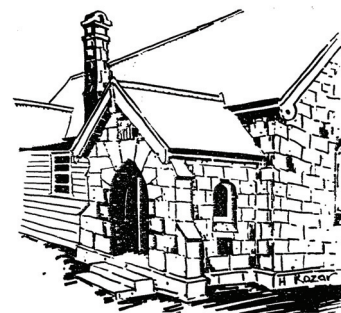




# TERARA TIMES

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Dear all,

Our annual Welcome BBQ will be held next Friday evening, commencing at 6pm. Please bring a plate of something sweet or savoury to share, as well as your own cutlery, crockery, extra nibblies, fold up chairs and picnic blankets for your comfort. The P&C kindly provide free sausages for the BBQ. Please complete the attached slip by the 29th Feb so we can order sausages.

Congratulations to all our primary students who attended and participated in the Small Schools Swimming Carnival last week. Despite all getting a little wetter than expected, it was a lovely day, thank you to the parents and staff who assisted throughout the carnival and to Greenwell Point School for organising the day. Congratulations to all our place getters, particularly Alannah who was awarded age champion.

We wish Stephen, Alannah, Emily C, Iszi and Colbee all the best for the district carnival next Tuesday.

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Each term our staff participate in combined staff meetings as part of the *Shoalhaven River Learning Community*. Last week I attended a wonderful session on developing stronger links between primary schools and high schools, something we have been working on for some time. This Thursday Mrs J and I are attending a session about a Nowra High School initiative called *Scientifically Speaking*. I will provide feedback in next week's bulletin.

Have a great week,

Rod White

Principal

WEEK 5

TERM 1

Monday 20th  
February

*Tuesday*

1/2 library

After School Sport

*Wednesday*

3/4 library

Kinder meeting 3:10

Tuckshop

*Thursday*

Scripture

*Friday*

5/6 library

Tuckshop

*Next Monday 27th Feb*

K/1 library

Welcome BBQ  
next Friday 2nd  
March!  
All welcome!

## **Tuckshop**

Attached to the bulletin you will find a new tuckshop menu for Term 1 2012. We are trialling some new items in an attempt to add more variety. Thank you to those who have volunteered to assist and to Nat Speechley for coordinating the tuckshop once again.

Special: We have some Tukka Tubz (frozen meals - spaghetti and meatballs or macaroni) that have not sold from last year and are approaching their used by date. They are selling for \$1.00 each. Your child can order one this Wednesday or you can contact Ruth to take some home.

Tuckshop will operate for recess and lunch each Wednesday and Friday, commencing this week.

## **Hockey Gala Day**

A reminder to 3/4 students that note and money is now overdue. Please ensure payment is made ASAP. Students who have paid for mouthguards will be given them on the day.

## **Congratulations!**

Last week Stephen competed in the District trials for cricket and AFL. He was successful in AFL and will now participate in the zone trials next week. Congratulations on a busy week of sport, Stephen!

## **Active Afternoon Sport**

Sport has commenced for this term, students participating need to have a hat and a spare bottle of water is recommended.

## **Letter of Support**

This week's Bulletin includes a letter asking all members of the Terara School Community to support the removal of a tree from the playground.

Please read the letter carefully and if you decide you want to support us please feel free to sign our support sheet near the front office or place the tear off slip in the school letter box or send it in with your child.

Thank you for your support.

R. Jamieson

## **Student Council 2012**

Congratulations to the following students who have been elected to represent our 2012 Council:

Kinder	- Sam S and Neeve
Yr 1	- Ashleigh, Llandyn and Sheridan
Yr 2	- Kobey and Emily
Yr 3	- Sienna and Ashlan
Yr 4	- Keira and Colbee
Yr 5	- Georgia and Benny
Yr 6	- Alannah and Matt

We know they will do a superb job and will continue to be excellent role models for their peers. Badges will be presented during a school assembly in Week 7.

## **Text Books**

Thank you to the many parents who have made payment for textbooks. Please ensure payment is finalised by the end of the week as classes are now using the books.

## 1/2 Interviews

As mentioned in last week's bulletin, this year parents will be asked to meet with their child's teacher for interviews in Term 1, rather than Term 2.

The first class with interviews will be 1/2, to be held next Tuesday 28th Feb. Today 1/2 students received a slip to indicate the most convenient time for parents. We will endeavour to schedule a time as close as possible to your preferred time but if this is not suitable please liaise with the school to make a more convenient time.

## Kindergarten Meeting

A reminder to parents of Kindergarten children that we will be meeting this Wednesday at 3:10pm to discuss a range of topics including the Best Start assessment that your child took part in recently.

It would be appreciated if toddlers and school children are not in attendance please.

## P & C Patter

Last Tuesday night at our first meeting we had 14 parent/carers attend. Lots of topics were discussed and dates set for events for this year.

The first event to be held this year is our Welcome BBQ, on Friday 2nd March 6pm. Please bring along a picnic blanket and basket - it would also be great if families could please contribute either a salad or dessert. The P & C would like numbers for those attending by 29th February for catering purposes.

Mrs J and staff are rallying around to have the camphor laurel tree removed from the playground, please show your support by signing the petition and getting as many signatures as we can.

The P & C meeting also had the Country Fair meeting incorporated, how exciting and how quick 3 years comes around! We are still looking for a coordinator, if you are interested please come along to the next Country Fair meeting - Tuesday 28th February @ South Nowra McDonalds starting at 7.30pm.

Belinda Chittleborough.

Secretary.

## Welcome BBQ

(indication of numbers only)

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

Number attending:

Adults: (including self) \_\_\_\_\_

Children: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Date: \_\_\_\_\_