



Tinternvale Primary School

Tintalk

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SAFETY AT TINTERNVALE

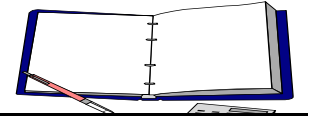
As I mentioned in last week's Tintalk, the safety and wellbeing of our students is of great importance to all of us. One of our safety procedures is the way we manage all visitors at the school, including parents and people from the community. It is our policy that **everyone** must sign in at the office and obtain a visitors' or helpers' badge before entering any other areas of the school. When signing in, it is expected that visitors also state the reason for their visit. There are **no** exceptions to this policy.

Unfortunately, some parents have recently been going directly to classrooms without signing in at the office or obtaining a badge. This is seriously compromising our safety procedures and makes it impossible for us to monitor who is coming in and out of the school. To protect the wellbeing of all of our students and staff, I would like to remind everyone that **all visitors** must report to the office.

It is also important to remember that school protocols should be observed if you wish to make interview times with teachers, as it is often inconvenient for a teacher to meet with you before or after school on a particular day without advance warning, due to other responsibilities. If you wish to make an appointment, the best way to do this, is to either write the teacher a note about negotiating a suitable time for both of you, or to contact the office and ask for the teacher to contact you. Whilst our teachers are very happy to make themselves available to discuss any queries or concerns you may have about your child, they are often unavailable before or after school due to other commitments.

MORE SAFETY CONCERNS

Please remember that children must wear a helmet if they ride bikes to or from school. Recently, some children have been noticed riding without helmets. If they continue to do so, they will not be permitted to bring their bikes to school. It may also be worthwhile ensuring that your child wears a helmet if they ride a scooter to school, as they are just as much at risk as bike riders. It is also important to regularly remind your children about safety when riding to school. Not only must they ride in a manner that supports their own safety, but it is also important for them to observe the safety of others around them.



DIARY DATES

2009

MARCH

Friday 27th
Level 4 Camp deposit due

Friday 27th
BOOMTEC – level 4
- 7:00pm – 10:00pm

Monday 30th
Fundraising Committee
- 7:30pm

Tuesday 31st
Education Committee
- 6:30pm

APRIL

Friday 3rd
Last Day of Term
Early Finish – 2:30pm

CANTEEN

Canteen is open,
Monday, Wednesday
and Friday



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Before and After School Care: 9738 1013

THANK YOU

Many thanks to all those parents who are supporting us to ensure that the unmade extension of Tintern Avenue is a safer area. As I mentioned last week, children are to be picked up and dropped off at the front of the school and they are not to climb over the fence into this area or walk to cars in that area. Due to the increased number of cars using this part of the road, it has become far too dangerous for children and the school does not permit them to enter this area. I am sure that you will understand how important it is to the school that the children are safe from potential dangers.

Lorraine Gamble

EMA

Education Maintenance Cheques have arrived, and need to be signed for at the office

HOP! HOP! HOP!

Easter is nearly here and so is our annual **Easter Raffle!** Tickets have been sent home, so buy one or buy all. First prize is a Cadbury Easter Hamper full of lots of yummy goodies, donated by our friends at Cadbury. A big thank you to them. There are also prizes for 2nd, 3rd and 4th. Tickets are 12 for \$10 or \$1 each, and money is due back no later than Wednesday 1st April. Raffle will be drawn on Thursday 2nd April, just in time for the holidays!! Good-luck.

Fundraising Committee

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

2B	Trinity
2C	Pierce
2C	Nikki
2C	Elyse
2D	Abbey
2E	Caleb
3A	Caity
3D	Luke
3E	Ashleigh
4B	Jacob
4C	Sinead

LEVEL 3 SPORTS AWARDS

Mark. R	Aleeshya. T
Izzy. H	Daniel. T
Jake. S	Julianne

POSITIVE PLAYGROUND BEHAVIOUR AWARDS

Aleeshya 3C
Isobel 2D

BOOMTEC

A reminder to all Grade 5 and 6 Students.....

Boomtec is on Friday 27th March.
Pre-purchase your tickets from the office to avoid the lines.

NOTE: If any parents could spare a few hours to help out at Boomtec, please let me know on 0425862869. (Remember – you do need to have a Working with Children Check).

