

Toolamba PS

“Striving for Excellence”

Values: Respect, Trustworthy and Inclusive



PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

PARENTS & FRIENDS MEETING

Our next P&F meeting is Monday morning straight after assembly, in the multi-purpose room. Morning Tea will be provided. Everyone is very welcome to attend. Items to be discussed will be the Cookie Dough Fundraiser, the Concert and the Fathers' Day Stall.

FATHERS' DAY BREAKFAST

JSC are organising a Fathers' Day Breakfast on Friday 30th July at 7.30am. Dads, please keep this date free. Invitations will be set home next week.

OUR CREATIVE STUDENTS

If parents ever have the opportunity, I encourage you to take a walk down to the Frog Bog and look at the creative hut building that has taken place. It is a wonderful little community, children have the opportunity to construct, negotiate and create.





PARENT SURVEYS

The Annual Parent Opinion Survey facilitated by the Department opens this week. If you are randomly selected to participate in this, you will receive notification from the school. The survey is based on your eldest child. The school uses the data received each year to reflect and refine its processes and practices to ensure we are delivering the best possible opportunities for our students. Information has been sent home today with those families. We would appreciate it if you could please go online and complete the survey. The survey closes on August 3rd.



CONCERT PREPARATION

Across the school, grades are busy rehearsing for our annual concert. Mrs Kimmorley has been busy preparing the class acts whilst the teachers are working with their multi-age groups. Please mark Thursday 22nd of August on your calendars, as you do not want to miss out!

Enjoy your weekend.

Regards Heather

CHILD SAFE STANDARDS

The Child Safe Standards are compulsory minimum standards for all Victorian early childhood services and schools, to ensure they are well prepared to protect children from abuse and neglect. The standards provide a framework for schools to review existing policies and practices and all other aspects of child safety, to ensure a 'zero tolerance' approach to any form of child abuse. You can access our policy on the school's website.

RESPONSIBLE PET OWNERSHIP

6th August 2019

The Responsible Pet education Program is coming to visit you at your school!

My pet dog will be coming to help teach you how to be safe around dogs and how to say hello to dogs with their owners!



There will be lots of listening, role-plays, singing and some dancing.

My dog may even meet you during the visit

TOOLAMBA SCHOOL CONCERT

Thursday **August 22nd, 2019**

Money for tickets can be sent along to school at any time. The cost for tickets is \$10.00 per person. Tickets are available at the office. Tickets which have been paid for will then be sent home attached to the newsletter over the next few weeks.

All tickets need to be purchased before the concert as tickets will not be available for purchase on the night of the concert.

The front row seats are reserved for wheelchair and disabled patrons who are able to receive a complimentary carer's ticket.

Seats will not be allocated and patrons are requested to move to the centre of the row and not leave single seats as the concert is often a sell-out.

Students required at Eastbank at 6.30pm

Doors open at 6.30pm. Concert starts 7.00pm sharp.

TOOLAMBA SCHOOL CONCERT TICKETS

(Please return slip to school along with money)

Eftpos available

Name:

Number of Tickets@ \$10.....

Disabled ticket

Wheelchair chair seat required:

Cost of total number of tickets: \$.....

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

ASSEMBLY AWARDS



JUNIOR SCHOOL COUNCIL AWARD: Evie Monks



STRIVING FOR EXCELLENCE AWARDS: William R, Shyarna T, Xavier L, River B, Cohen B, Jamaron A, Nic J-W, Violet W, Nyla A, Hamish G, Lara S, Oscar F



SEMESTER 1 ATTENDANCE AWARDS: Holly W, Serana E, Billy C, Emily Mc, Brayden W, Charlee C

NEW ZEALAND PLAYHOUSE

Once again, we were entertained with a wonderful performance from the travelling theatre New Zealand Playhouse. They presented a different take on the fable 'The Tortoise and the Hare.' We had a visit from the tortoise, the hare, the gingerbread man, the pied piper and Georgy Porgy. The students really enjoyed it. We look forward to another visit next year.



