



IMPORTANT DATES FOR TERM 4 (subject to change)

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Week 8 Nov	20	21 3/ 4 Bike ED	22 Grade 5/6 Golf	23 Grade 1 Sleepover	24 FAMILY FUN NIGHT Scholastic book orders due back
Week 9 Dec	27	28 6/7 transition Nagle 3/ 4 Bike ED	29 Grade 5/6 Golf	30	1 PUPIL FREE DAY
Week 10 Dec	4	5 3/ 4 Bike ED	6 Grade 5/6 Golf	7	8
Week 11 Dec	11 6/7 transition LESC	12 6/7 transition LESC 3/ 4 Bike ED	13	14 Grade 6 Graduation	15 Last Assembly In school transition for 2024 Reports home parents
Week 12	18 Class Parties	19 Clean Up Day	20 Pool Day	HOLIDAYS ☺	

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Parents and Friends of Toorloo Arm Primary School

Dear Families and Carers,

We hope everyone enjoyed the whole school performance last week. We are so proud of how our students embraced the challenges of the week, showed the grit needed to be successful and then enjoyed the internal satisfaction of their personal achievements. Thanks to all families who joined us on the evening and gave the students a big appreciative audience to perform for.



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We hope you can support the Parent and Friends Family Fun night this Friday evening!

24th November
5PM - 7PM

**TOORLOO
FAMILY
FUN
NIGHT**

Wacky Wombat
providing free kids
entertainment

**BYO Picnic dinner or sausage sizzle
available on the night**

Drinks \$1

Sausages \$2

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**Traffic Management**

Thanks everyone for the adjustment regarding traffic management around the school during the recent works onsite and now works on the refurbishment of the Lake Tyers Beach Hall. The compound around the hall will be in place for some time, so school staff will be parking at the front of the hall. Please make arrangements for your child to either exit the front gate for collection along the service road or park at the reserve, so your child can safely cross at the crossing and locate you over there.

Planning for 2024

In preparation for next year, we are giving parents the opportunity to have let us know anything that you would like us to consider in placing your child in a class for the coming year. At this stage our grade structure will be Prep/1

1/2

2 x 3/4

2 X 5/6

As we are still in the recruitment phase, teacher and aide allocations will be decided in the coming weeks.

Please pop your request in writing addressed to Kerry, give me a call or pop in and have a chat.

Food Parcels

We acknowledge that the cost-of-living expenses are a reality for a number of our families and therefore have sourced a number of food parcels to give to away to families. Please if you would like this assistance, see one of the staff on brekky club any morning and they will be able to help you. Contents include: soup, VitaBrits, Weeties, vegemite, honey, backed beans, two fruits, lifelong milk, bread, rice bowls.

