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College Calendar

Tuesday August 15

Secondary Interhouse Athletics

Friday August 18

Primary Cluster Athletics

2024 Subject selection forms due

Monday August 21 & 22

Yr 10 Drivers Ed

Friday August 25

Foundation 2024 'Come & Try' Day

Book Week & Iconic Duos Dress up day

Wednesday August 30

Mallee Division Secondary Athletics

Purpose Statement

& Values

To provide a safe, positive and challenging environment where everyone aspires to aim high and become responsible, caring and contributing community members.

Respect

Responsibility

Honesty

Aim High

Term Dates

Term 1:	30 Jan - 06 Apr 2023
Term 2:	24 Apr - 23 Jun 2023
Term 3:	10 Jul - 15 Sep 2023
Term 4:	02 Oct - 20 Dec 2023



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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Acknowledgement

We acknowledge the Wergaia peoples as the traditional custodians of the lands upon which Tyrrell College is situated. We pay our respects to their elders - past, present, and emerging – and we acknowledge their deep care of the lands we live on. We also acknowledge that for tens of thousands of years our First Nation's peoples have engaged in - and passed on - excellent teaching and learning practices on the spaces upon which our community members learns today.

Dear Students and Families.

Open Day

Many thanks to everyone who was able to attend the Working Bee last Sunday and to everyone who ensured our school was in pristine condition for the Open Day on Thursday.

2024 Planning

Our planning for the 2024 school year is well underway with the Subject Selection Handbook being distributed and the Parent Information Session held last Monday evening for next year's Alan Coffey Year 10, 11 and 12 students. A reminder for those Principal families that the subject selection forms are due next Friday 18 August. We will commence developing the subject blocks based upon the subjects selected by the students the following week. If you don't get your form in before then, you may have limited choices on your subject selection for next year. Our Careers Team of Tarsh Hickey and Danni Ryan have managed a hectic schedule this week to meet with almost all families to provide advice and discuss the pathways for our senior students.

In addition to the staff vacancies we have advertised, we are bringing together the intentions of our current staff to develop our work force plan for next year.

Our primary team have been holding Foundation "Come and Try" days this term in readiness for next year. I am pleased to inform you that Mr. Leigh Waterman will be our Foundation teacher for 2024.

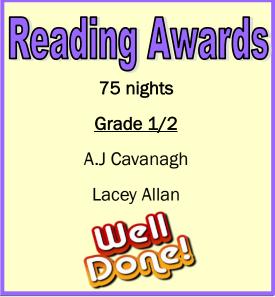
Take Your Marks...

Next week both our primary and secondary students will be participating in their respective athletics carnivals. Please come along and encourage and support the students. I know the primary students openly display their appreciation and the secondary students appreciate the support but are a little more reluctant to express their appreciation.

We Want You to Tell Us What You Think!!

As mentioned in last week's newsletter, our school is conducting a survey to find out what parents / caregivers / guardians think of our school. All eightyeight families are invited to participate in the survey. The survey is optional, but we encourage all families to participate. The survey will remain open until Friday 8 September.

The survey link is https://www.orima.com.au/parent and individual family PINs will be distributed today via SMS. If you do not receive your PIN please contact the Front Office.



SPEED FIELD D&YS,





A big thank you to Trudy Symes and Mrs Durie for setting up the amazing Tyrrell College stand.

Congratulations to Mikayla Halliday for being one of the winners of the Speed Field Days colouring competition, she submitted a beautiful bright colouring of the New Holland tractor. There were lots of amazing submissions so well done to all the other Tyrrell College students who submitted their colouring pages.

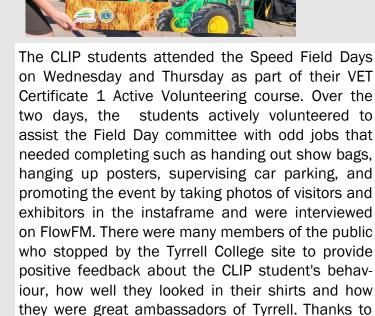


SPEED FIELD D&YS

On Wednesday last week we had a whole school excursion to the Speed Field Days. We had lovely weather for the day and all the students had a fantastic time visiting a number of interesting sites, admiring the large machinery and gaining some free merchandise. Thanks to all the staff who attended and helped out with the students on the day. Thanks also to Mr Griffiths for organising the event.



SPEED FIELD D&YS



Ms Matthews for organising and assisting the stu-

dents.

MALLEE MACHINERY FIELD DAYS



The Ag plot has had lots of busy bees so far this term. The Foundation - Year 6 students and the Year 8's and 9's have so far prepared the garden beds, sown the garden beds and the wicking beds, and transplanted the plants from the food ladder system into the wicking beds.



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The 9 chickens that hatched last term were moved into the big chicken pen as they were all hens!!

The winter weeding was smashed out by the excellent work of the Year 8's and the Year 9's have finished building their calf enclosure for their arrival in August.







Lastly, the Primary's and Year 8's are patiently awaiting their mushrooms to grow in the dark.





