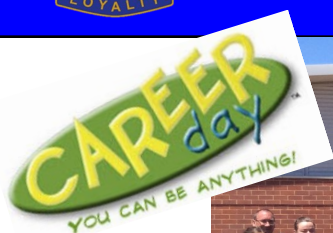




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Term 4 Week 6

On Wednesday, our Year 6 students participated in a Careers Day at West Wyalong Hospital. The students learnt about a variety of medical careers including; physiotherapist, radiographer, nurse and paramedic. This event has inspired our students to start thinking about their future aspirations and how to achieve them. A huge thank you to Shannon Evans and the staff at the West Wyalong Hospital for hosting such a hands-on, informative day.



Please remember to notify the school if your child is going to be or has been absent from school. If the school isn't notified, an Absentee Note will be sent home for you to complete. Please return the note within six days otherwise they will be marked as an 'unexplained' absence.



Yesterday our Anzac silhouette was erected in the front garden. Thank you to our generous volunteers for their time in making this a permanent feature in our garden.

Be sure to have a look when you next drive past.

I will be in Griffith Thursday and Friday this week to attend professional learning around the new PD/H/PE syllabus which will be implemented in our school next year.

Have a great week!

Lacey Pettit

Relieving Principal



Tuesday
19th November
Swimming for Sport

Wednesday
20th November
Library
MOW

Thursday
21st November
Middle School

Friday
22nd November
ASSEMBLY
KINDER ORIENTATION
9-3

Tuesday
26th November
Swimming for Sport

Wednesday
27th November
Library
MOW

Thursday
28th November
Middle School

Friday
29th November
Assembly
KINDER ORIENTATION
9-12

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Weekly Assembly



MERIT AWARDS

Lily Worner for improved reading.

Suzie Norris for improved reading.

Riley Taylor for great work in 2D space.

Reegan Mueller for great class discussions on visual literacy.

Lily Judd for persevering even when it's hard.

Emily Ryman for pleasing progress in all areas.



STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Rorie Nicholson

Layla Read

Colby West



SILVER PENNANTS

Ryder Pettit

Scarlette Orr

Lillie Read

Maisyn Davies

Vince Dionela

Tiarna Siemsen

Hayden Taylor



Class 4/5/6 are having a visit from Gerald this week!





Countdown to
Kindergarten

Kinder Orientation Program

Term 4 2019

Friday 25th October	9am-12pm
Friday 1st November	9am-12pm
Friday 8th November	9am-12pm
Friday 15th November	9am-12pm
Friday 22nd November	9am-3pm
Friday 29th November	9am-3pm
Friday 6th December	9am-3pm

DON'T FORGET!



SCHOLASTIC
Book Club

orders are due:
2nd December 2019

Every day
COUNTS!



School success starts
with attendance

Celebrating
the end of the
School Year



Presentation Night

Monday 16th December 2019

Enrichment Day

Tuesday 17th December 2019

Pool Party

Wednesday 18th December 2019

FOR A HEALTHY LUNCHBOX
SOMETHING FROM EACH GROUP 1-6!

PICK & MIX



STUDENT WORK

VISUAL LITERACY UNIT

Rules of Summer

Rules of Summer is a book about two young boys with a relationship just like any other. The boys aren't the same age, one is older and one is younger. Shaun Tan has made the two boys look really close, like brothers but you could call them friends.



Shaun Tan used colour as a device in this book to make emotion on every page. I believe Tan also used color to make the page light or dark. Colour can show you anything like emotion or feeling but don't forget color can point things out. The page I loved the most is the one that said, "Never give your keys to a stranger". Tan used contrasting colours. Red for the small boy who was locked out to show he was very angry. Whereas the cat and the big boy are in light blue which represents calm. I believe Tan did this to show both boys' feelings.

Shaun Tan applied gaze as a device to show the reader where to look. Tan also used gaze because it can make people look directly at something. For example on the page where the boy is arguing with the referee Tan used the offering gaze. I believe Tan used gaze because he thought as soon as the reader opens to the page they would look at the boy and then follow his gaze to the umpire who is the older boy.



