

CYS news



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CYS: OUT & ABOUT

Grant Keleher | Principal



This week is exciting as we promote Central Yorke on both the state and national stage. We have four of our students going to Mt Buller to represent Central Yorke in the National Downhill Snow Skiing Championships against other schools including Melbourne Grammar and Kings Baptist in Sydney. We also have our show team at the Adelaide Show with our goats looking to equal the prizes we achieved last year and we wish them all the best.

Lastly we have been contacted by Channel 7 and our school choir will be on Sunrise this Friday morning when they represent our school and sing for the nation.

It fills me with great pride when I see our small school achieving amazing results, especially against schools that are much bigger than us. It is a direct reflection on the

attitudes our students and community have towards our school. I wish all students the best of success.

NAPLAN

By now you should have received your child's NAPLAN results if they are in Year 3,5,7 & 9. If you do have any concerns or questions then I ask that you contact Deputy principal

↓ Students at the Royal Adelaide Show



↓ The Choir will perform at Port Vincent



Beth Hector and make a time to catch up with her to discuss these issues and look at how best the school can support your child.

On a personal note I was really pleased once again with our results and the improvement we have seen across the board. I was really impressed with the results of our Year 7's and 9's and the fact we had a huge 80% of students retain their results in the higher band.

While our results have been exceptional once again, our next challenge is to maintain or improve our results even more for next year.

PARENT OPINION SURVEY

Before the end of term I will be sending out a Parent Opinion Survey.

I am continually looking for feedback about our performance as a school and how we can improve to better suit the needs of the children. If you get the opportunity to fill one out I ask you to do so. All responses are confidential and we will use the data to help drive our site improvement plan for 2018.

Students have recently completed feedback for our teaching staff and staff have been carrying out observations on each other to deprivatise classrooms and increase teacher capacity.



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ON THE FRONT COVER

Pre-service teacher Linda Beagley, reception student Harry Moore and Principal Grant Keleher pose in their 2017 Book Week costumes.



UNIFORM

With the change in seasons happening and the warmer weather starting I think it is a good time for our school community to be reminded of the importance of our uniform.

A copy of the uniform code is in the front of the school diary and it is an expectation that parents and students follow it.

There is a lot of pride in our uniform and every child that comes through our front door is given the privilege to wear it.

Please note that we do not accept the following:

- Large logos or stripes on shorts and pants
- Leggings and tights; these are not pants
- Hoodies under jumpers/t-shirts

I ask parents support our standards and send their children in uniform to school. If you cannot send students in uniform, then I ask you to send a note in with your child.

If you are having difficulty obtaining a uniform or sending your child to school in one please feel free to contact the school so we can provide you with some support.

PLANNING AHEAD FOR 2018

Don't forget to let us know in writing if your child will not be attending Central Yorke School next year.

Also, if you have family or friends moving to the district and who definitely want to enrol their children here, please let us know so they can be considered in the class placements.

We'd like as much information about 2018 numbers as possible so we can structure the classes according to student needs.

A reminder as well to provide any information that you would like considered in relation to your child's placement.

It needs to be a genuine request relating to your child's academic, social, physical or emotional needs.

However, sometimes there are instances where it has not been possible to meet these requests for a range of reasons.

Please put your request in writing, or alternatively, make time soon to see one of the leadership team to discuss your child's needs.

Until next time.

Grant Keleher (Principal)



IMAGINATION TIME

Melissa Richards | Head of Early Years



“One of the greatest gifts we can give our children is time: that unstructured, unhurried, lose-yourself-in- imagination time.” Ginny Yurich. This quote supports our philosophy which states, play is supported when children have opportunities for periods of uninterrupted play.

Through observing children at play, we as Educators tune into children's strengths, interests, ideas and theories and plan for explicit teaching during group times, utilise teachable moments and provide opportunities/experiences to explore and stretch children's thinking.

EXPLICIT TEACHING

I like to think of our explicit teaching moments as 'invitations for learning' where ideas are explored and children are exposed to facts and skills which they can transfer into their unstructured, unhurried, lose-yourself- in- imagination time.

Competent and capable learners are thinkers who explore their theories independently or co-construct with others.

The photos provide examples of explicit teaching moments which have been developed from observing children at play and engaging in conversations with them.





Early Learning Centre W E E K 7





LEARNING PHOTOSTORY:

The year 2 class were very lucky to taste the delicious raspberry sorbet Mrs Davies made in our new Thermomix. And what do you do when you have left over milk in home ec and a new Thermomix? You make hot chocolate with the SAASTA students!