**Thank you,
Kelsey Phelan**

OSHCLUB

Week starting 30th March

Indoor	Outdoor
Dough it yourself	Pass & Shoot
Day Day	Active After School Program
Plaster Moulds	Island Soccer
Painting Plaster Moulds	Relays
Last Day Play	Top Kids Playground

RESOURCE CENTRE NOTICE

Dear Parents,
The Croydon South and Tinternvale Catalogue data is being merged.
During this process no additional returns or borrows can be added to the system. The merge is done externally and will take approx 2 weeks. The children may hold the books they have or return them to the Resource Centre.

**T.Kirkup
Teacher – Library**

SECOND HAND UNIFORM SHOP

End of Term 1/2 PRICE SALE

Monday 30th March 9.15am - 9.45am
(After Assembly in G.P Room)

Sizes 4 - 18

Bomber Jackets, Rugby Tops, Winter Dresses,
Summer Dresses, Skirts, Shorts, Girls/Boys
Track Pants, Polo Tops, Tees, Shoes & Bags

****All 1/2 Marked Price****

INTERSCHOOL SPORTS

Congratulations to all of the Level 4 students who participated in the Summer Interschool Sports Competition. All children were model students and represented the school in a very professional manner. They also showed great sportsmanship, and they are improving their skills each week.

The program would not have been possible without the help of the following parent helpers: Vickie Butler, Michelle Currie, Julianne Blackberry, Colin and Lisa Reyment, Dianne Heeley, Cathy Glover, Hilary Hine, Anna Douglas, Louise Henry, Brett Graham, Kelsey Phelan, Tammie McMahon, Peter Materia and Sjoukje Vaartjes.

Our attention now goes to our Winter Sports Competition. The sports for next term will be netball, soccer, softball, football, volleystars and bat tennis.

Congratulations to all students on a great first term and we look forward to more fun in Term 2.

Kris Bardon
Sport Coordinator

SCHOLASTIC BOOK CLUB: EASTER CLEARANCE ISSUE

Scholastic has distributed an additional book club brochure in the lead up to Easter. All items in this issue are heavily discounted.

Due to the end of term fast approaching, all orders **must** be back at school by **Monday 30th March**. Late orders will **not** be accepted.

Delivery of orders will be early in Term 2.

COMMUNITY NEWS



LOST

VERY MUCH LOVED PET AND PART OF OUR FAMILY

MISSING FROM BERRY ROAD BAYSWATER NORTH

LAST SEEN FRIDAY 20TH MARCH
SHE IS MICROCHIPPED, DESEXED AND WEARING A PINK COLLAR

IF YOU HAVE SEEN OR FOUND "MIA"
PLEASE CALL FIONA: 0404 088 299



East Ringwood Auskick - Registration Day

This coming Sunday, 29th March
9am – Midday.

At the East Ringwood football club.
(Cnr. Dublin Rd and Mt. Dandenong Rd,
East Ringwood).

Really get into the footy this year! 9am-
10.30am, Saturday Mornings

More info - Adrian Fittolani - 0403 383 968 -
adfit11@gmail.com

MAROONDAH VACATION CARE PROGRAM

For information and application forms for the
Marroondah Vacation Care Program contact
the office.

Tarralla Kindergarten Open Day Saturday 2nd May 2009 10am – 12 noon

We invite you to come along to meet and talk with our dedicated, caring and highly qualified staff and also look at the wonderful learning environment which our children learn and play in.

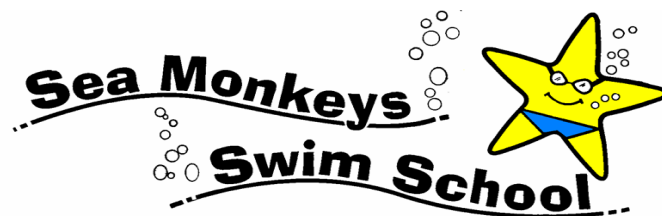
2010 Programs include:

- 3 year old Kindergarten program
- 4year old Kinder program
- Literacy Through Play

-Designed to meet the needs of children turning 4 by 31st August 2010-

Contact the Kinder or MIKA on 9720 5507 for an enrolment form.

Tarralla Kindergarten
38 Gracedale Ave
Ringwood East 3135
Ph: 9729 9731



10 Wilana St Ringwood

Specialising in swim lessons for
Toddlers, Pre-Schoolers and Primary School
children.

April School Holiday Swim Program
April 14 – 17

We are also taking bookings for regular weekly
classes in Term 2

For enquiries and bookings please call
Trevor on **9879 7760**.

Or go to www.seamonkeys.com.au