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NSW DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND COMMUNITIES

# Tarago Public School



## NEWSLETTER

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### Principal Message

#### Goulburn Community of Public Schools Concert Rehearsal.

Our next rehearsal date has been brought forward to Tuesday 3rd June at 12:00-1.30 at Goulburn North PS. We will travel by bus leaving school at 11:00am and will be back at school by 2:30pm. The cost of the bus will be \$5. Please complete the attached permission note and return it to school on Monday.

As with all activities that our school is involved in I would love to see every student participate. If there are issues with participating in the GCoPS concert, such as bus costs or transport to and from the concert performances, please contact me and discuss the situation. I am sure arrangements can be organised to ensure everyone can be part of this worthwhile experience.

#### Deputy Secretary Address

Yesterday I attended a meeting in Queanbeyan with all Principal in Goulburn, Queanbeyan and Monaro Districts. The meeting was addresses by Mr Greg Prior Deputy Secretary of the Dept. of Education and Communities. Mr Prior spoke regarding the changes currently being seem within the Department and the rationale behind these changes.

This was a great opportunity to see the direction of education from the perspective of someone charged with leading learning into a new era.

We where given the chance to discuss, through a question session, issues which we saw as impacting on schools. This proven very productive and informative.

#### GRIP Leadership

On Monday our year 6 students attended the GRIP Leadership conference at the Australian Institute of Sport. This proven to be a valuable experience for all four students, as they worked with facilitators on developing the skills to develop and implement leadership qualities.

#### Senior Girls Shot Put

Yesterday afternoon three senior girls, Kaylee, Tanisha and Emily travelled to Goulburn for the rerun of the district girls Shot Put. I know all girls performed to the best of their ability and upheld the Tarago PS name with pride. Kaylee finished in fourth place, narrowly missing a place. Well done girls on your performance and commitment and a huge thank you to Mrs Croker for proving transport.

#### Fruity Wednesday

While I am thanking Mrs Croker, I will take this opportunity, on behalf of all students, to thank her for her fantastic and generous support of Fruity Wednesday. The enormous platter of fruit that arrives most Wednesday mornings has to be seen to be believed.

Thank you Mrs Croker!!

#### P+C

Our next P+C meeting is next week, Tuesday 1st June, at 3:30pm.

There are a number of issues which will be discussed at the meeting and I would invite everyone, who is able, to attend.

There will be a short presentation and discussion regarding the new, and very exciting, learning program Fast ForWord. I am sure that everyone who attends will take a great deal from the potential of this new resource.

Phillip Katen—Principal



Participation



Responsibility



Respect

## More News



## Coming Up

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Term 2 Week 6 02/06-06/06	Mr Matthew Brown –Director Public Schools NSW Visiting	K-2 Library GCOPS Concert Rehearsal P+C Meeting	3-6 Library	Ukulele Student Banking Mr Katen GCOPS Meeting	
Term 2 Week 7 09/06-13/06	Queens Birthday Holiday			Ukulele Student Banking	