



TOOTGAROOK TELEGRAPH

Weekly newsletter of

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CALENDAR

Week 3 - Prep – Gr 2 Swimming – Monday 5th Tuesday 6th Wednesday 7th December



Thursday 8 th December	-	Grade 2 Sleepover
Friday 9 th December	-	Sleepover Excursion
Wednesday 14 th December	-	Grade 6 Graduation
Monday 19 th December	-	11am Parent Helpers Morning Tea
Monday 19 th December	-	Twilight Carols 4.30-6.30pm
Tuesday 20 th December	-	Last Day Term 4



TWILIGHT CAROLS



Joy to the World!

I hope everyone has **Monday 19th December** locked into their phone calendars for our upcoming Twilight Carols. We have our fingers crossed for a lovely summer's evening for the performances that will get underway from 4.30pm in the school grounds.

The introduction of our Twilight Carols is part of a detailed community engagement strategy that aims to ensure a very coordinated approach to all of our major activities and social events every year.

The ultimate aim of our two yearly community engagement planner is to ensure that all families are able to maximise their participation in the school's many extra curricula activities.

2017 Booklists will be sent home next week with an explanation of payments required on Book Selling Day – 30th January 2017.

A booklist has been ordered for each child so there is nothing to do except keep the booklist as a checklist for when you pick up the books.

Reports

End of year reports will be distributed to all students on **Thursday 15th December**. If you have any questions about the report, or your child's progress in general, please contact his/her teacher to arrange a meeting at a mutually convenient time. Duplicate copies will be sent home or mailed for families with shared parenting arrangements. If you require a duplicate copy please contact your child's teacher. All children will receive details of their class placement for next year with their reports. Children will meet for a short time with their 'new' teacher on **Friday 16th December at 10.30-11.00am**.

**Students will be presented with their certificates at assembly on
Thursday 8th December @ 2:45pm**



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Prep R – (Mrs Read) – Elijah Oldham - for the hard work and determination you display in the classroom. Well done.

Prep S – (Miss Staley) – Bayley John- For independently to complete his learning tasks. Well done Bayley!

1A – (Miss Arnold) – Rhiannon Silvester - For her improving work habits inside and outside of the classroom. Rhiannon worked hard to complete her farm to plate project early and listened to feedback well on how to improve it in some areas. She then took it home which shows her great Integrity. Well Done Rhiannon!

1P – (Miss Perkins) – James Aldridge - For the wonderful Maths work he has done this week during I.L.B time. James has been practicing his Addition and Subtraction facts and using a calculator to check his answers. Great Integrity James!

2B – (Mrs Baird) – Alivia McGrath – worked hard to complete all her ICT tasks and has a positive attitude during swimming lessons.

2J – (Mrs Johnstone) – Marshall Symons – for continuing to show great improvement in his learning, accomplishments. Marshall has again progressed a spelling level and was quick to practise Time! Well done!

3B – (Mrs Bos) – Jade Santamaria- For the great effort she put in for our grade challenge Hockey game. I loved the way she encouraged her teammates too.

3W – (Mrs Bruin) – Hani Mears- For a fantastic effort in writing. Your BIG WRITES are amazing and everyone enjoys reading them. Keep up the great work.

4B – (Miss Broomfield) –Matthew Hopcroft – Well done Matthew on your efforts in Maths groups. You are working very hard on division@ Keep up the great work.

4F – (Miss Kain) – Emmie-Li Moylan – for showing the RICH School Values.

4/5K – (Mr Kitchin) – Bailei Romeril- What a fantastic day we had at Rosebud Secondary College! You were so well mannered and represented TPS with pride. Well done!

5/6M – (Miss McGhee) – Niall Harbour- What a fantastic day we had at Rosebud Secondary College! You lead your group so well in humanities and tried so hard in PE. Well done!

5/6Q – (Miss Quintin) – Mia Goldberg- What a fantastic day we had at Rosebud Secondary College! You displayed perfect behaviour and asked some great questions. Well done!