The year 7's "travelled" to France for their Home Economics lesson. Once they arrived, they quickly rustled up some Chicken and Corn vol au vents.

Bon appetit!



Home Economics

A batch of party pies made by Liam, Shayla and Angus while the rest of the class is at the Show.

Yes they taste as good as they look.

Just a reminder that all the Home Ec recipes are saved on the school lesson drive. So please encourage your children to print them off and do some cooking at home!





Our SAASTA Stage One group was invited to take part in the Flinders University Rural Health Masterchef Challenge held at Point Pearce last week. As young leaders our SAASTA students took on a mentoring role with younger Point Pearce students

to help assist them in their cooking challenge. Our wonderful FURHS reps first went through the importance of hand washing with students. Our SAASTA students modelled the hand washing technique with Point Pearce students.



Masterchef Challenge

FURHS reps then went over students hands with a blue light which showed any germs left on the hands. Students and community members joined in to participate in the Masterchef Cook-off.

It was great to see our SAATA students using their confident leadership skills to help facilitate groups. Overall a great day!

Thanks to the FURHS council for allowing our group to be a part of it!



LEARNING PHOTOSTORY:

Miss Townsend and her 7/8 class came across a lamb in the Ag block with a sore leg. He was brought to the office and after calling YP Vets and asking their opinion it was decided that the lamb would be given a chance as he was so lively.

I took him to YP Vets and he was given an x-ray. They found his leg was badly broken and couldn't be fixed. A surgery date was set and he lived at my house with my dogs.

The year 2 class conducted a survey of the primary classes and the name Lambert was chosen.



Lambert



Surgery day came around and it was fingers crossed that he would make it through the risky surgery. Lambert made it through with flying colours. After some check-up appointments and removal of stitches he travelled back to school and is living happily in the Ag block.

The JP is enjoying feeding Lambert his morning bottle and Lambert has inspired their project based learning. A big thank you to YP Vets for taking on Lambert's case, which was not an easy one.

Emma Westbrook | Year 2



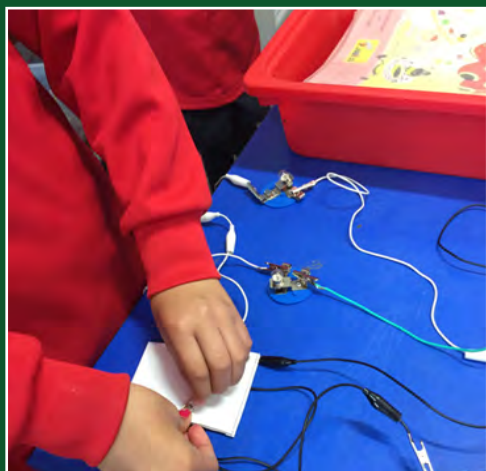


LEARNING PHOTOSTORY:

The Year 3-4 class have been making traffic light systems in Design & tech lessons.

They started by constructing simple series circuits using light bulbs, cables and batteries.

Once they had one light working, they added additional lights and learned how parallel circuits allow the lights to glow brightly and be independently controlled.



3-4 Traffic Lights



Groups built simple three way switches to control the lights, used tools to cut out light holes in the cases then wired up and tested the lights.

The next step is to cover the lights with coloured cellophane, mount the boxes on stands and use the finished product to control traffic in the primary corridor.



CENTRAL YORKE SCHOOL
Canteen Price List as From 1/5/2017

When placing your order, please make sure your **NAME** and **CLASS** is clearly written on your lunch bag and state if you would like to receive your change, if any, at recess time.
Milk shakes & Hot Chocolates to be picked up from canteen WITH lunch bag

Sandwiches / Rolls/Wraps	Sandwiches	Rolls (single)
Ham	\$3.00	\$3.60
Cheese	\$2.70	\$3.20
Chicken	\$3.50	\$4.00
Salad (no meat)	\$3.30	\$4.00
Toasted sandwiches	Extra 20 cents	
Extra Fillings :		
Tomato	.50	.50
Cucumber	.30	.30
Cheese	.30	.30
Lettuce	.30	.30
Salad	Chicken/ Ham	\$6.00

Chicken or beef burgers	With lettuce, tomato, cheese. Mayo or sauce	\$6.00
Wedges & Gravy or Sour Cream & Chilli Sauce (terms 2 & 3)		\$6.00
Munchies 6		\$2.50
Dino Pack salad and 4 dinos		\$4.50
Dinos each		.60
Drinks		
Hot Chocolate (terms 2 & 3)		\$1.00
Milk shakes Caramel. Chocolate, Strawberry		\$3.50
Spring Water		\$1.50
Pop Tops Apple , Orange, Wild Berry 250ml		\$1.70

