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PRINCIPAL NEWS

Dear Families,

It has been a very exciting week at Tarooma. The school values of collaboration , excellence and creativity have been in evidence as students have run for a seat on the school parliament, participated in Tournament of Minds and prepared for the upcoming Maths Relay.

Tournament of Minds



A big congratulations to the three Tournament of Minds teams who competed at Ogilvie High School on Saturday 7th in the state final. The The Arts team and the Social Science teams both were awarded Honours. The Arts team also were awarded the spirit of TOM award for dealing beautifully with their backdrop which broke just before their presentation. The Language Literature team were successful in winning their competition. Their trophy is proudly on display in our front foyer. They will be representing Tasmania in the International competition,

held in Hobart this year on the Hobart Show weekend. All team members of the three teams were a credit to our school and we congratulate them on their successes. The students involved were: Language Literature: Iola F, Edie N, Liam L, Jonte M, Felicity Y, Indigo S, Sophia W. The Arts: Marley F, Neve H, Annie H, Hannah G-S, June B, Maddie W, Thomas H. and Social Science Isla C, Simon M, Jacey G, Charlotte V, Isla T, Charlie C, Daniel K. A special thanks also to teachers Debbie Clark, Emma Nuttall and parents Natasha Rowell and Helen Roberts-Ludlow who worked as facilitators for each of the teams.

Maths Relay Teams

After an exhaustive selection process it is my pleasure to announce the four teams which will be representing the school in the annual Maths Relay competition to be held at Rosny College on Sunday. 3-4 team 1: Joe C, Addison B, Liam D and Jeri B and 3-4 Team 2: Margot M, Matai O, Henry N and Darcy B., Year 5 team: Evan H, Quincy G, Annie H and Felicity Y and Year 6 team: Iola F, Madeleine W, Edie N and Stella T. Congratulations to these students on their selection and best of luck for Sunday!

Student Parliament

Recently all the 3-4 classes ran a selection process to choose parliamentarians to represent their class. The selection process involved student presenting a short speech to their class to explain their ideas for making Tarooma Primary a better place in the one or more of the portfolio areas: Environment, Health, Sport and the Arts, Events and Finance and Facilities. Student interest was high, with one class having more than two thirds of students choosing to stand for parliament! After preferential voting the following students are to be congratulated on their election to our student parliament. Parliament Badges were presented to them at the assembly last week: 3-4P: Addison B and Tess L-P, 3-4GS: Luna M, Angus M, 3-4C: Alexander K, Millie U and Scarlett W and 3-4McW: Henry N and Mia C.

Intake Areas Review

The Department of Education is currently reviewing the intake areas of schools. During the first consultation round we provided feedback, which has been included in the most recent map. Public feedback about the intake areas may be provided by completing the short survey by Friday, 27 September 2019. To review the updated map and to complete the survey please follow the link below:

<https://www.education.tas.gov.au/about-us/school-directory/school-intake-area-maps/>

Ms Bresnehan's sick leave for the remainder of the term has necessitated some small staffing changes. We have been fortunate that these changes have meant minimal disruption to classes. We wish Ms Bresnehan a speedy recovery and look forward to her return in term 4.

Best wishes

Tony Poynter

Acting Principal

TAROONA AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students who received a Taroon Award at last week's assembly:

- **Creativity** - Lila B, Olivia M, Henry J, Duncan H, Romy C, Leo J & Jacey G
- **Respect** - Leah H & Lilli H.T
- **Resilience** - Lachlan F
- **Excellence** - Flynn S, Elliot K, Ezra H, Pierre M, Max F, Livanshi S, Riley S, Isaiah C, Cameron H, Gemma D & Danika W
- **Collaboration** - Solomon V.G, Romy G.W, Maxim O & Daniel K
- **All 5 Values** - Emma S, Charlotte M, Sean L, Evie M, Elsie O & Felicity Y

CLASSROOM NEWS

3-4 GRAHAM-SMITH

3-4 Graham-Smith have been completing field observations of certain flora and fauna around our school. Please see the image below for more information.



