

# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

## TYLDEN PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Term 1 Week 6

Friday 10th Mar 2023

### IMPORTANT DATES

#### MARCH

**Monday 13th**

Labour Day public holiday

**Wed 15th, Thu 16th, Fri 17th & Mon 20th**

NAPLAN testing for grade 3 & 5 students only

**Saturday 18th**

WORKING BEE for rostered families.

**Saturday 25th**

ANNUAL FAIR 10am-3pm

#### APRIL

**Thursday 6th**

Last day of term 1.

Early dismissal 2.30pm

**Monday 24th**

Curriculum Day

**Tuesday 25th**

Anzac Day Holiday. Optional student participation at the Kyneton ANZAC Day ceremony

**Wednesday 26th**

First day of Term 2 for all students

**Thursday 27th**

Interschool cross country at Hanging Rock for selected students.

#### JUNE

**Wed 14th-Fri 16th**

Gr 4 & 5 Camp Queenscliff

**Wednesday 21st**

Whole school photos

#### JULY

**Wed 26th—Fri 28th**

Gr 6 Urban Camp

#### AUGUST

**Friday 4th**

School Concert

### Principal's Message

Dear parents and carers

We have had a very busy Friday with two events taking place today. This morning, students in grades 3—6 competed in the school cross country run over a 2km or 3km route around the local area. At the same time, the junior classes completed a 2 km neighbourhood walk. It was lovely to have so many parents and carers with us this morning to walk with the children or assist with the cross country event. Thank you for coming along! The inter-school cross country event at Hanging Rock is in the first week of term 2, so our school event helps us to select our inter-school team well before the holidays.

The second important event was the special assembly this afternoon. All of our student leaders gave their pledge of office to the school during the assembly and received their badge from our special guest, Ms Mary-Anne Thomas. Our school captains hosted the assembly and did a wonderful job.

The fair is fast approaching and there are some reminders and information printed later in the newsletter. If your family has not yet signed up to help on the day, please contact the office to offer your help. We still need more helpers on the BBQ, especially in the afternoon. The BBQ needs people to cook and also to serve the hungry customers, assemble the hamburgers and a variety of other jobs. Can you help?

It seems a long way off, but I need to mention ANZAC Day. This year, ANZAC Day occurs on the day before school resumes for term 2. Each year, our school is invited to participate in the Kyneton ANZAC Day ceremony by leading the singing of the National Anthem. This is a voluntary event and we usually have a large number of Tylden PS students representing our school on this important national day. If your child can participate, please fill in the reply slip which is at the end of the newsletter.

Sincere thanks to parent Chris O for his work spreading the soft-fall mulch under our playground equipment last weekend. This is a big job and a very important one and I really appreciate his efforts.

A reminder that there is a working bee coming up in a week's time on Saturday 18th March for rostered families. We will be doing all of the jobs that will prepare the school for the school fair the following weekend.

Congratulations to the interschool tee-ball teams who competed last Friday at Romsey. The girls' team won the competition and will progress to the next level. The boys' team were runners up. Well done everyone!

Have a lovely weekend!

Regards

Lee MacDonald

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### TEEBALL WINNERS



## STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

**Tia** - For trying hard with reading words and being confident when answering questions. Well Done!

**Gweny**— For being a kind and supportive classmate. You always step out of your way to help out a fellow peer. Keep it up!

**Freya** – For enthusiastically doing her personal best in all areas of her school day. You give great effort in everything you do!. Well done keep it up!!

**Archie** – For always showing our school value of respect. You have wonderful manners and are always helpful during class.

**Holiday**—For being a friendly and helpful classmate. You are always willing to help others. Keep it up!

**Riley**—For consistently being kind and considerate to each member of our classroom.



**Pictured L-R: Front: Freya, Holiday & Gweny  
Back: Riley, Archie & Tia**

## WORKING BEE ON SATURDAY 18TH MARCH

The working bee will start at 9am and go until 12 noon. Children are welcome to attend to help or to play while the work is being completed. They also always enjoy the morning tea! While we have some gardening tools at school, you may like to bring your own as well. Wheel barrows are very useful as the school only has 2 wheelbarrows. Your trailer or a ute, will be very helpful with the collection and disposal of the green waste. There is usually too much for the FOGO green bin. Jobs will include pruning and weeding, removing cobwebs, general tidying of the grounds and moving some gravel to remove trip hazards.

## SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY AND JUNIOR SCHOOL NEIGHBOURHOOD WALK





## ANZAC DAY COMMEMORATION IN KYNETON

Tylden Primary School is invited each year to participate in the ANZAC Day ceremony at Kyneton. Our school Captain contributes a reading in the ceremony and then our students join with Our Lady of the Rosary Kyneton to lead the singing of the New Zealand and Australian national anthems. The ceremony starts at 9:45am at the cenotaph on the corner of High and Mollison Streets. Students should wear school uniform and meet Ms MacDonald and other staff at 9:30am.

