

# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

## TYLDEN PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Term 4 Week 1

Friday 6th Oct 2023

### IMPORTANT DATES

#### OCTOBER

##### Wednesday 11th

Information session about  
Grade 3 camp 3:35—4:15pm

##### Wednesday 18th

School Review parent forum  
3:00pm in the staff room.

##### Thurs 19th & Fri 20th

Gr3 PGL Camp

##### Thurs 26th

House Athletics Sports Day

#### NOVEMBER

##### Tues 14th

2024 Prep Information 7pm

##### Tues 21, 28 & Tues 4, 11 Dec

2024 Prep transition visits  
1:30—3:30pm

##### Mon 27, Wed 29

Swimming program

#### DECEMBER

##### Fri 1, Mon 4, Wed 6, Fri 8

Swimming program

##### Tue 5th

State Tee-ball Championships

##### Thursday 7th

House swimming Sports  
Gr 3—6 only

##### Mon 18th

Grade 6 Graduation 7:30pm

##### Tues 19th

Last day of term 4.  
3.30pm finish

##### Wed 20th

Curriculum Day  
No students at school today.



Tom

Sophie

Hugo

Ms Hughes

Ms MacDonald

### Principal's Message

Dear parents and carers

Welcome to the final term of our very busy year. I hope that you had a restful holiday period and a chance to enjoy the beautiful spring weather. Although we have snapped back to winter this week, I am sure that we will rapidly move into warmer times again soon! Our grade 3 students will have their first camp experience in week 3, an overnight trip to PGL Campaspe Downs. There are often questions from parents /carers about school camp. We will hold an (optional) information session for parents/carers next Wednesday 11th October in the library. Children are welcome to attend as well. The session will start at 3:35pm and last approximately 45minutes.

We have included the date for our annual House Athletics Sports day in this newsletter. We will hold this event on Thursday 26th October. It is a day when families are warmly invited to come along to watch the activities and join their children for a picnic lunch. More details will follow in later newsletters but please mark the date in your diary. You could also start to train for the annual parents vs grade 6 relay challenge! This hotly contested

event is traditionally the last event for the day. (The staff team has also been very competitive in recent years.)

Our school will undergo a School Review this term, with the review panel working at school on Wednesday 19th October and Monday 30th October. The School Review checks our school's achievements over the past 4 years and develops the new Strategic Plan. There will be an parent/carers feedback forum on Wednesday 18th October, prior to pick up time. This gives you an opportunity to give feedback to the review panel about the school. It would be terrific to have lots of families represented at this meeting. Please note this date in your diary.

The Mango Fundraiser order form is attached to this newsletter. Please ask all of your friends and family if they can support this effort. Let's see if we can beat the number of boxes ordered in 2022!

Have a lovely weekend!

Lee MacDonald

Principal

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### TERM 4 CITIZENSHIP AWARD WINNERS



Pictured: L-R Beatrix, Angus & Manny

## CITIZENSHIP AWARD

**Angus A** - Angus is always polite, cheerful and good-natured. He is sensitive to the needs of others and goes out of his way to help them. Angus applies himself to his work in class and always does his best. He consistently demonstrates our school values of Personal Best and Kindness.

**Manny** - Manny is a creative thinker and a good problem solver. He is a caring friend who looks after his peers. Manny makes sure that everyone is included in games and always plays fairly. He consistently demonstrates our school values of Kindness, Creativity and Personal Best.

**Beatrix** - Beatrix is an enthusiastic learner. She puts in her best effort every day at school. Beatrix is a sensitive and caring friend who makes sure that everyone is included in games. She consistently demonstrates our School Values of Kindness and Personal Best.

## FANTASTIC TERM AWARDS



**Adeline** – For trying hard each and every day and putting her best effort into every task she completes.

**Persy** – For putting in a wonderful effort in all areas this term. You have put in the work and the results have been fantastic!

**Willie** – For displaying dedication and hard work to all areas of your learning. You have produced some fantastic work this semester.

**Will S** - Well done on a fantastic term, you have worked hard and made great progress. Keep up the good work.

**Scott** – You have worked so hard this term and it is great to see you use your ‘can do’ attitude. Well done for doing your personal best!

**Hugh** – You are an amazing role model to all students in our school. You give 100% to everything you do. The effort you put in has allowed you to achieve outstanding results in all areas.

**Performing Arts – Zoe** – Congratulations on a fantastic term. You are a conscientious and committed student who always gives your best. Well done. Keep it up!

**German Heidi**-Heidi consistently works hard in German classes and is always keen to know more. Excellent work Heidi!

**ICT Riley** – Well done for a wonderful term of work in ICT. You always complete tasks and show great enthusiasm in this subject.

## IMPROVEMENT TERM AWARDS



**Cooper** – For working hard at finishing all tasks. Your improvement in concentration has shown in all aspects of your work.

