Little Learners starts this Friday
Mrs McClymont & Mrs Edis are ready and waiting for the first Little Learners session on Friday.

**Calendar**

**Term 1, Week 5**

- **Friday, 27th February**
  - Little Learners commences
  - LNPSSA Basketball

**Term 1, Week 6**

- **Wednesday, 4th March**
  - Canteen open

- **Thursday, 5th March**
  - LNPSSA AFL Trials
  - School Banking

- **Friday, 6th March**
  - Little Learners – 9.30 till noon

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**LEETON SCHOOL DENTAL CLINIC**

FREE service for all children aged 0-18 yrs
For an appointment call
1800 450 046

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**Yanco Public School Little Learners**

Yanco Public School Little Learners commences Friday, 27 February 2015 and will continue every Friday from 9.30 am — 12.00 pm

A year long transition to school program that ensures children will start school ready to learn. Children will participate in activities based on the Early Years Learning Framework.

A free service, Little Learners is staffed by an experienced Kindergarten teacher and is available for children 3-5 years of age who do not yet attend school.

Contact the school for further information on 6955 7162

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Yanco Public School......Towards a better world
Welcome back to Week 5 of Term 1. Fantastic news after the Leeton Narrandera PSSA Swimming Carnival, with Brittany Dolan qualifying for the 13 Years Girls 50 Metre Freestyle. Brittany will now have the opportunity to swim at the Riverina PSSA Swimming Carnival at Albury. We wish her well. On Friday I will be away on leave. If you have any enquiries please contact staff at the school in my absence.

Tell Them From Me
I am delighted that this term, our school, like many others in the state, will participate in a Department of Education and Communities initiative: the Tell Them From Me student feedback survey. The survey aims to help improve student learning outcomes and measures factors that are known to affect academic achievement and other student outcomes. The focus of the survey is on student wellbeing, engagement and effective teaching practices. A consent form for parents/carers about the survey was sent home with students earlier this week. If you do not want your child or children to participate, please return the form to school by this Friday 27 February.

Yanco Public Little Learners
Little Learners, a year-long transition program, commences this week and will take place every Friday morning in the old Morundah School building from 9.30 am to 12.00 pm. The room has had a fresh coat of bright blue paint, lots of new resources have been purchased and it looks great! I would like to acknowledge the contribution of my partner Caroline Chacksfield, who gave her time to come into the school and paint the classroom free of charge. Little Learners will be staffed by Mrs McClymont with support from Mrs Edis and all children 3-5 years of age are welcome to attend. Please contact the school for an information pack.

Scripture
Scripture lessons are continuing this term at the usual time of 12.30 pm each Tuesday. However, due to small numbers of students in some groups, the Scripture teachers have decided to combine some small groups together. These changes will not take place until mid-March. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Crazy Hair Day
On Friday, 13 March 2015 the school will be holding a Crazy Hair Day to raise funds to support the Leukaemia Foundation. On this day, students are encouraged to wear their hair ‘crazy’ and to bring a gold coin to donate to this great cause.

Schools Clean Up Day
This Friday, 27 February 2015 Yanco PS will participate in Schools Clean Up Day as part of Clean Up Australia events. Since 1992, school communities across Australia have demonstrated their support for caring for the environment through participating in Schools Clean Up Day, with over 2,400 schools each year taking part. Students will clean up within the school, as well as the streets surrounding the schools vicinity.

Until next week
Tim Allen
Sports Report

LNPSSA Basketball
A number of students in Years 3-6 have been selected to represent small schools at this event in either the boys or girls Small School’s Basketball Team. Notes were sent home with students early this week and need to be returned to school before this Friday. Mr Chris George from Wamoon Public School is coordinating teams and supervising students on the day. A reminder to parents that it is their responsibility to organise student transport to Narrandera and return. Please understand that as we are having weekly, major sporting events the time schedule for organisation is extremely short.

LNPSSA AFL Trials
The Leeton Narrandera PSSA AFL Trials will be held at the Leeton Showground on Friday, 5 March 2015. This is for individual nominations for students to trial for selection in the LNPSSA AFL Team and not a gala day for all students. If you would like to nominate your child to attend the trials, please contact the school so their name can be forwarded to the organisers. Parents will be required to transport their child directly to the trials on the day.

Leeton/Narrandera PSSA Calendar
After the swimming carnivals and basketball have been completed, attention will turn to the remaining LNPSSA sporting events to be held during the year and there will be frequent events during Term 1. Please be aware that some of these events are Gala Days, where all Year 5/6 students attend and are eligible for selection to represent LNPSSA. Other events are trials only, where individual students nominate to attend and parents are responsible for organising attendance.