Students **from all grades (Prep—6) are welcome to participate**. We will have some practices before the end of term. This is an important community event and it is fantastic that Tylden PS is involved every year. Remember Anzac Day is the day before the students return to school for the start of term 2.

## SAKGP

In session 2 of the Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden Program Grades 3 and 4 made Hummus, Wheat Tortillas and a beautiful green salad. We used fantastic big, plump garlic cloves from our school garden and learnt how to crush them for the Hummus – garlic breath for everyone in our class!! In this session we revised our knife skills and cut up the yummy salad vegetables, rubbed in butter into the flour, kneaded, made a dough and shaped the tortillas. We washed dried and put away dishes and utensils and set the tables. It was great to see children try food they haven't had before and re-try things they thought they didn't like. To the surprise of some children they actually liked that food now!



Grade 4 students worked in the garden this week, harvesting some autumn vegetables and planting some winter ones.

Great work Grades 3 and 4.

Vanessa Thomson





## 2 weeks to go!

### Help still urgently needed on several stalls

If you haven't volunteered for a job yet, please put your name on the sign-up roster or email the office at [tylden.ps@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:tylden.ps@education.vic.gov.au). We need all families to donate some time on the day.

### Call out for donations for the Produce stall

Do you make amazing jam or chutney? Do you have a delicious cordial recipe? Is your garden bursting with zucchini and green beans? The produce stall would love your excess fruits and vegetables! We need a lot to make this stall a success, as it is always so popular.



Please let Sarah Rogers know if you can donate to the Produce stall, and bring along your produce and preserves on the day.

### Fair ride wristbands

The rides are one of the big attractions at the Fair. With the purchase of a wristband, kids can enjoy the Chair-o-plane, Animal Farm, Bungee Trampolines, Jumping Castle, Camel Rides and more as many times as they like throughout the day.

\$30 wristband, purchased before the fair from the office, or on fair day.

\$25 wristband for Tylden Primary School families with three or more siblings currently attending the school.

Tickets for single rides will also be available on the day, but a wristband is an economical choice!

### Calling out to all makers!

Asking any parents, carers, neighbours or friends who love to make handmade gifts to send their wares our way! We love anything handmade and the craft stall has become so popular over the last few years that we need lots of stock!

This year, the fair is before Easter on March 25<sup>th</sup>, so Easter gifts and crafts would be great, as well as anything for kids, ladies and men, they all sell well! Hand knits, crochet, sewn items are always loved too, but anything you'd like to make and donate would be great. The stall is amazing because of all the wonderful support we have!

### Silent Auction items

If you have collected an item for the Silent Auction please bring it to the office from Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> March. The item should be labelled to indicate who has donated it, its value and the person who collected the item from the business. If you have a friend or family member who has a business, please ask them to support our school with a donation.

### Books

Please collect any books or DVDs in good condition that your family is finished with and donate them to the book stall. Remember that content should be suitable for a primary school fair. The items can be dropped off between Monday 20<sup>th</sup> and Friday 24<sup>th</sup> March before or after school. The Big Shed will be open for donations between 8:45am—9am and 3:15pm—3:45pm.



### **Next Fair Committee meeting: Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2pm in the staffroom.**

Any questions? Want to get involved? Please get in touch at the office or speak to one of our fair coordinators, Alisha McGilp, Belinda De-Maria or Catherine Ferres

# TYLDEN PRIMARY SCHOOL FAIR

Saturday 25th March 2023

2 weeks to go!

## Curry and Baked Potato stall

We need your help to make a curry for our Curry stall! One of our popular food options, we feature three curries each year. Included in today's newsletter are three curry recipes to choose from, and it would be wonderful if families could make a pot or two to donate.

Please follow the recipe exactly so the curries all taste the same on the day. They can be made ahead of time and frozen. If you're able to help, please let the office know so we can cater accordingly. We also need at least one pot of 'chilli con carne' to serve with the baked potatoes. If you have a family favourite recipe for chilli con carne and can make a batch for the fair please let the office know.



We also need to borrow rice cookers to use for the Curry stall. If you have one and are able to lend it on fair day, please let the office know.

## Trash & Treasure

Second hand items will be needed for the Trash & Treasure stall. The items need to be in saleable condition, not broken or unusable. Small items of bric a brac, old wares, clothing and toys that are no longer being used would be good items to donate. Soft toys and clothing must be freshly washed and clean. We cannot accept furniture, electrical goods, children's bike helmets, car seats or prams as these items cannot be sold second hand.

## Marquees needed:

We still need marquees for several of the stalls. If you have one and we would be able to lend it, please contact the office.

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## Fair checklist

- ☐ Have you put your name down to help on the roster?
- ☐ Have you returned your sold raffle tickets and payment to the office?
- ☐ Have you handed in your donation for the Silent Auction from any business contacts you have approached?
- ☐ Have you pre-purchased your ride wrist bands for \$30?
- ☐ Have you purchased an item for your classroom hamper?
- ☐ Have you started making your Mystery Jars? Maybe you can make a few!
- ☐ Have you pledged to make a cake, slice, biscuits or scones for the Devonshire Tea and the Cake stall and let the office know?
- ☐ Do you have handmade items for the Craft stall?
- ☐ Do you have homegrown produce and preserves to donate to the Produce stall?





