

### TOOTGAROOK TELEGRAPH

Weekly newsletter of

#### TOOTGAROOK PRIMARY SCHOOL

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#### CALENDAR

Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March Final Assembly 2.00pm

Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March Last Day Term One 2.30pm Dismissal

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> April First day Term 2-9.00am start



#### **End of Term Arrangements**



As term one quickly draws to a close, I would like to take this opportunity to once again thank all members of our school community for another fantastic term at Tootgarook. It has certainly been a very smooth start to the year. Please note that Term 1 concludes on Friday 31st March with students being

dismissed early after a whole school assembly in the Hall at 2:30pm.

Term 2 will resume on Tuesday 18th April due to the Easter Monday holiday on the 17th April.

#### **Staffing Update**

Lynne Baird as previously noted in last week's newsletter will be retiring from Tootgarook PS after 35 years of teaching at our school – we wish her well in the next phase of her life. Patricia Gibson will be replacing Mrs Baird in Grade 2 next term.

Rebecca Broomfield, will also be leaving our school tomorrow as she is due to have a baby in the next few weeks - we wish her well for the future.

Wayne Whitworth will be on long service leave for the first four weeks of term 2. Paul King will be his replacement as Acting Principal.

Paul King will be on long service leave for the last 9 weeks of term 2. Gary Cooper, Assistant Principal at Boneo Primary School, will be Acting Principal in Wayne and Paul's absence. The selection process for Acting Assistant Principal role for the next term is still in the Provisional appointment mode. Mandy Haddad is the recommended candidate for the role next term. Mandy's replacement for next term in year 5/6 will be Laura Munn. We hope to have this process finalised by the end of term.



The Easter Raffle tickets need to be returned by 9.00am tomorrow so the raffle can be drawn later that morning and winners notified. Prize winners will be announced at the final assembly tomorrow.

## Students will be presented with their certificates at our last assembly – Friday 31st March @ 2.00pm

**Prep P – Mrs Perkin – Eloise Garlick-** For always displaying the RICH School Values, being a kind and helpful friend and trying her very best in all school activities. Congratulations Eloise.

**Prep R - Mrs Read – Noah Robertson –** for always following the RICH School Values – listening carefully and always being a good friend to others. Well done Noah!

**1A– Miss Arnold –Ruby Woodbridge**- as voted by her peers. For being a helpful class member. You are always showing the school R.I.C.H. values and our class BEs. Ruby takes her time during learning tasks and she produces some amazing work. What a great start to the year!

**1P – Miss Perkins – Charlotte Humble**- as voted by her peers. For being a good friend who is kind and caring to everyone in grade 1. You are always showing the school R.I.C.H. values and our class BEs. Charlotte's writing is imaginative and she usually writes more than a page during Big Write times. Keep up the great work!

**2B – Miss Boyd – James Aldridge-** James has worked really hard this term, and has demonstrated that he can be a self regulated learner. James your confidence in the class to share your ideas has flourished this term, and continues to improve. Your commitment to your work has not gone unnoticed, and is truly appreciated by your teachers. Well done James, keep up the good work in the coming terms!

**2L – Mrs Baird – Callum Woulfe –** for his personal growth and his growing independence. Callum always follows the RICH Values.

**3H – Mrs Houston – Hannah McCormack** - was voted by her peers as Student of the Term for always working her hardest and being respectful of others.

**3WB – Ms Walton + Mrs Bos - Kaitlyn Underwood** - as voted by her classmates for always helping other people. She has a commendable attitude to her studies, works her hardest at all times and presents her work in a very neat manner. Kaitlyn follows the school RICH values and is a pleasure to have in our grade. Well done Kaitlyn.

**4H \_ Ms Hone – Zoe Shevlin –** for being a good friend, listening to her teacher, being honest and responsible and always demonstrating the RICH School Values with consistency. Congratulations Zoe!

**4P – Miss Pittard - Tahlia Oliver** - Congratulations Tahlia on your positive and pro-active attitude towards all areas of school life. You are a role model for your classmates and are a fine example to others. You are persistent with your learning and embrace all challenges. You always include others and treat class members with a caring and kind attitude. Congratulations on an excellent term Tahlia!

**5/6H – Mrs Haddad - William Bowden -** William uses his manners, is nice to everyone, is a good role model, listens to what people say and cheers others up and has worked hard all term. Congratulations William, what an effort!

**5/6K \_ Mr Kitchin – Katelyn Lizio -** You consistently set the standard, always well mannered and willing to give 100% at everything you do. It is a pleasure to have you in 5/6K. Keep up the great work.

**5/6M \_ Miss McGhee - Rebecca Marinelli** - Was voted by her peers because she is always friendly in the school yard and has been trying really hard to learn and speak English. Well done Rebecca!

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Thank you to our wonderful market helpers from last Saturday — Brett Lawry, Marama Silvester, Carol Ann Bavage, Julie + Andrew Woulfe, Nathan Opie, Ruth Underwood, Belinda Brundell, Lynne Baird, Maddy Boyd, Patricia Gibson, Joanne Finch, Cherie Przychodski, Eliza McIntosh Michael Giarrusso, Jenine Gorton, Sylvia Williams, Gary Barrett, Sophie Lazner. Our next market is April 22<sup>nd</sup> with 4H + 4P rostered on.

### Breakfast Club in Term 2 will not begin until Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> April.



#### ANZAC DAY Tuesday 25<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2017



An open invitation is extended to Tootgarook PS parents, teachers and pupils to attend the Rye RSL Anzac Day Memorial Service commencing about 12.15pm. Our School Captains will represent the school by laying a school wreath during the Memorial Service. The Official Memorial Service runs for approximately 30-40 minutes. The Anzac Day public holiday will be Tuesday 25th April.



## Year One and Two Visit the Tootgarook Senior Citizens Club

On Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> March the Year One and Two students walked across the oval to visit the Senior Citizens. We met Sheila and she gave us a tour of the building. We saw many activities and learnt how to play inside bowls.









Billards Bowls Craft

## Grade 3/4 Environment Week Excursion







Fun
Scary
Soft to Touch
Great Day!!











# Prep

# Easter Lat Parade



### 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: Friday 31<sup>th</sup> March 2016 8:15am to 9am

Every student who <u>brings</u> 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 toggrook@familylife.com.au www.familylife.com.au

#### **Tootgarook Women's Group**





A group for women on a journey to rediscover self

Tootgarook Community House 10 Carmichael Street Tootgarook

2 May - 6 June (Tuesdays)

11.30am to 1.30pm

Light refreshments provided

Please let us know you're coming by contacting

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