Hot Food		
Noodle cups	Chicken/ Beef	\$2.20
Hot Chicken Gravy Roll		\$5.50
Pies, Pasties, Sausage Rolls		\$4.00
Pizza Ham & Pineapple, Bacon & Cheese		\$3.50
Hot Dog with Tomato Sauce, BBQ Sauce or Mustard	(with Cheese add .50c)	\$5.00
½ Hot Dog		\$2.50
Nachos		\$3.00
Tuna Mornay		\$4.00
Macaroni cheese		\$5.00
Lasagna		\$5.00
Hot Vegemite Roll		\$1.00
½ Hot Vegemite Roll		.50
Hot Chicken, & Mayo Wrap with lettuce, tomato		\$6.00
Chili Chicken Wrap with lettuce & tomato		\$6.00

Flavoured Milk Chocolate, Strawberry 375ml		\$2.80
Big M Milk chocolate, strawberry 250ml		\$2.10
Berri Juices Apple & Blackcurrent, Multi V, Tropical 400ml		\$3.00
Glee Blue, Pink, Red, Purple		\$2.20
Other Items		
Muffins Blueberry, Chocolate Chip		\$3.00
Cookies Chocolate Chip		.50c
Mousse & Jelly Cups		.50c each
Red Licorice Straps		.20c each
Yoghurt straps		.20c each
Potato Chips Grainwaves, Chicken, Honey Soy		\$1.10
Assorted ice creams available From 40c ea.		

LEARNING PHOTOSTORY:

The Point Pearce students have been working on Science and Technology in their new Maker Space with Mrs Hector.

They had Lego challenges in the Maker space.

Traisanna made a cat that was crouching and Travis made a bird when given 8 minutes to create and animal.

For Robots, Rovina's could do the splits and Tramaine's was able to send signals into space.



Point Pearce Science

In Science we investigated " Why do we need two eyes ? "

We tried to drop a coin into a cup with one eye covered. It was very tricky!

We also made guitars as part of our Science unit on sound.

We watched the bands vibrate and created different notes with varying band-widths and depth of boxes .



INTERIM REPORTS & INTERVIEWS

Beth Hector | Deputy Principal



With Term 3 nearing an end teachers have prepared interim reports for students in Years 1-12 for distribution this week.

INTERIM REPORTS

These indicate academic progress in subjects using a traffic light system with green for satisfactory, yellow for partial achievement and red highlighting minimal achievement at this point in time.

These are being posted out on Wednesday 6th September.

INTERVIEWS

We encourage families to book interviews with teachers and the evenings designated for this to occur are Wednesday September 13th and Thursday September 14th.

The booking process is detailed on the interim reports, but should there be any issues with this please do not hesitate to contact the school for assistance.

If you are unable to attend an interview on either set night please negotiate to meet with the teacher you wish to see at an alternate time through the use of the student diary or by calling the school.

HOW TO USE THE BOOKING SYSTEM

To start, visit the www.schoolinterviews.com.au website and enter the code **q3pjs** and follow the prompts.

For additional help, follow the comprehensive step-by-step guide on the page opposite.

You are also welcome to contact the school for assistance.

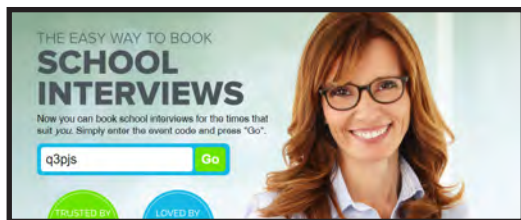
Please note that bookings for Wednesday September 13 can be made up until 11am when online bookings will close.

Bookings will reopen at 6pm for Thursday, September 14 and close again at 11am that day.

ALTERNATIVES TO ONLINE BOOKINGS

If you have limited Internet access or would prefer not to book online, contact the school on 8832 2613 with your booking preferences and we will make the online bookings for you.

MAKING A CYS ONLINE INTERVIEW BOOKING



1. Go to **www.schoolinterviews.com.au**
2. Enter the school event code q3pjs
3. Click **GO**

Note: Bookings do not open until Thursday, September 7

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4. Enter:
 - Your email address
 - Parent's full name
 - Number & names of your children
5. Click **GO**

Note: Names are not shared online.

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6. Select the subject then teacher for each interview you wish to book.
7. Click **GO**

Note: Select the 'class teacher' from the drop down list for primary teachers.

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8. Select a time for each teacher by clicking in the boxes available.
9. Click **GO**

Note: Interview slots are 10 minutes in length with 5 minutes between interviews to move between teachers.

