



TATURA PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Week 11 Term 4

PRINCIPAL'S PIECE

As another school year draws to a close, I want to wish everyone a safe and happy holiday season.

Concert

At the concert on Monday evening, we all enjoyed the relaxed atmosphere and were inspired by the performances of each and every one of our children. Thank you to everyone for making it such a resounding success— once again!

The staff need to be congratulated on their producing and directing roles. Students entertained us all night— all stars in their own right. The band, ably led by Ms Lindy Tennant, set the scene and are looking forward to their performance tonight at 'Carols'. I hope you can support them at Mactier Park at 6:30pm. Our Parents and Friends had lots of helpers and provided the BBQ and cold drinks. Fast Brew Coffee was there too, and Barry Bishop provided the sound.

Farewell to our Grade 6 Students

It is with much excitement and anticipation that our Grade 6 students are leaving TPS and venturing onto high school. We wish them well and I remind them to always remember the good times and learning that they had here. Go into the wider world with confidence that you can do and be anything you want. Always adhere to our shared values of CARE— be a responsible member of your COMMUNITY: always set high goals and ACHIEVE to the best of your ability with no regrets: RESPECT yourselves and others: and look after your ENVIRONMENT.

They all showed how capable and confident they are, at the Graduation ceremony last week. All their parents, friends and teachers in attendance were very proud of them!

The Grade 6 awards were presented at the ceremony and I share them with you here:

NL Drainage Overall Excellence Awards: Ryan Shalley and Lillian Boyd

English: Darcy Brewer

Mathematics: Amos Bowles

Health & PE: Daniela Dominicata

The Arts: Harrison Mann

Music: Sam Miller

Civics & Citizenship: Kyla Luvara and Riley Anstey

Lions Club Awards: Merryck Barron and Jaeger Basile

2020 Leadership

It was great to have so many students apply for the positions of School Captains for 2020. It was not easy to choose, but after careful consideration of applications, interviews and general observations, I have pleasure to announce that our Captains for 2020 are: Anastasia Bramich and Tanz Dellar. Congratulations.

Other leadership positions will be determined at the beginning of the school year.

Classes for 2020

Tomorrow morning students will find out where they will be next year and who their teacher will be. They will have the opportunity to meet their teacher and spend some time in their room. Please remember to arrange the purchase of their stationery for the start of 2020 so that the teacher can set up the resources ready to go from day one.

Reports

Student reports will be made available on compass by tomorrow morning. Please remember that all your child's reports will be available on Compass while they are at Tatura Primary School. If you require a hard copy, please let the office know.

Farewells and hellos

The end of the year often opens up opportunities for staff to move on and look for experiences elsewhere. This year we are farewelling a few members of staff.

James Nihill is travelling abroad to teach and travel.

Billie Kovaks is moving to WA to teach.

Maggie Borrelli will be leaving to teach at St Augustines.

Fulvia Curtis is teaching at Verney Road.

Greg Cowan is going to work more around the home!

We are also welcoming Fiona Smith into 5/6 and Carlie Whitford into 1/2.

There are also several families finishing up at TPS due to their last child leaving Grade 6. We thank you for your support over the years and wish you well. Others are moving house and moving town so the children are moving to new schools. We wish you all the best and hope to hear from each of you in years to come!

Susanne Gill, Principal

2020 STAFF

Junior Section	Middle Section	Senior Section
Foundation - Rachel Farrar	3 / 4 – Amanda Ross	5 / 6 – Nicholas Mellington/ Sarah Daldy
Foundation - Lauren Wangeman	3 / 4 – Charlotte Aburrow	5 / 6 – Nicole Evans
1 / 2 – Tayla Callaway	3 / 4 – Justine Russell	5 / 6 – Fiona Smith
1 / 2 – Penny Wettern		
1 / 2 – Carlie Whitford		
Arts: Donna Crosbie Intervention: Tracy Fitzpatrick Education Support: Roberta Gibbs, Janet Barresi, Sam Aitken, Micheal Newman, Lauren Amery, Vanessa Poole Principal Class: Susanne Gill, Tracey Ritchie		

PURCHASE A PICKET

As a school fundraiser, we have picket fence panels for sale that we would love families to paint. These pickets will be installed as a feature of the entrance to the sensory playground. Drop by the school office to purchase....\$10 each.



