



# TERARA TIMES

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Dear parents,

Our Year 6 students celebrated in style at their Year 6 farewell last Friday. Congratulations to all of Year 6 on a lovely evening of dinner and dancing.

Thank you to their parents for making the event special particularly those who provided food. A special thank you to Mrs Armstrong and Mrs Brown for the many hours they spent preparing the food and cleaning up, and of course to Mrs J for her hard work ensuring everything on the evening was just right! It was a fitting farewell for our wonderful Year 6 students. The staff join me in wishing each of them all the very best for high school and beyond. This week also marks the end of an era for many of our long established families who have children moving onto high school. Thank you for everything you have done over the years to make Terara School a better place. I hope you reflect upon your time at Terara with much fondness.

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As the school year draws to a close, let me thank you for another fantastic year at Terara Public School. The school has been supported so strongly this year. Students have thrived as a result of the collaboration between parents and staff. Each of our students are to be congratulated on an outstanding year and every child should be proud of their efforts.

Recent tragedies in the media have reminded us all just how truly precious our children are. Have a great Christmas and enjoy this special time of year with your beautiful families.

Merry Christmas,

Rod White

Principal

WEEK 11

TERM 4

Monday 17th  
December

### IMPORTANT DATES

This Wednesday 19th Dec:

Final Day of School.

Wednesday 30th Jan

Years 1 - 6 begin

Thursday 31st Jan

Kindergarten Begin

*Wishing all our  
students and their fami-  
lies a happy Christ-  
mas from the staff of  
Terara Public School*

## Yearbook

Our school yearbook is close to being finalised and will be sent off to the printers this week. Those who have paid for a copy will have theirs posted out next week. Last orders will be taken tomorrow!

## Home Reading

Our Principal's morning tea will be held tomorrow for students who have read for 50 nights this term. Congratulations to those who have read at home throughout the year and thank you to the parents

## Literacy Legends

Our Literacy Legends and Reading Recovery students had a lovely celebration at the University of Wollongong, Shoalhaven Campus on Friday. Thank you once again to our wonderful tutors and students who all worked so hard throughout the year.

## School Surveys

Thank you to the parents who have already returned school surveys that went home last week.

If you haven't already done so, please return them before Wednesday. More copies are available in the office if needed.

## Go Play (repeat)

The *School A-Z* website provides some great ideas for parents. Check it out at

<http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/home>.

Or, check out the range of fun, family-friendly holiday activities at <http://goplay.nsw.gov.au/>

## K/1 News

K/1 please bring in a STRONG bag to put books in.

Thank you.

## YEARBOOK

Please order a yearbook for our family

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

Number of Copies required: \_\_\_\_\_

Total cost @ \$12 ea: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

