



Tawonga Primary School Newsletter

Healthy, Happy Children ... Learning to Live

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

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Reminder – Pupil Free Day Friday 26th April

If you need OSHC please make a booking.

Dear Families,

Last Thursday was the senior cluster athletics sports in Mt Beauty. The day was a huge success with nice weather. Congratulations to Braidy O'Brien and Isabella Casey for winning age group champion.

This week we have 4 students away at a cluster camp (Phoebe Roffey, Madeline Cariss, Riva Sabra and Isabella Casey). The camp is called Worrabinda and is an adventure and outdoor camp. This will be a great opportunity for the girls and I look forward to hearing about it when they return.

The Bendigo Bank has been running a 4 week education program in the 2/3 classroom about money and banking. There have been a lot of interesting questions from the students. Piggy came last week to visit. The students set up a

shop for the Prep/1 students last Thursday and practised making change.

We have had a delivery this week of new musical instruments. Thank you to Parents Club and The Op Shop in Mt Beauty for allowing us to make this purchase. The new instruments will be used straight away by Conrad and the students.

The Music Festival on the weekend was a huge success thanks to the supports of a very large number of families. To those that baked, cooked sausages, samosa or donuts, sold tickets or did the dishes a huge Thank You. Days like these are not just about making money for the school it is also a great opportunity for us to get together as a community and talk to each other. I had a great day. Money raised by Parents Club was over \$1000. A huge success for a small school.

Playgrounds Masterplan Meeting

Monday 29th April

3.30pm

in the staffroom.

All welcome

**Come along and share your
ideas before we meet with Mal
again.**

**If you would like to view the
concept plans so far they are on
display in the foyer near the
office.**

**Kim Franzke
Principal**



CALENDAR 2013

APRIL	2013	
Wednesday	24	Bully Bull Ring Incursion at Tawonga with Falls Creek and Dederang students and Tawonga 4yr old Kinder kid.
Thursday	25	Anzac Day Holiday
Friday	26	Pupil Free Day
Tuesday	30	School Photos
MAY	2013	
Monday	6	Open Day – Tawonga Primary School
Thursday	9	Mother's Day Lunch. Fun Run Set up
Friday	10	Fun Run – Tawonga Primary School
Tuesday	14	NAPLAN starts
Thursday	16	NAPLAN finishes
Monday	20	Year 5/6 Canberra Camp
Friday	24	Year 5/6 Return from Canberra

PIANO LESSONS WITH KATHY

The next Piano Lessons with Kathy will be on Thursday 9th May, due to Anzac Day and Kathy being away the following week.

COOLER WEATHER AND UNIFORMS

Now that the cooler weather is upon us we remind parents to ensure their children are appropriately dressed. If students are wearing jumpers we ask that they wear the required uniform. The school has a good supply of both the Sports Jackets and Polar Fleece ½ zip tops in stock if your child requires one. We also have a good stock of quality navy Track Pants.

The prices are as follows:

Track Pants	\$18.00
Vests	\$15.00
½ Zip Jumper	\$28.00
Sports Jacket	\$30.00

We also have a good supply of Gold and Navy Long Sleeve Polo tops for \$20.00.

If anyone is looking for any second hand jumpers please come in and check out what is available.

SCHOOL PHOTOS NEXT TUESDAY

An envelope has been sent home today for School Photos next Tuesday 30th April. Please read the instructions on the envelope as to payment options. Your child/ren need to return their envelopes to school on Photo Day.

We request that all students wear a Gold school Polo Shirt for the photos as this is our official school colour. If anyone would like to purchase a Gold top or look through the second hand stock please see Lisa in the Office.

Photos will be in the afternoon as they are doing Mt Beauty PS in the morning.

Beginner Band Rehearsals

Beginner Band rehearsals will begin on **Wednesday May 15** and will be held at the JHS (Secondary College music room) from 3:30 - 4:30. For the first rehearsal, students will need to be comfortable playing their first 5 notes and have practised up to page 7 in their books. See you all there! - Mr Policha

School Council Sub-Committees.

Finance – Katrina and Mark

Buildings and Grounds – Yvette, Graham, Davide, Mark

Curriculum and Policies – Mark and Parent Representative – Anne Stanmore

Kindergarten – Yvette Parent Representative – Kate Blanks

Fundraising and Social – Davide, Yvette

Communication and Promotion – Katrina and Clive.

Grants – Open at this stage.

If you are not on school council and would like to be on a sub-committee we would love to hear from you.

Incursion

BULLY BULL RING -

This will be happening tomorrow Wednesday the 24th April. The cost per student is \$14.00 (this is to help the cover of the cost of the program.) We will have the Kindergarten children attending as well as Dederang Primary School and Falls Creek Primary School. Please return \$14.00 per child to the office tomorrow. Thankyou.

ATHLETICS SPORTS 2013



COMMUNITY NEWS

GYMNASTICS TERM 2

Gymnastics will start the first Wednesday of term 2 at the Mt Beauty Stadium, it is open to preps through to grade 6, and runs from 4.30pm to 5.30pm.

All information will be provided at the first Wednesday session. You are also welcome to come and just try at this session. Please wear comfortable clothing and shoes/runner are not required, it's a bare foot activity.

This activity is run by Jenny Farrington from Mt Beauty Secondary School and the classes are taught by her senior secondary gymnastic students.

Jenny has indicated that she is happy for kinder kids to participate as long as they are turning 5 this year.

If you require more information or have questions please attend the first session on Wednesday 17th April 2013.

Mt.Beauty Soccer Club AGM

Wednesday 24th April 7pm at the football ground.

All members are encouraged to be present at the AGM so you can have an input into the future and running of your club, all present positions are open and need to be filled. We are in need of volunteers to help with operations for both indoor and outdoor venues. Come and be part of a fantastic little club.....

All welcome!!!

Mt Beauty Basketball Club News:

Monday: Rep

5pm - 6pm Training for Representative Basketball

Wednesday: Mens

7.15-8.15pm Mens includes U16 & U18

Thursday: Training & Womens

5-5.45pm Under 10s & Under 12s

6-7.30pm Under 14s & Under 16s

7.30-8.30pm Womens

Payment for Term 2 is due by Tuesday 30th April



Information Session Living with Arthritis

Guest Speakers: Sarah-Jane Blunt-Arthritis Victoria
Fiona McLennan-Kiewa Valley Sports & Spinal
Physiotherapy

Topic: Living with arthritis

When: 29 April at 2pm-3.30pm

Where: Lakeside Community Health Centre
Mount Beauty

*For more information please contact:
Kate Duff 5755 0131 or Heather Jackson 5754 4987*

Please RSVP- Everyone welcome!
Afternoon tea provided:

MOUNT BEAUTY FOOTBALL NETBALL CLUB PRESENTS

RODEO NIGHT

This Saturday 27th April @ the Mt Beauty Oval.
Commences straight after seniors have finished, approx.
5.30pm.

Dress in your rodeo clothing and come enjoy the fun .

Food and drinks available

Bull Riding competition.

ALL WELCOME

For more information please call:
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