



TOOTGAROOK TELEGRAPH

Weekly newsletter of

TOOTGAROOK PRIMARY SCHOOL

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CALENDAR

Friday 15th December – Christmas Stall
Monday 18th December – Grade 3/4s Inflatable World Excursion
Thursday 21st December – No assembly today
Thursday 21st December - Grade 6 Graduation/ Raffle tickets due
Friday 22nd December – Final Assembly 12.45pm
Friday 22nd December - Last Day Term 4- 1.30pm Dismissal



2018

Monday 29th January - Bookselling Day 2018
Tuesday 30th January – Curriculum Day
Wednesday 31st January – First Day back for Grades 1-6
Thursday 1st February – Preps start until 1.30pm
Tuesday 6th February – Breakfast Club resumes

There will be NO lunch orders on Friday 22nd December due to students early dismissal @ 1.30pm

As we wrap up the 2017 academic year, we will sadly say goodbye to several staff members. Our good wishes are with Danika Pittard who will be on leave for 2018.

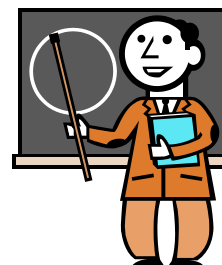
Mandy Haddad is expecting a baby early next year and the plan at this stage is not to return in 2018. We wish both Danika and Mandy well and thank them for their dedicated work at Tootgarook this year. The grade structure for 2018 is below –

Our Grade Structures for 2018 are as follows:

Gr 6 Donna Johnstone
Gr 6 Brent Kitchin
Gr 5 Alicia Perkins
Gr 5 Franki Houston
Gr 3/4 Chelsea McGhee
Gr 3/4 Catherine Hone
Gr 3/4 to be announced
Specialist Program Staff
Intervention-Mandy Bos
Teaching Support-Sandra Walton
Music Christine Young
Physical Education Nat Burns
Art Amelia Davey

Gr 2 Amelia Davey/to be announced

Gr 2 Madeline Boyd
Gr 1 Skie Arnold
Gr 1 Jessica Bell
Foundation Merryn Perkin
Foundation Adele Read
Administrative Staff
Principal- Wayne Whitworth
Assistant Principal- Paul King
Business Manager-to be announced
Office Assistant- Judy Stephens
Educational Support
Carolyn Jenkins,
Jackie Waycott,
Melanie Turner
Justine Beagley
Graham Sharrock



TRANSITION PROGRAM – MEET THE TEACHER

The final stage of our transition program will be undertaken next Friday 22nd December with all new and existing students meeting their teacher for 2018 in their designated classroom with their fellow classmates for next year.

Please be assured that each child's placement has been very carefully considered. Like you, we want the best for all of our students again in 2018 and through their considered class placement we aim to establish the learning conditions in which all students can succeed. School reports for Semester 2 together with a grade placement note for 2018 will be sent home tomorrow (Friday 15th December).

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END OF TERM ARRANGEMENTS

Please note that all students will be dismissed at 1:30pm on Friday 22nd December to begin their summer holidays.

The final assembly for the year will get underway at around 12.45pm on Friday. Students of the Term will be presented with their certificates and winners of the Christmas raffle will be announced.

All students will then be dismissed from the Community Hall.
School resumes for all grade1-6 on Wednesday 31st January @ 9.00am and for our new Foundation students on Thursday 1st February



Book Selling Day

Monday 29th January 2017

Please come to the school office

Students Booklists cost \$220

The school **DOES NOT** have Eftpos facilities so please endeavour to have the correct money!

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Concert DVD's are available for collection at the school office now — Thanks for supporting the Music Program !



**There will be No assembly on
Thursday 21st December**

Students will be presented with their certificates at our last assembly

Friday 22nd December @12.45pm

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Prep P – Mrs Perkin – Eva Read - *For being a conscientious student who always follows our RICH school values. Eva you always try your best and persist through challenges. You show respect by following the 6 Ls and you are a kind and caring friend. You should be very proud of all that you have achieved in your Foundation Year. Congratulations Eva!*

Prep R – Mrs Read – Willow Steadman- *For the excellent progress you have made this Semester. You demonstrate the RICH school values at all times by being honest, thoughtful and friendly to all members of the class. I am impressed by your positive attitude towards your learning and your willingness to work towards your goals. Well done Willow!*

1A– Miss Arnold –

1P – Miss Perkins - Bayley John - *For his outstanding year in Year One! Bayley has achieved so much personal growth and should be very proud of his success! Congratulations Bayley!*

2MB – Miss Boyd -

3WB– Ms Walton & Mrs Bos – Lily Gaul - *as voted by her peers, for being a caring, friendly classmate who is kind to everyone. She is always well behaved and is a role model to others. We have been very lucky to have had Lily in our class this year. Have a fantastic holiday Lily.*

3H – Mrs Houston - Tayah Johnstone- *As voted by her peers for being such a warm hearted and helpful member of the class. Tayah is such a kind person and a supportive friend. Great work!*

4H – Ms Hone - Max Gorton- *As voted by his peers: for responding with wonderment and awe, for making his friends laugh and finding humour, for working independently and his respect for his natural environment. Well done Max!*

