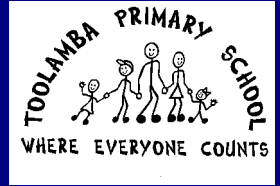


Toolamba PS

“Striving for Excellence”

Values: Respect, Trustworthy and Inclusive



PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Dear Parents,

GREATER SHEPPARTON COLLEGE (INTERIM NAME)

BUS TRAVEL APPLICATION FORMS

A reminder to all parents and carers regarding completion of bus travel application forms for students at Greater Shepparton College (interim name) next year.

If you are planning to utilise student bus travel next year, a bus travel application form for your child/ren must be fully completed, and returned to either your current secondary school (or to McGuire campus if your child is commencing in Year 7 next year). If a completed bus travel application form is not received for your child prior to the end of Term 3, we will assume that you do not require bus travel for your child next year.

If your child has been a regular student bus traveller in the past or currently, you still need to complete the form so that we have up to date information about all student bus travellers for 2020 please.

Information about bus travel, including worked examples of completed forms, is available from the Greater Shepparton College (interim name) school website:

<https://www.greatersheppartoncollege.vic.edu.au/college-life/transport>

Information regarding student bus allocations for 2020 will be made available during Term 4, 2019.

NARRATIVE WRITING

Foundation students have been focusing on writing narrative texts. Stellaluna was their mentor text; Jed very proudly shared his story with me.



FINAL ASSEMBLY

Assembly will commence at 1.30 tomorrow in the amphitheatre.

THANK YOU

Katerina Christopher has done a wonderful job filling in for Patrice whilst she has been on long service leave. We have been very fortunate to have such a dedicated replacement.

LONG SERVICE LEAVE

I will be having the first two weeks of term 4 off. Craig will be replacing me and Jayne Lloyd will be in his classroom.

WHOLE SCHOOL EXCURSION

Friday the 8th of November is our whole school excursion to Melbourne. Students will have a tour of the MCG and a guided tour of the Melbourne Aquarium. Parents and guardians are very welcome to attend however; you are required to have a current Working with Children Check. We require a copy of these checks to be kept on file at the office. Once we have numbers confirmed we will advise you of the costing.

HUT BUILDING

Once again, students have been very creative down in the frog bog. The area is a hive of activity.







PROFESSIONAL LEARNING

Last night several staff members attended a lecture given by Professor John Hattie. His work is internationally acclaimed. His influential 2008 book *Visible Learning: A synthesis of over 800 meta-analyses* relating to achievement, is believed to be the world's largest evidence-based study into the factors that improve student learning.

Have a lovely holiday with your family.

Regards Heather

REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Last week on Sunday, we had a gymnastics competition at Flyaway Gymnastics, Albury-Wodonga. We got four first place ribbons for our team, Jets Shepparton Red. They were for Floor, Beam, Bars and Vault. We also got a medal for coming first place overall and a banner for our team. We will have four first place banners in our gym, one-second place banner and one-third place banner.

Written by Teagan Roberts & Belinda Valentin.



WHOLE SCHOOL EXCURSION

When: Friday 8th November

Where: M.C.G. And Aquarium

Time Leaving School: 6.45am

Arrives Back At School: 6.00pm

Cost to be advised.

Note: Parents attending must have a Working With Children Check and a copy registered with the school.

UNIFORM VOUCHER PROCESS – CURRENT YEAR 6 STUDENTS

Please read on for important information about the \$200 uniform vouchers for 2020 Greater Shepparton College (interim name) students, specifically for current Year 6 students.

If you currently have a child in Year 6 who will be enrolled in Year 7 at Greater Shepparton College (interim name) next year your child will receive a form and an information sheet about the uniform voucher process early in Term 4, 2019.

Parents/carers are asked to please fill in the form indicating your choice of uniform retailer for each child (the uniform retailer options will be on the form, sign and return to McGuire College.

Completed and signed forms for current Year 6 students need to be returned to McGuire College by **Thursday 17 October 2019**.

Following receipt of the form, a voucher will be prepared for each child to the value of \$200 in the name of the requested uniform retailer, and distributed to students.

The voucher can then be redeemed from the nominated uniform retail shop.

Please ensure that you complete a form for your current Year 6 students if they will be attending the new school next year, so that your child can be included in the \$200 uniform voucher process.

If we do not receive a completed and signed form, we will not be able to factor your child's needs in or issue you with the uniform voucher.