10. A confirmation screen appears with a list of the appointments you have made. A confirmation email will be sent to the email address entered in step 3.

Note: Changes to appointments can be made up until 11am on the day of the booking.



SACE Info Night

↑ Coordinator of Student Pathways Scott Moore and the senior school team met with Year 12 parents for the first of two SACE Information Nights, held in the CYS Senior Student Suite.



Year 6 'camera obscura'

↑ The Year 6 class made 'Camera Obscura' in their Science lessons this week. The cans have a small hole one end that casts and image on the shaded screen at the opposite end. Students in the photo are observing clouds passing across the sky.



U16 SOCCER

↑ Year 9/10 students Angus, Liam, Jayden, Jarrod and Rhys travelled to Strathalbyn to take part in the Under 16 soccer tournament.



Year r/1 Music

↑ The R/1 class have been learning about 'Pitch' in music lessons. This week they practised for their keyboard test where they had to play high and low, find the 'D' note and play in steps, up and down.



WIPE OUT WASTE

On Thursday August 10th students from all campuses of Central Yorke School, Maitland Lutheran School and Ardrossan Area were entertained and educated at the same time with a performance by Wally and the Wipe Out Waste Lizard.

This was held in the CYS performing Arts Centre and throughout the two performances students were held spellbound as they learned about improving systems to reduce waste and encouraging everyone to adapt more sustainable behaviours.

GREEN INDUSTRIES SPONSORSHIP

The performance was provided free of charge due to sponsorship by Green Industries SA [formerly Zero Waste], which was very much appreciated.

BIN MATERIALS AUDIT

Following the performance students from Miss Clift's Year 3 /4 class took part in a Bin Materials Audit.

This involved collecting one day's worth of all indoor and outdoor bin materials and sorting it into 15 categories.

The class had been working with Mrs Langley on how to improve systems at the school for waste, recyclables and organics as part of their Problem Based Learning inquiry for Term 3.

We would like to especially thank Jo Hendrikx from KESAB for her support and assistance with the audit.





CASUAL CLOTHES DAY



On *Friday the 15 of September* it will be casual clothes day. We are going to raise money for *Bradley the lamb* with no mother so he has milk, water and shade. To raise money, we are collecting a *gold coin* in a bucket for *wearing casual clothes*. You are not allowed to wear thongs, rude tops or singlets.

From The JP

CENTRAL YORKE SCHOOL PROUDLY PRESENTS THE 2017

Shakespeare

FESTIVAL

R-2 CVS & PP
The Tempest

3/4C
*Pyarmus &
Thisbe*

4/5 MSD
McBeth

6R
Hamlet

7/8T
*Romeo &
Juliet*

3/4C
The Globe



FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 22
2:10 PM
PERFORMING ARTS CENTRE

CENTRAL YORKE SCHOOL ARE PROUD TO PRESENT THE 2017.

PROJECTBASEDLEARNING EXPO

6.30pm-8pm | Thursday September 21 | Performing Arts Centre



BRADLEY THE LAMB

R-2



REDUCING WASTE

3-4



REEF RESTORATION

4-5



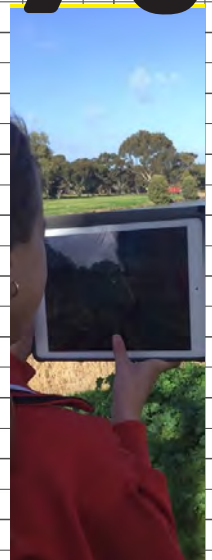
DREAM HOLIDAYS

Y6



DAM ECOSYSTEM

7-8



ENROL NOW IN PRESCHOOL



Going to preschool helps your child to learn new things, make friends and develop confidence.

Children who turn 4 before 1 May can start preschool at the beginning of the year before they start school.

Families are encouraged to enrol now for 2018.

For more information
www.decd.sa.gov.au



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Keep your kids smiling



Dental care is **FREE** for ALL babies, preschool and most children under 18 years at School Dental Service clinics.

The School Dental Service is a Child Dental Benefits Schedule provider.

Babies first dental check-up is recommended at 12-18 months.

Your local clinic is located at:
Central Yorke School
Junction Road
MAITLAND 5573

Kadina Memorial School Presents

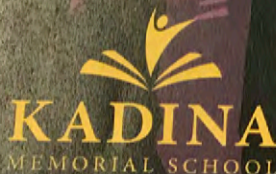
POPSTARS THE 90'S MUSICAL

When: 6:30 on the 20th and 21st of SEPTEMBER

Where: Wallaroo Town Hall

TICKETS: AT THE KADINA MEMORIAL
SCHOOL FINANCE OFFICE
\$15 Adult
\$10 Student

SEAT MAX: 230, GET IN QUICK! NO ASSIGNED SEATING!


