



Our Vision:

A meeting place where student's lifelong learning begins and grows into a sustainable future.

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:

Dear Families,

Olympic Dress Up Day

This Friday students can come dressed as an Olympic athlete. Maybe a cyclist, swimmer or tennis player. We will have some fun games organised during buddy time after lunch.

Illness

We have had a large number of students absent from school with illness. This has also spread to teachers. While we strongly encourage students to attend school everyday if they are sick then please keep them at home.

Emergency Contacts

If students are unwell during school hours we may need to make the decision to call parents to arrange for them to be picked up from school early. All families are strongly encouraged to check contact details with the school and to update us if there are any changes.

It is also a good idea if families have another person in town who could be available to pick up sick children if you are out of town. While we have a comfortable sick bay it is not ideal for students to be spending lengthy times waiting for parents.

New Child Safe Standards

Tawonga Primary School is committed to the safety and wellbeing of all children and young people.

As part of Tawonga Primary School's commitment to implementing the recommendations of the **'Betrayal of Trust'** report, our school has developed a raft of policies and procedures. These documents are known as the **'Child Safe Standards'** and are a compulsory minimum in order to ensure our staff and community are well prepared to protect children from abuse and neglect.

Assembly Friday 3pm

Long Service Leave

During Term 4 I will be on long service leave. An acting principal position will be advertised this week by the Department and the successful applicant will be announced hopefully by the end of the month.

Evan, the boys and I will be heading off on a camping holiday and some quality family time together.

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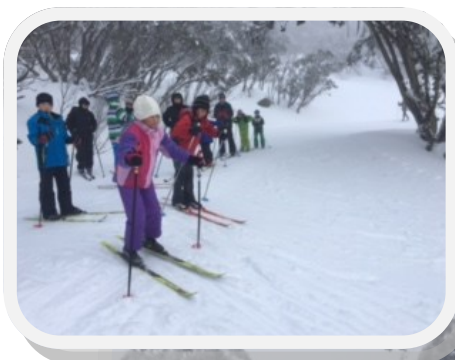
Round 1 of competition started this week. The students have been very enthusiastic about getting on and playing games. It has been a great rainy day activity for students to do at school.

Skiing

If the ski program is to be postponed, due to poor weather conditions, then a Tiqbiz and Facebook message will be put into operation between 7.15am and 7.30am on the ski day.

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PRINCIPAL



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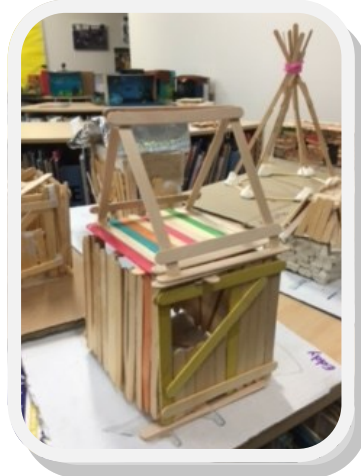
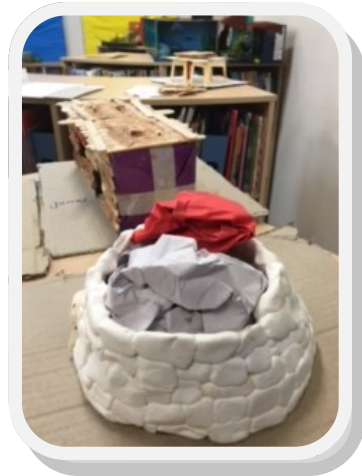
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Prep/1 Construction

The Prep / 1 class have been busy constructing houses from around the world. They look terrific.!



Child Safe Commitment

[Our commitment to child safety](#)

Tawonga Primary School is committed to child safety.

- We want children to be safe, happy and empowered. We support and respect all children, as well as our staff and volunteers.
- We are committed to the safety, participation and empowerment of all children.
- We have zero tolerance of child abuse, and all allegations and safety concerns will be treated very seriously and consistently with our robust policies and procedures.
- We have legal and moral obligations to contact authorities when we are worried about a child's safety, which we follow rigorously.
- Tawonga Primary School is committed to preventing child abuse and identifying risks early, and removing and reducing these risks.
- Tawonga Primary School has robust human resources and recruitment practices for all staff and volunteers.
- Tawonga Primary School is committed to regularly training and educating our staff and volunteers on child abuse risks.
- We support and respect all children, as well as our staff and volunteers. We are committed to the cultural safety of Aboriginal children, the cultural safety of children from a culturally and/or linguistically diverse backgrounds, and to providing a safe environment for children with a disability.
- We have specific policies, procedures and training in place that support our leadership team, staff and volunteers to achieve these commitments.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS:**AUGUST/SEPTEMBER**

MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT/SUN
	2 Library	3 School Council (change of date)	4 Skiing Yr 3-6 School Banking	5 OLYMPIC DRESS UP DAY	6/7
8	9 Art Kinder Initial Transition Visit 9.30 - 10.30	10	11 Skiing Back Up Day School Banking	12	13/14
15	16 Library	17	18 School Banking	19	20/21
22	23 Art	24	25 School Banking	26	27/28
29	30 Library	1	2 School Banking	3	4/5

REMINDERS

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

5/6 Camp permission forms and payment info were sent out last week.

SCHOOL COUNCILLORS

President	Mark Lucey 0417 056 228 lucey.mark.g@edumail.vic.gov.au
Vice President	Yvette Hind 0417 387 112
Buildings & Grounds	Yvette Hind 0417 387 112
Other Councillors	Graham Boote, Michelle Niedzwiedzki, Janet Kay, Andrew Macklan, Jane Zagorski (community Rep)



Community News



The header of the event poster features a purple background with two white snowflake graphics. The text 'Ski De Femme' is written in a white, cursive font. Below this, a dark purple bar contains the date 'Saturday August 13th 2016' in white. At the bottom of the header, a blue bar contains the text 'Birkebeiner Nordic Ski Club presents:' in white.

A community cross country ski event for women at Falls Creek
Free coaching clinics - classic and skating.

10am Start Meet in the Nordic Bowl
12pm 1km, 2.5km and 5 km races

Presentations at Nordic Bowl or Windy Corner Day Shelter after the event.

GREAT SPOT PRIZES TO BE WON!!

NO RACE FEES

IT'S COOL AND IT'S FUN!!

BEGINNERS WELCOME!

Registration preferred. Register at
www.birkebeiner.org.au/events/races/racing/ski-de-femme/

For more information:
Ronice Goebel: 03 5754 4 910 or 0409 332 642 or
Alice Hamilton: 0419 349 319

www.birkebeiner.org.au



MOUNT BEAUTY COMMUNITY CENTRE MARKET

Saturday 6th August 9am to 1pm.

Interested stallholders can phone Bev for further details on 03 57544 097. Organisations also welcome.

DEDERANG MOUNT BEAUTY—

FOOTY FRENZY

WEDNESDAY 3rd AUGUST

4.15pm to 5.15pm.

Mt Beauty Recreation Reserve.

It's FREE INFLATABLE FOOTY FUN.

Come and try or test your skills.