On Tuesday the 1st of August, Tom and Campbell from the Royal Flying Doctor's Educational Unit visited Tyrrell college with a plane simulator. The visit was both educational and interactive.

Students learnt about the history of the RFDS and John Flynn had the idea to create the service. We learnt about the pedal radio and how the radios were also used by the students to access the school of the air. Students were then provided with opportunities to tour the simulator and use the interactive equipment. The kindy kids also joined in and had a great time on the plane. Thank you to everyone who made a gold coin donation for the BBQ which raised money for the RFDS.



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A huge thank you to the many teachers and families that came and helped at our working bee last Sunday. We had a great tidy up and was an excellent effort by all! Go team Tyrrell!

Mr Coffey	Mr & Mrs Summerhayes	Mr Leo
Mrs Amos	Mrs Wight, Zander, Kayden & Isla	Scott and Finn Austerberry
Mrs Durie	Trudy, Matt, Jada & Cooper Symes	Darren Allan
Mr Ron	Tarsh	Mr & Mrs Kelly
Mrs Cook	Shani, Charlotte & Evie Gallagher	Chris and Melissa Pearce
Mr White	Matt, Oscar, Ewan & Max Conlan	Kim McInerney





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Providing opportunity for students to succeed Check out our new Tyrrell College Website. A one stop shop for all information regarding our school!

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HAVE YOU CHECKED YET?

Parents need to monitor their child's hair weekly as Headlice are very active critters and can move in at any time, they can lay over 50 eggs in the span of a week. Within 7-10 days these eggs hatch and new hatchlings are capable of laying eggs themselves within 18 days.

If anyone would like to know how to conduct the "conditioner comb through" checking method, please don't hesitate to contact me at school Tue. Wed. Thur Ph: (03) 50702106.

Checking and treating headlice is a parent's responsibility not the schools, however we are happy to give advice and demonstrate the correct technique for detecting and treating headlice.

If you detect headlice in your child you are obligated to notify the school and to keep your child home until you have started treating the headlice. A completed *Notification of Treatment* form should accompany your child's return to school.

Remember that once headlice are detected, your child's hair requires treating every 7 days for 3 weeks to completely eradicate Headlice, as the treatment solution doesn't kill the eggs which will hatch after 7 days. It takes 16 days for the newly hatched lice to turn into an egg laying adult.

If you are experiencing financial difficulty and need to treat headlice please contact the school to explore avenues of help.

Carol Elliot- School Nurse

WINTER UNIFORM

A reminder that in Terms 2 and 3 students are to wear the winter uniform. If your child is out-ofuniform for any reason, they must bring a note from home in their diary.

Please call the Front Office for more information on the uniform policy. School beanies are available for purchase also.





TOKEN MOMENT WINNERS

Year 11:

Year 12:

<u>11.08.2023</u>

Foundation:	Lincoln Shaw	Year 9:

Grade 1/2: Lacey Allan Year 10:

Messer Bailey

Grade 3/4:

Grade 5/6: Alyssa Smith

- Year 7: Phoebe Bailey
- Year 8: Darcey Hodgson



- Jada Symes
- Scarlett McGarry

Amber Jackson

Tom Mitchell





Happy Birthday to the following students who are celebrating a birthday this week:

> August 6: Cooper Symes

DIM SIMS FOR SALE

ON THURSDAYS

The Year 10 students will again be selling Dim Sims at lunchtime each Thursday until the end of August as a fundraiser for their Driver Education excursion. Costs will be \$1.00 per Dim Sim.

Orders to be in to front office or school Cafeteria by **9am Thursday mornings**, Primary order forms will be available for students on a Wednesday to take home to be completed.



SSL FAMILY FESTIVAL FUNDRAISING

Supp lotto winners for the Year 9 SSL Family Festival of Fun fundraising. Congratulations to all the winners so far!

Week 2-

Brooke McClelland (12) and Graham Jolly (8)

Week 3-

Andrea Rampling (17) and Andrew Donnan (20)

Week 4-

John Summerhayes (31) and Ash Wright (9)

The students will catch up with the winners to give them their prizes.





SEA LAKE/ WOOMELANG CRICKET CLUB

Expressions of Interests for players and coaches for the 2023-24 Cricket season are now open. Can everyone (seniors and juniors) who would like to play cricket this season please let Shauna Cox know ASAP.

Contact can be made through:

- Messaging the Sea Lake Woomelang Cricket Club Facebook page
- Contacting Shauna directly
- Emailing: sealakewoomelangcc@gmail.com

For juniors, please send through the child/children's date of birth. This will help to determine how many sides we will be able to field for the year.

Junior's grades are as follows:

Woolworths Cricket Blast (children aged 5 to 10)

Under 11's

Under 13's

Under 16's

Seniors will be C and B Grade

Tyrrell College

Parents & Friends Committee



SEA LAKE WOOMFLANG

CRICKET CLUB

Parents and Friends aim is to raise funds through fundraising activities to cover the costs of numerous school projects and equipment to benefit all students. Some of which have included raising funds for sports equipment, playground equipment, fundraising for school camps, excursions, seminars, classroom items etc. We also contribute to funding the breakfast club, which is available to all students every morning.

