### Tinternvale Primary School Tintalk

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Principal's Comment

For more Tinternvale news don’t forget to check out the school Facebook page and our newly updated website at http://www.tinternvaleps.vic.edu.au/

Parent Forum
Thank you to the parents and students for their input at the forums held last Tuesday, as part of the Review process. As stated in earlier editions of Tintalk, the information given by both groups will be used by the Reviewer to inform the future goals of the school.

ICAS English & Maths
Certificates will be distributed on Friday 21st October at Assembly.

Working Bee
At last Monday’s Buildings & Grounds meeting it was decided to have a Working Bee in Term 4. A date has been published elsewhere for this event, but please note that the actual Working Bee and the proposed date have not yet been approved by School Council. Please keep an eye on Tintalk, the website and the school Facebook page for a confirmed date.

Fundraising
There are still some families who have not paid for their chocolates. It is embarrassing to have to contact families personally, but this is what I’ll be doing if payment is not received by the Office by Friday 21st October. Almost all of our profit from this activity is still outstanding.

1/2 Sleepover
It was so fantastic to be a part of the 1/2 sleepover. Parents bravely left their children with us for the night, allowing them to participate in their first school camping experience. As always the behaviour of the students was outstanding. Thank you to the staff who stayed behind to cook dinner and manage the kitchen and to the staff who stayed the night. Thanks also to the breakfast crew who came along on the Saturday morning. A fantastic school effort!

Classes for 2017
The time for planning for 2017 is rapidly approaching. Sometimes parents have concerns for their child’s class placement and wish to make a special request. If anyone wishes to do this they must put their request in writing, addressed to the Principal. A verbal request will not be accepted. Reasons must be based around the child’s educational needs. Parents may not simply request a specific teacher or student to be with their child. All requests must be received by Friday 28th October. Sometimes over the years information can become lost with changes of staff, etc. If you have made a request in the past, it is wise to keep making that same request for each year that it is needed. In this way you can be reassured that your child is being considered in the best possible way.

If any families are moving away and will not be with us for 2017, please let us know as soon as possible. In this way our planning can consider everyone.

Enrolments for 2017
If you have a child who is coming to school next year, please come into the Office and collect an enrolment form. If you can’t get into the Office, please call and our lovely office girls will mail one to you or you can download a form from the school website. Also, if you know you will be leaving the school at the end of this year (we don’t want you to) please let us know. This does not apply to departing Year 6 students.

Kerrie
14th September 2016

PrepA  Jayden K
PrepB  Oliver B
PrepC  Ella S
       Joel M
1/2A   Daniel F
1/2B   Emily C
1/2C   Chance O
1/2D   Chesney G
3/4A
3/4B   Jacqueline O
3/4C   Emily W
5/6A   Stephanie P
5/6B   Sogol M
5/6C   Ella W
Japanese
       Kiralee B 5/6B
       Marten G Prep C
Phys Ed
       Ava O 1/2D
       Ava S 3/4A
Music
       Will J 1/2B
       Rachel J 3/4C
Art

Free Dress Day

Friday 21st October

GOLD COIN DONATION

As part of an initiative of the Bendigo Bank, who do great work in our local community, we will be participating in raising funds for two scalp cooling machines. These machines reduce hair loss for women undergoing chemotherapy for breast cancer.

The effects of breast cancer can be devastating and most of us know someone who has been affected, as the number of patients diagnosed continues to increase.

Whilst the initial diagnosis is hard to accept, many women have shared that one of the greatest challenges is the thought of losing their hair during treatment, as it takes away part of their identity.

Thankfully a new scalp cooling technology has provided some relief to this process, showing great signs of reducing hair loss when used during treatment and we want to ensure women have access to this service free of charge.
The day I fell in a book..

Imagine you are able to go on an adventure with your favourite character:
- Who would you go with?
- Where would you go?
- What would you do?
- What adventures would you have?
- What problem will you have to solve?
- How will it end?

Remember you need to introduce the characters and the setting in the introduction (orientation).
Then you need to go on an adventure, face a problem (complication) and solve it (the resolution).

