This term all Year 10 students have been preparing a résumé summarising their education, work history and achievements and a portfolio containing the evidence of these things for use when applying for jobs.

Work Experience

All Year 10 students will be doing work experience in Term 4, Week 7, 21st to 25th November. They have been given the required paperwork and should be contacting employers soon to arrange it. Completed paperwork is due by the 14th October.

Occupational Health and Safety (OH&S) White Card

An OH&S course will be run at YHS on Thursday 22nd September. Students planning to do casual work or work experience in a construction trade need to complete this course. Students planning to do Construction or Metals & Engineering in Year 11 also need to do the course. Notes can be collected from Ms Robinson or the front office and are due by 12th September.

Responsible Service of Alcohol and Responsible Conduct of Gambling

These courses will be run for Year 12 students on 21st and 22nd September. Notes can be collected from Ms Robinson or the front office and are due by 12th September.

Health Careers

ANU Medicine students will be visiting YHS on Monday 5th September to speak to senior students and to encourage them to consider careers in health.

CIT Try-a-Trade Day

Year 10 students will be able to try out two trades that interest them on this very hands-on day. They could choose from a range of construction or automotive trades. Try-a-Trade day will be held on 12th September.

University of Canberra “Aspire UC” Program

Tutors will be visiting a Year 9 Maths class on the 14th September to encourage them to consider going to university. The following week Year 9 will be invited to attend an excursion at UC for the day to see the campus and find out more about what university study entails. Notes will be distributed as soon as the details have been finalised. There will be no cost as UC will provide transport and lunch.

University of Wollongong Discovery Day 2012

Year 11 students who are planning to go to university will be invited to attend this excursion on Wednesday 8th February. Students will stay in university accommodation and attend lectures during the day as if they were a UoW student. Interested students should see Ms Robinson.

The Wonderful World of Wood – Practical Projects

Year 8 Woodwork



Lucy Bucknell putting the finishing touches to her project

Year 12 Construction



Lachlan Shaw, Erik Miech and Susan Meli proudly display their woodwork projects



Dallas Dunley wood burning his construction toolbox



Tim Farmer and Twayne Robinson pay close attention to their masterpieces

Not just a Library!at The Information and Resource Centre

Headlining this month: WEB 2.0 Tools and PREZI

Yass High School is integral to our community, as such our Information and Resource Centre is not only a centre for learning and resources for our students but also for the broader community.

The opportunity to access and learn about using media applications using the school computers has been especially well utilized supporting student work across a variety of subject areas. Students in Year 8, through their Information Skills classes, are currently exploring a new range of information resources available sites as google sets, visual dictionary, glogging and PREZI. These are referred to as WEB 2.0 Tools, bringing a range of new and refreshing resources to assist students with research and presentation across all Key Learning Areas.

PREZI has been especially well received, allowing students to create presentations that are animated and meander through blocks of information, avoiding the stillness which is often associated with PowerPoint presentations.

In exploring different stages of the Information Process, Year 8 have had the opportunity to explore and use PREZI. Responses have been positive:

- * Brendon: 'it's pretty mad'.
- * Chelsea 'it's cool because you can write words on words'.
- * Issy: 'it's great 'cause the page is infinite'.
- * Brad: 'it's cool bananas'.
- * Annie: 'it can be navigated and given a path to make it more interactive and exciting for the viewer, the software gives options to use templates for backgrounds or you can create your own'.
- * Kristy: 'It automatically embeds the direction of the images and text, you can then turn and twist them to make the navigation flip the presentation'.
- * Lucy: 'You can write over images and navigate a path that allows you to explore images more deeply'.
- * Joedi: 'it saves automatically to your own prezi account, so it doesn't fill up your own home drive and you can access it from any computer'.

Year 8 have found it has the ability to connect directly to google images to search images, you can embed video, your own images, mind maps, you can add shapes and draw. It's web 2.0 tools! It's better than powerpoint – it's interesting, interactive, and has more capability. You can share it with others, work on it collaboratively, you can save it to a thumb drive as a flashplayer, and comment on other peoples work.

