PRINCIPAL’S PIECE

Fete
Our Fete was an incredible success and none of it could be possible without the hard work of so many people! Thank you to Yvonne, the fete committee and our School Council for all your organization and planning. Thank you to our teachers, parents, guardians and community members for helping to set up, preparing and running stalls and donating goods. Thank you to our local businesses and community service groups for your support and donations. Thank you to the outside vendors and service providers who came along on the night. Thank you to our amazing school community for coming, participating and celebrating with us. We look forward to putting the money raised to good use, making our school an even better place to learn and grow.

Essential items and Excursion/Incursion costs have been set for 2017
School Council has approved the contributions that parents will be asked to pay for their child(ren) in 2017. The essential educational items total $150 and the excursion/incursion/swimming costs total $185 per child for the year. I encourage families to discuss a payment plan with me if this will help. Payments can start in 2016 if you wish. More detail will follow with arrangements for your child to collect some of their essential items late in January.

Remembrance Day
At 11am on 11th November, we will remember our fallen soldiers and all those who have fought for our country. Our school will lay a wreath at the memorial park in Tatura. I would like our students to contribute to the occasion by bringing a flower from their garden to add to the wreath. Please send your child with a bloom on Thursday 10th November. Encourage them to choose something colourful or some green foliage. We discourage picking from neighbour’s or the school’s garden!

Pupil Free Days
Our Pupil Free Days this term are on Wednesday 9th November and Monday 21st November. If you require care for your children on these days, contact After The Bell for details on 9758 6744.

Susanne Gill, Principal
SICKBAY DUTY

This Week: Alana Cope
Next Week: Amanda Ross

Please collect laundry from the office on Friday afternoon

FRIDAY FRUIT ROSTER

Sponsored by

This Week 6 Friday 11 November
Amanda Ross & Alana Cope

Next Week 7 Friday 18 November
Jolene Bowles & Marni Rigby

PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU CHECK THE PARENT ROSTER AND IF UNABLE TO ATTEND PLEASE LET THE OFFICE STAFF KNOW SO THAT WE CAN ORGANISE A REPLACEMENT HELPER.

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

PA Ruby Ibbs
For the effort you have been putting into your reading. Great work Ruby.

1/2 C Iizaiah Stone
For dealing with the challenges of being in a wheelchair with a positive attitude.

1/2 B Sophia Li
For being an organised learner who always gives her best effort!

3/4B Cliff Hahnel
For working very hard at learning to borrow to solve subtraction problems. Well done Cliffy!

5/6B Josh Johnson
For always trying his best and showing persistence when challenged in maths tasks.

5/6C Harry Denham
For always contributing positively to class discussions and working well in teams.

PE Tirrim Warne
For explaining the rules and helping a class mate whilst playing kick ball. Well done Tirrim.

HOUSE POINTS

1st Batman 24 points
2nd Mitchell 23 points
3rd Henty & Sturt 20 points

PARENTS & FRIENDS

Thank you to our families for their generous donations of cakes for our fete stall. Everyone enjoyed the scrumptious cakes, slices and treats.

PARENT HELPER ROSTER

Sustainability tip of the week

Tell Mum or Dad if you don’t like your food, rather than throwing it out.

OUTSTANDING LEVIES

As the end of the school year is fast approaching, it would be appreciated if all outstanding levies could be paid.

INCURSIONS & EXCURSIONS HAPPENING SOON

Art incursion, all students $10

For families who have not paid their excursion levy, payment will be required in order for your child to participate. Please make payment to the school office.
**SENIOR SECTION NEWS**

**Week 6**—The term is flying! We have had some of the secondary schools visit our Grade 6 students for a meet and greet session in preparation for Year 7 next year. A friendly reminder our school concert will be held on *Monday 12th of December* and the Grade 6 graduation will be held on *Thursday 15th of December*. We look forward to a fantastic finish to the school year.

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**CLASS TALKS**

Our Term 4 class talks have well and truly started. We are enjoying listening to all the different ways that technology can impact on our society.

**MATHS GROUPS**

Our 3 numeracy groups have been working on algebra. All students are working hard to solve challenging equations. We look forward to extending our knowledge further with more algebraic thinking throughout the term.

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**Tabloid Sports**

We had a fabulous day at our tabloid sports in Week 4. We love working in our multi-age groups across the school—especially when we are in a group with our buddies!

