



# Tarago Public School

## Calendar of Events 2019

### Term 4 2019

- **Monday 4th November** - Run for Resilience Visit 1.30pm
- **Monday 4th to Friday 8th November** - Special Swim Scheme Years 2-6
- **Tuesday 5th November** - P&C Meeting 6.00pm
- **Thursday 12th December** - Presentation Evening
- **Tuesday 17th December** - Excursion to movies K-6
- **Wednesday 18th December** - Last day of term 4 for students

### Term 1 2020

- **Wednesday 29th January** - Students return to school

### School Website

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# NEWSLETTER

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## This Week at Tarago Public School

### Kindergarten Orientation

This week we welcomed our kindergarten students for 2020. We hope they had a very enjoyable day. Kindergarten Orientation days will run each Tuesday through to 26th November. Sessions run from 9.20am to 12.10pm. Children are able to be dropped off from **9.00am** or arrive on school bus. Children are to wear sensible clothing, runners or enclosed footwear. A brimmed hat is essential. Children must also bring a drink, fruit or veg for crunch 'n' sip and their lunch. Once the session has ended at 12.10pm children can be collected from Mrs Beer or staff members will walk them back to pre-school, if Tuesday is a regular Pre-school day. Please advise the office how your child will be leaving each session.

### Special Swim Scheme

Students will need to bring the following items each day for this years swimming lessons:

- 2 towels
- Swimmers
- Goggles if required
- Plastic bag for wet items
- Best manners & listening skills

All participants will change at the pool before lessons commence, students are not to wear their swimmers to school.

**Students must be at school by 9.15am**, the bus to lessons will leave 9.20am. Students will return to school at approximately 1pm. All notes and money to the school office by Friday 1st November.

### Book Club

Book Club Issue # 7 orders are due to office by Friday 1st November.

### Principal's Report

#### **Dear Parents and Carers**

This week we welcome our new kindergarten children for 2020. The students will learn about big school and meet new friends and teachers. Year 2 children will attend the 3-6 class for transition while kindergarten orientation is happening. I am sure year 2 will enjoy doing year 3 work in this time.

Next week we start swimming lessons and it is different to other years in that the children will complete the program in 1 week but participate in 2 lessons each day. The students may be a bit tired by the end of the week however their swimming techniques should be improved!

#### **Miss Michelle Jones**

Principal



### **Spotted around Tarago PS**

- ♦ All year 2 students for their enthusiasm and hard work in the 3-6 classroom.
- ♦ Abigail for helping Eve with her laces.
- ♦ Celeste and Abigail for helping the Kinder 2020 children.
- ♦ Jayden Briggs for working hard.



## News from K-2

This week we welcomed our new Kindergarten children for 2020. They enjoyed some time with this years Kindergarten and Year 1 in the classroom learning about caterpillars and doing lots of activities. They also had time in the playground. Year 2 spent some time in the Year 3-6 class doing activities they can expect to be doing in Year 3. On Tuesday afternoon we started our gardening program. Thank you to Mr Beer for donating soil for our gardens and to Mr Dempsey who helped Mr Beer shovel it onto the gardens. The children weeded and some had a turn at shovelling. They then spent some time in the greenhouse planting zucchini seeds. They had a taste of some raw broad beans and the consensus was "Are there any more". They took home some spinach for dinner.

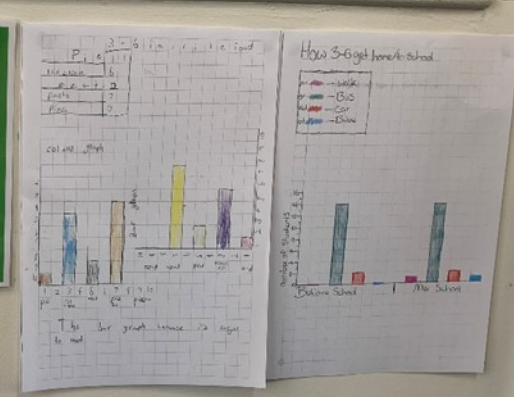
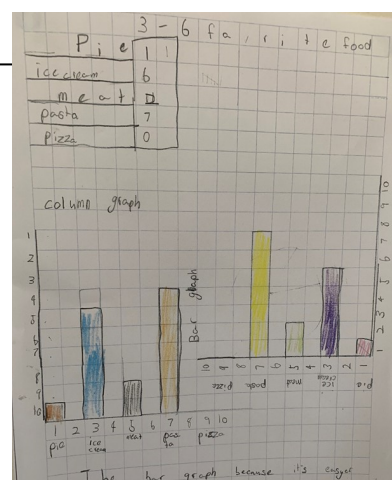
**Mrs Beer**



## News from 3-6

This week in the 3-6 room, we have begun studying a Visual Arts unit which looks into the history of Aboriginal art in Australia and the variety of techniques used in different artworks. Students will create their own artworks using different techniques. Students practised running and dodging skills in sport on Friday. A few of the students showed great ability in performing these skills as they learned these skills in the sport that they play outside school. In maths, students investigated different types of graphs and their uses. Stage 2 gathered data and displayed it on two different graphs and then determined which one was the most relevant. Stage 3 created double column graphs which displayed two sets of data. Just a reminder as the weather is becoming hotter, please make sure that your child has a hat and a water bottle.

**Miss Divall**



## Coming Up

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Term 4 2019</b> Week 4 4/11 - 8/11	<b>Swimming Lessons Yr 2-6</b>  <b>Run for Resilience visit</b>	<b>Kindergarten Orientation</b>  <b>Swimming Lessons Yr 2-6</b>	<b>Swimming Lessons Yr 2-6</b>	<b>Student Banking</b>  <b>Swimming Lessons Yr 2-6</b>	<b>Swimming Lessons Yr 2-6</b>
<b>Term 4 2019</b> Week 5 11/11 - 15/11	<b>Remembrance Day</b>	<b>Kindergarten Orientation</b>		<b>Student Banking</b>	

## TERM 3 BOOK PARADE & ASSEMBLY

At the end of Term 3 staff, parents and students participated in the Book Fair and Book Parade. We had a wonderful assortment of Superheros and favourite book characters. This followed the last Assembly for Term 3.





So many things to see and do at Tarago Public School.



### **P&C Meeting**

The next P&C Meeting, will be held on Tuesday **5th November 2019** @ 6.00pm. Please come along and consider how you can help and support the students of Tarago Public School.

Tarago P&C email:

**[taragopc@gmail.com](mailto:taragopc@gmail.com)**

### **Hats in Term 4**

The weather is getting hotter and the sun is quite strong. This term our no hat, play in the COLA policy is in force. This means students who do not have a broad brimmed hat will be required to play in the COLA. This provides students an excellent shaded alternative play area. School hats are available at the office for \$12.00.

### **P&C NEED YOUR HELP – FUNDRAISING DAY!**

The P&C are catering and running the canteen for the next Tarago Markets on **30<sup>th</sup> November.**  
**We need volunteers for the day -**

On the BBQ

In the kitchen cleaning dishes

Serving food and handling money

Donations of cakes/biscuits/slices/scones/gluten free options – any and all baked goods would be greatly appreciated – **these items can be left at the school Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November for collection**

More hands make light work! Catering the markets will be a big day so any help we can get will be fantastic. This is a great fundraiser for the P&C and the money raised will ensure that we can continue to put money towards costs of future camps, buses, projects etc.

For more information or to put your name down as a volunteer please contact our President  
**Nicole Marsden 0413 173 898**