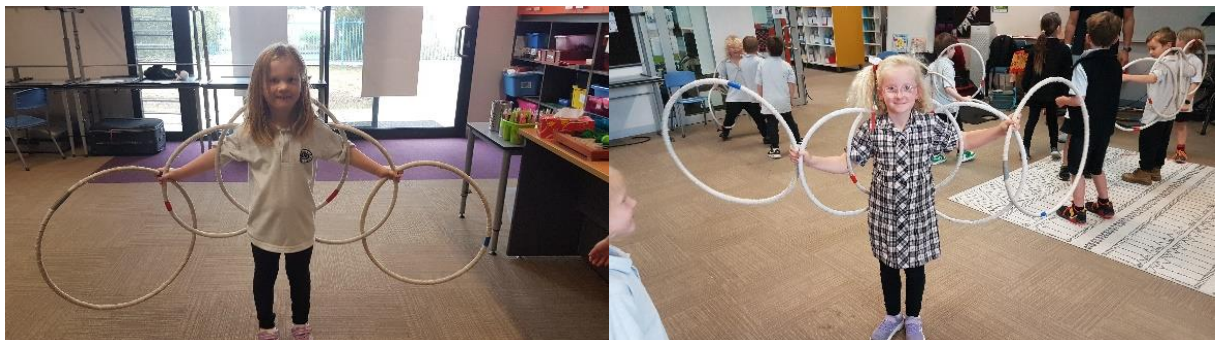


Thank-you for your ongoing cooperation,
Kerry Hughes

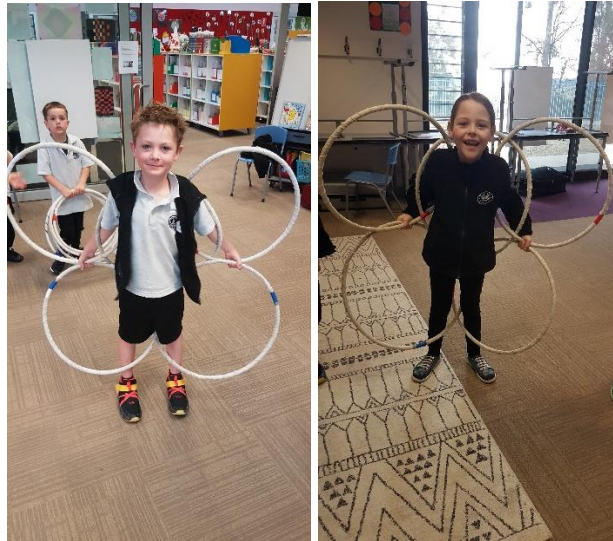
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**Students of the Week****Prep**

Good morning, everyone. Well done on a great performance last Thursday, everyone was so impressed with all the hard work you put in. The whole Prep class worked so hard to put everything together, but a special mention to **Casey Bills** for supporting his classmates and helping them remember all the actions and words. **Jayce Parsons** for his dynamic voice, that was heard by all.

Last Week's Fun!

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**Family Fun Night**

Families are invited to a night full of games and laughter at school this Friday. Come with a picnic or get some food here and enjoy the entertainment.

This Week

Reading – We are practicing make predictions, inferences and creating craft to match a story.

Writing – Students are starting to plan their own fairytale, where the hero uses his smarts to win the day.

Math – Students are starting to look at mass and the rules we need to follow.

Have a great week.

Miss Cock.

1/2 A&B

Hello everyone and welcome to Week 8!

Well done to all the students for their hard work and amazing dancing last Thursday at our whole school performance. Thank you to all the families who came and enjoyed the performance evening and for making it a special night for all.

This week's awards went to 1/2A students **Harlan Smith** for his have-a-go and positive attitude toward the dance performance after only one day of rehearsal, and **Fletcher Hindle** for his use of voice in his Grade 2 camp recount. From 1/2B, awards went to **Chloe Jackson** for her use of voice in her Grade 2 camp recount and to **Isaac Whitford** for slotting into TAPS so beautifully.

This week in reading, students are retelling stories to recall the main parts of the narrative including the beginning, middle, and end, as well as the characters and settings.

Writing this week includes writing an invitation to families to attend the Family Fun Night happening this Friday at TAPS. Students are also finishing off their recounts from Grade 2 camp.

In maths, we are finishing off our exploration of measurement including area.

The Grade 1's are getting excited for their sleepover at school happening this Thursday. Just a gentle reminder to return medical forms as soon as possible. Please get in touch if you have any queries or concerns.

The TAPS Family Fun Night is on this Friday, and we can't wait to see your family joining in on the fun. You will receive your invitation this week in the lead-up to the night.

Have a great week everyone!

Eliza Cunningham and Caitlin Jackson

3/4 A&B

Hello families,

Firstly, how amazing were all of the grade 3/4 students last Thursday during their Polynesian performances. All students worked with commitment, determination and enthusiasm, to learn how to spin the pois or how to sing Hareruia (Hallelujah) in Maori and the sign language for Paradise. As their teachers we were extremely proud of their performances Thursday afternoon in front of the school and/or Thursday night in front of the school community. Consequently, our awards this week went to:

Mannix Blank: For always trying to do his very best and not giving up. Mannix demonstrated this when he kept practicing with the pois for our performance and doing his best with his persuasive writing.

Griffin Reggardo: For showing persistence when learning how to use the pois for our concert performance.

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All 3/4B: For their collective and cooperative efforts to learn Hallelujah and Paradise for Thursday's performance.

In writing over the next couple of weeks, students will be working on researching a topic to write an Information Report. Students are choosing their own topic of interest to research (3/4A are investigating unusual animals) and will be supported to write their Reports in the correct structure. We are looking forward to reading their final report!

Students are preparing invitations to the Family Fun Night this Friday. We hope to see you there!

Students had an opportunity to demonstrate their growth in fraction understanding on Friday with a post unit test. The results were pleasing! This week we are looking at angles, where we find them and how to classify and measure them.

Students have started their Island project in Integrated Studies and all students have identified where their Island is located on the Globe and have been investigating the type of climate they would encounter and the types of vegetation they might find.

It is getting close to the end of the year but please keep up the good reading habits and have a great week.

Ms Smith, Mrs Murray and Alyssa

5/6A&B

Students of the week:

Marshal Jessep the excellent progress he made during practise for the Artist in Residence performance. Great job Marshal, you made it look easy!