3-4 MCNAMARA/WOOD

3-4 McNamara-Wood have recently been to I.M.A.S. Please see the image below for more information.



NATIONAL HEALTH AND PE DAY

Tomorrow, September 12 is National Health and PE Day.

Students are encouraged to Stride, Ride, Scoot or Walk to school as part of our Move Well Eat Well policy.



WRITERS CORNER



Writer's Corner

This week's feature writer is Nicholas from Year 2. He loves writing because it is fun and interesting, and you can use anything in your imagination! He loves to write stories about animals, especially snow leopards because they are his favourite animal. He often uses a snow leopard character in his stories!

Nicholas reads a lot of adventure stories, because he thinks it is really interesting to see what the adventure is about and how the adventure ends! He is currently working on a story about a sugar glider and is most proud of his ending, which goes like this:

...I glided as fast as I could. The meeting was about what to eat next. The decision was made - we were going to eat orange bellied parrots...

Nicholas, 2019

Keep an eye out for his finished story, his class are making an illustrated book of all their sugar glider stories. Here is a photo of his first draft.

LAUNCHING INTO LEARNING (LiL)

Launching into Learning runs in the Kinder room, every Thursday from 9.15am with Mrs Sarah Wilson.



Launching into Learning

This Term we have explored music and nursery rhymes. During our sessions we have played with puppets, listened to stories, participated in musical and movement experiences and made some new friends. Our LIL sessions will change next term as we start our Pre-Kindergarten sessions for those commencing school in 2020. We are offering three afternoons with a focus on the creative arts. Please see the attachment below.

Please see below our Term 3 calendar.





**TARLOONA
PRIMARY SCHOOL**
LAUNCHING INTO LEARNING
(Years 4 years)



Come along to LIL every Thursday at 9:15 - 11am to have fun learning through play! Please bring along a piece of fruit to share at morning tea and have fun with your child.

Term 3 calendar 2019

During this term we will be exploring Music and Nursery Rhymes. There will be a variety of experts visiting us to support our learning.

Thursday 29th July	Tarloona Primary School Hall - move to music!
Thursday 1st August	Kinder Wilson classroom - Frances Thorpe music
Thursday 8th August	Kinder Wilson classroom - Frances Thorpe music
Thursday 15th August	Kinder Wilson classroom - nursery rhymes and a visit to the school library
Thursday 22nd August	Yoga and music with Rebecca Chabot in the Kinder classroom
Thursday 29th August	Kinder Wilson classroom - dress up as a book or nursery rhyme character
Thursday 5th Sept	Kinder Wilson classroom - puppet time
Thursday 12th Sept	Earth session (Toddler Tunes) with Ian Williams in the Kinder classroom
Thursday 19th Sept	Kinder Wilson classroom - musical instruments and a visit to the school library
Thursday 26th Sept	Nalgrove Park Sandy Bay - early morning BBQ & play

Term 4 resumes on Thursday 17th October in the form of Pre-Kindergarten. Please see the School Office if you require a Kindergarten enrolment form.

Please be aware that activities are subject to change, please see our school newsletter, Tarloona Primary Facebook page or phone our office staff on 6227 8825 for updated times and information.

Please see below a calendar for the Term 4 Super LiL Sessions.



Come along to our Super LIL Sessions during Term 4 at 12pm-1.30pm to have fun learning through play! Please bring along a piece of fruit to share as a snack.

Term 4 Super LIL Sessions 2019

Term 4 sees the start of our Pre-Kinder sessions at the usual LIL time. After parent consultation we are able to offer three Super LIL Sessions for our 3-4 year old students. We see it as an important way to support the community and maintain exciting and new relationships between home and school. All three sessions will be run in our Kindergarten room with Mrs. Sarah Wilson and Alice Moore at 12pm-1.30pm. Please note the change of time.

