# Tinternvale Primary School Tintalk

## Term One 2016

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<td>Thursday 24th March</td>
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<td>House Cross Country (details to follow)</td>
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Principal's Comment

GOOD-BYE
Today we are saying good-bye to some very important members of our school community.
Kaitlyn Robertson
Kaitlyn has been a wonderful assistant in our after school care program. From next week she will no longer be working at Tinternvale Primary School. We wish Kaitlyn well at her new school and thank her for all her hard work.
Bianca Closter
Bianca is leaving today to have her second baby. We wish Bianca, Tony and Sienna all the best for the arrival of their new baby.
Ray
Ray has supervised the Longview Rd crossing for the past 6 years. He has formed many friendships over the years and is much loved by all in our school community. Those who use the crossing will miss his cheery good morning and goodbye every day. He was always very proud of the fact that he knew the name of every parent and child who used his crossing. Enjoy your retirement Ray.
Ange Costigan
After more than 40 years of dedicated service to the Department of Education Ange will be going off to enjoy the world beyond teaching. She will leave a huge hole in our school. She is loved by all the students who were privileged to have her as a teacher and also those who didn’t. In her later years in teaching when she moved into a leadership role as well as that of teacher, her calm and considered approach to issues and her warm and caring ways have been so appreciated as has her love of fun and laughter. You have well and truly earned the right to travel and take time for yourself. We are going to miss you very much – thank you.

SCHOOL HOURS
Next term we will be trialling a new timetable as follows:
9:00am – school starts
9:00 – 11:00am – Session 1
11:00 – 11:10am – students eat lunch
11:10 – 12:00 – long break
12:00 – 2:00pm – Session 2
2:00 – 2:05 – eat snack
2:05 – 2:30pm – short break
2:30 – 3:30pm – Session 3
3:30pm – school dismissed
Canteen will still operate for lunch orders on Tuesday and Friday.

The reason for this is that students are often very tired out in the yard from 2:00pm onwards, resulting in quite a large number of behaviour issues and first aid issues. In the warmer months, students will be outside for the long break earlier in the day before it’s too hot. During the term we will monitor the issues to see if they reduce before making this change final. There will be no change to the amount of food required by students and most classes will still have a fruit break. Towards the end of the term I will ask for feedback from parents.

SCHOOL COUNCIL WRAP
At last Monday’s School Council meeting the following office bearers were elected.
President – Paula Llewellyn
Vice-President – Jackie Kapoor
Treasurer – Susan Pettitt
Secretary – Linda Drew

There will be the opportunity for parents to join school council sub-committees and we welcome any parents who would like to be involved. Please look out for the next edition of Tintalk for time and dates of meetings.

NEW REWARDS PROGRAM
Mitre 10 in Bayswater is offering a rewards program for our school. Parents or extended families who shop there can mention the school’s name and 5% of the purchase will go onto the rewards card to be spent by the school.

Thank you to all parents who have been involved with the school over Term 1. We couldn’t run the programs we do without you.
Thank you to all staff for the outstanding job they continue to do. They have all well and truly earned a rest.
Have a safe and restful break and a very Happy Easter to all - Kerrie
OSHClub News
Before School / After School Care Program

Parent Information

OSHClu program phone: 0413 242 876
Coordinator: Sue Naylor
Assistant: Kaitlyn Robertson & Patrick Mastertoun & Bridgett Waack
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 www.oshclub.com.au all bookings and cancellations can also be managed via your online account. For the bookings please contact the Coordinator direct at the program.

Student of the Week!

18th March 2016

PrepA  Aiden W
PrepB  Oliver B
PrepC  Tyler C
1/2A  Sally P
1/2C  Madelyn McC
1/2D  Chesney G
3/4A  Daniel S
3/4B  Jenny P
3/4C  Keira S
5/6B  Monique E
5/6C  Ryan E
LOTE  Madeline R – Prep C
       Noah K – 3/4C
Phys Ed:  Jessica L – 5/6A
          Tyson E – Prep B
Musical  Daniel K – 1/2C
Maestros:  
Artist:  Trinity – 1/2C
          Luke – 5/6A

Ringwood East
Community Bank® Branch
62 Railway Avenue, Ringwood East
Phone 9870 3655

Don’t forget student banking every Tuesday. If you are already joining in student banking, information is available from the Ringwood East Bendigo Bank.
**Level 1/2 Inquiry**

Each term students in each class work on an inquiry unit based around a whole school ‘Big Idea’ The ‘Big Idea’ for Term One was ‘Identity’. Level 1/2 chose to base their inquiry around Australian identity. The inquiry commenced by looking at the text ‘Possum Magic’ and some of the foods that are considered to be traditionally Australian. Students celebrated this by inviting family and friends to share a Possum Magic picnic.