**Henry J**-For stepping up and putting in a wonderful effort this term. You are beginning to show some great leadership skills and your focus during class has really improved. Well done!

**Annabelle** – For working hard in all areas of your learning. I am proud of your reading progress this term and can't wait to see where it takes you.

**Gypsy-Pearl** – For putting in great effort with your classwork. You are starting to see some great results. Keep it going!

**Alexander** -You have made a great improvement in producing more work during writing sessions this term. You have included interesting vocabulary that engages your reader and written some amazing pieces. Well done Alexander.

**Abi R** – You are the ultimate quiet achiever. The improvement in math fact knowledge has allowed you to make great progress this term. Keep working hard!!

**Performing Arts – Lydia** – You are always attentive, co-operative and keen to do well in all aspects of Performing Arts. You are a great role model to your peers. Well done.

**German Madison**-Madison works hard in every class. She is more confident to speak German and this is fantastic! Keep working hard!

**ICT – Elsie** – You always show a positive attitude to all aspects of ICT. Well done!



## THIS WEEK IN OUT OF HOURS SCHOOL CARE

Hi all & welcome to term 4!

We have had a cracking start to the term this week.

We made it outside at the start of the week to enjoy the sunshine while it lasted. Georgia started up a game of cricket with Adeline, Peyton, George, Rosalie and Flynn. It was so much fun, and everyone displayed great sportsmanship.

Once the weather cooled down a bit, we had to relocate to the shed. We played all sorts of fun group games like fruit salad, octopus, skittle dodgeball and duck, duck, goose!

Inside, Julian made an awesome mask, Miles, Remi and Julian made a marvellous creation and Ava held a story time with George, Alena, Rosalie, Caleb and Gwenny.

We were very busy bees in the kitchen as well, we baked some scones and some fairy bread biscuits as a suggestion from Evie and Maddie.

With that being said, I thought I'd give you a run down on this terms theme. We are wanting to base this term around student voice and so the theme will be 'what we like to do'. Students can make suggestions on what activities they want to do, the things they want to have for afternoon tea or things we can bake. We will be having lots of conversations around what students like to do outside of school and we will see how we can incorporate that into our program! We would also love to hear from our parents! If you have any suggestions, please speak to any of the staff and we will try to make it happen.

PLEASE NOTE: as the days get warmer and we spend more time outside, we will be taking the iPad outside with us, so please check in with a staff member as you sign your children out.

Have a great weekend everyone and we will see you next week. Hannah



## TYLDEN PRIMARY SCHOOL & COLIBAN WATER WORKING TOGETHER



A Healthy Coliban Catchment and Tylden School:

Tylden Primary School Senior students and Prep students recently helped improve the health of the Coliban River catchment. This part of the project is to grow indigenous plants for revegetation along the Little Coliban River during 2023. The Healthy Coliban Catchment rehabilitation program is supported by the North Central CMA, Coliban Water and the Victorian Government's Landcare Program.

## COMMUNITY NEWS

**AFTER SCHOOL  
PROGRAM 2023  
EQUINE ASSISTED  
LEARNING  
FOR KIDS**

**Wednesdays**  
 4.00pm - 5.00pm  
 Tylden, 10 mins from Woodend  
 Kyneton and Trentham

**SEE  
WEBSITE  
FOR MORE  
DETAILS**

Individual and shared  
sessions also available  
by appointment

Fun activities with horses that help with life skills such as  
 regulation, anxiety, movement, social interaction & confidence  
**CALM · AWARENESS · BOUNDARIES · HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS**  
**POSITIVE THINKING · FEELINGS · FACING CHALLENGES**

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### AN INITIATIVE TO SUPPORT OUR LOCAL COMMUNITY.

Kyneton Baptist Church, Sunbury and Cobaw Community Health and the Macedon Ranges Shire have partnered together to support local families this Christmas.

### WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT!

This year we are providing families with gift cards to spend at our local businesses. We need your financial help to make this possible. Donations can be made at Bendigo Bank Branches and via bank transfer by 14th November 2023. Find us on Facebook for more details.



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 A community initiative of the Macedon Ranges

Supporting local families at Christmas

*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**





## Fresh North Queensland Mangoes

Direct from the farm to you!

## Support Our Mango Fundraiser

If you *love mangoes*, here's your chance to indulge in fresh juicy Kensington Pride mangoes and support our fundraising drive.

We are selling trays of mangoes picked and packed during the premium harvest. Delivery is expected in early December.

### Mango Fundraiser

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

I would like to order \_\_\_\_ tray/s of mangoes

I have enclosed/transferred \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Bank details:** BSB 063-517 Account No: 10031412

**Ref:** Surname/Mangoes

**Account Name:** Tylden Primary School

**Cash or Eftpos at the office**