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**Zone Basketball**

Last Friday 10 students from Grade 5/6 participated in the Zone Basketball championships in Shepparton. We had a fantastic day with all students displaying outstanding sportsmanship. A huge thank you to Dale and Jackie O’Neill for providing transport and a special mention to Jackie for coaching the team. Well done to the following students:

- Jordan O’Neill
- Zach Langlands
- Robbie Fitzgerald
- Rhys Coonerty
- Cameron King
- Jacob Phillingham
- Kade Walker
- Zach Bowles
- Astyn Connerty
- Isobel Boyd

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**YACHTING**

39 of our 5/6 students will head over to the Victoria Lake tomorrow to participate in a yachting program ran by the professionals from Yachting Victoria. Students attending will depart school at 12:30pm. A list of items that students need to bring was sent home earlier this week. Fingers crossed for a sunny day!
2017 GRADE 6 POLO SHIRTS

Forms for the ordering of 2017 grade 6 polo shirts went home two weeks ago. A reminder that orders and payment are required to be returned no later than 18 November. Samples of the shirts are available for students to ‘try on for size’ at the office. Please note: this is the only opportunity to purchase the shirts as we are only able to place a single order with the supplier.

2017 LARP

(LEISURE AND RECREATION PROGRAM)

We propose to run our Leisure and Recreation Program (LARP) for Grades 3-6 during November/December. As always we will need lots of Parents to assist with the various activities such as tennis, badminton, table tennis, cooking, fishing/yabbying, board games/computer, bocce, lawn bowls, scrapbooking, basketball, golf and athletics. Due to the State Governments initiative all volunteers must have a Working with Children police check. These are free and forms are available online.

As in the past, this program can only run with substantial assistance from parents. To date we have too few helpers and will be unable to continue the program unless we have some more volunteers. If you can assist with this program, which will run on 3 Fridays being 25th November, 2nd & 9th December, between 2.00pm-3.30pm, (we will have an altered lunch time on these days), please fill in the form below and return to me in Room 18.

Thank you
Doug Miller, LARP Coordinator

L.A.R.P. ASSISTANCE FORM

November 25th, December 2nd & December 9th from (2.00pm-3.30pm). We will have an altered lunch time on these days.

Name:___________________________________

Name and Grade of eldest child at T.P.S._________________________

The activity I can assist/organise is _____________________________

I already have a Working With Children Police check: YES/NO (please circle)

I am willing to undertake a Working with Children Police Check YES/NO (please circle)
THANK YOU ALSO TO:

McGuire College—Henna Painting
Dhurringile Prison—fire wood
CFA & SES
GC Nuts & Confectionary
Deb Vincitorio—Envy Jewellery
Plasterific—raffle prize
Lions Club
Paul Newman; Kim Mann; Kirsty Richardson; Glenn Walker
What’s On Next Week in the Tatura OSHC — SPORTS MADNESS

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<td>Build A Score Board to use, and play Cricket on the Oval.</td>
<td>Create the Rules and a Score Sheet Plus enjoy a Netball game on the Undercover Court.</td>
<td>Papier-Mache a Balloon to make a Soccer Ball to Colour in, and a soccer match on the oval.</td>
<td>Make a Bat and Ball out of Craft, what will you use for your Bat and Ball? With a game of baseball on the oval.</td>
<td>We are going to Create a Football Field, and have a game of football on the oval.</td>
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**Kids Corner**

Daniel Stirring the Jelly for the Jelly Lakes
Jack watching his Volcano Erupt from ATB Tatura ASC

**Junior Leaders**

Daniel: For being helpful and caring towards the children
Sarah: For always being friendly and sharing with other children

**Congrats!**

**Community News**

The weather is warming up so please remember to bring your hats so we can enjoy some fun in the sun

**Reminder**

Wednesday 9th November 2016 Pupil Free Day
Monday 21st November 2016 Pupil Free Day

**...it can cost you as little as $6.63 per session with Government Rebate eligibility!**

**Enrolment and Bookings**

We always welcome new faces to After School Care! Enrolments can be completed online at www.afterthebell.com.au or by downloading a paper version, or you can pick one up the OSHC room. Should you need any assistance with the online process, feel free to call 9758 6744 and see us and we will be happy to help you out with the process.

**Contacts**

Booking/Cancelation: enrolment@afterthebell.com.au
OSHC contact number: 0411 086 821
Program Leader - Lisa Miller
## WEEKDAY ACTIVITIES

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### SWIMMING LESSONS AT TATURA SWIMMING POOL

Swimming lessons held at Tatura Swimming Pool after school. For enquiries, ring Gillian on 0421 317 046.

### BUNNINGS

Bunnings Shepparton Warehouse are getting a visit from TOBY the T-REX Dinosaur from “Real Dinosaurs” on SATURDAY the 10th of DECEMBER 2016 between 10.00am – 12.00noon.

Customers will get the opportunity to watch TOBY roam through store during his show, and also be able to take photos with him as well.