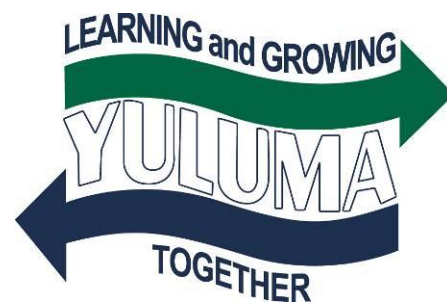


YULUMA PRIMARY SCHOOL

An Independent Public School

Community Newsletter
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School Details	School Hours	Canteen Days	Yuluma Dental Clinic
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Coming Events

2017 Term 1

March

- 03** **Sculptures by the Sea**
(Selected students)
- 06** **Labour Day Public Holiday**
Students do not attend on this day
- 10** **Totem Yarning Incursion P-6**
- 17** **National Ride to School Day**
- 21-24** **Year 5/6 Rottnest Camp**
- 30** **Yr 5-Room 13 Assembly**
- 30** **Japanese Students Visit**
- 30** **Harmony Day Lunch**

April

- 06** **ANZAC Assembly**

Term Dates

Term 1 2017

Wed 01st Feb – Fri 07th Apr

Public Holidays
Monday 6th March
Students do not attend school

The Leadership held recently for our year 6 students was an outstanding success. My thanks to Mrs Barnes and all the team.

Enjoy the term ahead

Kim Pitts-Hill
Principal

Greetings All,

Yuluma has settled well into term 1 with students, staff and you (our supportive families) focussed on the work that is school. Our community works hard to find the good in each event, the upside, the glass half full attitude that helps students and families rise above their challenges. It's the way we Learn and Grow Together in a supportive environment. Knowing that your child enjoys coming to school is a great way to start the day and an even better way in which to promote learning. Learning is fun, and the very best learning is when the learner is engrossed and invested in the activity. It doesn't even seem like learning. I encourage all parents to actively get to know your teacher. Knowing your teacher empower you the parent and help to mediate any learning obstacles, or challenges that arise. Talking it through with your teacher help everyone – teacher, parent and student understand the goal of the activity.

Finally, each year we promote a brief reminder that we need parents to

1. Stay in the car if parking in the kiss and ride (red section Ambrose Street)
2. Not park in the wrong direction (ie wrong side of the road)
3. Avoid U turns in Ambrose St
4. Not double park or impede traffic flow

So far this year things are smooth, and importantly safe for children being driven to and from school and for that we thank all parents.



Harmony Day – Our Annual Harmony Day Lunch will be held on March 30 this year. All parents, grandparents, friends and family are invited to join the school for a BYO Picnic Lunch on the oval from 12.20 – 1.00pm. We encourage students to wear traditional and cultural costumes and clothing, or at least **ORANGE** clothing signifying harmony and peace. Students sit in family groups under the shade, later mixing and playing on the oval during the lunch break. Students from Japan will also be visiting the school on that day and we look forward to interacting with them also

REMINDER: Normal school day on Tuesday, 7th March. Students need to attend school on this day. This is a correction to the calendar published earlier in the term. Public Holiday is on Monday, 6th March.

Deputy News

Ocean Net Leadership Conference

The Year 6 students recently attended the Ocean Net Student Leader's Conference at Challenge Stadium. Deanmore, Newborough and Scarborough Primary School Year 6 leaders also attended. During the day a number of keynote speakers talked to the students about leadership making decisions and being role models. Key note speakers included Deputy Premier Liza Harvey, Linda Hoult and Michael Watson. There were a number of concurrent sessions where interaction between the schools occurred.

I can say, without any bias, that the Yuluma students were clearly the most mature and responsible of the schools at the conference. Both myself and Ms Burrell were elated to be approached by members of the community applauding the behaviour of our students. This makes us very proud. Well done Year 6's.

