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,
Welcome back to the final term of the year. Term 3 was challenging with a significant amount of illnesses affecting both students and staff. We hope that the holiday break has helped with the recovering and rejuvenation to families.

Term 4 is looking busy also with the running of the swimming program starting in November, end of year production organisation and year 3/4 camp to Beechworth which will also be held in November.

Notices were sent home at the end of Term 3 with the details of the Beechworth Camp. We ask families to return these ASAP with a deposit of $50 which is due by tomorrow.

SUE MANNING
Next week will see Kim’s replacement for the term Sue Manning begin as Acting Principal. We welcome Sue to our team for Term 4.

Rainy Days
Just a reminder to families that on rainy days students need to be collected from inside. Parents need to ensure children are collected by 3.45pm. After this time children will be signed into OSHC.

Ride to School
During October each Friday will be Ride to School day. Students and families are asked to try to ride or walk to school each Friday during October. Activities will be run throughout the day for students to participate in.

Rebecca Returning
Sarah will be absent for 4 weeks starting next Monday to complete her teaching rounds. In her absence we are very lucky to have regained the services of Rebecca to replace Sarah in the classroom.

Personal Items at School
We ask families to refrain from sending personal items to school with students. Often these items become distractions to students and their friends and on occasions get damaged or broken. Any items being brought in for Show and Tell need to be given to the students teacher for safe keeping throughout the day.

Prep Transition
Next Monday 10th October sees the start of the Prep transition visits. 2017 Prep students will be taking part in activities between 2pm and 3.30pm on a fortnightly basis throughout the term. Any families who have not completed enrolment forms for 2017 Preps please either visit the website or see Lisa in the office to obtain an enrolment form.

Division Sports
The division sports will be held tomorrow at Alexandra Park in Albury. Tawonga Primary School will be represented by students who qualified to participate at the athletic sports earlier in the year. We wish those students all the best and hope they have an enjoyable day. Hopefully the weather will be pleasant.

Josiah and Nikye in maths working on subtraction problems today.
PARENT VOLUNTEERS REQUESTED

LIBRARY BOOKS

We have an assortment of new and second-hand books to add to our school library. We would be most appreciative of any parents who would be prepared to commit some of their time to assist in the cataloguing and covering of some of these books. Please see Liz Watson if you’re able to give us some of your time. Thank you.

YEAR 4/5/6 LITERACY—PARENT HELPERS WELCOME

During Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday morning Literacy Rotations (9.30am-10.20am), Liz would appreciate parent volunteers to help with listening to students read aloud. Practicing reading aloud gives students an opportunity to improve their fluency, expression and overall confidence in speaking and reading to others. If you are able to commit some of your time, please come and see Liz to put your name down for some set days/weeks. For example, you may be able to commit to the next 2 Tuesdays.

YEAR 5/6 CAMP TO ANGLESEA

During the last week of Term 3, 13 Year 5/6 students travelled to Anglesea with Kim Franke, Liz Watson, and Anne Stanmore. All the students had a wonderful time, participating in surfing, canoeing and some very interesting cultural and environmental tours. We made the most of the inclement weather and made some changes to our original itinerary, including replacing Horseriding with a day trip to the Otway Fly Treetop Walk. Students also learned about the Indigenous people of the area, and got to paint their faces with Ochre and eat some of the local bush tucker plants. Another major highlight was the ‘Rockpool Ramble’ where students were guided to explore rock pools along the beach and found a number of sea stars and other marine life. A big thank you to Anne Stanmore for volunteering her time and energy to support the teachers in running a fun and interesting camp.
Last Week of Term 3

In the last week of Term 3 while the Year 5/6 students were away enjoying their adventures in Anglesea the Prep to year 4 students were getting crafty in the classroom. Below are some photos of the ‘5 minute fish’ and ‘pot of gold at the end of the rainbow’ activities that the students completed.

Japanese Competition

Congratulation to our 3 students who took part in the Japanese speaking competition in Wangaratta in Term 3. Sienna and Rosie finished in 2nd place in their age group and Emily Macklan finished 3rd in the Prep category. A big thank you to Keiko who does an amazing job each Friday Teaching the students this wonderful language. Thank you also to the parents who took their students to Wangaratta on the day of the competition.

Year Prep 1 Science

The Prep and year 1 students spent their science lesson today building spaghetti and marshmallow towers. Student learnt what was required to make their structures stable and strong.
## CALENDAR OF EVENTS: OCTOBER/NOVEMBER

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## 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.

**Year 3/4 Camp**—Permission Forms and deposit due tomorrow, Friday 7th October.

## SCHOOL COUNCILLORS

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MT BEAUTY CRICKET CLUB

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If you can’t make it this Saturday but are interested in participating, give Mick Grace a call on 0447 349 088. For U12’s (age 8-12) and U14’s (age 12-14) training starts next Tuesday 11th October from 4pm at the Mt Beauty Reserve. We look forward to seeing you there.

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The Rotary Club of Mount Beauty

Monster Garage Sale

and classic vehicle display

Melbourne Cup Saturday,
Sat 29th October, 2014

Opposite Falls Creek Coaches. Featuring face-painting, BBQ and Community Radio.

You can book your own site or donate saleable items to the Rotary Club for their monster sale. You can de-clutter and help us to raise funds for our community work at the same time.

To book a site ring 5754 4453
To donate goods ring 5754 4469 after Oct 15

Little Athletics

Mt Beauty Little Athletics Centre

After the success of last year little athletics will be running again in Mt Beauty for children aged 5 – 16 years.

Come & Try it Nights

Friday 7th & 14th October, 5-7pm

Les Peart Oval

Following this you will need to be a registered member. More info will be available at the Come and Try nights. The season will run each Friday evening during the Term 4 school term until the end of the school year. The season will be continued into Term 1, 2017.

Self-improvement, personal bests and having a go are the focus of each session.

A great social and sporting opportunity.

We can’t run without the support of parents. All children need to be supervised by an adult who is willing to support by running an event, timing, following an age group etc.

If you would like to know more please contact
Kim Franke – President or Carolyn Trett – Registrar
Email – mtbeautylavic.com.au  Mob – 0412 782 337