- Remember to use punctuation.
- Use lots of wow words and interesting openers and connectives.
- Pay attention to your spelling and punctuation.
- Check and edit your work so that it is clear to the reader.

‘Big Write’ is on the way again. Next week each level will run a ‘Big Write’ day. The stimulus for this is above. The day before you child’s ‘Big Write’ day, the stimulus will come home in their bag so you can have a ‘Big Chat’. It is important for students to have the chat as close to the writing time as possible, this is why the stimulus comes home the night before. It is a lot to ask our little people to remember a conversation that happened days ago. Due to specialist commitments each level will choose the day that suits them so therefore, for a number of families the ‘Big Chat’ may happen over a few nights. We have been pleased with your support so far. Thank You 😊
Maths Challenge

Addition Cross

Arrange the numbers 2 to 10 in the cross below so that the horizontal and vertical totals are equal to 32.

Shirts n' Shorts

Shirts n’ Shorts are having a huge stocktake sale.
Tim bought three shirts and four pairs of shorts for $96.
Caitlin bought two shirts and two pairs of shorts for $54.
How much do shirts and shorts cost in the stocktake sale? Show how you reached your answer.

Answers for last week

P - 2

There are 4 equal groups of 5 stars.

3 - 6

Possibilities are:
a) ten 5-cent coins + one 10-cent coin + two 20-cent coins;
b) eight 5-cent coins + four 10-cent coins + one 20-cent coin;
c) six 5-cent coins + seven 10-cent coins.
Maroondah Festival 2016
The Junior and Senior Choirs and Percussion Group will be performing at Maroondah Festival this year on Sunday 6th November, on the Main Stage between 2:30-3:00pm. This will be a most enjoyable day with lots on offer to see and do for all the family. We would love to see as many students as possible on the day, participating in this performance opportunity. Students will need to return the permission slip they received to the school office prior to the event to participate on the day.

Simon Datson and Beth Stephen

Uniform for Sale - Ringwood Secondary College
1 x Boys Summer White Shirt, size 16 (s) $10 (orig $30)
1 x Unisex Grey Jumper, size 14 (xs) $20 (orig $91)
1 x Grey Long Pants, size 14 $10

All in good condition. Clothes will be at school if you need to try them on.
Please contact Lisa Swindells 0414 793 180

Don’t forget student banking every Tuesday. If you are not already joining in student banking, information is available from the Ringwood East Bendigo Bank.
TINTERNVALE ART SHOW 2016

An exhibition of student work from 2016

OPENING NIGHT
NOVEMBER 3RD
6:30 – 7:30PM
TO BE OFFICIALLY OPENED BY MP DEE RYALL

Raffle prizes, silent auctions, students work available for sale on the night

Term 4 is a Sun Smart Term!

Drink Bottles for Sale

All students must wear their hats at recess and lunchtime. Hats can be purchased through RHSports. There are also a limited number of hats available for purchase from the office.

We have drink bottles for sale in the office.
Small $5.00
Large $7.00
COMMUNITY NOTICES

- Maroondah Calisthenics Club FREE Classes in Term 4. For more information: info@maroondahcal.asn.au or call Kelly on 0433 038 770


- Anglicare Parenting Workshops. Thursday 20th October to 24th November 9:30-12noon. Phone Julia at Parentzone 9735 6190 or 0400 866 495

- East Ringwood Cricket Club are looking for more U10 players for Friday nights. Contact Josh on 0400 547 410

- Blackwood Park Netball Club are seeking players info@blackwoodparknetballclub.com

- Introduction to Game Making Workshop (9-12 year olds). $20 Bookings essential. 22 October www.maroondah.vic.gov.au

- Sacred Heart Parish & Primary School Fete. Saturday 12th November 10am-4pm

- Childrens Week Fun Day. Friday 28th October 10am-1pm. Town Park - Civic Square, Croydon

- Raising Kids Together - Early Intervention and School Inclusion Conference 12 November http://akfrost.wixsite.com/raisingkidstogether

