Dear Families,

**Hootime Basketball**

Our Hootime basketballers are off to Dandenong tomorrow to participate in the State Finals. Tawonga Primary School is only one of two country schools in the state to make the finals. A big thank you to Mark and Kelly Roffey for their coaching and organising of the new ‘Tawonga Tigers’ shirts. Also to Jill Green for her amazing pants she has made for each participant. Good Luck to all of you.

**P12 Circus Night**

On Monday the Prep, 1, 2 students participated in a circus themed event at school. The children played games, made fairy floss and showbags and had a heap of fun playing circus games. Thank you to Kellie for her organisation of this event.

**Twilight Festival**

Our Twilight Festival is upon us again. What a huge effort the Parent Group has put into this. We hope to see you all at the event on Saturday starting at 4.00pm. Please find later in the newsletter Rosters and important information for families.
**SCHOOL PRODUCTION**

Costumes, Costumes, Costumes. We will be speaking with the students about their costumes and sending notes home on what is required. Op Shops are great starting points. Please don’t spend a fortune. If anyone has any Elvis wigs or costumes which you are willing to lend please let Sharon know tomorrow. (Friday). Wolf ears and tails are also required if anyone has anything that may resemble these. Here is a photo of one of the dwarfs if you could get a plain coloured shirt (oversized) from home or the Op Shop and a wide belt to tie around the waist. Shorts or leggings are fine on the bottom. Jill Green is making some hats for them. Thank you to all the parents busy making costumes for not only their own child but for others as well. Thanks Sharon.

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**CALENDAR 2012**

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| **Friday** | 30 | Kinder Transition 2 – 3.30pm.  
Hooptime Basketball State Grand Final – Dandenong  
Swimming Whole School 1.00pm to 3.00pm. |

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TWILIGHT FESTIVAL

We would really appreciate it if as many people as possible could come and help us set up for the festival.
Helpers needed any time from midday.
1 hour or 4 hours (or anywhere in between!...we don’t mind) 😊

ROSTER FOR TWILIGHT FESTIVAL SATURDAY

BYO APRONS 😊 if dealing with food;
Supervisors listed in red;
Feel free to change/swap but please be sure to let the supervisor know and also be sure that the time you change is covered completely.
Jen will be a ‘floater’ on the day and happy to help out with anything that is needed. Mobile numbers will be provided on the day.

Games area:
Jumping Castle (2 staff provided)
Fly on the wall – George 4-6pm
   Davide 6-8pm
CARN games – Ian and Craig 4-8pm with Grade 6 helpers
Will Hood could help out when not on the Pony’s (4-5.30+7-8pm)
Amy Farr available where needed
Students: Clay, Hoody, Sam, Liam V.

Pony rides:
Ruth Bloom 4-6pm
Susan Attrill 6-7pm
Erin 4-5.30pm
Will Hood 5.30-7pm

Craft activities:
Kelly Rutherford and Anne 4-8pm, Donna Barnes 5-6pm
Lucky Dip (Madison Ryder 4-5pm) (Emily Barnes 5-6pm)
Ellen will come and go and will do the ticket pick up from the activities to recycle
Students: Emily and Bella
Sale of tickets, armbands for activities, raffle tickets for hamper and recipe books:
Mary-Anne 4-7pm, Monika 4-6pm, Susan 4-6pm
Claire Cambridge-Dillon 6-8pm, Susan 7-8pm
Students: Mitchell, Emilia, Hoody, Clay, Mike

2nd hand toy sale, Sassy Rd clothing; Living cards/grow in a bag kit, Yvette’s clothing
Yvette, 4-8pm Erin, 5.30-8pm
Students: Phillip, Emily, Bella

BBQ ~ sausages & Kransky’s; roast beef rolls; drinks Evan Franzke; Graham;
Dwayne 4-6pm;
Leanne T & Brett W, Graham 6-8pm

Fairy Floss:
Davide 4-6pm
George 6-8pm

Donuts:
Lee & Bobbie 4-8pm
Sharon and Lisa will help if they’re needed

Cupcake decorating, sale of slices etc, icy poles; scones/jam/cream, vegetarian quiches:
(Kelly Roffey, Gene Moir; Diane & Berice; Michelle R 4-8pm
Our visitor!

We had a surprise visit in the Year 5,6 classroom on Tuesday - Jill Green. What a talented lady!

She has made all the Hoop Time Basketball team mega basketball shorts to wear to their games this Friday November 30th. The team and coach look stunning!!!!

Many, many thanks for your generosity and support!

Goodluck to all the team!

Other reminders in the Year 5,6 classroom –

Please encourage students to practice lines for the production. Be sure costumes are well under way or already organised.

Any questions –see Sharon.

Cheers Mrs K
Knock Knock!  Knock Knock!  
Who’s there?  Who’s there?  
Madam.  Spell.  
Madam who?  Spell who?  
Ma.. dam.. foot is stuck in the door.  Ok W_H_O. 

Can you find your way through the mazes?

STUDENT AWARDS

This week’s student’s awards go to:

**Madison** has been putting in everything she’s got to make the production better every week.

**Madeline** has been excellent with her dances and everyone can see that she is a big leader in all the dances.

**Jacob** has been projecting his voice in production and his character is starting to appear.
The movie of the week would have to be Ice Age 4. It starts with Sid being reunited with his family, who he lost in the first movie. Again abandoned and left with his crazy granny. A storm comes and they are left on a stranded iceberg. That’s where it all begins.

