



TOOTGAROOK TELEGRAPH

Weekly newsletter of

TOOTGAROOK PRIMARY SCHOOL



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Vision: Achieving personal excellence, empowering students in a supportive community.

Respect

Integrity

Celebration

Honesty

CALENDAR

Wednesday 25 th April	-	ANZAC DAY Public Holiday
Tuesday 1 st May	-	FOUNDATION visiting Rosebud Library 9-11
Wednesday 2 nd May	-	Tootgarook PS Cross Country
Monday 7 th May	-	FOUNDATION Excursion to Cranbourne Gardens
15 th 16 th 17 th MAY	-	NAPLAN for Grades 3 & 5
18 th – 24 th May	-	BOOKFAIR

NO LUNCH ORDERS ON MONDAYS FOR TERM TWO **TUESDAY – FRIDAY ONLY**

Welcome Back Welcome back from the school break. There are a number of exciting things happening this term. Please refer to the 'Calendar of Events' schedule on the front of the Newsletter each week.

Swimming

The 8 week swimming program commenced for our Year 1 and Year 2 students. The program is being held at the Colchester Swim Centre. All students were very excited and keen to get onto their bus and the first day went extremely well.



School Accident Insurance Many parents are often surprised to learn that students are not automatically covered for accidents or injuries that occur in Victorian government schools. In consideration of this, our school is very fortunate to have facilities that are maintained to a high standard as well as established practices that support the wellbeing of all students. However, when an accident does occur at school that results in parents needing to seek medical attention for their child, unfortunately the cost of this medical care must be covered by the parent/s and or guardians. There are several private companies in the market who offer personal insurance schemes for students whilst at school. Parents who are concerned about this matter, may elect to explore their own 'studentcover' policies online. (As you can appreciate, the school is not in a position to provide the details of individual brokers in this instance).

Staffing News

During the holidays Amelia Davey was successful in gaining an Art position at Seaford Park Primary School on Thursday and Fridays. We wish Amelia all the best in her new role at the school in an ongoing capacity. Patricia Gibson will be working full time in the year 2 area for the next two weeks while the process of appointing for the remainder of the year is completed.

Swimming for Grades One + Two commenced yesterday and continues each Wednesday - 2nd May, 9th May, 16th May, 23rd May, 30th May, 6th June & 13th June for the remainder of Term 2.



ANZAC DAY REMINDER WEDNESDAY 25TH APRIL 2018

A reminder that the school will be closed on Wednesday 25th April for the annual ANZAC Day Public Holiday.



To commemorate this special day, the Rye RSL has organised a memorial service on this day. Our School Captains Ella Giarrusso and Jackson Vis will proudly carry the Tootgarook banner down Nepean Hwy on Monday to the Cenotaph for the service. A wreath in our school colours will be laid in honour of our veterans. An open invitation is extended to Tootgarook PS parents, teachers and pupils to attend the Commemorative Service and to March as a group to the RSL - meeting at Rye Pier at 11.45am. The march will begin at 12.15pm. Students are asked to be in School Uniform.

The school are selling ANZAC DAY badges for a gold coin donation.

Over the next few weeks, Family Life is offering counselling services on Mondays (9 - 5pm) for students and families in the Tootgarook school community. This service may benefit individuals who are experiencing grief and loss, trauma, life transitions, parenting, anxiety and depression.


Counselling is provided at the Family Life Tootgarook Community House (opposite Tootgarook Primary School).

For further information or to book an appointment contact reception Family Life and ask for Kaz Camp on 9770 0341



LUNCH FOR EVERYONE



Due to the ANZAC Day Public holiday next Wednesday Lunch  For Everyone will be on Thursday 26th April with Chicken Wraps on the menu. Orders need to be returned to school by 9.30am on Tuesday 24th April. This is a one off and will continue for the remainder of Term Two each Wednesday.



Breakfast Club will continue this Term each Tuesday and Thursday 8.15-8.50am



**\$10 MINIMUM
NO CASH OUT**



The School now has EFTPOS facilities
for parents' convenience when
Paying for Camps Excursions Sports etc.

BSB 633 000
ACC 120050992
REF Student Name



**Tootgarook
Community Market
Saturday 28th April
1A & 1B rostered
More Helpers
Required**



Thankyou to the following parents and friends who have offered to help Dave
Forster, Chuyen Hodgetts, Kelly Butler, Skie Arnold.

GRADE 4 CATHOLIC FAMILIES

St Mary's Star of the Sea Parish is offering classes to Catholic students in GRADE 4, 2018, FOR THE SACRAMENT OF EUCHARIST (HOLY COMMUNION). Classes commence on Monday 23rd April at 3.45pm in St Joseph's School for First Holy Communion To register your child please ring 59844374 as soon as possible between 10and 4pm Tuesday-Friday and leave your name and phone number, or email re.eil@icloud.com with your details.

OPEN NIGHT
2018
Monday 23rd
April

Principal address

5.30pm

College Tours

6pm

Come and take
a first hand
look at our

learning community



245 Eastbourne Rd

Rosebud

Ph : 5986 8595

WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/ROSEBUDSECONDARYCOLLEGE



REGISTER NOW!

A photograph of four children playing Australian Rules football on a grassy field. Two girls in red jerseys are in the foreground, one is kicking the ball. Two boys in black jerseys are also playing. The background shows a clear blue sky with some clouds and a white fence.

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RYE AUSKICK
MONDAY NIGHTS @ RYE FOOTBALL GROUND
STARTING APRIL 23RD
ALL WELCOME, GIRLS ONLY GROUP
FOR MORE DETAILS CONTACT SCOTT GATHERCOLE ON 0400064198

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