OSHClub News
Before School / After School Care Program

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<td>Here we are marching through October. The children seem to have settled back into the program after their break. This week at OSH our theme is based around food and healthy eating. We have decided to also redecorate the kitchen, so please keep an eye on the kitchen area. The children are still coming up with lots of suggestions which we are incorporating into our planning. Our grade 5 boy is still running the airport area and brought in some equipment to share that he acquired from QANTAS. We have also discussed the idea of finding out the charity that QANTAS donate to and perhaps doing some fundraising to help out this charity as well. If anyone has any suggestions for our fundraising project please feel free to let us know.</td>
<td>OSHC program phone: 0413 242 876 Coordinator: Sue Naylor Assistants: Lael Stubbs OSHClub Head Office: 03 85649000 Accounts Manager: Ambika Sivan (can be contacted through the OSHClub Head office number.) All families must be enrolled to attend the program, remember this is Free!! Please create an account online at <a href="http://www.oshclub.com.au">www.oshclub.com.au</a> all bookings and cancellations can also be managed via your online account. For on the day bookings please contact the Coordinator direct at the program.</td>
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Please feel free to call in and have a look at our program. The best time to call in is before school if possible, but you are certainly welcome anytime.
Help protect yourself from Crime

Hello, this is your local Proactive Policing Unit based at Croydon Police Station.

We are police officers and perform the usual police work but in addition we look at Crime and Personal Safety from a different perspective. The majority of our work is engaging with the community.

Over the last 14 years it has been our pleasure and privilege to work with many individuals and agencies in Maroondah in developing programs and initiatives to help people in our community who may need it. It is very important to us that people feel safe and included.

We have learnt a lot as well. We understand that for a community to be healthy and cohesive we need to work together.

In fact, we need your help! We need every member of the community including community groups and organizations to help us to keep our community safe by helping yourselves and others in preventing crime.

You can do this in a few ways.

First of all be really mindful of crime prevention and we want you to have a look at our website Victoria Police - Delivering a Safer Victoria and go to the “crime prevention and community safety” tab on the left hand side. You will find some fantastic crime prevention fact sheets on protecting your self and your property.

You all know about Crime Stoppers and if you need a refresher on reporting crime or suspicious activity then go to the website on Crime Stoppers Victoria - Help us keep Victoria safe. This is another excellent website that you can use in keeping our communities safe.

Of course you have your local Police Stations.

In Maroondah you have:

Ringwood 9871 3000 on hyperlink Victoria Police - Ringwood at 31 Ringwood Street Ringwood and

Croydon 9724 0100 on hyperlink Victoria Police - Croydon at 171-175 Mt Dandenong Road Croydon

We have worked in this area for a long time and we can say that Maroondah is very fortunate to have the most professional and caring police members working with and for us.

We know police throughout the state of Victoria do a very challenging job.

Of course as always in case of emergency call 000.

Over the next few months your schools have allowed us to contribute to your newsletters with some proactive news, trends and initiatives.

Finally, thank you for allowing us some space and hopefully you will find our articles interesting.

Current Trends

Theft From Motor Vehicles is still ongoing.

Firstly please lock your vehicles up whether it’s at your home, driveway, work, shops or anywhere.

Leaving your vehicle unlocked can be an open invitation to thieves.

We want you to make sure you don’t leave any valuables in your car. We know that offenders will often walk around cars and look inside to see if anything is worth stealing. If they see wallets, purses, mobile phones, I Pads even loose change this can be a reason to break into your car.

Consider car alarms. Thieves don’t like them.
In particular if you are a tradesperson or know a tradesperson then be aware that tools are being stolen from “Tradies” vehicles. From tool boxes, Pods, Cabins anywhere tools can be on display or where offenders think they may be. That means from vehicles parked at homes as well as building sites.

Our advice is to make sure everything is locked up and if possible that the vehicles and tool boxes are fitted with security devices. These devices are readily available and there are many affordable options available.

There is a whole fact sheet dedicated to this on our web site so check it out.

Thanks again for allowing us to speak to you via your newsletter and we will follow up with some more information soon.

Stay safe and travel well.

Your Maroondah Proactive Policing Unit.