The inquiry then turned to the geographical layout of Australia. Students came dressed up in travelling clothes and shared with the class an experience they had of travelling in an activity named ‘Armchair Travel’. Student engagement was furthered by a Magic Suitcase that would appear in the class over a three week period, containing Australian animals that wrote to the students about their travels to different towns and landmarks around Australia. The Magic Suitcase animals decided they needed a break from travelling and settled in at the Healesville Sanctuary for a rest.

Continuing with the travelling theme, students then followed a family’s travels around Australia in the fictional text ‘Are We There Yet?’ This allowed students to become familiar with states, towns and landmarks around Australia. To celebrate this text, students participated in a camping day where they put up tents, set-up camp and had a campfire where they cooked damper, potatoes and roasted marshmallows on a stick.

Based around the students interests there was then a focus on researching a variety of Australian animals. This involved students learning how to research through a variety of mediums. Students also learnt about ways that their information could be presented.

Finally students worked on a Personal Inquiry. They wrote down an Australian animal or landmark that they had an interest in researching further and were placed into groups with students who had a similar interest. Students then drew on all the abilities that they had gained throughout the term and worked cooperatively to create a model and poster about their chosen topic. When each group had finished they presented their personal inquiries to the level. The abilities and knowledge that students had developed throughout the term were obvious to the teachers during the presentations. All were very proud of the fantastic outcomes that the Level 1/2 students had achieved during the term.

Well done Level 1/2!

**CHORI KINDER VISITS**

The Junior Choir did a sensational job performing at Tarralla Kindergarten and Goodstart Early Learning this week to finish off Term 1. There has been a buzz of excitement amongst students for weeks, knowing they would be visiting their old kindergartens where they would see younger siblings and old teachers. Thank you to Lynley Forrester, Sharyn Cambridge, Cheryl McDonald, Nicole Leahy-Donohue and Aileen McCullough for giving up their time to help supervise the walk to and from the kinders and for sharing the experience with the
The Tinternvale Art Room....

Print making with the Preps....

Last week the Prep students had their first attempt at painting in the Art room! They coloured a fish with crayons, taking their time to be as neat as they could. Then they wore their art smocks for the first time, which was very exciting. The Preps loved using celery sticks to print on the scale shapes which looked very effective. I look forward to introducing the Preps to other painting techniques this year!

Kelly 🌸
60KM WALK—The Weekend to End Women's Cancers

I would sincerely like to thank the Tinternvale school community for helping me raise money to be able to take part in this worthwhile walk against women’s cancers. During Term 1, I have been selling ice-creams twice a week and organised a hot dog day. These events raised a total of $800 towards my target of $2,000.

I would personally like to thank Teali Frankland, Lisa Baker, Nat Burgess, Kris DiGregorio, Robert DiGregorio and Janine Davidson for their help on Monday. The hot dog day ran very smoothly thanks to the efforts of these people.

Once again, I would like to say thank you to our wonderful parents, teachers and students.

If you would personally like to make a donation to my fundraising efforts you can obtain a form from the office or make donations online at www.endcancer.org.au

My participant number is: 130479-0

The walk takes place on the weekend of the 16th April 2016.

Thanks again.

Linda Drew

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Full Menu including Savoury & Sweet treats be it a snack with coffee or a full meal you are after. We cater for Gluten free, Vegetarian and Vegan.

PLUS after school treats including Milkshakes & Award winning

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**SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES**

Activities start at 11am each day only $5 per activity. Lunch option of Sandwich, Fruit, Muffin & Poptop for only $9. At end of each activity children can enjoy our Phunky Photobooth, dress up and have photo taken with what they have created and get to take their photo with them.