2020 STUDENT CHARGES

At last month's School Council meeting, School Council set the charges for students for 2020 at \$300.

Eligible families may be able to apply for CSEF which covers the cost of ex/incursions. Families will be required to pay for camps and other activities which are optional and applicable to individual students. 3/4 and 5/6 Camps are expected to cost approximately \$330 per student.

Families are most welcome to pay by instalments. Please make arrangements with the school office.

In 2020, families are required to purchase their own stationery requirements for their child/ren from whichever supplier they prefer eg: Officeworks, Big W, Kmart, newsagents. Booklists will be given to students early next week. Whilst particular brands may be recommended, the choice is yours to make.



Junior School Council 2019

Zooper Doopers

We have been selling zooper dooper icy poles on Wednesday at lunch times which has been a big hit on the hot days. JSC is raising money for a new fridge/freezer for the canteen.

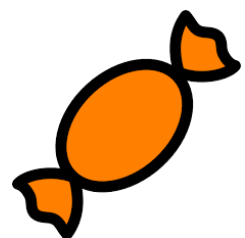


Lions Club Silver Serpent

A big thank you to Glenda from Tatura Lions Club who came to school recently to be part of our Silver Serpent. We raised \$194.75 with our 14m long serpent. Money raised has been donated to children's cancer charities.



The winner of our 'lolly jar' competition is:
Scarlet Snelling





Tatura OSHC News Flash!

EXCITING PROGRAM AHEAD

Monday-Create your own pop-out Christmas card!

Tuesday-Help us to make some salt dough ornaments to decorate with this Christmas.

Wednesday-In Australia Christmas is hot, so lets cool down with a sponge water battle!

Thursday-Join us in making the shapes of Christmas with our bodies as part of our Christmas Yoga.

Friday-Challenge yourself with our Minute to win it: Christmas edition extravaganza!

COOKING CLUB



Rice Crispy
Christmas Trees

JOKE OF THE WEEK

Q-What did the fish say when swam into the wall?

A- Damn!

JUNIOR LEADER GOES TO

Leon has been working hard to engage with others in activities and to follow instructions as he is asked.

JOIN THE FUN OF OSHC

Enrolment is FREE all you need to do is visit our website at

www.afterthebell.com.au

and complete the online enrolment form.

Please feel free to contact our head office as we are happy to help you out with the process.

CONTACT

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Head Office- 9758 6744

Program Leader- Grace

KIDS CORNER

Challenge yourself with our Minute to win it: Christmas edition extravaganza! The week has allowed us to try a whole range of activities and has helped us to see what all the children enjoy.

HIGHLIGHTS



Tatura Library

January Holiday Activities



Craft on Tap

Every day during the holidays!



Textured Rainbows

Make this colourful rainbow using different textured wools and materials.

2 - 12 January



Fish Weaving

Colour, cut and weave to create one of these fantastic fish.

14 - 25 January

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Shepparton Library

January Holiday Activities



Under the Sea Diorama

Ages 6+

Make this miniature under the sea world. Add your own sea creatures or just use the template provided.

Tues 7 January, 10:30am



Pom Pom Poppers

Ages 6+

Make and decorate these fun pom pom poppers. You can play on your own or with a friend.

Tues 21 January, 10:30am

Coding with Blue Bots & Ozobots

Ages 7+

Bookings Essential

Tues 14 January, 10:30am



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Pretty Paper Parrot

2 - 12 January

Sneaky Snail

13 - 25 January



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Mooroopna Library

January Holiday Activities



Paper Roll Dragons

Ages 6+

Blow through the dragons head for a very fiery effect.

Thurs 9 January, 10:30am



Pom Pom Poppers

Ages 6+

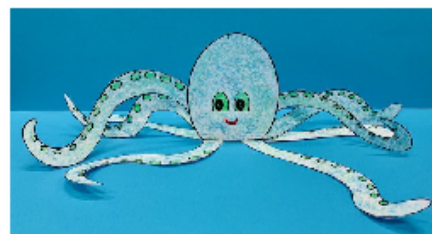
Make and decorate these fun pom pom poppers. You can play on your own or with a friend.