With more new titles arriving each month and new activities to become involved in, the Library is the place to be. Be part of the action and enjoy all or some of the wonderful experiences on offer – Reading, studying, movies, games, ICT, research, blogging, socialization. It's all there, in YOUR Library – the Information and Resource Centre.

And don't forget.....The study centre continues to support all students from years 7 through 12. Every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, the Centre will be open till 4:15pm supporting student learning by providing a place for study, homework, research, and organisation. Students are also able to enjoy the convenience of the Centre opening at 8:30am each school day.

Jenny Rajchert
Relieving Teacher-Librarian

Working With Our Partner Schools

Earlier this term Berinba and Yass Public Schools joined us at a staff meeting to learn about ways to further improve the quality of learning happening in our classrooms across the years. We were addressed by Marty Lyons, a regional consultant.

As well as sharing professional development we are working through transition activities over the next few months. At the moment Ms Clancy is teaching creative writing to stage 3 at Yass Public and Ms Randall is teaching a science class at Berinba. Next term, Year 6 students will come up to the high school to take part in lessons in specialist classrooms.

Working together for the good of our students is a priority of the local Community of Schools.

Talented Indigenous Student

This year I set as one of my personal goals to represent Yass High at the State Athletics Carnival.

I have made it in Javelin and Shot Put. At Regionals I came first in Javelin and second in Shot Put and now I'm off to State.

I'm so nervous but I'm having a lot of practice.



Sarah Davison

Regional Athletics

On Friday the 29th of July there were about 50 students of Yass High School who travelled to Bruce Stadium, Canberra, to compete in the South Coast Regional Athletics Carnival.

Overall Yass High had two runner ups Age Champions in Brendon Scanes in the 14 years and Ben Wylie in the 16 years boys. The outstanding effort put in by our students resulted in our finishing a credible 13th overall out of 38 schools in the school point score. Our boys' team came 7th overall in the rankings and the girls came 24th.

There were six Yass High students who have qualified to represent South Coast at the NSW CHS athletics carnival to be held at Olympic Park, Homebush, Sydney in September.

These students include

Sarah Davison qualifying in the 14 girls Javelin and Shot Putt, Aiden Lees in the 16 years boys 800 metres and 1500 metres, Ashleigh Parker in the 14 years girls' high jump, James Roche in the 14 years boys' long jump, Brendon Scanes in the 14 years boys 800 and 400 metres and Ben Wylie in the 16 years boys 100 metres, 200 metres, high jump and long jump.

Yass High School would also like say a huge thank you to Michael Wilkinson, Lily Clausius, Caleb Lees, Laura Rhodes, Laura Fletcher, Holly Murphy, Craig Wilkinson, Eliza Hill and Nam Collins for their outstanding contribution in helping out with the time keeping at the carnival. Without them the day would not have run as smoothly as it did.



CHS State Gymnastic

On the 9th of August Maddie Diamond and I travelled up to Newcastle to compete in the CHS State Gymnastics. There were six of us in the South Coast team and our manager Jenny Clancy. Maddie and I performed very well on all four apparatus floor, bars, beam and vault. At the presentation Maddie and I unfortunately didn't place in our individual events. They have teams part of the competition, where they add up all your teams scores to see which region wins. Our team, South Coast, ended up winning the team's part of the day which was really exciting. Maddie and I were both happy with how we performed and it was a great opportunity for us to represent our school and to improve our gymnastics skills.



Maddie Diamond and Brooke Garland at
State Gymnastics

NSW Zone Polocrosse Championships

On the weekend of August 6/7th Billy Finn and Curtis Butt were members of an Open Junior Team that played at Bowral in the NSW Zone Polocrosse Championships. They were beaten in the first game which put them into the A grade competition and were very competitive in their next two games only losing by one or two goals. They played a touring junior side from Great Britain in their last game and were very pleased to win by one goal to finish off the competition on a positive note. They played with four other Juniors from the Southern Highlands Zone and were coached by Ms Wykes. Kristy Huey also competed at the Championships in a Junior Mixed team and played very well. This was Curtis and Billy's first season playing so it was a big achievement to be selected and compete at this level so early in their Polocrosse careers.