KADINA
MEMORIAL SCHOOL



 | DAVID SPICER
PRODUCTIONS

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presents a ...



FREE interactive workshop

for parents of children aged 0-8yo

Making Maths Memorable

At this hands on workshop you will find out:

- What numeracy is and how you can support your children at home
- Ways to play with your children that promote numeracy development
- Engaging game ideas



includes **FREE**
"GOODIE BAG"
 of activities
 to try at home

FREE CRECHE



The SAME workshop will be held in multiple locations to allow parents to attend a session on a day/time that suits (e.g. you don't have to attend the session in your local town)

Date	Time	Location
Mon 7th Aug	10-11am	Stansbury Primary School—Joyce Dinan 8852 4286
Mon 14th Aug	7-8pm	Minlaton District School—Louise Hanrahan 8853 2301
Wed 16th Aug	3.15-4.15pm	Ardrossan Area School—Margaret Roads 8837 3025
Mon 28th Aug	10-11am	Yorke town Area School—Louise Taheny 8852 1780
Thurs 7th Sept	9-10am	Warooka Primary School—Amy Murdoch 8854 5034
Fri 15th Sept	10-11am	Central Yorke School—Melissa Richards 8832 2613

Crèche available at each venue if bookings show demand. Book ASAP to confirm your crèche place.

For more information contact Amanda Narroway 0429 976 900 or the representative listed above



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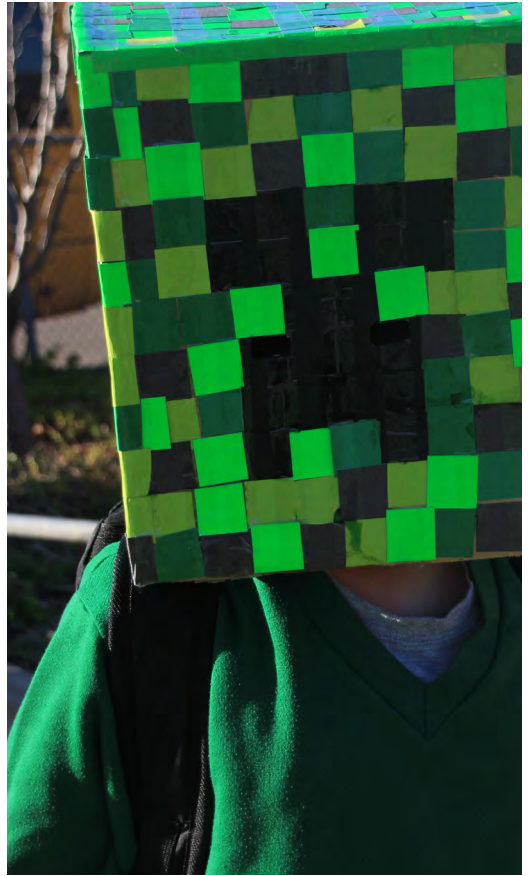
CALENDAR DATES

SEPTEMBER

- 1 State Trauma Conference
- 4 SACE Information Night for Years 10/11
in 2018 - 6pm
- 5 Governing Council
- 6-7 Royal Show Team in Adelaide
- 8 Year 3/4 Assembly
- 11 SACE Information Night for Years 12 in
2018 - 6pm
- 12 Festival Choir Performance in
Adelaide
- 12 Point Pearce R-2 to Patch Theatre in
Port Pirie
- 12 STEM 500 Training
- 14 Open Basketball
Kindy closed today
- 15 Making Maths Memorable
parent workshop
- 18 Casual Clothes Day for Bradley the
Lamb
- 20 Dr Justin Coulson evening
- 21 PBL Expo Evening
SYP Year 7 Day Excursion
- 22 Shakespeare Festival Assembly
- 25 CYS Pupil Free Day
- 26 Paskeville Field Days - CYS Closure
Rural Reconnect
- 29 Last Day of Term 3

OCTOBER

- 16 First Day of Term 4
- 16-18 Illawonga Camp [5-6]
- 18 Ardrossan Showcase - Concert Band
- 30-31 Rugby Visit 8/9s



LIBRARY OPENING TIMES

Monday	12.00 - 7.00
Tuesday	9.30 - 4.30
Wednesday	9.30 - 4.30
Thursday	12.00 - 7.00
Friday	10.00 - 4.30