



TERARA TIMES

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TERM 1 WEEK 7

Monday, 11th March, 2019

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

High School Expressions of Interest

Students in Year 6 will today receive their high school Expression of Interest forms for Year 7 in 2020. Transition to high school is an important point in your child's education. The process involves various transition activities throughout the year and close cooperation between primary and high schools to support your child and give them the best start to their secondary education. Most NSW government schools have local enrolment areas. Your child's permanent residential address determines which is your local school. We have entered your local school on your child's form. Please sign and return the form to school if your child will be attending your local high school. If you do not wish your child to attend your local school, you will need to indicate this in the appropriate section of the form with reasons to support your choice. I am happy to discuss any matters concerning high school selection or completion of the form. Please call in or phone the office to make an appointment. Forms must be returned to school by next Tuesday, 19th March 2019.

Cross Country Carnival Coming Up Soon

The Small Schools Cross Country Carnival is coming up in Week 11. Our students began their training a few weeks ago, with the aim of winning the trophy for the second year. The Willandra course allows anyone keen to do some training to use their grounds for a small donation. So, if your child would like to do a bit extra, and train on some hills rather than our flat school grounds, they will be welcome.

Pass the Poetry Please

This highly recommended show will be presented at our school this Wednesday. Please return the permission note and money if you haven't yet done so. I'm sure it will be very entertaining and a great incentive for students to develop their language skills while appreciating the poetry presented, and be inspired to create some of their own.

Harmony Day

Our school will be celebrating Harmony Day on Friday 22nd March. The Student Representative Council (SRC) have decided they would like to celebrate the theme, *We all Belong*, by sampling some food from the cultures and backgrounds of all those who attend our school. Families are invited to send in food that students in their class or across the school can try. Students can also wear traditional dress from their culture or background or they can wear orange clothing – the Harmony Day colour. If you would like to contribute food to our Harmony Day celebration, please complete the form on the back of this newsletter and return it to school by next Monday, 18th March. We look forward to a wonderful, multi-cultural day of harmony.

Deb Sansom—Principal

This Week's Events:

Wed 13/3	Pass The Poetry Performance P & C Meeting 6.30 pm
Thurs	Music Lessons
Fri	Assembly 1/2G hosting

Events Coming Up:

Fri 22/3	Harmony Day Celebrations
Fri 29/3	RSPCA School Visit
Tues 9/4	Small Schools Cross Country Carnival—Willandra



SCHOOL VALUES AWARD

Congratulations to the winners of last week's Froggy draw—Lana & Ava!
The focus for this week is to
"be the best you can be"



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DONATIONS WANTED

Easter Eggs

Thank you to all families who have donated yummy Easter treats for our annual Easter Egg Raffle.

The more eggs we receive the more prizes we will have to give away ! ☺

Thank you also to the families who have already sold their raffle ticket book. If you think you can sell more we have more books available from the school office.

The more books we sell the more money we raise! ☺

Thanks for supporting this SRC fundraiser.



P & C MEETING

The next P & C Meeting is on this **Wednesday, 13th March** commencing at **6.30 pm** in **5/6 classroom**. This is our **AGM** and all executive positions will be declared vacant. If you have been thinking that you would like to become more involved with our school and the P&C now is a really good time to come along and see how it all works. There is no pressure to take on a role. It is just great if you come along. **Everyone is welcome.**

Membership of the P&C costs just \$1 per year and this gives you the right to vote. Come along and hear about the great things our P&C do and have planned for our school this year.



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22nd March 2019

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HARMONY DAY



Friday, 22nd March

FOOD FROM MY CULTURE

Help us celebrate **Harmony Day** here at school by bringing in food from your culture/family background to share. If you would like to contribute food to our harmony day celebration on Friday, 22nd March please indicate below and return to the school office by **Monday, 18th March**.

Child's Name:

Class:

I would like to contribute to the Harmony Day celebration and will provide the following food to share:

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TERARA TUCKSHOP—\$6 MEAL DEAL

Friday, 15th March

CHICKEN NUGGETS & CHIPS

☐ Home bake OR ☐ Mini Fruit Salad

Fruit Poppa

☐ Apple ☐ Orange ☐ Tropical ☐ Apple/Blackcurrent

**VEGETARIAN AND OTHER MENU OPTIONS ARE AVAILABLE
VIA THE MY SCHOOL CONNECT APP**

Student Name:

Class:

Amount enclosed: \$

Parent/Care Contact No:

Please return orders to the school office by
Wednesday, 13th March

NO LATE ORDERS CAN BE ACCEPTED



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