## 2023 TYLDEN PRIMARY SCHOOL FAIR ROSTER

Volunteers needed for our upcoming fair. We need all families to put their hand up to assist on the day. The roster will be available in front of Room 3 or contact the office to leave your name.

<a href="#">Stall</a>	Coordinator	Morning shift (8:30-12:00)	Lunch (11:00 – 2:00)	Afternoon Shift (12:00 – 3:30)
B.B.Q	Will H	David O Jing X Hugh R Dan M Stu D Jake S	Paul McE Tracey T Michael H Greg B <b>+ two more needed</b>	Luke J <b>+ five more needed</b>
Stall	Coordinator	Morning shift (8:30-12:00)		Afternoon shift (12:00-3:30)
Ticket booth/ Rides	Raewyn G	Candice N Andrea S		Candice N Andrea S
Raffle tickets	Vanessa F	Jana C		Jaimi M
Silent auction	Alisha McG	Sasha O Nat N		Alice S <b>+ one more needed</b>
Devonshire tea	Jo McE	Rebecca H Claire M Adam B <b>+ two more needed</b>		Lisa R <b>+ two more needed</b>
Curry and baked potato stall	Sharon & Trevor C	Philip H Steve R <b>+ one more needed</b>		<b>+ three more needed</b>
Spring roll stall	Allison V-L Andrew W	Steve P Simon O		Emily P Mark J
Produce Stall	Sarah R	Jacinta S Natalie M <b>+ one more needed</b>		
Cake Stall	Kylie A	Lisa F Mel S Jaimee C		Jacinta S Gisela E-W
Plant stall (& wood raffle)	Ben G	<b>+ two more needed</b>		Hayley W
Craft Stall	Nat D	Tenielle W Sylvie M Erin O		Bianca M Anna K <b>+ one more needed</b>
Kids Activities	Beth J	Jess R Cat S		<b>+ two more needed</b>
T-shirt & Crazy Hair stall	Nicole P	Amy J Erinn S		Amy J Erinn S
Trash & Treasure		Laine S Brendan H Andrea F <b>+ one more needed</b>		Tayla M Cait N Christine A <b>+ one more needed</b>
Book Stall	Stacey & Ben R	Stacey R Ben R		<b>+ two more needed</b>
Mystery Jars	Allira D	Wanda B Jacinta H		
Music	Andrew McC Jeff T			
Setting/ packing up		SETTING UP TIME: from 7.30am  Matt S                      Andrew F                      Chris R Sam H                      Jacinta H                      Kerri G Robert A                      Emma A  <b>+ 4 or more needed</b>		Matt S                      Timm B                      Daniel G Andrew F                      Alex B                      Joe F Trudi C  <b>+ 7 or more needed</b>

### Curry Donation Slip

Family name: \_\_\_\_\_

will happily contribute the following curry and will deliver it to Room 4 on the day of the fair.

☐ Butter Chicken ☐ Beef Korma ☐ Red Lentil

I can loan: ☐ Rice cooker ☐ Slow cooker

PLEASE USE THE RECIPES INCLUDED IN THE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



Family name: \_\_\_\_\_ Your child's grade: \_\_\_\_\_

**I pledge to donate:**

☐ Cake. ☐ Slices ☐ Brownies ☐ Tart(s) ☐ Biscuits/cookies  
☐ Scones (24) ☐ Scones (18) ☐ Scones (12) ☐ Whipped cream (Qty: \_\_\_\_\_ )  
☐ Cupcakes ☐ Muffins ☐ Jam ☐ Other (please specify) **Gluten or other tolerance free option**

☐ I can loan \_\_\_\_\_ as display items for the Devonshire Tea.

☐ I can be a stall helper/volunteer on the day (and will have a current Working with Children Check)  
(The stall volunteers list is located outside the Prep room – please choose a timeslot!)

### PRE PURCHASE WRIST BAND ORDER AND PAYMENT

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Wrist Bands required: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$30.00 each

Number of Wristbands required for 3 siblings or more in one family, currently enrolled at Tylden PS \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$25 each

Total Paid: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Cash / EFT Reference: Surname/Wristband

### **ANZAC DAY COMMEMORATION KYNETON**

**Tuesday 25th APRIL at 9.30am**

My child/ren \_\_\_\_\_ will participate in singing the National Anthem at the Kyneton ANZAC Day Ceremony. Children should wear school uniform to this event.

Please return to the office by **Thursday 6th April**.

*We respectfully acknowledge the Traditional Owners of country throughout Victoria*

*and pay respect to the ongoing living cultures of First Peoples.*

**Our School Values are: Integrity—Personal Best—Respect—Friendliness—Resilience—Teamwork—Creativity**

**Tylden Primary School is a Child Safe School.**