Tan also used vector. Vector is a line that leads your eyes from one part of the picture to another. For example, in the Red Rabbit picture the vector is the rabbit's eye to the corner of the clothesline to find the red sock on it. I believe Tan used vector to make the reader look at everything on the page not just one part.

Overall I rate this book 3 out of 5 because Tan used lots of visual literacy devices but there is not enough writing for me to understand the story.

By Colby West

RULES OF SUMMER

'Rules of Summer' is picture book that has a series of different settings. It's written and illustrated by Shaun Tan. There are two boys, some people think they're brothers or friends but all we know is that they have a good relationship. One of them is older than the other. I would rate this book 4/5.



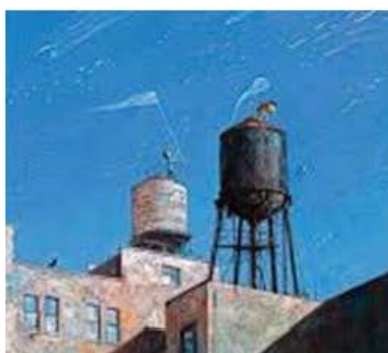
Tan used setting as a visual literacy device on the first page. Setting is where and when the story takes place. The setting on the first page of 'Rules of Summer' is like they are in a warzone. It's dark, scary and

dangerous. Shaun used this setting to make the reader think that this will be scary or something bad is going to happen. Shaun used a variety of scenes to show the reader what is happening, and the boys change in their events and moods.

Gaze was another device Shaun used. Gaze is where the character is looking. Shaun only used the offering gaze, that is where the character is not looking at the reader. I believed he used the offering gaze to make the reader look around for all the details. Shaun used gaze where the birds are looking at the boy who is trying to take the last olive. Shaun used gaze to point out what the birds are looking at.



Shaun Tan used color as a device. It is used on the page where the boy is arguing with the referee. The color is red which shows anger. It's a warm color which could mean he is angry. The black colour in the background also suggests anger and fear.



In this picture it's bright cool colors for the setting. This creates a feeling of happiness.

