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# YERONG CREEK PUBLIC SCHOOL

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## Week 2 Term 1 2019



### Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome back to another exciting year of learning. I hope you all had a fantastic break and caught up with family and friends as I did. A special welcome to our new kindergarten students and their families. We look forward to welcoming you all to the new routines that school life brings. Please do not hesitate to ring the office for an appointment at any time you wish to discuss anything.

This Thursday we start the Greater Kengal events as we take part in our swimming carnival. Please bring your best cheering voice, and if anyone can offer to help with timekeeping from our school it would be most welcomed by the organising school, Boree Creek.

In the next couple of weeks, both class teachers will be in contact with relevant parents about learning adjustments for students. We will try and coordinate this so that if you have children in both classes, we will conduct the meetings back to back. If you have any issues or concerns, please raise them at this time so we can work together for the best outcomes for your child.

It has been great to see all the happy smiling faces greet us each morning for the start of a fantastic year.

Kym Poidevin- Relieving Principal

### Best Start – Kindergarten

Best Start Kindergarten is an assessment held in all public schools and some Catholic and independent schools in the first few weeks of Kindergarten.

Teachers sit with a student one-on-one and administer tasks that will help them gain an understanding of that student's literacy and numeracy knowledge. The results help the teacher to understand what each student knows already and to plan teaching accordingly.

Assessments will take place during Week 1 to Week 4.

An information letter for Kindergarten parents will be sent home this afternoon.

### Greater Kengal Swimming Carnival

The Swimming Carnival will start at 9.15am, could all parents, families and carers be prompt for the carnival to start.

Due to all staff attending the carnival there will be no supervision at school.

### Moving into Year 7 – Information Guides

For the students in Year 6, information guides for moving into Year 7 and expression of interest forms have been sent home today.

Please contact the school if you have any questions or if your child doesn't receive a form. Please return the form to the school office before Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March.

An expression of interest note for the Combined  
Recorders Mimosa Concert will be attached to  
this newsletter.

## P & C Annual General Meeting

The P & C AGM will be held in the school library on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> February at 3.30pm. All parents, carers and friends are invited to attend.

The Sunsafes Policy will be enforced from the first day of Term 1. Each student is required to wear a bucket hat, while out in the sun. Caps are not permitted.

If the student does not have one they will be required to play under the COLA area. A hat will be supplied for fitness and sport.



## Week 2

Thursday 7 February	GK Swimming Carnival @ Lockhart Swimminng Pool
Friday 8 February	School Sports

Tuesday 12 February	Chess Club
	P & C Meeting @3.30pm
Friday 15 February	School Sports

Tuesday 19 February	Chess Club
Friday 22 February	Southern Riverina Swimming Carnival
	School Sports

Tuesday 26 February	Chess Club
Friday 1 March	School Sports

Tuesday 5 March	Chess Club
Thursday 7 March	Greater Kengal Athletics Carnival@ Jubille Park
Friday 8 March	School Sports

Tuesday 12 March	Chess Club
Friday 15 March	School Sports

Tuesday 19 March	Chess Club
Friday 22 March	Harmony Day
	School Sports

Tuesday 26 March	Chess Club
Friday 29 March	School Sports

Tuesday 2 April	Chess Club
Friday 5 April	School Sports

Tuesday 9 April	Chess Club
Friday 12 April	School Sports
	Last day of Term 1