Lily Konyn for her outstanding performance during the Artist in Residence concert. Excellent skill and helping of others Lily!

Lukah Beveridge for her positive attitude to school and her learning.

Haylee Law for her great work during our reading block, annotating as she reads and using her notes to write a thoughtful reading response.

Well done to the grade 5 students and the support they gave to the 2024 preps during their school transition program. It was great to see the grade 5's helping the new preps feel comfortable and enjoy their first experience at Toorloo Arm P.S.

In reading this week students will be working through a literacy contract and select a task a day to complete using their lit circles text, our mentor text; Pannikin and Pinta or a nonfiction text. We are continuing to focus on paraphrasing non-fiction texts. Students will be taught to read a text, select synonyms for key words and rewrite the information in their own words, in a way that reflects their understanding of the text. In writing, students are learning about the features of information reports, researching and planning their own information report. In mathematics, we are learning about financial maths, particularly finding change, and developing efficient strategies to total money.

Don't forget the family Fun Night this Friday from 5-7 pm. Just a reminder that students need to be supervised by a parent. Bring along a picnic dinner or buy a sausage from the BBQ on the night.

Thanks

Alec McPhee and Ali Mackie

SPORT and PE NEWS

Students of the week:

Tahlia Roberts: for her collaboration and ability to work with and encourage others in PE.

Anika Stewart: for working so well with other classmates beyond her close friendship group.

Bike Ed is happening today for Grades 3/4's! Thanks to everyone for checking their bikes and helmets are in working order and bringing them along for this exciting unit!

Tomorrow all Grade 5/6s will be going by bus to the Lakes Entrance Golf Club and will be working in small groups on the Golf Simulators, Putting Greens and Driving Range. Such a fantastic opportunity for students to experience local community sport.

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ATF Tennis Program at TAPS

The final session of tennis is on this Thurs 23rd November! It really is a great opportunity to tap into **FREE** Tennis lessons with Nigel from 4.15-5.15 pm at the Lakes Entrance Tennis Club. **Newcomers are most welcome!**

Please keep an eye on the Audiri app for notices about this afterschool program in case the weather is inclement and lessons cancelled.

Thanks

Barb and Tom (PE and SPORT COORDINATOR)

Important Sport dates for Term 4 2023

Tuesday 21st November Bike Ed Gr 3/4

Tuesday 28th November Bike Ed Gr 3/4

Tuesday 5th December Bike Ed Gr 3/4

Tuesday 12th December Bike Ed Gr 3/4

Wednesday 22nd November Golf at Lakes Entrance Golf Club Gr 5/6 TBC

Wednesday 29th November Golf at Lakes Entrance Golf Club Gr 5/6 TBC

Wednesday 6th December Golf at Lakes Entrance Golf Club Gr 5/6 TBC

FRENCH

Bonjour,

This week at assembly, **Casey Bills** received an award for his impressive listening skills and use of solving strategies to match the questions to the correct answers in French. He was also a fantastic helper to one of his classmates, supporting him to write his description of himself.

Emily Whelan also received an award for taking ownership of her learning. Without prompting, she wrote the new words that were being introduced in her French book. This attitude, often seen in higher grades, reflects her sense of responsibility in the French classroom, always giving her best.

Students in 1/2 continue to review colours to describe clothes. They will have to think about word order as, in French, the colour comes after the clothes. They will also have to review the concept of masculine and feminine. Colour adjectives will look different depending on the gender of the word. Though they are not expected to know how to apply the rules at this level, I would like them to show that they notice the gender of the colour by looking at the word.

Grades 3 and 4 students will be working on their final copy or their song and will be presenting it to their classmates. We'll review giving our opinion on sports and hobbies with a little group competition.

5/6 students will have the challenge to listen to a native speaker talk about her hometown. They will then be given the option to describe their own hometown or to create their ideal town and describe it.

Last week's students who tried their best are:

Prep: Casey, Evie and Grace

1/2A: Payton, Darcy, Sienna, Charlotte and Fletcher

1/2B: Emily, Mahalia, River, Elicia and Zayn

3/4A: Max, Isabel, Mannix and Zach

3/4B: Zoe, Jake and Declan

5/6B: Keanu, Chelsea, Chardell and Storm

Have a lovely week! Bonne semaine à tous!