By Andrew



Christmas Raffle

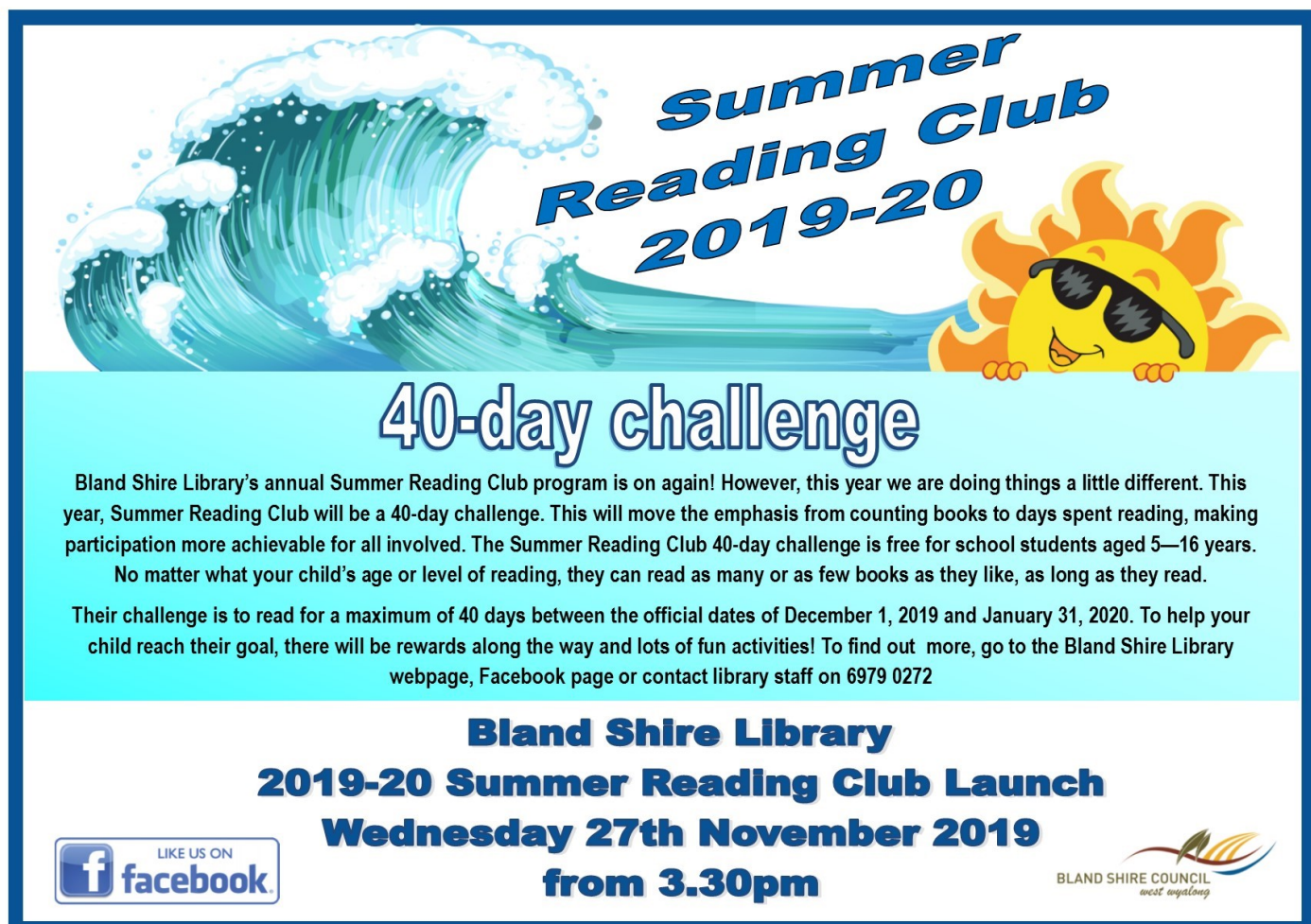
Prizes include:

- ~ Toy Tractor donated by O'Connor's West Wyalong
- ~ Sandwich Press donated by Harvey Norman
- ~ Bracelet donated by West Wyalong Jewellers
- ~ Bag of Dog Food donated by Elders
- ~ 2 x canvas prints donated by Hall & Co Homewares
- ~ Garden Pack donated by Charlie's Hardware and Old Gum Tree Garden Centre
- ~ Hamper donated by Wendy's Embroidery
- ~ Dad Jokes Family Game
- ~ \$50 Davies Automotive's voucher
- ~ Gerber donated by Landmark
- ~ \$25 IGA Voucher
- ~ Necklace, Earrings and Candle donated by Pink Velvet and All Occasions
- ~ 2 x bottles of Shiraz Wine donated by Regal Estate West Wyalong
- ~ Men's Pack donated by Armstrong's Toyota & Elders
- ~ Artificial Orchid Flower donated by West Wyalong Reject Shop
- ~ \$75 voucher donated by Duncan's Chainsaw

\$2 per ticket or 3 for \$5

Drawn 16th December 2019

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Summer Reading Club 2019-20


40-day challenge


Bland Shire Library's annual Summer Reading Club program is on again! However, this year we are doing things a little different. This year, Summer Reading Club will be a 40-day challenge. This will move the emphasis from counting books to days spent reading, making participation more achievable for all involved. The Summer Reading Club 40-day challenge is free for school students aged 5—16 years.

No matter what your child's age or level of reading, they can read as many or as few books as they like, as long as they read.

