

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

2018 Term 2

May

28 - 31 Life Ed Van K-6

Jun

- 04 **WA Day Public Holiday**
Students do not attend school
- 07 Yr 4 Assembly
- 08 Eagles Cup Doubleview P/S
- 13 Faction Cross Country PP-6
- 15 Eagles Cup Yuluma P/S
- 18 **Bunnings Sausage Sizzle**
- 20 **P&C Meeting 7pm**
- 21 Yr 5/6 Red Cross Visit
- 22 Yr 5/6 Lightning Carnival
Reports go home to parents
- 26 EduDance Concert
- 27 Reporting to parents Day
- 28 Year 2/3 Assembly
- 29 Last Day of Term 2

Term Dates

Term 3 2018

Tues, 17th July – Fri, 21st September

Term 4 2018

Tues, 9th October – Thurs, 13th Dec

has now been completed and the new island, apparent decreased lane width, entry humps and pedestrian ways have significantly slowed down traffic. I request that all drivers do not park, or idle in the main road way. This causes all traffic flow to cease. Please use the parking spaces or remain in your car in the "Kiss –n-drive" red section. Alternatively, choose a different border (Morris Road, or Diane Street) to pick up your child. Most importantly we can all agree, slower vehicle speeds near the school make it safer for children. Thank you everyone.

Greetings All, Reporting to Parents

The Reporting to Parents day is on **Wednesday, 27th June.** Students may attend school in the morning sessions. From 11:30am students will be released to go home and the Curriculum Program suspended. The recess break will run from 11:30am.

Parents will be able to meet with their child's teacher according to the pre booked interview times. *Interview schedules will be available from 11th JUNE* outside the office. Discussions about student achievement (*how high they score*), student progress (*how far they have come in the first semester*) and overall student performance (*academic/social skills and knowledge*), form the basis of your level of Satisfaction with School.

Parents are also encouraged to complete either the online or the paper version of the Satisfaction with School survey. Surveys will be available from the 18th June online, and in paper on the Reporting to Parents Day. This year and for the next two years, there is a stronger focus on the level of student achievement, and the extent to which parents are satisfied. This one on one discussion about your child's report feeds and informs this crucial question.

Parents are strongly encouraged to ensure their child is collected, or permitted to travel home at this time. Although minimal supervision is provided, the success of the event relies on full support from all parents. Please complete the Acknowledgement Slip below, as an indication to the school that you are aware of the arrangements for Reporting to Parents day.

Ambrose Street

The front of the school at Ambrose Street



Eagles Cup Soccer against Newborough P/S

School Board

The school board's main role is the guiding of the school in the overall setting of a business plan, strategic goals and the monitoring of the achievement of those goals. In our next school newsletter the Business Plan will be an attached document for your information. Please make access to the members of the board as just one more way in which you can influence and contribute to making Yuluma that bit better.

The school board is now comprised of;

Christine Read	Chair
Kim Pitts-Hill	Principal
Sonja Roeterdink	Parent Representative
Mike Newton	Parent Representatives
Miriam Hoda	Parent Representatives
Dave Amin	Parent Representatives
Sandra Barnes	Staff Representative
Kate Rennie	Staff Representative
Jo Johns	Staff Representative

My thanks to all staff and community members that work together with us as we Learn and Grow.

Western Australia Day – 4th June 2018

WA Day is held on the first Monday in June each year and is a holiday for all people who live and work in Western Australia. This year the public holiday will be on Monday 4 June, no students are to come to school on this day.

WA Day commemorates the foundation of the Swan River Colony near Perth by European settlers in 1829. It was previously known as Foundation Day but the name was changed in April 2012 to recognise the much longer history of the Aboriginal people of the land.

Regards,
Kim Pitts-Hill
Principal

DEPUTY NEWS

Faction Cross Country - Wednesday, 13th June

Our school Faction Cross Country is due to take place on **Wednesday, 13th June** commencing at **9am** with the Pre-Primary students. To run this event safely and efficiently we would like the assistance of parent volunteers. If you are able to spare any time for this event, please write your name on the list in the front office. We generally start the races at **9am** and are finished by **11:30am**.

Life Education Van Visit

Students from Kindy – Year 6 have visited the Life Ed Van this week and have participated in some outstanding activities. The standard of presentations is always very high and I have yet to meet a student who hasn't enjoyed their visit. This year is no exception.



Athletics Clinics

Ms Izett has secured some Sporting Schools funding again this year that has enabled classes from Pre-Primary-Year 6 to participate in Athletics Clinics every Wednesday until the end of the term. Each class will work with an expert coach for 30 or 45 minute blocks.

EduDance Concert – Tuesday, 26th June

The EduDance Concert will be held at **2pm on Tuesday, 26th June** in the **Undercover Area**. Each class will be told about costume requirements for their concert piece, please ask your child's teacher for the list.

Parents please note that ALL students are to wear sport shoes only, no sandals, thongs or party shoes. Hair must be tied back and shorts and bike pants are to be worn under dresses or skirts.

A reminder to Kindergarten parents that Kindy students will not participate in the concert at 2pm.