PARENTS AND FRIENDS



We are holding a Billy G's Gourmet Cookie Dough drive as a major fundraiser this term and we ask for your support. All the funds raised will go to our **school** towards literacy resources.

Billy G's is an Australian family owned and operated business. There are ten (10) delicious flavours including their **NEW Strawberry Cheesecake** and **NESTLE® SMARTIES® cookie dough**. There is even a cheese flavoured Doggie Dough for your special furry family members! The delicious cookie dough is only available through fundraising and is not sold in stores, so stock up!

FREE GINGERBREAD MAN COOKIE CUTTER WITH EVERY GINGERBREAD COOKIE DOUGH PURCHASED!

Please finalise all cookie dough orders either online or in cash on or before 2/8/19.

The current scheduled date for pick-up of your order is 23/8/19.

Order forms were sent home last week. Extra forms available at the office.

3 / 4 CAMP CURRUMBENE

Dates: 4.12.19-6.12.19

Cost: \$220

Payment Terms: 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

TOOLAMBA PRE-SCHOOL ENROLMENTS

Toolamba Pre-School is now taking enrolments for both Kindergarten and Fun group for 2020.

Enrolment forms are available from the Pre-School and close on July 31st 2019. If you know someone in our local community with a Pre-School aged child please let them know.

For further information please call the Pre-school on 0358 265320.

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

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

Tickets purchasing details will be available soon....

(Keep an eye on the Facebook Page.)

PSENIORS WEEK EVENT (Save the Date)

Lion's Club of Toolamba are holding an event during Senior's Week, Friday 11th October 2019

"Afternoon Tea Delight"

At Toolamba Community Centre.

Wren Street, Toolamba.

For more information: Helen 0439907157,

helendmorritt@gmail.com

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 environmental too.

For more information please contact Jody Merritt 0428998848



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

ADVERTISING



Watches & Diamonds

Manufacturing Jeweller and Watchmaker.

All work done on the premises.

150 Hogan street Tatura, Victoria 3616

(03)5824 1100



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



Fleur Ferguson

PHOTOGRAPHY

Family Portraits - Newborn Babies - Debutante - Weddings



www.fleurfergusonphotography.com
Toolamba - M:0427266291



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.

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
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LUNCH ORDERS AVAILABLE WEDNESDAYS

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

LIBRARY VAN

Parks out in front of the school.

Mondays 3.00pm-4.15pm

Aug	5	19	
September	2	16	30
October	14	28	
November	11	25	

CALENDAR

Fri 26 th July	Hot Dog Day
Mon 5 th Aug	Finance Committee/ Curriculum Committee 6.00pm School Council Meeting 6.30pm
Tues 6 th Aug	Responsible Pet Ownership
Fri 9 th Aug	Hot Dog Day
Tues 13 th Aug	Prop Making Working Bee

Tues 20 th Aug	School Concert Rehearsal
Thurs 22 nd Aug	School Concert
Fri 23 rd Aug	Hot Dog Day
Fri 30 th Aug	Father's Day Breakfast
Mon 9 th Sept	Finance Committee. 6.00pm School Council Meeting 6.30pm
Fri 6 th Sept	Hot Dog Day
Thurs 12 th Sept	Proposed Curriculum Day
Fri 20 th Sept	Last Day Term 3 Assembly 1.30pm School Finishes 2.00pm
Mon 7 th Oct	First Day Term 4
Mon 7 th Oct} Fri 11 th Oct}	Swimming Program
Mon 29 th Oct	Finance Committee. 6.00pm School Council Meeting 6.00pm
Mon 29 th Nov	School Council Meeting 6.00pm Final Meeting
Wed 4 th Dec} Fri 6 th Dec }	Grade 3 / 4 Camp Currumbene NOTE CHANGE OF DATE
Thurs 19 th Dec	Grade 6 Graduation
Fri 20 th Dec	Last Day 2019 Assembly 1.00pm School Finishes 2.00pm

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