Billy Finn and Curtis Butt at
Zone Polocrosse

Focus on International Cookery and Hospitality

Our students have been working very hard in the kitchens of T1 this term, creating and designing wonderful dishes to add to a burgeoning repertoire.

International Cookery

International Cookery have been studying the Inuit culture recently and this has led to a very exciting lesson of building Inuit igloos from marshmallows and toothpicks! Great fun was had by all of the members of the class and well done to Kahlie Bush, Amy Adamow, Kirsty Hansen and Morgan Medway for building the class favourite! A big thanks to Miss Turner, a visiting prac teacher from Southern Cross University who was the inspiration for the lesson. I'll be using it again in future...



Hospitality

Hospitality students have been busy working towards gaining competency in the areas of Organising and preparing food and presenting food. Many visits to websites of well-known restaurants such as Quay, Est., Courgette and Doyles have inspired our budding chefs to get creative with their food. Some of the dishes have been absolutely spectacular – the most being the ‘Mustard coated Lamb Cutlets with Potato Dauphinoise and Radish Salad’ (see photo right) – I was extremely proud of the students for being able to produce such a beautiful dish. Let's hope they begin to reproduce more of them at home! Students will be continuing to work towards gaining all of the necessary practical skills that they can over the rest of the term.



Thank you to Miss Turner

We in the Food Technology department have been so privileged to welcome Miss Turner from the Southern Cross University in Coffs Harbour to undertake her internship during term 3. Miss Turner has been with Yass High School for the last 7 weeks and has been teaching classes in Technology Mandatory, Junior Food Technology, International Cookery and Senior Food Technology.



It has been really wonderful to have a fresh face in our staff room and she has certainly created some great ideas for interactive and fun activities for our classes. She has developed a great relationship with her students and I'm sure they will be sad to see her go.

We wish Miss Turner all the best as she heads back to Coffs Harbour to begin her final exams and hope we see her back at Yass High in the near future.

Mrs Sally Walker
Food Technology/Hospitality

What's happening in Food Tech?

What do kangaroo, lemon myrtle, macadamia nuts and wattle seed all have in common?

They are all native ingredients years 9 and 10 students have transformed into delicious dishes this term. Students are looking at the evolution of the Australian cuisine and have been using the authentic Australian flavours in cheesecakes, pavlova rolls, kangaroo meatballs and muffins. The tastes of Australia are the newest thing on the international food scene.



Tara-Lee Freeman and Abbie Medway with their Lemon Myrtle



Sam Czvitkovits and Jai Smith icing their Caramel Apple Tea-ring with native spices.





Take One T-shirt

8R in their custom t-shirts

Combine a pristine white t-shirt and 8R, throw in dyes, paints, scissors and you get a room full of brilliant multi-coloured, slashed, shaped and painted t-shirts, all custom made for the wearer.

Felting was also on the agenda and students produced some great pieces to shape into flowers, purses and jewellery.



