

Dear Parents,

Toy Run

On Tuesday morning we hosted the official launch of the 'Gippsland Toy Run' with the local motorcycle groups, local member of Parliament Mr Russell Northe, Latrobe City councillor Michael Rossiter and the Salvation Army's Ashley Proctor. The toy run is a tremendous initiative that gives less privileged families and children a happier holiday season. It was great to see so many donated gifts from the community to kick-start their efforts. Thanks to everyone that was able to donate and be here for the launch.

Full Term Ahead

There never seems to be a quiet term anymore and this term is no different. With swimming, concert, graduation, reports and the list goes on. Please keep an eye out on the Dates to Remember section to ensure you are kept up to date. We will continue to keep you as up to date as much as possible through the newsletter, notes, Facebook and the school notice board.

Thanks for the Warm Welcome

It's been heart warming to have so many students and families take time out of their day to come and introduce themselves or to say hi on my first few days. I really look forward to working with the wonderful staff and families of the Traralgon South community to improve the learning of every student here at the school.

Join Me For A Cuppa

I'd like to invite all families to join me a cuppa in the staffroom next Wednesday at 9:00am. I know this time will not suit everyone but there will be more in following weeks. Although this will be an informal gathering, it may give families a better opportunity to talk and possibly set up some meeting times if they would like. If you are unable to make this time but would like to set up a meeting, please contact me at the office.

Thanks

Lastly, thanks to Matt Snell for his work during Term 3. I have had several discussions with Matt at the end of the term and also when I have returned from LSL. Thankyou too to Miss Bone and Mrs Travers for filling in as I returned from my camping holiday through the outback last week.

Adam Downes - Principal

YOU CAN DO IT STUDENT OF THE WEEK AWARDS For Week Ending 9th October 2015



Prep/1	Matilda Peck	For thinking hard and making connections in maths.
1/2	Aidan Prior	For working hard at staying on task.
2/3	Lizzie Ralph	For a positive start to Term 4 and being willing to try all activities.
4/5	Lachie Matthews	For demonstrating good leadership qualities during group work.
5/6	Oly Sturre	For excellent concentration throughout all activities.
Art/Music	Brodie Morris	For working well on learning a new skill to paper mache.
	Penny Matthews	For her excellent concentration working on her dot painting.
P.E.	Georgie Lambert Phoebe Miller Teagan Schoolderman Blake Henry	For showing determination and perseverance to skip continuously for thirty five minutes.

DATES TO REMEMBER

20 th Oct	Tue	P&F Lunch Orders Due In – 9:00am
22 nd Oct	Thu	P&F Lunch Day
30 th Oct	Thu	Final swimming session
2 nd Nov	Mon	Student Free Day
3 rd Nov	Tue	Melbourne Cup Day - Public Holiday



LATROBE VALLEY HOCKEY ASSOCIATION INC with the assistance of
TRARALGON HOCKEY CLUB



LVHA and THC will be running a JUNIOR summer hockey programme on
Wednesday evenings from 7 October 2015 to 8 December 2015 at Churchill Hockey
Field, Federation University, McDonald Way, Churchill.

Open to all players under the age of 18.

The programme will allow players to play a modified game in a social setting with a
view to maintaining skills and having fun. We also welcome any new junior players
who may want to come and have a go. All new players must purchase a Hockey
Victoria Summer Individual Membership. You must register before you play as you
are not covered by Personal Accident Insurance. (If you have a winter registration
you are not required to re-register.)

Additionally there is a cost to LVHA of \$10 for everyone.

Commences at 5.00 pm.

There will be training to develop passing, positioning and defensive skills and then
games of 30 minutes.

If you are interested make sure you are registered with Hockey Vic and turn up on 7
October 2015.

Bring a white t-shirt, black t-shirt, water bottle, mouth guard, shin pads and a hockey
stick (if you do not have a hockey stick one will be provided).

For further enquiries please phone Anita Charles 0428164628.

Maths Challenge

Last week's encouragement certificate was awarded to Anya Robinson. It would be terrific to see greater participation this week. Remember the strategies you can use: draw pictures, use play money or real money, make the problem simpler, work in a table or pattern, guess and check or writing number sentences. Many different approaches may be used, just as you can present your solution in different ways. Let's cover the challenge board this week PLEASE!

It Could Be Verse Puzzle

The Puzzle:



Horace bought some cakes today
As explained in this song.
Now, as he took his change away
He thought that it was wrong.
Some of the cakes were 30 cents,
And 40 cents the rest.
\$1.50 change just made no sense,
It caused him great unrest.
Ten dollars he gave to pay for them:
Those 30 and 40c cakes.
But he wants us to say for him
How many of each did he take ?

How many ways can this be done ?
What is the greatest number of cakes Horace could have bought ?

THE NEXT P & F LUNCH DAY
"THURSDAY 22nd October"
Hot Dogs & Milkshakes

Orders must be in blue box at the office no later than
9:00am Tuesday 20th October
but why not get your order in early so you don't forget!

Please ensure that **EACH CHILD HAS THEIR OWN ENVELOPE**, these envelopes are given back to each class for the kids to bring with them when they collect their food. Envelopes must clearly state child's name, their class, lunch order and total amount enclosed.

LUNCH MENU

Hot Dog	\$2.50
Add cheese	.50

SNACKS (will be given at recess)

Choc Chip Mini Muffin	\$1.00
Double choc mini Muffin	\$1.00

DRINKS

Choc Milkshake	\$3.50
Strawberry Milkshake	\$3.50

Pop Tops

Apple Blackcurrant	\$2.00
Wild Berry	\$2.00
Tropical	\$2.00
Orange	\$2.00



Thanks for your support for the launch of the 2015 Toy Run.