Thursday 31st October: Week 5	Arts Rotations
Thursday 14th November: Week 5	Art inside and outside the classroom
Thursday 29th November: Week 7	Christmas gift making

Come and spend an afternoon with your children sharing in the creative arts. There will be tea, coffee, cookies and plenty of opportunity to talk to other parents in our friendly Kindergarten space.

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TPSA NEWS

[TPSA Minutes Meeting 11th June 2019 Final](#)

[TPSA Minutes 2nd July 2019 Final](#)

Seaside Festival

Please click on the image below for more information about the Taroona Seaside Festival.

Taroonas SEASIDE FESTIVAL

KNITTING & SEWING STALL



Dear parents, grandparents, carers and friends,
 We would like donations of homemade knitting, crocheting and crafts for our Knitlers stall at the seaside festival. You give for your stash of yarn and fabric, and we make those scraps and full rods and make something beautiful or functional.
 New and second-hand knitted and sewn items welcome.
 We will have a yarn and fabric swap next month where patterns and some yarn will be available. Other places to find patterns and inspiration are www.crafty.com.au or www.plains.com.au
 Donations can be dropped to Bridge at 1 Barlings Rd Taroonas
 Queries and expressions of interest to Bridge Crew, email bridgecrew@gmail.com, or
 Tel: Helen - jenalibhama@yahoo.com.au

- Items
- Shawls
- Books
- Craps
- Blankets
- Gloves
- Shops
- Hats
- Knitlers
- Stuffed toys
- Scarves
- Clothes covers
- Jumpers
- Knitted covers
- Knit covers
- Tea sets of tea.
- With donations, if possible, please describe.
- Yarn types e.g. wool, acrylic, cotton
- Knitting instructions
- Stitch

Taroonas SEASIDE FESTIVAL

30 NOVEMBER 2011 10AM - 3PM

THE BOOK STALL IS BACK!

We would be grateful for donations of good quality books for all ages. **Novels, childrens stories, non-fiction interest (including cooking, gardening etc).**

KIDS BOOKS AND NOVELS ARE PARTICULARLY POPULAR!

Please drop off donations at the uniform shop of school on Wednesdays between 2.45-3.15pm or Friday mornings before 9am. If you can't drop off books at these times please contact:
 Yvonne - 041254826 / yvonne@gmail.com or
 Jess - 0417500571 / jeagra72@gmail.com

Sorry, we can't accept magazines, part-used activity books, encyclopedias or books that would not be appropriate for a primary school fair.

Please let us know if you could help on the day - 30 minutes to 1 hour would be great!

Please click on the image below for more detailed information about the Seaside Festival and the Pre-Loved Clothing Stall!

Taroonas SEASIDE FESTIVAL

THE CALENDAR IS OUT... IT'S TIME TO GO!

PRE-LOVED CLOTHING STALL (OPENS)

If you have to drop or pick, an announcement and available for purchase for a day mainly through my not home if this year's Seaside Festival happens then my good friends welcome. Looking a great way to add to the donations with a touch of fun.
 This year we'll have a stall on my not home. We'll be selling all the things in the stall that we have at home. It's a great way to get rid of things you don't need or use anymore. We'll be selling all the things you don't need or use anymore. We'll be selling all the things you don't need or use anymore.
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PRE-LOVED CLOTHING STALL (OPENS)
 If you could gather all your second-hand, good-quality clothing and donate it to the stall, we would be very grateful. We'll be selling all the things you don't need or use anymore. We'll be selling all the things you don't need or use anymore.
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ATTENTION AN EXCELLENT FOOD STALL!
 Be there at the Seaside Festival when they are open! We'll be selling all the things you don't need or use anymore. We'll be selling all the things you don't need or use anymore.
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UNIFORM SHOP NEWS



Keep Cups

TPSA are selling Keep Cups for \$5. These are available for order via Qkr (under Uniform Shop - Accessories), at the Uniform Shop or from the office.