Hannah Glassford
with her spiral
t-shirt



Cassie Goethals and Danika Bull with their
felt flowers

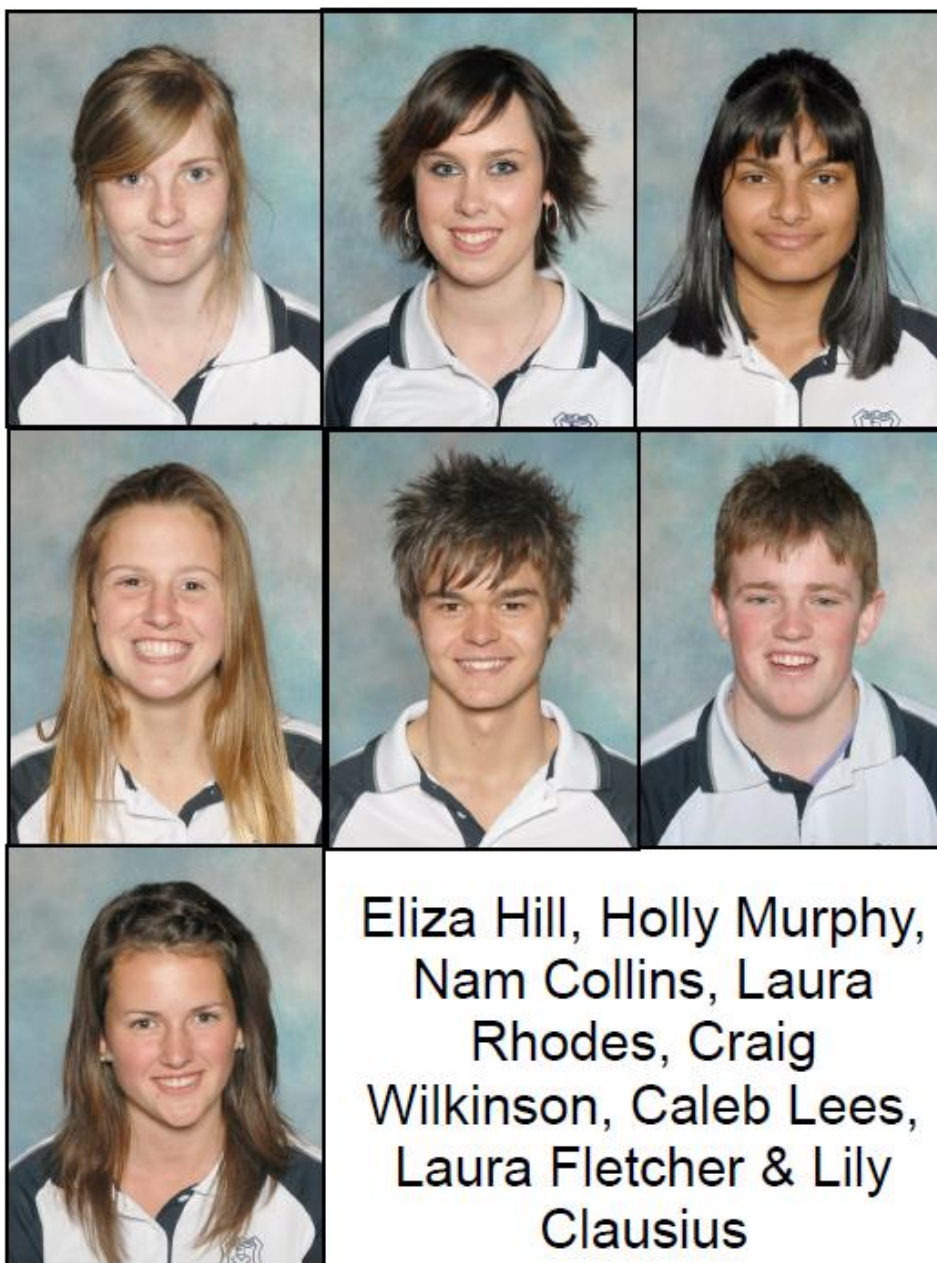


Kalinda Brown made a
magnificent rainbow felt piece



8R Model their custom t-shirts

Yass High School Students of the Week August 2011



Eliza Hill, Holly Murphy,
Nam Collins, Laura
Rhodes, Craig
Wilkinson, Caleb Lees,
Laura Fletcher & Lily
Clausius

For volunteering to do official duties
at the
Regional Athletics Carnival

Yass High School Students of the Week August 2011



Andrew Stephen, Nicholas Whiting, John
Goethals, Jacob Davison, Joshua Kemp

For commitment, enthusiasm and
dedication in volunteering in their own time
for school service.