Fri 17 January, 2:00pm



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Every day during the holidays!



8 Legged Octopus

Make a lovely leggy friend to take home.



Summer Reading Bingo

0 - 6 years



Complete each box, in any order you like.

Collect a small prize for every three boxes.

Tick off all the boxes and enter the draw for the
main prize*....

A Family Movie Experience voucher

Competition closes January 31st 2020

Winners will be notified.

Name:

Age:

Phone:

Library:

*One main prize per council area.

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Summer Reading Bingo

0 - 6 years



<p>I'm reading 1000 BOOKS BEFORE SCHOOL</p> <p>Complete:</p>	<p>I've read an ADVENTURE story</p> <p>Title:</p> <p>Complete:</p>	<p>I've read a book with an ANIMAL on the cover</p> <p>Title:</p> <p>Complete:</p>	<p>I've completed three squares and have earned a reward.</p> <p>Sticker/Stamp</p>
<p>I read ALOUD or told someone a story</p> <p>Title:</p> <p>Complete:</p>	<p>I made one of the Library BOOKMARKS</p> <p>Complete:</p>	<p>I sang my favourite nursery rhyme or song</p> <p>Title:</p> <p>Complete:</p>	<p>I've completed three squares and have earned a reward.</p> <p>Sticker/Stamp</p>
<p>I read OUTSIDE</p> <p>Title:</p> <p>Complete:</p>	<p>I borrowed some books from my Library</p> <p>Complete:</p>	<p>I've read a book that made me LAUGH</p> <p>Title:</p> <p>Complete:</p>	<p>I've completed three squares and have earned a reward.</p> <p>Sticker/Stamp</p>

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Summer Reading



Collect a small prize for every three boxes you complete.

Complete all 9 boxes to go into the draw to win a voucher for a

Family Movie Experience

Start reading now!

**Pick up a Bingo card at your local GV Library
or download at gvlibraries.com.au**

Starts December 1 - Ends January 31

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Summer Reading Bingo

6 years +



<p>I picked up a WORD SEARCH or CROSSWORD from my Library</p> <p>Complete:</p>	<p>I've read an ADVENTURE story</p> <p>Title:</p> <p>Complete:</p>	<p>I've read a book with an ANIMAL on the cover</p> <p>Title:</p> <p>Complete:</p>	<p>I've completed three squares and have earned a reward.</p> <p>Sticker/Stamp</p>
<p>I read ALOUD to someone else</p> <p>Title:</p> <p>Complete:</p>	<p>I've read a book that SOMEONE ELSE PICKED</p> <p>Title:</p> <p>Complete:</p>	<p>I watched a MOVIE based on a book</p> <p>Title:</p> <p>Complete:</p>	<p>I've completed three squares and have earned a reward.</p> <p>Sticker/Stamp</p>
<p>I read OUTSIDE</p> <p>Title:</p> <p>Complete:</p>	<p>I made one of the Library BOOKMARKS</p> <p>Complete:</p>	<p>I've read a book that made me LAUGH</p> <p>Title:</p> <p>Complete:</p>	<p>I've completed three squares and have earned a reward.</p> <p>Sticker/Stamp</p>

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BREAKDANCE WORKSHOP



BRIGHTER FUTURES FOR AFRICAN YOUTH

ALL AGES! ALL WELCOME!

20TH DEC 4:30 - 6:00PM

ST PAUL'S AFRICAN HOUSE

54 Poplar Ave Shepparton



Commonwealth Bank



ST PAUL'S AFRICAN HOUSE

Term Four 2019

WEEK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
11	16 CONCERT 7pm BBQ from 5.30pm-6.45pm	17 Swimming F-2	18 Swimming 3-6 Carols	19	20 Last day of term- finish @ 1.30pm



2020 Term One

WEEK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1	27 JANUARY	28 Teachers return	29 Grades 1-6 commence	30 Foundation commence	31
2	3 FEBRUARY	4	5 No Foundation students at school	6	7
3	10	11	12 No Foundation students at school	13	14
4	17	18	19 No Foundation students at school School Council Finance 6pm General 7pm	20	21
5	25	26	27	28	29
6	2 MARCH	3	4	5	6