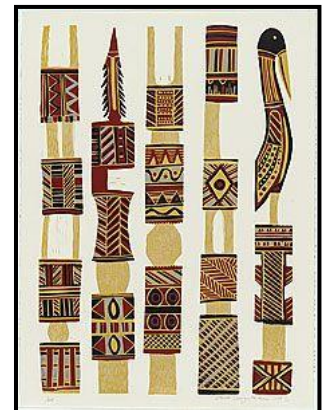
Sincere thanks to Mr Nick Stenhouse for his huge efforts in bringing the conference to fruition. We are hopeful this will become an inaugural event between the Ocean Net Schools.

Rottneest Camp

Year 5 and 6 students are preparing for camp to Rottneest Island from Tuesday, 21st March – Friday, 24th March. Thank you to those parents that have returned paperwork and attended the meeting on Tuesday morning.

Nearer to Nature Totem Yarning Incursion – 10th March

All students from Pre-Primary – Year 6 are invited to attend the Nearer to Nature – Totem Yarning Incursion on Friday, 10th March. Consent notes have been handed out to family representatives this week. Payment is required before Thursday, 9th March at \$7 per student.



Yuluma Video

For those families that haven't visited the Yuluma Primary School website or attended any of the Class Information Sessions you may like to have a look at the new school video that clearly demonstrates just a few of the things that make our school a unique and exciting place to learn. If you need a 'pick up' at any stage, this video is guaranteed to bring a smile to your face. <http://yulumaps.wa.edu.au/>

*Sandra Barnes
Deputy Principal*

National Ride2School Day – Friday, 17th March

Yuluma Primary will once again be hosting the National Ride2School Day on **Friday, 17th March** from **8am-8:30am**. There will be a breakfast for all students participating in this event and our volunteers from The Bicycle Entrepreneur Osborne Park will be there on the day to check bikes and chat about any bicycle questions. More information will be given to students and families closer to the day. Until then, save the date!



Running Club

Running Club has started with a great turnout from all ages across our school. Thank you to all families who make the extra effort to get their child/children ready early for school to attend, and I congratulate these students who have the motivation and dedication to come along to each of these sessions. Hard work pays off and we look forward to seeing the progression of their fitness throughout the year. Please remember that we begin at 7:40am, meeting in the undercover area and finish at 8:20am.

*Tania Maslin
Co-ordinator*

Editors Note: Well done and thank you Mrs Maslin

P&C News

Election Day Sausage Sizzle

On election day, Saturday, 11th March, the Yuluma P&C will be holding a sausage sizzle. This will be a fundraising event for our school. Bacon and egg rolls, sausage sizzle and drinks will be available to purchase as well as items from our cake and book stalls. We will require donations of bacon, eggs and cool drinks (cans, water, juice boxes) tomato sauce and mustard, baked goods and books. Please note, all baked goods must include an ingredient list. You can collect your ingredient list label from the office or download and print it from the P&C website.

We will also need volunteers to help out on the BBQ and running of stalls. If you are available for 2 hours during the day, please add your name to the roster in the office. Please note, the morning shifts are the most important to fill as these are our busiest times.

Movie Night

We will be holding a movie night on Friday, 31st March. This will be a free event and all children and their families from Kindy – Year 6 will be invited to attend. More information will follow closer to the date.

Fete News

Yuluma Primary School is turning **20!** To celebrate our 20th Anniversary, the P&C is coordinating a fete to be held on **Saturday, 18th November 2017.**

We will have entertainment and games such as woodworking, bouncy castles and pony rides, a variety of stalls and a selection of food. Seller stalls are available to purchase for small businesses with the immediate Yuluma Primary School community having first preference. After this, the wider community will have the opportunity to purchase a stall.

If you would like to purchase a stall, have any ideas or suggestions or any contacts who may be able to contribute, please contact our fete coordinator Tara Christides on tchristides@live.com.au



OSHClub News

Before School / After School Care Program



Greetings Families and welcome back!

We are excited for 2017, and we are looking forward to a fun year together!

Coming up at OSHClub, we are going to look at World Wild Life Day, St Patrick's day, Harmony Day, and not too far off ... Easter!

Just a reminder for parents, please remember to bring a hat for your child to wear for outdoor play, also remember that OSHClub is a NUT FREE service, so please no foods containing nuts.

Thanks everyone and we will see you at OSHClub!



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