Talent Quest.

Whoalhaven hosts exchange students

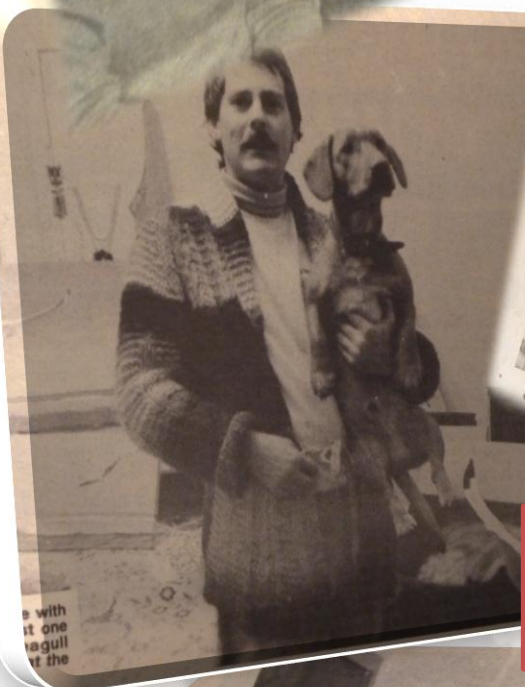


Anna Lee's
 B.Y.O. AT YASS
 Retaining that old-world
 charm for lunch and dinner

Open at 7.00 p.m. Thursday,
 Friday and Saturday, for dinner
 Other nights by arrangement
 Mine hosts Pat and Ted
 73 COMUR ST., YASS
 PHONE (062) 262196



**Pics from the Past
 1986 Time Capsule**



Quite a gathering of friends helped Corinne Lewis (second from right, front row), celebrate her 16th birthday. Corinne had dinner at the Fook Lee Loy Restaurant with mates, Sandra Lewis (front back); Anthea Wykes; (back) Nerida Cassel (left), Darren Warner, Tony Viller, Leanne Jeivell, Alison Hooper and

**Are you looking for a job that is within school hours?
Do you enjoy working with people?**

This may be the job you have been looking for!

Yass Public School Canteen Position

Yass Public School requires an organised and enthusiastic canteen manager. The position is Casual and days and hours can be negotiated with preference for availability to run the Canteen 3 consecutive days.

Salary is in accordance with the Educational Services (Schools) General Staff Award 2010 (MA000076).

To be considered you must meet the following criteria:

- Demonstrated understanding of healthy eating
- Experience and or qualifications in food preparation, food safety and handling
- The ability to work as a team member as well as supervise others and work independently
- Demonstrated time management skills and the ability to control day-to-day operations of a school canteen
- An ability to work co-operatively with volunteers
- The ability to manage the control and ordering of stock, maintain petty cash and undertake basic book keeping
- An awareness of the Fresh Tastes @ School NSW Healthy School Canteen Strategy
- An understanding of OH&S principles
- Interest in food preparation, nutrition and children

Qualifications in the Fresh Tastes @ School Strategy, Canteen Operations and/or Food Safety and Hygiene will be highly regarded.

It is a requirement of employment that a Prohibited Employment Declaration and Consent to Employment Screening checks will be completed.

A detailed job description can be obtained from the school office between 9am and 3pm. Position closes on Tuesday 6th of September 2011.

Contact Kirsten Stafford 0402 479 014 for further information.

Apply in writing to:
Yass Public School P&C
Locked Bag 4
Yass NSW 2582



Yass Public School



SPRING FETE

Friday 16th September
2-5pm

Traditional stalls including:
Books, Cakes, Sweets, Toys, Tombola,
White Elephant Stall, Devonshire Tea,
BBQ, Drinks, Fresh Produce and the \$500 raffle.
Face painting



For the kids – Performing on Stage
The Magic Jester performing at 2:45pm
Junior and Senior Choir
School Band

Market Stalls with arts and crafts
Yass Sporting Clubs summer time promotion
Emergency Services
Plus many more fun activities



YASS JUNIOR CRICKET REGISTRATION DAY

Friday 23 September

4pm to 6.30pm @ Victoria Park, Yass

In2 CRICKET - 5 to 10 year olds

All participants receive:

An exciting giveaway pack exclusive to the program which includes a MILO In2 Cricket bat, cricket ball, carry bag, T-shirt, bucket hat and more!