Their challenge is to read for a maximum of 40 days between the official dates of December 1, 2019 and January 31, 2020. To help your child reach their goal, there will be rewards along the way and lots of fun activities! To find out more, go to the Bland Shire Library webpage, Facebook page or contact library staff on 6979 0272

Bland Shire Library
2019-20 Summer Reading Club Launch
Wednesday 27th November 2019
from 3.30pm

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4 WEEK PROGRAM

SUNDAY MORNING

STARTING 24TH | 8:30 TO 10AM
HOLLAND PARK POOL, WEST WYALONG
UNDER 12 ONLY

Children will participate in swimming, board paddling, running, water flags, water rescues and water safety activities plus iron man events

\$50 pp

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Prizes Include:

- 1st Prize: \$305 Voucher Bundle (\$200 Tyre power, \$30 Metro Hotel, \$50 Cut's and Curls, \$25 IGA)
- 2nd Prize: Pressure Washer donated by Donaldson's Industries
- 3rd Prize: \$150 cleaning voucher donated by A Moore Detailed Clean
- 4th Prize: \$50 voucher donated by House of Fashion & Diffuser and Candle set donated by West Wyalong Chemist
- 5th Prize: \$100 What's Cookin Voucher
- 6th Prize: The Grower Book donated by New Holland
- 7th Prize: Hamper donated by Body, Health and Bowen
- 8th Prize: Framed Rose Wall Print donated by Souden's
- 9th Prize: 5 Bags of Sugar Cane Mulch donated by Walkers Ag & Vet
- 10th Prize: Bracelet donated by West Wyalong Jewellers

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Reference: Your Name

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23rd NOVEMBER

AT S&C CLUB AUDITORIUM
6 - 7.30PM
UP to 12 YRS of age
(Children under 8 must be accompanied by a person over 16 years of age)
Cost: \$3 per child (adults free)

8PM - 11PM
13-17 YRS (Please bring ID)
Cost: \$5 per person

Snacks, drinks and GLO products will be available to purchase at the venue

Funds raised will go to Ardlethan Music Club



WYALONG PUBLIC SCHOOL TERM 4 2019 & TERM 1 2020

Week	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
6	18	19 Swimming for Sport	20 Library MOW	21 Middle School	22 Assembly Kinder O
7	25	26 Swimming for Sport	27 Library MOW	28 Middle School	29 Assembly Kinder O
8	2 December	3 Year 4 Middle School Orientation Swimming for Sport	4 Library MOW	5 Year 6 High School Orientation Middle School	6 Assembly Kinder O
9	9	10 Swimming for Sport	11 Town Library MOW	12 Middle School	13 Assembly
10	16 Presentation Night 6.30pm	17 Enrichment Day	18 Last Day of Term 4 Pool Party	19 SDD	20 SDD
2020 1	27 January AUSTRALIA DAY HOLIDAY	28th Staff Development Day	29th Students return to school	30th	31st 
2	3 February	4 Swimming Carnival	5	6	7 Swimming Carnival Backup
3	10 Intensive Swimming	11 Swimming for Sport	12	13	14

*At Wyalong Public School we believe your child is **SOMEBODY!***

As a small school, we cater to each child's individual strengths by delivering personalised learning and preparing students to be

resourceful, resilient and future focused.

Our teachers recognise that it is their high expectations and quality teaching that influence the best student outcomes.

Your child's educational experience is our core business; we strive to offer students at our school a quality educational experience and opportunities for learning that only a small school can offer.



Mrs Lacey Pettit

*Relieving
Principal*



Mrs Regina Ray

*School
Administration
Manager*



Mrs Anne Dixon

*2/3 Classroom
Teacher
Mon/Tues/Wed*



Mrs Amanda Cooper

*Learning and
Support Teacher*



Mrs Michelle Nunn

Instructional Leader



Mrs Kylie Taylor

*Quality Teaching
Facilitator*



Miss Kirby Ward

*2/3 Classroom
Teacher
Thurs/Fri*



Mrs Melissa Blackwood

*K/1 Classroom
Teacher*



Mr Patrick Mason

*4/5/6 Classroom
Teacher
Mon/Tues/Wed*



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