**Principal’s Report**

I hope the Dads in our community had a great Father’s Day yesterday and enjoyed some time relaxing with their families.

Wow! It will take a little while to come down from a high after our school concert last week. There were a few very tired faces on Friday (and that was just the teachers!) so I hope you all had a chance to catch up on rest over the weekend. Our students danced and entertained, with all classes performing items related to the wonderful era of the 80s, and the costuming, choreography and talent on display was simply amazing.

To the staff, a huge thanks, for not only developing the choreography of each of the items, rehearsing the songs but also for the myriad of other details that go into preparing a concert. Events such as these really highlight the committed and dedicated staff that we are lucky enough to have at Yenda PS. We do need to thank in particular our concert organisers (creative geniuses!), Tessa Errey, Michelle Perez and Lisa Brown for all their effort in bringing it all together and managing the logistics of an event such as this.

Thank you also to our office ticket masters who managed the financial aspect of this production together with booking buses and dealing with the other organisational aspects of the show.

To all parents, grandparents and carers - thank you for your assistance in organising the students’ costumes. They all looked fantastic! And as a parent of three myself, I understand the blood, sweat and tears that can often be attached to this process. In the end though, I’m sure you’ll agree (as we do) that it’s worth all the effort 😊

**Riverina Athletics results**

**Kayla Panazzolo**
- High Jump – 2nd overall 1.30m, 100m -1st in Final 13.82, 200m – 2nd.

**Alannah Starr**
- Discus – 1st 22.50m, Shot Put – 3rd 8.23m,

**Jordan Payne** - Relay 2nd 58.16

**Madeline McPherson** – 100m - 7th 18.71

**Isaac Piva** – Shot Put – 1st 9.81m

**Brodie Mirtschin** – Discus 4th - 25.79m

**Riley Piva** – Shot Put 7th - 8.24m

**Aaron Clifford** – High Jump 2nd - 1.29m

**Thomas Scott** – 800m – 9th

1st, 2nd, 3rd Places go on to State in Sydney.

**School Holidays**

School holidays are fast approaching. Our last day of school is Friday 18th September, which is also our last assembly for the term. The first day back will be Tuesday 6th October. Please be aware that there will not be a Staff Development Day on the first day of Term 4, as these will be held on the last two days of term.
Year 3/4 Excursion
Please continue to make payments toward your child’s excursion. Payment due by Thursday 17th September.

Intensive Swimming
This week we will begin our intensive swimming program and this will continue into next week. Students need to ensure that they bring all the necessary items each day, eg. swimmers, towel, goggles. They are able to pack thongs to wear at the Aquatic Centre. Those girls attending may wish to wear their summer uniform if it is easier to take on and off. Students will eat their lunch early before travelling into the Aquatic Centre at 1pm each day.

Trent Barrett Shield Final
This match will be played on Wednesday 9th September due to the postponement. All other details remain the same.

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Have a great week!
Kate Brace
Principal (Rel)

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Missing Jumpers & Jackets
Several jumpers & jackets have gone missing lately. These items have student’s names attached. Please check that your child has not accidentally picked up another child’s jumper or jacket.

Visitor/Volunteer Procedures
As a part of Work Health Safety requirements and the child protection policy at Yenda PS, it is a necessity that all visitors/parents/volunteers who support in the school must sign in and out at the front office. This is to also ensure that should there be an emergency, the office staff are aware of all persons on site at any given time. We appreciate your anticipated support in this.

P & C Committee
We are in desperate need of volunteers to help in the canteen. If you are able to spare a few hours on a Friday (mostly) to help in the canteen could you please contact me so we can add your name and number to a casual call list.
Next meeting Tuesday, 8th September at 7pm in the school library. All welcome.
Nicole Horley
0408 404 632

Recount of School Concert
Kaylee Brown Yr 1
YPs Concert
On Thursday we went to Yoogali Club on the bus. I saw extraordinary dance moves. I saw skipping, jumping, hopping and even boxing. My favourite act was 3/4’s amazing act. I liked being part of footloose because it is a happy song. When I went on the high stage I felt shaky and very nervous. After that amazing performance I felt happy!

Canteen News
We will be having a Pasta Day!
Tuesday 15th September
Spaghetti Bolognese & Fruit Box $5
All orders in by Friday 11th September

Pasta Day Order

Name: __________________________
Qty: ____________________________
Class: __________________________

Orders Due Back By Friday 11th September
Yrs 1 & 2: Living Things & Shelter Projects