GOLD DIVISON - Competition format 10 to 14 year olds

Costs: In2 Cricket \$50 per child*
Gold Division \$50 per child*
(* 2 or more children \$90 maximum fee)

Further info : www.yassjca.nsw.cricket.com.au

Email: yassjuniorcricket@hotmail.com



YASS FOOTBALL CLUB INC

SUMMER FOOTBALL REGISTRATION DAY

WEDNESDAY



14TH SEPTEMBER 2011

4.00 PM – 6.00 PM

@ WALKER PARK



In the event of poor weather we will be in the Change Rooms

REGISTRATION FEE



1ST & 2ND player (same family) \$50.00 per player
Additional family members \$25.00 per player

The Competition is for Children from Kindergarten to Year 12

For further information go to www.yassfc.com.au

Player numbers limited

Late Registrations will go on a waiting list

Enquiries – Jodie Gallagher 0400 260172

Grant Taylor 0417 684289

Registration forms are available from www.yassfc.com.au

Thank you to our Gold summer sponsor

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"When Experience Matters"

Thanks also to our bronze summer sponsor

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**Do you enjoy Athletics?
"Family Fun & Fitness"**

Your local centre is located at:
Victoria Park, YASS

For further information, registration forms and
online registration – visit www.ylac.org.au

If you are aged between 5 (born in or before March 2007) and 17,
Yass Little Athletics Club can provide you with regular competition in a family, fun and fitness environment.
Don't miss out on the action!

Season runs from 18th October 2011 through to 27th March 2012 (with a break over the school holidays)

Please note:- children will be unable to participate unless an adult is present to supervise and help out

For general information please see our website or contact:

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Meeting days:

Tuesdays at Victoria Park in Yass from 5.00pm – 7.00pm
From 18th October - 6th December 2011
Then 7th February - 27th March 2012

Cost : \$70 per child
(\$60 directed to ACT LA – for insurance, etc)
+ \$10 per shirt

Registration days:

Tuesday 13th Sept 3 – 6pm @ Victoria Park
Friday 16th Sept 2 – 5 pm @ Yass Public School Fete
Saturday 17th Sept 9am - 1pm @ Victoria Park

For ease of registration follow the links at www.ylac.org.au to fill out an online Registration Form prior to payment.

Time Capsule From 1986

Just some of what was in the time capsule



Coming Events

DATE	EVENT
Mon 5 th Sept	P&C meeting 7.30pm in staff common room
Mon 5 th Sept	Religious Seminars
Mon 5 th Sept	ANU Medical School Visit
Mon 5 th Sept	HSC Body of Work for Visual Arts
Tues 6 th Sept	Captain's Speeches and Voting
Wed 7 th Sept	Indigenous Literacy Day
Wed 7 th Sept	School Social Farewell to Year 12 (7-10pm)
Thu 8 th Sept	Day of Action (NSW Unions)
Fri 9 th Sept	Army Experience Day
Tue 13 th Sept	HSC Music Practical Exam (8.30-12pm)
15-22 nd Sept	Preliminary Final Exams
Thu 15 th Sept	UN Leadership Women at Memorial Hall
Tue 20 th Sept	Leadership Assembly
Fri 23 rd Sept	Year 12 Final Assembly
Fri 23 rd Sept	Last Day Term 3
Mon 10 th Oct	First Day Term 4
12-14 th Oct	Trial School Certificate Exams
Thu 13 th Oct	HSC Exams Start
Fri 14 th Oct	Circus Warehouse
Click on the school website for the online calendar	
Remember Assessment tasks are also available on school website calendars	

