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PRINCIPAL REPORT...

End of Term 1:

Due to the Good Friday public holiday, Term 1 will conclude at 1pm on Thursday 6 April. Being a shorter week, our regular end-of-term assembly will not be conducted. I wish everyone in our school community a great Easter break with your loved ones and hope you get some time to rest and relax.

As previously communicated, please also be aware that Monday 24 April will be a School Council approved student free day, and Tuesday 25 April is the ANZAC Day public holiday. Therefore, Term 2 resumes for students on Wednesday 26 April.

Thank You:

I would like to take this opportunity to publicly recognise and thank Kassie Meall for her generosity of time and supply of various resources in our school vegetable garden. Following on from some improvements made in the latter half of 2022, over the previous month Kassie has put in a huge effort to ensure this space continues to thrive, and for this we are very grateful. Thanks Kassie!

Reminder (re) 2023 Curriculum Contributions:

As per our [Parent Payment Policy](#), we politely request parents pay curriculum contributions (\$160 per child) and other optional contributions by **Tuesday 28 February 2023**. Given the current financial climate, we are very open to families making alternative payment arrangements, such as paying a smaller amount each week/fortnight, paying in instalments, or in other ways that suit your individual context. Please ask as we are very willing to work in partnership with you.

Schools provide students with **free instruction** to fulfil the standard Victorian Curriculum, with the financial support through curriculum and other optional contributions from our families helping to ensure that our school can offer the best possible education for our students.

Payments can be made via cash at our General Office. Unfortunately, we do not have EFTPOS facilities at the school, though payments can also be made via direct deposit to our school

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account below. Please also include a description of the related item you are making a payment for in the reference field. For example, 'Student name: 2023 School Contributions'

Account Name: Traralgon South Primary School

BSB: 083 001

Account Number: 387779521

Take care,

Joel Blythman

Photo of Grade 5/6 enjoying our Shade Sail area and the beautiful weather on Monday.



School Photos

If you would like to order a School Captain, House Captains or Junior School Council photo you can do this by logging in on the John Ansell website <https://johnansell.com.au/> and entering your access key code you had for the school photos. Contact me if you need this again as I have a list. You can also order extra school photos if required in the same way.

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DATES TO REMEMBER...

6 th April	Thursday	Last Day of Term 1 – 1:00pm Dismissal
24 th April	Monday	Student Free Day (First day of Term 2)
25 th April	Tuesday	ANZAC Day Public Holiday
9 th May	Tuesday	District Cross Country
16 th May	Tuesday	Student Free Day
29 th May – 31 st May	Monday - Wednesday	Years 5 & 6 Camp – Phillip Island

Cross Country

The District cross country event will be held on Tuesday May 9th at Traralgon South Cricket Club. As students do not start back until the 26th of April, I won't be able to train them that week as I work Monday and Tuesday. The following week I am undertaking professional development and won't be at school on Monday the 1st or Tuesday the 2nd. Therefore, I am asking that parents support their children to do cross country training over the holidays, for the children who wish to compete in the District cross country event. It is a voluntary activity so only those wanting to compete need to train.

9/10 year olds run 2 kms

11/12/13's run 3 kms

Happy holidays everyone.

Krissy Travers

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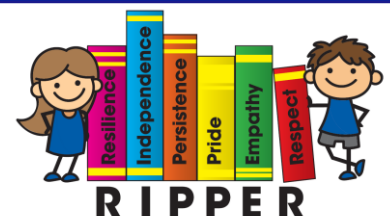
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RIPPER STUDENT AWARDS...



Prep/1	Archie H	For showing persistence to learn letter sounds and formation. Well done.
1/2	Hadley K	For showing respect and empathy towards her classmates.
2/3	Felicity P	For listening to instructions and putting in her best effort at all times.
4/5	Thomas W	For showing greater independence and following expectations in the classroom, and for showing great sportsmanship at the District Sports.
5/6	Mia P	For showing persistence and independence to complete the Maths task without using a calculator.
Art	Lachie H	For demonstrating skill creating a smooth, well shaped pinch pot.
PE	Vinnie W	For always being a positive independent worker in PE.
Auslan	Olivia L	For showing persistence to learn signs in Auslan.
School Captains	Buddy D	For being resilient when he got hurt.

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NETBALL VICTORIA
COMMUNITY CLINICS

TRARALGON

THURS 20 APRIL
GIPPSLAND REGIONAL INDOOR SPORTS STADIUM

1pm - 3pm | 7-10yrs
1pm - 3pm | 11-13yrs
1pm - 3pm | Boys Only

Cost: \$30

REGISTER NOW



NETBALL VICTORIA
COMMUNITY CLINICS

BOYS ONLY

KILSYTH
Tuesday 18 April

TRARALGON
Thursday 20 April

SALE
Thursday 20 April

REGISTER NOW



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START PLAYING

LEARN THE BASICS, FIND YOUR FEET AND MAKE A BUNCH OF NEW FRIENDS AT YOUR LOCAL WOOLWORTHS NETSETGO CENTRE.

PLAY NETBALL

Woolworths net set go

For more information please contact: Netsetgo@traralgonnetball.com.au

AGE: 5-10 Years old (Girls and Boys)
WHEN: Term 1 - 29th April 2023
Saturday Mornings 8.45 - 9.45am
COST \$110 includes Participation Pack
WHERE: Agnes Brereton Netball Courts, Breed Street, Traralgon

REGISTER NOW USING NETBALL CONNECT APP
<https://registration-netball.squadi.com/login>

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STAY LOCAL

Free school holiday activities
for the entire family.



Kubo Coding

Ages 6 to 10.

Tuesday 11 April

Churchill Library: 10am to 11am

Traralgon Library: 3pm to 4pm

Tuesday 18 April

Moe Library 10am to 11am

Morwell Library: 3pm to 4pm

Easter Egg Hunt

Families.

Wednesday 5 April

All libraries: 4pm to 5pm

Y2K Game Day

Ages 12 to 17.

Wednesday 12 April

Traralgon Library 1pm to 3pm

Wednesday 19 April

Moe Library 1pm to 3pm

Lego Lab

Ages 6+.

Thursday 13 April

Traralgon Library: 9.30am to 11.30am

Churchill Library: 2.30pm to 4.30pm

Thursday 20 April

Moe Library: 9.30am to 11.30am

Morwell Library: 2.30pm to 4.30pm

Wacky Wombats

Primary school aged children.

Friday 14 April

Traralgon Library: 10.30am to 12noon

Moe Library: 2pm to 3.30pm

Family Movies

Ages 8+.

Monday 17 April

Moe Library 10am to 12noon

Friday 21 April

Morwell Library 10am to 12noon

Pot & Paint Workshop

All ages.

Friday 21 April

Traralgon Centre Plaza: 11am to 1pm



Bookings required.
Book at Eventbrite or
your local library.



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