Our Vision:
To educate the students with the life skills necessary to achieve academic, social and emotional success.

Support
Recognising that we all have different learning needs and that we need to assist and help each other.

Opportunity
Providing every child a broad range of possibilities to achieve success.

Unity
Working as a team with common beliefs and understandings.

Responsibility
Being accountable and trustworthy.

Community
We are a group of people with a common interest.

Excellence
Striving to be the best we can be.

Message from the Principal:

Ride to School Day
It was great seeing everyone with their bikes (scooters) at school last Friday. We had a large number of students participate. Perhaps we could all set ourselves a challenge to do this more often.

Staff Professional Learning
This week is a busy week for staff as most of us will be attending a variety of professional learning activities. Nic will be completing a Sexuality session to learn how to deliver a sex education program to our senior students later in the year. Ellen will be completing a Graduate Mentor training program. Liz will be attending the annual MARC/MACC conference and I will be completing a program to learn how to better manage the complexity of being a leader.

We aim to minimise the disruption to learning as best as possible by using our regular relief teachers who are familiar with our routines and students.

Year 3-6 Cluster Athletics Day
Yesterday our Year 3-6 students competed in our annual Cluster athletics carnival with students from Dederang, Falls Creek and Mt Beauty PS. Well done to everyone and thank you to those parents who assisted on the day. Students progressing to the next level will be notified shortly with the Division competition held later in the year. Congratulations to Lachlan S who was age group champion for a second year in a row.

Food Co-op
Each week we have pick vegetables from our school garden to sell at the new food co-op in Tawonga South on a Tuesday. We have so far raised over $40 selling our excess spring onions, zucchinis and tomatoes. We are hoping that the sunflower sprouts that the junior students planted last week may be ready by next week.

Kim Franzke
Principal
**UNIFORMS**

We have just received a new stock of navy vests in a size 8. These are still $15. If any families would like to purchase any uniforms please see Lisa in the office. We have now got a good stock of polar fleece jumpers, vests, polo tops, sports skorts and shorts for purchase.

**GOOD FRIDAY APPEAL**

Donation envelopes were included in last week’s newsletter. Please return to school by Thursday 26th March. One of our students Katelan Stanmore is a patient at the Children’s Hospital and money raised this year will be used to assist families in rural areas. We continue to wish Katelan and her family well in her recovery.

**BOUNCE BACK**

In Bounce Back this week the children made Rainbow Fish and discussed misunderstanding. The students talked about how it is important to talk to each other if they have an issue with someone to alleviate any misunderstandings.

Ellen Gorham.

**CYBER SMART SESSION**

On Monday the Year 5 and 6 students attended Mount Beauty Primary School to participate in a Cyber Smart session. The students talked about the repercussions of posting things online and how this can affect them as they become adults.

**Instrumental Music Lessons**

Some of our students have started instrumental music lesson with Jarrod Policha from the Secondary School. The students are working hard learning to play their new instruments.

Sienna - Flute

Lachlan S and Heath - Clarinet

Joshua - Trombone
CLUSTER ATHLETICS

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**REMINDERS**

**Facebook** - You can keep in touch with us on the official Tawong Primary School page and the Tawong Primary School Family and Friends page.

**Royal Children’s Hospital**— Please return donation envelopes to school by next Thursday. To be acknowledged during the Telethon we will need to advise amount by next Friday.

**Pupil Free Day**—Friday 24th April.

**SCHOOL COUNCILLORS**

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Next Wednesday Parent Group will be providing a meal deal for students at both school and Kindergarten. The deal is as follows:

1 Sausage in bread, Fruit and Icy Pole—$4.00
2 Sausages in bread, Fruit and Icy Pole—$6.00
1 Hamburger with lettuce in bread, Fruit and Icy Pole—$6.00

Please order on Brown Paper bag and place in the Red Box by Monday 23rd March.

**OSHC NEWS**

**OSHC AUTUMN VACATION CARE**
at Mount Beauty Primary School OSHC
Commencing Monday 30th March 2015

**EASTER AND AUTUMN ACTIVITIES**

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Contact Mount Beauty OSHC 0407 336 403
or Kath 0418 399 861 for further details

**COMMUNITY MEETING**
The meeting will be addressed by Cathy McGowan, who will discuss her background and achievements, current issues and concerns for the future. Following this she will take questions from the community. This is a great opportunity to find our first hand what is happening in Canberra and to voice any of your concerns.

Date: Tuesday, April 14th
Time: 7:30 pm
Place: AUDITORIUM@informationcentre

Sponsored by the Upper Kiewa Valley Community Association Inc.
Volunteers Wanted!
Your investment
2-3 hours of your time doing a volunteer task of your choice throughout the festival (24th-26th April)
The best bits
A free night pass of your choice
Rub shoulders with a range of talented artists from all over the world
Invest in the future of arts in our diverse little community
Help make the music festival your own.

See the website www.musicfestival.org.au
Follow us on facebook
or Contact Erin 0418 189 617 or Gill 0427052572 to register your interest

MOTOPRCYCLING VICTORIA’S
COME AND TRY DAY

Alpine Motorcycle club would like to invite you to a FREE Come & Try Day at the clubs motorcross track at Morrisons Lane Myrtleford on Saturday 2nd May 9-2pm. Sausage Sizzle lunch provided.

For more information or to book your spot phone 0438613626 or email: alpinemotorcycleclub@gmail.com.

French and Spanish Conversation Session

Where: Mount Beauty Bakery.
When: Saturday 21st March.
9-10am

Are you or have you studied French or Spanish at some stage in your life?
Do you want to experience and practice speaking the language?

Come one and all.
Beginner, experienced and fluent, enjoy a ‘chocolate chaud et de la conversation’!

SASSY ROAD
IS OFFICIALLY LAUNCHING WINTER
A night of late night shopping, champagne and giggles!

When: FRIDAY 27th March 2015
Time: 5.00pm – 8.30pm for shopping and champagne at SASSY ROAD 5 HOLLONDS ST, MT BEAUTY

As always I will be releasing some new labels as well as the having the new ranges from the good old favourites!

Don’t forget ,as always a $200 voucher is up for grabs!