The details of Term 1 events are:
- LNPSSA Soccer Knockout and Trials – Parkview PS (Girls), Leeton Town Ovals (Boys), Friday, 13 March (Gala Day, all Year 5/6 students)
- LNPSSA/Griffith Rugby League Trials – Parkview PS, Friday 27 March (Individual nominations)
- LNPSSA Netball Knockout and Trials – Leeton Stadium, Monday 30 March (Gala Day, all Year 5/6 girls)
- LNPSSA Rugby League Knockout – Leeton Town Ovals, Monday 30 March (Gala Day, all Year 5/6 boys)

In addition to these events, Year 5/6 students with a particular sporting expertise are also invited to nominate for the following sports by the due date:
- Rugby Union – Wagga Wagga - Individual nominations by 8 May 2015
- Hockey – Albury - Individual nominations by 16 March 2015

All permission notes and organisation for each sport/event will be sent home when planning is received.

P. and C. News

Canteen
The canteen is open every Wednesday and it has been fantastic to see the support for the canteen so far this year. It is a precious resource that many small schools do not have and we should all be very grateful to Kim for her work in organising the canteen each week.
YANCO PUBLIC SCHOOL CANTEEN SUMMER MENU
OPEN WEDNESDAY

Something hot………….
Wedges-
Small $2.50 Large $3.00
Nuggets
40c each or 6 for $2.00
Pies
Small $1.50 Large $3.00
Sausage Roll
Small 50c Large $2.00
Mini Pizza - $2.00
Lasagne - $3.00
Tomato or Sweet & Sour
Sauce – 20c
Lunch Bag – 5c

Something cold……….
Salad Sandwich- $2.50
Salad Roll - $3.00
Chicken or ham with lettuce, cheese, carrot, tomato & mayonnaise
Salad Tub - $3.50
Chicken or ham with lettuce, cheese, carrot, tomato, beetroot, pineapple, cucumber & dinner roll.

Snacks, Drinks and Iceblocks…..
JJ’s or Chips – 80c
Yoghurt Sticks – 10c
Shapes or Tiny Teddies – 20c a bag
Fruit Slabs – $1.50
Fruit Faces – 10c

Cold Drinks
Fruit Box - $1.00
Chocolate or Strawberry Milk - $1.50

Iceblocks
Fandangles - $1.50
Milo Cups - $2.00
Water Icy Poles - $0.50

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Yanco Public School…….Towards a better world
Come & Try Hockey

Saturday 14th March
Leeton Town Ovals #3 from 9am – 1pm

Junior skills based program for children between the ages of 5 & 10 years.

Registration is $50 per child which includes all the equipment they will need to play.

Online registration will be available for those families who would like to register their children on the day.

Check us out on Facebook @ www.facebook.com/leetonhookinto hockey
Contact Julie Axtill 0422432504 for more details

Auskick Registration

Rookies are those turning 5, 6 and 7; Auskick will be on Friday nights 5pm till 6pm.
Pros are those turning 8 and 9; Auskick will be on Thursday’s 5pm till 6pm.

All Registration need to be completed online at the following address http://www.aflauskick.com.au/ At the conclusion of your registration the following will be shown

This Auskick Centre offers online payment. If you wish to pay for this invoice now, please click the button below.

Invoice Number: 157973012
Click the link and make your online payment of $70
Bag collection will be on April 24 at the Leeton showgrounds.
(1n the upstairs room) Please bring receipt of payment.

Rookies will kick off on Friday April 24 from 5pm till 6pm.
Pros will kick off on THURSDAY April 9 5pm till 6pm
Further information auskickleeton@gmail.com or 0418684236
Registrations close Friday April 3
Please support the businesses that support us!

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Yanco Village Markets
Yanco Community Hall
Sunday, 22nd March

Powerhouse Museum
Open Day
Sunday, 22nd March

Yanco Lions Club Meeting
Yanco All-Servicemen’s Club
2nd & 4th Wednesday
of the month @ 7pm

GLS Workshop
When: Tuesday the 3rd March 2015 6.30pm-8.30pm
Description: Leeton Shire Council is conducting a free workshop for parents and supervisors of learner drivers. The two hour course, Helping Learner Drivers Become Safe Drivers, offers parents and supervisors hands-on advice on how to provide the most effective driving practice for learner drivers.
Location: Leeton Shire Library
Contact: Council’s Road Safety Officer on 0448 623 049

Child Restraint Checking Day
When: Saturday 28th February 2015 9.00am-12noon
Description: Leeton Shire Council is conducting free Child Restraint Checks at Leeton Market Plaza. Parents and carers of young children are invited to come along and find out more about the child restraint laws and to get their child restraints checked for correct installation by qualified Roads and Maritime Services approved fitter on site.
Location: Leeton Market Plaza
Contact: Council’s Road Safety Officer on 0448 623 049

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“WE SERVE”

YANCO ALL-SERVICEMEN’S CLUB
P.O. BOX 23, YANCO
PH: 02 6955 7106
FAX: 02 6955 7290

Leeton Landfill & Recycling Centre
Thursday to Sunday
9am to 5pm
Enquiries: 0416 109 676

LEETON OUT OF SCHOOL CARE
Afterschool and Holiday Care for children K - 6
Ring Alison Wallace,
Ph: 6953 5788

Golden Apple Super Store
P.O. Box 750, Leeton
Yanco Road, Leeton
Phone: 6953 2000