Please join our Facebook page (below) for more information and to help contribute to fundraising activities.



Tyrrell College P&F



INTERHOUSE ATHLETICS DAY YRS 5-12

*STUDENTS TO WEAR SPORTS CLOTHING AND ENCOURAGED TO WEAR HOUSE COLOURS.

FAMILIES AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS ENCOURAGED TO COME ALONG AND SUPPORT. HELP MAY ALSO BE REQUIRED FOR SOME OF THE FIELD EVENTS. BBQ LUNCH Available TO PURCHASE

TIME:

9AM START

DATE:

TUESDAY 15 AUGUST

2023

LOCATION:

SEA LAKE COMMUNITY COMPLEX



INTERHOUSE ATHLETICS

Sausages - \$2 Burgers - \$3 Bottled Water - \$2 Zooper Doopers - 50c Cake/ Slice \$1.50





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TYRRELL COLLEGE PRESENTS

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FOUNDATION

MEET THE 2024 FOUNDATION TEACHER, MR WATERMAN

FRIDAY 11TH AUGUST 9:30–11AM FRIDAY 25TH AUGUST 9:30–11AM

Friday 25th is book week so come dressed as your favourite book characteri Parents and friends invited. Costume parade at 09:00am, followed by morning tea

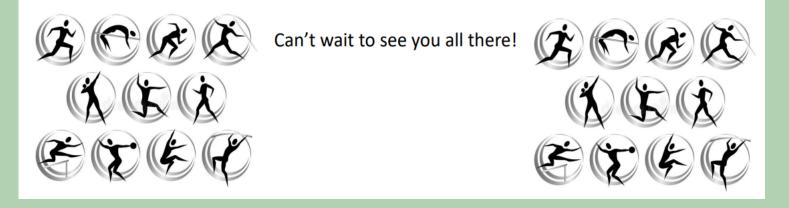
♦ After school Care ◆ Excellent/student ratios ◆ Differentiated Learning Programs
♦ Year 6 & Year 12 Buddy Programs ◆ Agricultural program/experiences

Primary Athletics 2023

The 2023 Primary Athletics will be held on Friday August 18th at the Sea Lake Sporting Complex. This year all sporting events will be held on the same day.

Students need to arrive at 9:00 for all events to start at 9:15 am.

Lunch order forms have gone out to all students and will need to be returned to school on Thursday 10th August. There will be additional food to purchase on the day also.



Parent Volunteers

Dear Parents/ Guardians,

If you are available to assist with the athletics and running of the athletic events, your support and assistance would be greatly appreciated. If you can assist on the day, could you please reply to this post, email-<u>jordan.gravestocks@education.vic.gov.au</u> or contact the school on 0350702106.

Thank you for your assistance,

Coach G





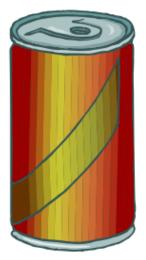


Canteen Price List

Tyrrell Cluster Athletics Friday 18th August 2023



Pies	\$6.00
Party Pies	\$1.50
Sausage rolls	\$3.00
Savs	\$3.00
Dim Sims	\$1.50
Salad Rolls	\$6.50
Soup	\$3.00
Water	\$2.00
Prima	\$2.00
Coffee/ Tea	\$2.00
Slice / Muffins	\$1.50
Zooper Doopers	\$0.50









TWO PRIZES FOR EACH PRIMARY AND SECONDARY BEST COSTUME.

BOOK WEEK AND ICONIC DUO'S DRESS UP DAY!

Friday 25 August Costume Parade at 9am All parents and friends welcome.

Gold coin donations welcome but optional.



FESTIVAL

FOOD & MARKET STALLS

ACTIVITIES

Cha Cha Lasertag Water Zorb Balls Rock Climbing Wall S.A.F.E Archery Bouncy Castle Inflatable Slide Horse Rides Face Painting Activities & Games Much More SUNDAY 3rd SEPTEMBER Sea Lake Rec Reserve

MILY & CELEBRATE

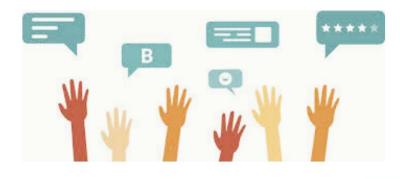


'Stay Awake Sea Lake'



We are reviewing our Sea Lake & District Community Plan and need your input.

What are we doing well? What would you like to change?



Complete the short survey and enter the draw to receive: a free night's accommodation at 'The Farmhouse'.

Surveys can be completed online by scanning the QR Code: Hardcopies also available at the Sea Lake Chemist or Mallee Blooms.



Survey closes Sunday 13 August 2023. *Hard copy surveys can be returned to the Sea Lake Chemist or Mallee Blooms.

Advance Sea Lake Inc.