Red polo shirts

A supply of second hand red polo tops have been found and are being sold for \$5. Ideal as a Waratah top, or just for wearing at home. These are available for order via Qkr (under Uniform Shop - Accessories)

Sale items

Check out all our sale items on Qkr! We have:

- Cargo shorts
- Trackpants
- Windcheaters
- Skorts

Plastic bags

If you have any spare clean plastic bags, please drop them at the office. The reusable supermarket type are the ideal size.

Price lists and order form

Click ["here"](#) for the range of uniform items.

Click ["here"](#) for a price list. However, to save us and our office staff time, we do prefer orders to be via Qkr.

Opening hours:

Wednesday - 2.45pm-3.15pm

Help needed

The Uniform Shop is managed and staffed by volunteers. Please contact Katie on katieferguson@netspace.net.au if you would like to contribute to the school by volunteering at the Uniform Shop.

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Student Absences

A reminder to parents/carers to advise the school office if their child is unable to attend school due to illness or any other reason.

- By phone (6227 8325)
- Email taroonap.primary@education.tas.gov.au

A medical certificate is required if a child is absent due to illness for 5 days or more.

I NEED TO STAY HOME IF...							
I HAVE A FEVER	I HAVE DIARRHOEA	I AM SICKENED	I HAVE A RASH	UNUSUAL HEADACHE	I HAVE AN EYE INFECTION	I HAVE A COLD	I HAVE BEEN IN THE HOSPITAL
Temperature of 38.0 or higher	Within the past 24 hours	Within the past 24 hours	Develops with itching or hives	At the forehead, in the head	Redness, itching and/or 'crusty' discharge from eye	Symptoms like sneezing, cough, runny nose	Went to day unit or ER unit
I AM READY TO COME BACK TO SCHOOL WHEN I AM...							
Cover heat for 24 hours without the use of fever reducing medication	Free from diarrhoea for at least 24-48 hours	Free from vomiting for at least 24 hours	Free from rash/itching or hives or sores with face unabsorbed	Treated with appropriate Rx treatment at home	Child's eyes have treated by my doctor and infection clear	Until I am well again	Released by my medical provider to return to school

Signing Students in/out

To ensure we have an accurate record of student attendance in case of an emergency, we ask that any student arriving at school later than 9:00am or leaving for any reason during the school day be signed in or out at the school office.

Message to Students

If you need to get a message to your child, please contact the school before 2:15pm to ensure enough time for us to pass the message on.

Duty of Care

Please note that students are not to arrive before 8:30am. This is for the students' protection and safety as there are no teachers on duty prior to 8:30am and classrooms remain locked until this time. Supervision is provided before and after school:

- Playground (EXCLUDING PLAY WEST, BLUE COURTS & OVAL) 8:30 to 8:55am
- Car park & bus area 2:50 to 3:05pm

School Volunteers - Working with Vulnerable People (WWVP)

All volunteers and helpers working within our school are reminded that they **must have a current WWVP card**.

To register go to the Department of Justice website and follow the instructions. Remember to select DoE and Tarooma Primary School.

You will need to sign in at the office and show your card when helping at school or joining a school excursion.

The registration approval process can take several weeks, so new parents to the school, are encouraged to start their application as soon as possible. If you have a card please check that it is still current. Registration requires renewal every 3 years.

LADY GOWRIE



Lady Gowrie Tarooma Before and After School Care operates from the hall each

school day from 7:00-8:30 am (Before School Care) and 3:00-6:00 pm (After School Care), catering for children aged 4-12 years. We offer a safe and stimulating environment based on the children's interests incorporating both indoor and outdoor play. We employ trained Educators and provide a nutritious breakfast and afternoon tea each day. Please contact the Lady Gowrie Outside School Hours Care Office on 6230 6806 or email us at oshc@gowrie-tas.com.au for more information.

Please click [here](#) for Lady Gowries Tarooma Vacation Care Program.



To ensure the safety of our school property, please ring Crime Stoppers if you see anyone acting suspiciously in our school grounds.

MOVE WELL EAT WELL