3 / 4 CAMP CURRUMBENE

Dates: 4.12.19-6.12.19

Cost: \$220: **Full payment prior to camp**

PRE LOVED UNIFORMS

We have preloved uniforms in various sizes. They sell for \$2.00 each. Come in and browse

NEWSLETTER EMAILED

If you would like to receive the weekly newsletter by email, as well as a hard copy, please email the school with your request. toolamba.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au

TOOLAMBA AFTER SCHOOL CARE:

Mobile No. 0457847970

Out of School Hours Care is available at Toolamba Primary School; after school Monday to Friday from 3.15pm to 6pm during school terms. The price is \$16.00 per student, per session. Bookings can be made by ringing the After Hours Care number which is **0457 847 970**. Please ring this number rather than book through the office.

Enrolment Forms are available from Fiona or the office. To make a booking for Mon, Tue, Wed or Thurs you need to ring before **12pm on that day**. Bookings for Friday need to be made before **5.30pm on Thursday**.

If you have booked your child/children into care and wish to cancel it, to avoid being charged for the session, one weeks' notice is required by phoning Fiona or leaving a message. **If the cancellation is made after this time, you will be charged regardless of whether you use the service or not.**

Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

TOOLAMBA BEFORE SCHOOL CARE:

Mobile No. 0448585568

Enrolments are now being taken. Please contact Chanida Starkey to make a booking. The service will run 5 days per week, between 7.45am-9.00am.

The cost is \$16.00 per Student, per session.

Forms are available at the office.

OCCASIONAL CARE

Occasional Care is available at Toolamba Kinder on **Tuesdays and Fridays from 9am-3pm**. If you would like to book a place for your child, please call the Kinder on 5826 5320.

COMMUNITY NEWS

ACTIVITIES IN THE PARK

Circus Skills

Colaura Gardens, Toolamba

Wednesday 2/10/2019

10.00am-11.30am

Pedal Carts

Toolamba Recreation Reserve

Sunday 13/10 /2019

10.00am-11.30am

Story Time In The Park

Colaura Gardens, Toolamba

Thursday 30/02 /2020

10.00 am- 11.30am

TOOLAMBA JUNIOR SOCCER BREAK-UP

Many thanks to all the coaches, team managers, parents and players for making 2019 a great season. Our presentation day will be held on Friday 11th October, at Colaura Gardens, commencing at 3.45pm. Please make sure you bring any team shirts you have back at this time.

Thanks Katie.

TOOLAMBA TENNIS CLUB NEWS

ANZ HOT SHOTS COMMUNITY PLAY

ANZ Tennis Hot Shots Community Play is a program designed to be delivered by club volunteers. It aims to give an excellent first tennis experience in a fun, friendly and welcoming environment, for young players. Parent's participation will be required.

When : Friday afternoons 4pm-5pm

Dates : Friday 18 October – 22 November (5 weeks)

- Please note there will be no Hot Shots on Friday 1 Nov (Melbourne Cup Weekend)

Cost : \$30 per child – pay direct to Mel or club bank details can be provided.

Register : <https://hotshots.tennis.com.au/register/>

(Please use the 'Venue Name' search engine and select Toolamba TC)

Contact: Mel Calleja on 0488 004 004

LADIES SOCIAL TWILIGHT TENNIS

Join us for a hit and giggle in a relaxed and friendly environment. All abilities welcome.

When : Tuesday nights, 6.30pm

Starts : 15 October 2019

Cost : \$60 per person (2019/20)

Contact: Mel Calleja on 0488 004 004

MENS SOCIAL TWILIGHT TENNIS

When : Wednesday nights, 6.30pm

Starts : 11 October, 2019

Cost : \$60 per person (2019/20)

Contact: Rod Luscombe on 0402 209 777

TENNIS COACHING WITH BRUCE FERGUSON

Term 4- Small group coaching at the Toolamba Courts *before* school on a Tuesday morning.

Lessons span 10 weeks, at a cost of \$90 per child. Children grouped on age and ability (preferably Grade 2 and above). Please contact Kristy Thomas ASAP on 0439353316 if your child is interested or you would like more information.

JUNIOR TENNIS COACHING WITH MARK MILLS

When : Tuesday nights

Where : Toolamba Tennis Club, Wren St

Contact: Mark Mills on 0429 307 373

2019 TOOLAMBA FIRE BRIGADE BALL - GOES COUNTRY

SATURDAY the 9th November 2019

Doors will open at 6pm.


Live Band: Boots N All

Catering: Barca Love
 Tickets will be \$60 each
 Great food, Great Band, Great Night!!!
 Drinks at bar prices. Dress: Boots & Suits- Semi formal.
 The bus will run from Murchison, Toolamba and surrounds- Gold coin.
 Tickets are only secured once payment is received – no tickets will be held.
 Ring Rebecca 0409 359 914 or Leeane 0419 578 271 for tickets and bank details.
 We can't wait!! Hope to see you there!!