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<td>Tues 29</td>
<td>Balloon Making Art—Learn to create your own balloon animals</td>
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<td>Wed 30</td>
<td>Create your own Mask—anything you want...maybe a superhero or a butterfly</td>
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<td>Thurs 31</td>
<td>Wooden Trains &amp; Dinosaurs to Paint &amp; Decorate—Then take it home to play with</td>
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<td>Fri 1</td>
<td>Cupcake &amp; Cookie Decorating...then you get to enjoy your creation...Yum yum</td>
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<td>Mon 4</td>
<td>Make your own flower or tree or insect and plant in our virtual garden</td>
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<td>Tues 5</td>
<td>Stuff your own bear and have a photo with your bear in our phunky photobooth</td>
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<td>Wed 6</td>
<td>LEGO—Build Your own construction which you get to keep</td>
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<td>Thurs 7</td>
<td>Cupcake &amp; Cookie Decorating...then you get to enjoy your creation...Yum yum</td>
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<td>Fri 8</td>
<td>Mad Hatters Tea Party! Dress as your favourite character, enjoy a tea party, then dance your feet off at our disco</td>
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Please phone to make booking 9723 1584
Maths Challenge

Last Week’s Answers

Prep—2

1. 2, 5
2. 3, 4
3. 2, 8
4. 3, 7
5. 1, 9
6. 2, 7
7. 4, 5
8. 1, 8
9. 3, 4
10. 2, 5
11. 1, 7
12. 3, 5
13. 5, 6
14. 4, 8
15. 2, 10

3—6

B = 5
C = 6
A = 6
M = 2
N = 3

VIVA LA DANCE

KIDS DANCE CLASSES

Wednesdays 4 - 6pm
Saturdays 1 - 3pm

Latin and Ballroom Classes for Boys & Girls ages 6 - 13yrs

Classes incorporate
Ballroom and Latin dancing.
Performance choreography and dance games.

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10 session pass also available!

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Studio 125 Main Street Croydon

Please contact Tina for more details on
9725 7755 or 0421 670 588

www.vivaladance.com.au
Fun and The Fundamentals

This program is proudly supplied by BD Holiday Programs.

BD holiday programs is a business that offers tailor made holiday programs as a vehicle to raise funds for your local club. We act on behalf of the club to organise extensive 2-day programs in both football and cricket. BD caters for both a range of age and ability groups and are happy to adjust the program to your specific needs. BD staff have extensive backgrounds in sport and are all fully qualified teachers, ensuring quality coaching and instruction at all programs.

For more info contact BD @ bdholidayprograms@gmail.com

Payment Advice

Bank Details:
BSB: 633 000
Account Number: 123918062

Account Name: East Ringwood Junior Football Club Inc.

Please Tag BD and your children's name in description.

Registration Link:
https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/KNH6W2Z
Support The Roos, Improve Your Game and Have FUN @ The ERJFC Holiday Program

Come and be part of an engaging and enjoyable holiday activity, based around footy and fun. ERJFC is offering a holiday program focused on developing a love and enjoyment of football while improving their skills. For only $65 per day, children will participate in skill based activities, game sense development and strategy activities, ensuring they develop a greater knowledge and love of our great game.

Holiday Program Details and Facts!

* Age: u8 – u11 for both Boys and Girls
* Cost: $65 Per Day
* Dates: 31st March and 1st April 2016
* Registrations Close: 30th March 2016
* Time: Supervision between 8:30am – 4:00pm
* Venue: Ainslie Park Reserve, Brentnall Rd Croydon
* Supervision: All instructors are qualified teachers with WWCD documentation. All players will need to be signed in on arrival. We will also ensure a ratio of 1:20 is maintained.
* Focus: The focus will be adjusted, making it age group specific
* Management: Program designed and managed by Josh Bourke (u12 State Coach) and Cadell Duke (u12 State Team Manager)

Check us out on insta @BDholidayprograms or on facebook for photos of our previous programs.

What to do next?

1. Follow the payment advice below to register for the program.
2. Then follow the link below and fill in all details to register your son/daughter.
3. Bring lunch, fruit and a drink bottle in a lunch box (typical school day food). * No nuts please
4. Pack usual training football gear, including jumper, tracksuit pants, boots, runners and mouth guard.