The song of the week is Die Young by Ke$h. Ke$h is a world wide super song artist. It is in the top 10 songs.

The book of the week is Undone by Paul Jennings.

I like it because there is a lot of awesome stories such as Batty, Moonies, Nose weed, Wake up to yourself, Thought full, Clear as mud, What a woman and You be the Judge.

**Student Profile**

Name: Isabella O’Brien

Favorite food: Spaghetti and lasagna

Favorite colours: red and green.

Family: Jilly (Mum), Lucas (Spoony dad), Braidy (little brother).

Friends: Everyone in the class and heaps more!

Pets: Her own dog called Miffy. She also has a calf called Bubbles.

Dream Career: Photographer.

Nick names: Bella or B.O.B.

Favorite sport: Basketball, swimming and netball.

What she does in her spare time: Watches movies, hang out with friends, goes up to her hut and helps her dad out on the farm.

![Liam Hood](image)

![Emily Barnes](image)
Pet Of The Week

Name: Sooty
Breed: MalteseShih Tzu
Colour: white with faint brown spots
My thoughts: he is a fat, lazy, funny, greedy and cute dog.

Funny moments: when you blow on his face he rolls over and wipes his paws on his eyes and nose.

An annoying thing about him is when there is any movement near my house, he barks his head off.

Family: Snowy (sister)

Picture: He is like that, but older and fatter!

WHO AM I?

Our suspect has blonde hair.

He is a male.

His favourite holiday was when he went to France with his family.

He has 4 dogs.

His favourite food is spaghetti with lots of cheese on it.

He has three sisters two are in secondary college and the other lives in Brisbane.

He is in year six.

He comes from Frankston.
COMMUNITY NEWS

BOGONG OUTDOOR EDUCATION CENTRE - OPEN DAY

Sunday 2nd December – 10am to 2pm.

A free BBQ Lunch is on offer. Please call 57541732 to book in for your lunch.

We will be offering High Ropes, Canoeing, Rock Climbing, Initiatives and a Fainter Falls Walk

Bogong Power Station will be open for visitors.

For further information please call:
57541732 or email: bogong.outdoor.ec@edumail.vic.gov.au

Kid's Mountain Bike Clinic

All abilities and ages: From beginner to advanced and kids aged 3yo to 15yo

When: Sunday 2nd December, Registration 9:30am, Clinic 10am to 11.30am
(Note NEW TIME)

Where: Big Hill Mountain Bike Park, Mt Beauty, meet at the carpark

Cost: Team Mount Beauty members – $5 for a day licence (free with a licence)
Non-Team Mount Beauty members - $15 ($10 if you have a licence)
Please bring your MTBA licence if you have one!
Light refreshments provided after the clinic

Bring: A mountain bike, helmet, water bottle and a snack.

Register your interest: jennykromar@gmail.com

More info: Jenny Kromar 0439 999 788

MOUNT BEAUTY COMMUNITY MARKET

Saturday 1st December 2012.
9.00am to 1.00pm
Held in the grounds of the Mount Beauty Community Centre.

Interested Stallholders phone Bev on 03 57544097.

CALISTHENICS CONCERT

5pm Tuesday 4th Dec at the Mount Beauty Community Hall.

$5 tickets - Performers and Pre-school children FREE

Tickets available on Tues 27th at the community hall between 4–6:30pm and also at the door on the night.

What's on your xmas list?
We have something for everyone.

Layby a bike and pick it up Christmas eve.

Grey Nicholls—Cricket bags, bats, gloves, grips, shoes, etc
Skins compression
Carve boardshorts & Shirts
Vigilante outdoor wear
Merino Tread Socks
Salewa Walking shoes

226 Kiewa Valley Hwy
Tawonga Sth
Open 9 -5.30 Mon—Fri
9.00 -1.00 Saturday
03 5754 1118
Ivory Rooms

The Ivory Rooms will be open again this summer / autumn from Friday 4 January 2013.

We are open by appointment throughout the year for functions, dinner parties & all your catering needs.

This year, together with our delicious new menus for 2013 we will also be hosting:

- **Sunday night Curry night** (curry & a beer / glass of wine $25); and
- **Sunday High Tea** on the 3rd Sunday of each month, call us for further details.

We look forward to your company again this year.

Tan, Stan, Kerry & Julie

181 Kiewa Valley Highway, Tawonga
Phone: 03 57 54 1026
Open Fri - Sun 6pm 'til late
Bookings essential

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**Christmas Gift ideas**

**Gingerbread House & Shortbread Making Short Course!**

Learn how to make a Gingerbread House & Shortbread in just one afternoon.

Learn all the tricks of the trade from our local baker and be able to go and recreate with the kids or give the creation as a gift.

Where: Mt Beauty Neighbourhood Centre
Date: Thursday 6th Dec.
Time: 1.00pm - 4.00pm.

Cost:
Course Fee: $45.00
Manual: $4.00
Amenities: $10.00
Consumables: $25.00
Total: $85.00 includes cost of ingredients
In person or Phone: 5754 1166 or email: info@mountbeauty.org.au