Madame Samson

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**ART**

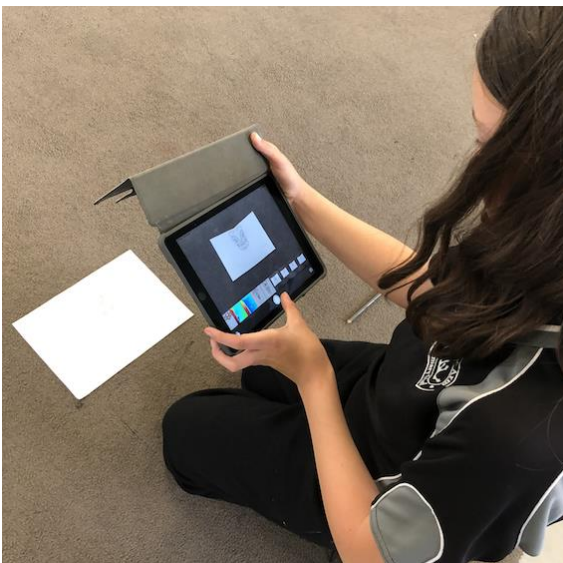
There's something special about when an object is completely mirrored – like a perfect reflection on a still lake. This concept is what students have been exploring over the past couple of weeks, utilising traditional drawing as well as iPads to make this possible.



Isaac Whitford and Bella Pool with their symmetrical artworks before using the iPad mirroring filter.

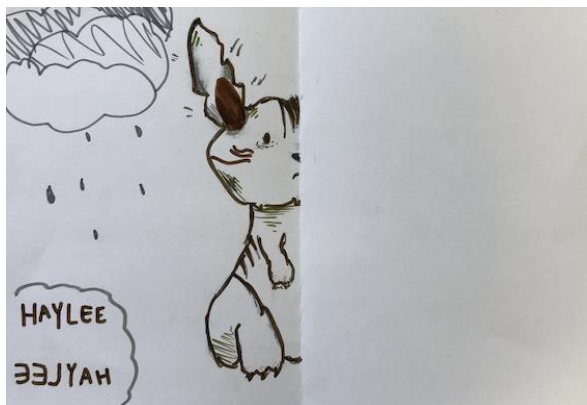
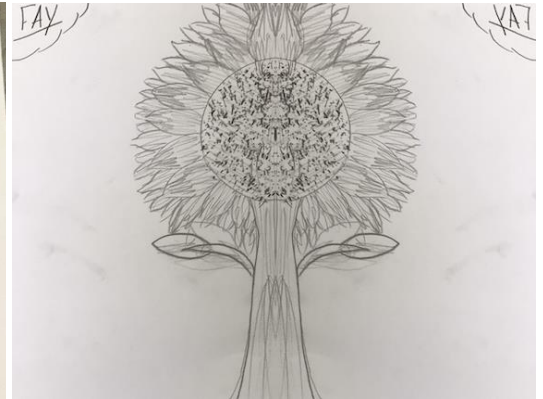
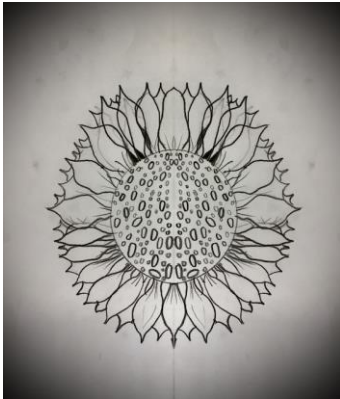
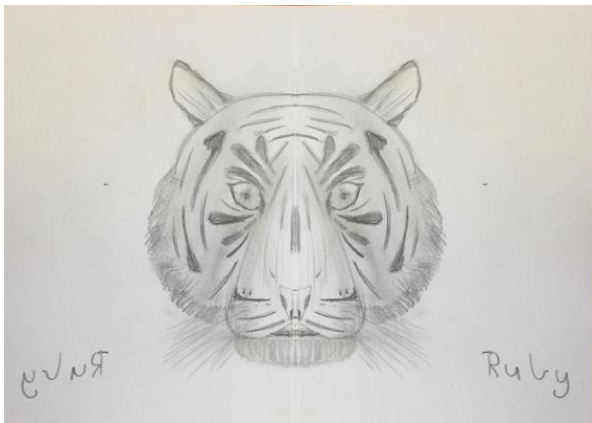


Logan Magee and Seth Geddes



Kiara Gritt and Ruby Pool.

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Artwork by Artist of the Week, **Haylee Law**.

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And finally, a collaborative artwork by both Mrs Mackie's and Mr McPhee's class finding letters in the environment around the schoolyard and celebrating our school!



