

Thank God It's Friday!

Star Performer 1

Ms Katrina Narkle – Exhibition



Katrina presented the first section of her exhibition on the netball court of East Maddington Primary School. Watching her prove that “a fourteen year old girl is able to successfully coach young aspiring netballers” were Mr Billing, Mr Hogan (member of Big Picture Australia board), Mr Taylor, Debbie (the coach), various parents, Sam, Ben, Jeremy (from Katrina’s Advisory) and her teacher Mr Belotti.

Katrina took the eleven nine and ten year olds through a brief warm-up followed by a skills section, drills and finally a game. She gave clear instructions to the girls and used her whistle appropriately.

The girls were very complimentary of Katrina. “Fun”, “Always helps”, Shows clearly”, “Nice”, were just a few of their comments. Katrina was well organised. She had her session written out clearly and was able to conduct a free flowing netball coaching session. All onlookers were very impressed.

Katrina has developed enormous confidence and demonstrates initiative in many school programmes. We are all immensely proud of her.

Star Performer 2

Ms Marie Adams



One of our illustrious team members, Ms Marie Adams, has recently secured the status of Classroom Teacher Level 3. This advanced status is awarded to a small number of teachers each year who are able to demonstrate their exemplary skills as a classroom teacher. Ms Adams submitted a detailed portfolio of work to pass stage 1 and then participated in a reflective practice session for stage 2. The reflective session involved delivering a 45 minute presentation to colleagues and a panel of assessors. Our learning community is immensely proud of Ms Adams and we congratulate her on her success. Students and parents can be assured that we have high quality teachers working throughout YBC who are committed to their profession and striving for the best outcomes for their students.

Reminders

Students can purchase a Year Book for \$15.00. Payment is due to the office by **Friday the 7th of November**. Books will be printed to order so – no order, no book.

All Year 9 students are attending an athletics carnival on **Friday the 31st of October** (week 3). A reminder that students must return their permission letters to their Advisory teacher ASAP

Star Performer 3

The Entire Year 9 Cohort

We recently received our NAPLAN results for tests sat by our students earlier this year. We were not surprised to find that our students improved dramatically in Mathematics due to the outstanding contribution of Mr Andrew Belotti and the equally outstanding work ethic of students in Math. A comparison of data from Year 7 showed us that our students compare more than favourably with students throughout Australia. Above Australian average performances came from 8 students: David Hayes, Ashley Hayes, Alex Clegg, Ben Courcha, Lucas Hampton, Sam Belotti, Amanda Nadgi and Ashley Smith. Another 18 students achieved results above the Australian standard.

Task: Learning how to care for and interact with young children

Student: Mr Cameron Gansberg

Site:

Task: Learning hospitality and electrical maintenance

Student: Mr Jake Wood

Site: JFK Engineering

Task: To learn about types of welding to become a proficient welder

Student: Ms Brooke Lambrianou

Site: Impress Design (screen printing and Embroidery)

Task: To design the YBC 2009 Year 10 Leaver's Jumper

Student: Mr Tyson Maya

Site: M&L Meats

Task: To be able to identify the different cuts of meat from an animal, and explain how they are best cooked

Student: Mr Lucas Hampton

Site: Leading Edge Computers

Task: To repair broken computers, and make performance enhancing modifications to functioning computers.

Recent Internships

The following students have commenced internships recently:

Student: Ms Jaymie Mathers

Site: Roleystone Recreation Centre.

Task: To appraise the health of an individual, plan and then conduct a fitness program to improve their fitness, health or wellbeing

Student: Ms Jade Maryan

Site: Le Chelle Hair and Beauty

Task: To determine which make up products enhance a person's features according to skin tones

Student: Ms Heather Charters

Site: Showcase Jewellers

Task: To learn about customer service, displays, jewellery design and repairs

Student: Mr Cody Cooper

Site: Star Surf and Skate

Task: To learn about retail and maintenance of skating equipment

Student: Mr Jason Ryder

Site: Cobra Martial Arts

Task: Designing fitness programs using marital arts for different clients (children, women, men) and to learn about different martial arts for fitness

Student: Ms Sarah Tracey

Site: Huntingdale Veterinary Clinic

Task: Preparing for and observing animal surgery.

Student: Ms Kezra Prescott

Site: Cuddles Day Care

Honour Certificates

This week marks the first week that we have awarded honour certificates to students who have performed admirably in the past week. This compliments our Certificates of Merit and Endeavour that are distributed at the end of each semester.

This week's recipients are: Ashley Hayes, Jeremy Bailey, Ashley Smith, Mitchell Mead, Amanda Nadgi, Mashita Mohd. Effendi, Luke Lakey-Robertson, June Poe, Sineath Nath, Alice Henny, Vivien Douglas, Tessa McKone, David Hayes, Heather Charters, Jayden Narkle, Jade Maryan,

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The Year 9 Team