4P – Miss Pittard - Ike Taylor - *For being a caring and consistent friend this year. You are inclusive of everyone and act with integrity. You always work to your best ability, especially when completing your Data Project. It was wonderful to see you offering support to your peers too. Thank you for coming to school with an open mind and for sharing your positive attitude with us every day. Congratulations Ike!*

5/6G – Mrs Gibson – Zac Kent - *Congratulations Zac on being voted the Student of the Term by your 5/6G peers. The reason why you have won is because you are a great friend and a good role model. You make people laugh and you are kind and honest. Well done Zac!*

5/6K – Mr Kitchin – Jarvis Swaby – *as voted by his peers for being a hard worker, always helping others and a positive role model. You have been a fabulous School Captain during 2017. Congratulations Jarvis on a great year!*

5/6M – Miss McGhee- Shelby Legh - *As voted by her peers for always helping others, being a hard worker and a great role model. Well done Shelby, 5/6M have thoroughly enjoyed having you as a member our grade.*

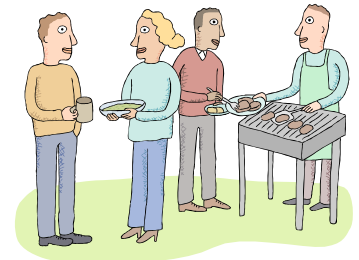
We have a number of Library books and take home readers that need to be returned to the Library and classrooms. Also anyone who has a hired Musical Instrument they also need to be returned asap – thankyou!

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MARKET HELP NEEDED

Our last market for 2017 and first one for 2018 will be held on the 23rd December and 27th January respectively. As this is holiday time and we expect the markets to be very busy, we are asking for any parents who could come along to either or both of the markets to help out with the cooking, serving or early morning organisation. This is a fantastic fundraising activity for our school so any help would be greatly appreciated. Any queries please contact the school office.

Please fill out the form below and return to school by **WEDNESDAY 20th December 2017** if you can offer any assistance.



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TOOTGAROOK PRIMARY SCHOOL **MARKET HELP DECEMBER & JANUARY**

I can help with market organisation or Sausage Sizzle on Saturday 23rd DECEMBER, 2017

6am	{ }	7am	{ }
8am	{ }	9am	{ }
10am	{ }	11am	{ }
12pm	{ }	Other	{ }

I can help with market organisation or Sausage Sizzle on Saturday 27th JANUARY, 2018

6am	{ }	7am	{ }
8am	{ }	9am	{ }
10am	{ }	11am	{ }
12pm	{ }	Other	{ }

Name: Contact T/ph:

Child's Name: Grade:

Thankyou to our many BREAKFAST CLUB helpers who have helped served the children each Tuesday and Thursday –breakfast club will continue until the end of the year and will return in 2018 on Tuesday 6th FEBRUARY

Christmas Stall

The Parents' Association will be re-opening Christmas Stall on Friday the 15th December. Items are priced at \$1.00 - \$5.00. Please bring along a plastic bag on the day to take the gifts home. Each student can purchase up to 2 gifts for parents/ grandparents/ Guardians. Thank you.

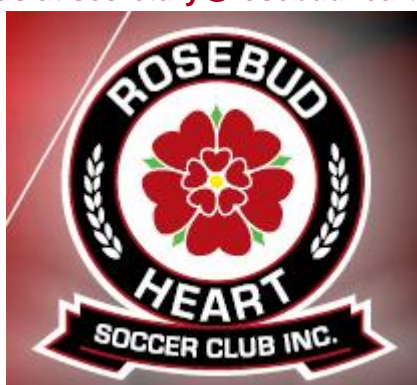


Could all students who have medication stored in the First Aid Room please take it home next Friday (the last day of term 4) Thankyou!!

Reminder - Parent Helpers Morning Tea - 11am in The Multi Purpose Room Tuesday 19th December.

Parents and carers are reminded to please let us know at the office if they wish us to order a booklist for them as we need to finalise our order by tomorrow (Friday 15th December). If we do not hear from you we assume that you are purchasing your own books – and therefore a payment of \$100 is then required to cover Essential Educational Items . A Booklist note will be sent home to those parents next week. Thank you.

If you have any queries, please email us at secretary@rosebudheart.com.au



REGISTRATION DAY
Sunday 11th February 2018

When: Sunday 11th February 2018	• Junior teams ranging from U8s to U17s.
Where: Truemans Road Recreation Reserve, Tootgarook	• Under 6's & 7's (Hub) - play at our home ground weekly as part of the Rosebud Heart SC Soccer Champs program.
Time: U6's to U11's - 10am to 12 noon	
U12's & up - 1pm to 3pm	• All girls teams for 2018 - up to 18's.

**Parents & Friends
FREE Breakfast**



Family Life & Rye Lions Club



Hey kids, come to school and have a sausage, sauce in bread with a parent, grandparent or adult friend

Where: Tootgarook Primary School,
Carmichael Street, Tootgarook

When: Friday 22nd December 2016 8:15am to 9am

Every student who **brings** a parent or friend with them for breakfast gets a free raffle ticket with a chance to win a \$30 meat voucher kindly donated by Cliffex Meats. McDowell St Rosebud



We would like to thank Rye Lions Club for their support

For further information please contact Adam B from Family Life on 9784 0650 or tootgarook@familylife.com.au
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