Lions Club of Toolamba

**Afternoon Tea Delights
 Seniors Week.**
 We invite you to bring along friends to enjoy an afternoon of fun, friendship and delicious high tea.
 When: Friday 11th October 2019
 Time: 1:30pm-3:00pm
 Where: Toolamba Community Hall
 Cost: \$5 per person (includes lucky ticket)
 Bookings essential 0439 907 157
 by Monday 7th October

TOOLAMBA LION'S CLUB Inc.
 Meets 1st Tuesday of each month.
 For more information, contact:
 Heather Mulcahy 0447 332 833
 Amanda Sibio 0447 405 335
 Keira Birchmore 0417 252 874



ENVISION PROJECT

Exciting news! Toolamba Lions have gotten on board with the Envision Project collecting bottle tops for Helping hands.
 YouTube video <https://youtu.be/NP0VcknTjJg> tells all you need to know.
 Such an amazing project that not only helps create hands but is doing great things for our environment

too. At this stage there are collection buckets at Toolamba General Store and Toolamba Primary School. We need bottle tops and caps with the number 2 or 4 displayed. Start collecting and do your bit for the environment too.

For more information please contact Jody Merritt 0428998848

WEEKLY CANTEEN ORDER - DAWN'S SHOP

Lunch Orders are on Wednesday. Dawn and Clifton currently provide a lunch service for the school on a Wednesday. Orders are to be written on the front of a brown paper bag and returned to school by the Monday of each week. Please ensure you have the correct money. If for some reason, you have placed an order and your child is not attending school on that day please ring Dawn's (58265331) and cancel the order.

TOOLAMBA PRIMARY SCHOOL LUNCH ORDER MENU

MEAT PIE / EGG & BACON PIE	\$5.00
CHICKEN SUPREME PIE	\$5.50
SAUSAGE ROLL	\$4.00
PARTY PIE	\$2.00
CHEESE & BACON ROLL	\$2.50

**(TOMATO / BBQ / SWEET CHILLI - SAUCE SACHETS
 .20c)**

LUNCH ORDERS AVAILABLE WEDNESDAYS

**ALL ORDERS TO BE HANDED TO TEACHER BY THE END OF MONDAY*

ADVERTISING



Fleur Ferguson
PHOTOGRAPHY

Family Portraits - Newborn Babies - Debutante - Weddings

 www.fleurfergusonphotography.com
 Toolamba - M:0427266291 



Watches & Diamonds

Manufacturing Jeweller and Watchmaker.

All work done on the premises.

150 Hogan street Tatura, Victoria 3616

(03)5824 1100

GUITAR AND KEYBOARD LESSONS

Cliff Doornkamp conducts 20-minute lessons for both guitar and keyboard every Tuesday. The cost is \$18.00 per lesson (payable at time of lesson).

For more information, please contact Cliff Doornkamp on 0474 769 963.



Bovine Inseminations

HERD IMPROVEMENT SERVICES

1740 Finlay Road, Tongala, 3621

Phone (03) 5859 0763

FAX: (03) 5859 0219

AUSTRALIAN SCHOOL OF TAE KWON DO

Learn fitness, confidence, discipline and self-defence!

First session free.

Monday and Wednesday 7pm to 8pm

In the Toolamba Hall (next to the school)

All ages are welcome!

Contact: Stephen – 0428 021 169

LIBRARY VAN. Parks out in front of the school.

Mondays 3.00pm-4.15pm

September		30
October	14	28
November	11	25

CALENDAR

Fri 20th Sept

Last Day Term 3

Assembly 1.30pm

School Finishes 2.00pm

Mon 7th Oct

First Day Term 4

Mon 7th Oct}

Swimming Program

Fri 11th Oct}

Tues 15th Oct

Book Character Dress Up Day

Wed 16th Oct}

Book Fair

Wed 23rd Oct}

Mon 28th Oct

Finance Committee. 6.00pm

School Council Meeting

6.00pm

Mon 4th Nov

Curriculum Day

Fri 8th Nov

Whole School Excursion

Mon 28th Nov

School Council Meeting

6.00pm

Final Meeting

Wed 4th Dec}

Grade 3 / 4 Camp Currumbene

Fri 6th Dec }

NOTE CHANGE OF DATE

Thurs 19th Dec

Grade 6 Graduation

Fri 20th Dec

Last Day 2019

Assembly 1.00pm

School Finishes 2.00pm

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