Kindy parents are invited to attend the last Kindy EduDance session at **9:30am on Tuesday, 26th June** to see them move and groove. The lesson will be followed by a morning tea for parents in Block 1.

MUSIC NEWS

Children are enjoying a variety of lunchtime entertainment on Mondays this term. This is a great way to encourage students to practice their performance skills and gain confidence in front of an audience. We are delighted to discover the many talents of the children in our school.

Mrs Hadfield

Music Specialist

LIBRARY NEWS

Once again our annual Book Fair was recently held in the library. There were a lot of wonderful books and accessories available to purchase and I thank the many parents/carers who visited and bought something from the Fair. From the sales made, we were fortunate to receive nearly \$400 worth of books for the library which is a really great effort.



A special Thank you to the lovely P&C ladies who volunteered their time to help with this worthy cause - Tara Christides, Anna Evans, Natalie Rynders, Karen Schlegl, Melanie Attrill, Teri Reed, Elizabeth Lake and Taryn Smith. The students will be able to read these fantastic new books in the coming weeks.

HAPPY READING

Mrs Alderton

Library Officer

P&C

Bunnings Sausage Sizzle – Sunday, 17th June

There are a couple of spots left to fill, so if you have a couple of hours free, please put your name down on the roster in the office. Thank you to those families who have already volunteered. We are also seeking donations of tomato sauce and mustard.

Uniform Shop

The Uniform Shop had a large excess of secondhand uniforms. In order to move on some of this stock, we will be offering these pieces at no charge. Please come along to the Uniform Shop on **Tuesday mornings from 8:30am or Thursday afternoons from 3pm** if you require any items.

Please note, in future, the Uniform Shop will only be taking donations of correct Yuluma Primary School uniform items.

Thank you once again to families who purchased books and stationery during the Book Fair. Mrs Alderton, the school Librarian, was able to purchase over \$400 worth of new books for our school library with the commission raised.

Please stay up to date with all things P&C by visiting our website at <http://yulumapandc.org.au>

YULUMA CANTEEN

Half way through Term 2 and our canteen continues to work very hard serving the school community. A big thank you to those parents that have volunteered during the term, with special mention to Louise Jorissen and Karen Guagliardo for their extra help, making staff platters for the last two Wednesdays and Cindy Fryer for all the kind food donations she has made to the canteen.

We are always looking for more volunteers, if you are able, please see me (Anna Evans) in the canteen or leave a note at the front office. We also welcome suggestions for the menu each term. Suggestions can be placed into the black mailbox that sits just outside the canteen. Donations of food e.g milk, self-raising flour, wholemeal/white bread, margarine and vegetables (lettuce, carrots, cucumber or tomatoes) are also welcome and can be dropped at the canteen or left at the front office. Please ask if you are unsure, as we are an “allergy aware” canteen.

Lastly, a few changes have been made to help our canteen contribute to going greener. We have implemented re-usable cutlery & mugs and cut down considerably on paper bags. The students have adapted very quickly and efficiently and we appreciate your patience with the changes.

Many thanks

Anna Evans

Canteen Manager

RUNNING CLUB

The mornings are getting rather cool now but we appreciate the hard working students are still dedicated to keeping their fitness up and pushing themselves each Friday morning to achieve optimum benefits from regular exercise in all facets of their life. Please remind your child/children to pack a spare pair of socks for warm feet after Running Club as the grass is now getting wet. Running Club continues through the Winter months, even when it is raining as we can train in the Undercover Area. The only time that Running Club will be cancelled is if we have dangerous weather conditions in the way of Lightning. Please use your discretion.

I have mentioned to the Running Club students that I received some information of an exciting Running Festival where runners finish inside the Amazing New Optus Stadium on Sunday, 7th October. This is not a school initiative and not just for Running Club students, just information I would like to relay for families who may be interested. Please click on the link below for registration and further information. Once you have registered please let me know so that the Yuluma Running Club Team could meet up and start together.



http://perthrunningfestival.com.au/?utm_source=EDM_1&utm_medium=Email&utm_content=PRF-RegisterNowImage&utm_campaign=29-May

If you are registering please select your distance > Register Now> I'm a Participant>YES to 'Are you part of a team'>Team Name 'Yuluma Primary Running Club'>Select>Join> Complete Participants details. There are costs involved. We hope we get a team together for a bit of fun.

Tania Maslin

Running Club Coordinator

NETBALL

Our Saturday morning netball teams have played 3 games. We have some wins and some losses. Both teams have played with awesome spirit and are doing a great job representing our school. Well done everyone.

Raelene Izett

Organiser and Coach of Yr3/4's

Virtue of the Fortnight

RESPECT

Respect is an attitude of caring about people and treating them with dignity. Respect is valuing ourselves and others. We show respect by speaking and acting with courtesy. When we are respectful we treat others as we want to be treated. Respect includes honouring the rules of our family or school, which make life more orderly and peaceful. It is knowing that every man, woman and child deserves respect, including you.

AFFIRMATION

I am respectful. I treat others and myself as we deserve to be treated. I show courtesy to everyone. I learn from the wisdom of my elders.

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