Jobi Laybourne

BREW BAR
on the ninety miles
583 Esplanade Lakes Entrance. Phone: 5155 3839

Home Made Sausage rolls \$3.5 (Sauce x2 50C)

Chicken Strip Wrap \$4
Small Tortilla wrap with lettuce, cheese and Mayo

Spaghetti Bolognaise \$6
with Cheese (v)

Chicken or Roast Veggie Quesadilla
1/2 \$4
full \$6
Cheese, Salsa & sour cream
add avo \$1

Mini Vegan Budda Bowl \$6
Changes Weekly

Veggie Quiche slice GF \$5

Cup of Homemade soup \$5
with small roll (Changes Weekly)

Pizza Muffins 2 for \$5 OR 1 for \$3
Ham, Cheese & Pineapple

Side salad add \$2

Gluten Free Bread & Wraps available on request

Fruit & Yoghurt cup \$5

Please have lunch orders in office by Thursday mornings. Late Orders can not be guaranteed their choice

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A/TEA BIBLE STORIES MUSIC GAMES ARTS & CRAFT & FUN

Kidz Club

FRIDAYS
3:30 - 5PM

BAPTIST CHURCH
141 PRINCES HWY, LAKES
ENTRANCE VIC 3909

GRADE
Prep-2

NAOMI MCPHAN 0456657165



Walk to Change the Story

A GLCH initiative for the 16 Days of
Activism Against Gender-Based Violence

Take steps to end violence against women and children
Saturday 25 November 2023

COMMUNITY WALK
Start and finish at
Nicholson Street Mall
in Bairnsdale.
Meet 10.30 am sharp!

COMMUNITY EVENT

- Welcome to Country
- Clothesline Project
- Banner Making
- Information Stalls
- Big Respect Gippsland Photo Booth
- HEY Project T-shirt Tie-dyeing
- Music with FReeZa
- Children's Activities
- Lion's Club BBQ

For more information visit glch.org.au or find us on Facebook
(Gippsland Lakes Complete Health or Walk to Change the Story)

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Tech Savvy Workshop

Introduction to Email



Join us for our introduction to email workshop!

This workshop covers the basic skills you need in order to understand how to help keep in touch with your friends and family via email.

You can bring your own device, or a training device will be provided.

Bookings are essential as places are limited.

Phone 5152 4225 or book in person at the library for this FREE event.

Monday 11 Dec.
Omeo Service Centre
9.30 am – 12.00 pm

Thursday 14 Dec.
Paynesville Service Centre
9.30 am – 12.00 pm

Thursday 14 Dec.
Lakes Entrance Service Centre
9.30 am – 12.00 pm

Thursday 14 Dec.
Orbost Service Centre
2.00 pm – 4.00 pm

Monday 18 Dec.
Bairnsdale Library
1.00 pm – 3.30 pm



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Tech Savvy Workshop

Introduction to Social Media



Join us for our introduction to social media workshop!

Find out how you can participate in the connected world of social media.

The Introduction to Social Media workshop will cover the following topics:

- What is social media?
- Main functions of social media
- Different types of social media
- Twitter and Facebook

Bookings are essential as places are limited.

Thursday 14 Dec.
Paynesville Service Centre
2.00 pm – 4.30 pm

Thursday 14 Dec.
Bairnsdale Library
2.00 pm – 4.30 pm

Thursday 14 Dec.
Lakes Entrance Service Centre
2.00 pm – 4.30 pm

Monday 18 Dec.
Omeo Service Centre
9.30 am – 12.00 pm

Thursday 21 Dec.
Orbost Service Centre
2.00 pm – 4.00 pm

Phone 5152 4225 or book in person at the library for this FREE event.



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AGES 5-12 FREE BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

Christmas Craft Session For Kids



Get into the holiday spirit with an afternoon of Christmas arts and crafts!

Come along and join in the fun with Christmas stories and make your very own Christmas stocking to take home for the holidays! All materials are provided.

Phone 5152 4225 or book in person at the library for this FREE event.



Tue. 12 December
Bairnsdale Library
4.00 pm - 5.00 pm

Tue. 12 December
Paynesville Service Centre
3.45 pm - 4.45 pm

Wed. 13 December
Omeo Service Centre
3.30 pm - 4.30 pm

Wed. 13 December
Lakes Entrance Service Centre
3.45 pm - 4.45 pm

Wed. 13 December
Mallacoota Service Centre
3.45 pm - 4.45 pm

Wed. 13 December
Orbost Service Centre
3.45 pm - 4.45 pm

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