Art / Craft – (Miss Davey) – Michelle Muchai – 3B – for being a helpful and co-operative member of the class. Well done on all of your hard work!

Music – (Mrs Young) –

P.E. – (Miss Daley) – Jack Wallace – 4F – Jack oozed enthusiasm and determination for Sport this week. His positive attitude is always a pleasure to teach. Well done Jack!



Thankyou to our helpers at last Saturday's market :

Belinda Brundell, Amanda Reeve, Carolann Bavage, Nathan Opie , Kate Gaul, Andrew Wallace, Gary Barrett, Michael Giarrusso, Janine & Sarah Wallace, Mandy Bos, Christine Young, Paige Reeve, Margaret Wilson

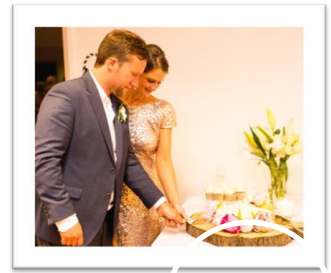
Congratulations

We are pleased to add our Congratulations and share with the community a recent special event by announcing that Prep.

teacher, Merryn Staley, has married her partner, Jesse Perkin.

The ceremony, from all accounts, was as lovely as the couple and we wish them every future happiness together.

Miss Staley will stay on for the remainder of this year, only to return in 2017 as Mrs Perkin.



YEAR ONE



From Farm to Plate Projects



**Tomorrow Friday 2nd December
is the LAST CHANCE TO
Order Your Concert DVD!!!!!!**



Orders are now being taken at the school office – cost \$20 each.

SORRY NO LATE ORDERS CAN BE ACCEPTED after this date – please note DVD will not be ordered unless paid for.

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I enclose \$20.00 for a concert DVD

Child's Name:

Grade:

RACV HPV Report

On the 17th to the 20th of November we took 2 HPV's to Maryborough to compete in the



RACV Energy Breakthrough Challenge. Both HPV teams had 9 riders and both teams competed in the Triathlon event. One team was called Royle 4 and the other team was called Sustainable Peninsula. The Triathlon consisted of three categories, the obstacle course, a relay race and an endurance race. On Wednesday we all got to



Maryborough and set up camp and on Thursday we registered and went through scrutineering. Both teams did a play of the Simpsons for their presentations.

Our first race on Friday was the Obstacle where we did 8 laps of an obstacle course. Royle 4 went before Sustainable Peninsula and Royle 4 won points.

Peninsula Royle 4 their heat Straight we went where as we



Sustainable were in the next heat after and they came third in earning them 9.6 points. after the obstacle course over to the relay track we had to do 8 laps as fast could.

On Friday we had the night practice and Royle 4 came first in our Primary class and 12th overall. Sustainable Peninsula came 19th overall so Tootgarook stated 12th and 19th on the grid in the morning.

On Saturday competed in the endurance race. It went from 2pm to 10pm. Royle 4 came 1st in their class and Sustainable



Peninsula came 13th We were all very proud of ourselves.

Royle 4 came 4th in the Primary class overall and Sustainable Peninsula came 15th out of 22 Primary teams.

We would like to thank all of the sponsors that supported us and all the parents who devoted their time to cheer us on. We would also like to thank, Graham, Miss Quintin, Mrs Read, Miss McGhee, Mr King and Mr Whitworth. We would like to give a special thank you to all the parents who gave up their time to make this weekend possible.



Congratulations to the HPV team of Royle 4: Jarvis Swaby, Scott Wilson, Bailey German, Sarah Wallace, Zak Williams, Emiley McKenzie, Ingka Mears, Amity Bickley and team manager Renee Robinson they came first in their class in 8 hour endurance race – **a presentation will be made to these students at our assembly on Thursday 8th December.**

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Parents & Friends FREE Breakfast



Family Life & Rye Lions Club



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

Where: Tootgarook Primary School,
Carmichael Street, Tootgarook

When: Tuesday 20th 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.
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We would like to thank Rye Lions Club for their support

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