Principal’s Report

Deepest Sympathy
Last week, Mrs Chilvers’s father, Oliver, passed away. On behalf of the whole school community I would like to pass onto Sue, and her family, our deepest sympathy. Our thoughts are with you at this difficult time.

Congratulations Thomas Scott
Congratulations to Thomas Scott who competed at the State Cross Country carnival on Friday at Eastern Creek. The weather conditions were severe with snow falling in many nearby areas and rain bucketing down on the track. Thomas ran very well and placed 62nd in the State for this event. What an outstanding effort!

K-6 Assembly
NSW Public Schools Education Week is scheduled for next week. This is a time when we celebrate Public Education and the wonderful achievements of our students. Our school has a very busy week with activities planned as follows:

Monday 27th July: 9.00am Mark rolls & organisation
9:30am –Assembly
10:15am –Open Classrooms
11.00am – Morning Tea

Tuesday 28th July: 1.30 – Choir, Griffith Central.

Wednesday 29th July: 12:15 – Choir, Griffith Central.

Thursday 30th July: KROP – Dress Rehearsal, Night Performance

Friday 31st July: KROP – Matinee and Night Performance.

School Photos
Our school photos will be held on Tuesday 4th August 2015. Order forms have been sent home. Advancedlife Photography is offering an on-line ordering and payment system that may help you with the ordering process. Please put this date in your diary.

Intensive Swimming
Information regarding this year’s Intensive Swimming was sent home last week. At the moment, we are only looking at an expression of interest so we can gauge interest in this program. The cost is $74.00 per student, which includes lessons and transport for ten days. This cost is based on 35 students attending. Please complete the form and drop it back to the office so we can start our planning. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Have a great week! 😊

Kate Brace
Principal (Rel)

Australian Early Development Census
This term, Yenda PS and other schools throughout Australia will be taking part in the Australian Early Development Census (AEDC), which is a nationwide census of early childhood development. Kindergarten teachers will collect information on students in their first year of school for the census. Children’s names and personal details are not recorded. This information will be used to inform our school and community about how children are developing before they start school, what is being done well, and what can be improved. The AEDC is an Australian Government initiative run by the Department of Education and Training.

If you would like further information or do not wish for your child’s data to be included in the survey please contact the school by Wednesday 29th July, 2015.

P&C Meeting
Tuesday 21st July, 7pm in the Library
All Welcome
Library News
Our Book Fair is coming!
Our Book Fair will be held in Week 4. It will be open on
Monday morning, lunch and afternoon and Tuesday
morning at the following times:

Monday 3rd August 8.45 – 10am, 1.30 – 2.00pm and
3.15 – 5.30pm.
Tuesday 4th August 8.45 – 9.30am

We do hope everyone will support this event as all
commission from sales provide resources for our school.

Please remember to return your books each week,
especially books borrowed over the holidays.
Remember “Connect with Reading”

Mrs Sue Chilvers
Teacher/Librarian

Soccer Gala Day
On Wednesday the 15th of July the Yenda soccer team
gewnt to Ted Scobie Oval to play in the Griffith soccer
gala day. The boys played 2 games their first game they
played Small Schools we won 3-0 the three goal scorers
were Jordan Bastianon, Lewis Murphy and Maxx
Gorigolzari.

In the second game we played Griffith East Public. The
score was 7-1 sadly we lost, Blake Signor was the only
goal scorer for our team. Thank you Mr Turner for
coming and coaching us, and parents for their support.
Lewis Murphy and Jordan Bastianon.

Congratulations to the soccer boys for their terrific efforts
during the two games. The boys were outstanding
representatives for Yenda Public School.

Richard Turner

Cake Stall Fundraiser for KROP
On Wednesday 22nd July we will be having a
cake stall at school to try to raise some funds
to cover our costume and prop costs for
KROP. Each Student in KROP is asked to
bring in a donation of cakes, slices or
biscuits etc… to be sold
at the stall. These can be brought to school on Wednesday
morning and left in Mrs Perez’s class.
If any other student’s would like to contribute to donating
cakes etc…they would be greatly appreciated.

Prices: 20cents - $1.00

Thursday 23rd July
MADD – Yr 6 Theatre

Monday 27th July
Education Week Assembly

Tuesday 28th July
Choir Griffith Central 1.30
UNSW English

Wednesday 29th July
Choir Griffith Central 12.15

Thursday 30th July
KROP

Tuesday 4th August
WHS – Yr 6 Middle School

Friday 7th August
School Photos

Zone Athletics
Yenda Public School

Nationally consistent collection of data on school students requiring support – 2015

Our school is participating in the collection of nationally consistent data on school students requiring support in the classroom. We will be collecting information already available in the school about the support that is being provided to these students. Better data will help the Government plan for students in the future.

The data collection will have no direct impact on your child and they will not be involved in any testing process.

The NSW Department of Education and Communities will provide data to the Australian Government from all NSW public schools in such a way that no individual student or school will be able to be identified. In this way, we will ensure the privacy and confidentiality of all students.

All information is protected by privacy laws which regulate the collection, storage and disclosure of personal information. Information about the Australian Government’s Privacy Policy can be found at http://education.gov.au/condensed-privacy-policy. Information about the NSW Government’s privacy policies can be found at http://www.ipc.nsw.gov.au

If you do not want your child to be counted in the data collection you must complete the form below and return it to the school by Friday 27th July, 2015. A decision to exclude your child will not affect the support they currently receive.

Further information about the data collection can be found on the Australian Government Department of Education website:


If you have any questions about your child being included in the data collection please contact the school.

Kind regards

Kate Brace

Principal (Rel)

If you do not want your child to be counted in the data collection, please complete the section below and return it to the school by Friday 27th July, 2015.

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Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students requiring support – 2015

I/we ___________________________________________________________

Name of parent/carer

**do not** wish my child ____________________________________________ to be counted

Name of child

for the purposes of the collection of nationally consistent data on school students requiring support.

Parent/Carer signature: ____________________________      Date:   __________