

TERM 2 WEEK 1

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Principal Message

Welcome Back

Welcome back to school and a very cold and bleak start to term 2. Please ensure your children are dressed suitably for the current weather conditions, beanies can be worn and all size jumpers and jackets are available for purchase from the office.

Cross Country Carnival

This years Small Schools Cross Country Carnival will be held at Windellama Public School this Friday 24th April. If you have not already done so, please return permission note and bus money tomorrow. Cost of the bus is \$5 per student. This is a curriculum based activity and ALL children are expected to attend. At this stage it is still running.

ANZAC Dawn Service

This Saturday, 25th April, is ANZAC Day. Tarago students have been invited to lead the National Anthems of Australia and New Zealand at the Tarago ANZAC Dawn Service to be held on ANZAC Day 6am in Tarago. This being the Centenary of ANZAC Day makes this a very special occasion and something that students will remember for a lifetime. I would urge everyone to support this event and make arrangements, where possible, to ensure students are able to attend this event. Full school uniform is to be worn and jackets will be essential. We look forward to seeing you all there.



EOI's School Camp

If you have not already done so, please return the Expression of Interest for this years 3-6 School Camp at Point Wolstoncroft. The proposed date is July 20 to 24.

Monday 27th April

Monday 27th April is a school day, it is **NOT** a public holiday and school will run as usual. All children are expected to attend school on this day.

Mr & Mrs Katen Away

Mrs Katen and myself will be away for the month of May and the first few days of June (5 weeks). We are travelling overseas. We have been lucky enough to have enlisted the services of 2 teachers from Bungendore PS to replace us for this time. Mrs Tracey Leggett (Relieving Principal & 3-6 class) and Mrs Carole Horne (K-2 class).

Phillip Katen
Principal



If you are interested in teaching your children to save money, why not think about Student Banking.

It is simple & easy to set up. For information just contact the school Office. Banking day is Thursday.



Participation



Responsibility



Respect

More News

News from the Infants Room

This term Early Stage One will be focusing on Personal & Family Histories, students will communicate stories of their own family heritage and the heritage of others. Stage One will be focusing on Present and Past Family Life to gain an understanding of change and continuity in family life.

In Science and Technology Early Stage One we will be learning about the Made Environment, observing what objects are made of and observing properties. Stage One Made Environment will look at a range of products in the local environment and their different purposes. A very busy time ahead for K-2. Mrs Katen.

News from the Primary Room

Recount from The ANZAC Story. *By Grace Tubman.*

Last term 19th March we went to Bungendore PS, we were invited to see a dramatic performance of the ANZAC Story. As we entered the hall we crawled through a dark tunnel, this was to help us experience what the soldiers went through in the trenches. It was hot, steamy, stinky and smokey, there was a loud gunfire and bomb sounds as well as multi-coloured flashing lights. On the outside of the tunnel a rather aggressive soldier was shouting at us to "get a move on". We continued to crawl into the hall while the soldier kept shouting at us, the lights and sirens bombarded our senses for too long.

News from the P&C Meeting

P&C Meeting Next Week 28th April at 3.30pm

Everyone's input welcome.

A few more photos from the Easter Hat Parade !!



School Calendar

What's on when? Stay on top of school holiday, term and state examination dates across NSW.

Find out more:

<http://www.schools.nsw.edu.au/calendar/?do=setViewPeriod&categoryid=2&viewType=yearView>

Coming Up

| | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
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| Term 2 Week 2 27/4 - 1/5 | This IS a school day | 3-6 Library P&C Meeting 3.30pm | | Ukulele Student Banking | K-2 Library |
| Term 2 Week 3 27/4 - 1/5 | | 3-6 Library | | Ukulele Student Banking | |