



# Tarlee Primary School

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# Newsletter

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Week 6 Term 3

## From the Classrooms

### Kingdom Crushers

#### English

On Friday 31<sup>st</sup> August, the Kingdom Crushers got to present their oral presentations, displaying a procedure. Christian and Riley showed us how to play burri to bison, Jaymes showed us how to play detective Pikachu on 2DS, Caleb showed us how to operate a 2DS using Yokai as an example game, Chloe demonstrated how to do a French braid, Seth taught us how to draw a tiger using paint 3D, Jasmyn demonstrated how to make friendship bracelets, Michael showed us how to kick a football, and Sharna showed us how to make chocolate cupcakes.



Each of the presentations were recorded, this will be given to the students to keep.



Some students also made brochures to go with their presentations.



#### Maths

In Maths the Kingdom Crushers have been working on their Camp project.

We have been investigating 24 hour and 12 hour time, analogue and digital, converting minutes and hours.

Michael

We have to make a time schedule. It shows us what time we have to do activity and how long it will take.

Christian

We get to use time schedules to plan out our day and work out when we are doing stuff.

Jaymes

### Dates to Remember

September	
7 <sup>th</sup> Tues	End Premiers Reading Challenge
17 <sup>th</sup> Mon	Governing Council
19 <sup>th</sup> Wed	Pupil Free Day
28 <sup>th</sup> Fri	Last Day Term 3
	Early Dismissal 2:15pm
October	
15 <sup>th</sup> Mon	First Day Term 4
22 <sup>nd</sup> Mon	Governing Council
November	
1 <sup>st</sup> Thurs	School Photos

Current Term 3 Attendance Percentage	90.6%
2018 Attendance Percentage to date	90.8%

## Kingdom Crushers



### Volcanoes Science

On Thursday the 30th August 2018, We finally got to erupt our volcanoes in science.

We used vinegar, bi-carb soda, water, food colouring and dish washing liquid.

Caleb

The volcanoes erupted slowly like I thought it would.

Riley

It looked smooth and soft, with some bubbles in it. I didn't hear it make any noise. Mine was orange and turned into pink because of the food colouring.

Jasmyn.



### Group Time

We have been exploring shapes to use as a construction tool. Students have been making houses, towns, flowers and caves.



# *From the Principals Desk*

## **Directions from our School Review.**

These are the recommended directions from our recent School Review:

### Direction 1

With high expectations for all students, develop and implement a balanced Australian Curriculum with challenging, engaging and negotiated learning tasks, and a focus on making the learning visible.

### Direction 2

Collaboratively use student achievement data diagnostically with a focus on higher band achievement to inform the learning design, develop interventions and allow students time to plan, monitor, analyse, and evaluate their learning progress.

### Direction 3

Develop and implement scaffolded learning plans for students with learning difficulties that will enable them to be authentically engaged and allow support staff to competently support the students in their learning.

The report has been uploaded to the Tarlee School Website if you would like to read it in full. The directions will be the basis of planning for the next 4 years when our next review is undertaken.

## **Reviewed School Policies**

Please find accompanying this newsletter the first of several School policies that will be reviewed over this year. They have been ratified by the Governing Council and I will meet with other interested parents today to provide any clarification requested. These documents are:

- The Tarlee Primary School Behaviour Management Policy
- Managing Complaints at a Site Level and
- Raising a complaint with The Department.

## *Message from Tracey*

### *Pastoral Care Worker*

Since my last article I was fortunate to go to the Wasleys Primary School excursion for the STEM Expo. What a terrific day for our students, we all had a wonderful time learning about science and seeing, patting and holding some beautiful animals. That was my favourite.

I have been working in the classrooms supporting students, listening to reading and helping where possible. The term is racing by and the students are working hard.

Playgroup and coffee morning has been very well attended. Today we had Roz Rowett as our guest, Roz taught our parent group yoga stretches and breathing techniques, it was a very interesting and a fun session. Our sincere thanks to Roz who is a former student of Tarlee Primary and she enjoyed being in and seeing our school.

Mrs Petra Smith also visited our playgroup during week 5 and will be our guest speaker in term 4 week 4. Petra will be speaking about how parents are the main educators of children in the first 5 years.

Coming up I will be attending a SMG regional meeting, a support group meeting and in week 10 the SMG annual Conference at Seaton.

Have a great fortnight

Tracey.



# From the Playgroup

## Week 5 and 6

Fathers Dad crafts, doll play, car, trains and play dough have been the focus of the last 2 weeks at play group. With some fantastic gifts being made and cards as well.

Everyone had a great time making hand imprints in clay which we turned into a mould and Marie wrote our names backwards (which looked really funny) and we poured plaster into the moulds.

Marie said that later she will take the clay off and they will be ready to wrap up next week.

We listened to books called "Hairy Bear".

Hairy Bear was so funny it was about a bear family and the mummy bear head sounds at night and thought there were robbers in the house, but the daddy bear just wanted to go back to sleep and deal with it in the morning. Everything was ok in the end though, because the noises were caused by the bear cubs raiding the fridge in the kitchen for snacks after bedtime.

Dolls are always a favourite with bath time, prams, clothing changes and trips to the doctor when they are sick. The dolls even get to go on the playground with us for rides on the swing or to slide down the slippery dip. Train tracks and cars are always welcome with many children playing well together to build tracks or use the carparks and ramps.

Play dough is so much fun we spent lots of time rolling and cutting. We made cups of coffee for parents and Marie as well as cakes and cookies for them to eat. We had to pretend that it was all real some of us thought it was pretty funny giving GREEN coffee and cakes to everyone.



## From the Classrooms

### Smart Pancakes

Parents of the Smart Pancakes.

You are invited to a resource making and information session.

2:00-3:00pm Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2018

We will be making “Phonics” and “Tricky Word” resources for your child with an information session on how to use them.

To take advantage of this fantastic opportunity to assist and understand your child’s learning please RSVP to Kylie Monday morning before school



## Book Week



# COMMUNITY NEWS

**CLARE & DISTRICTS BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION**



**2018/19 SEASON INFORMATION**

**JUNIORS (TUESDAY NIGHTS)**  
 AUSSIE HOOPS PROGRAM (5-10 years)  
 UNDER 10's: Combined Year 2-4 Girls & Boys Comp  
 UNDER 12's: Girls Year 5-6 Comp, Boys Year 5-6 Comp  
 UNDER 16's: Boys Year 7-9 Comp, Girls Year 7-10 Comp

**JUNIOR 'COME & TRY' TRAINING & REGISTRATION NIGHT**  
**TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 25**  
 3.45 Aussie Hoops, 4.30 U10, 5.15 U12, 6.00 U16  
 We are also seeking Junior Coaches and Umpires for Season 2018/19. If interested or for all Junior enquiries please contact Junior Coordinator Katie Liebelt katie.liebelt326@schools.sa.edu.au or 0411404052

**SENIORS (FRIDAY NIGHTS)**  
 Matches 6.30-9.30 (Rotating Time Slots dependent on Team Nominations)  
 DIVISION 1 MEN, DIVISION 1 WOMEN, DIVISION 2 MEN, DIVISION 2 WOMEN  
 Team or Individual Senior Nominations to Brett Fink (President@clarebball.com or 0409097458) by Friday September 28  
 Join our Facebook page to stay up to date 



**TARLEE COUNTRY MARKET**  
**MONDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER 2018**  
**8AM - 2PM**



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*Celebrating*  
**140 Years**

**Angaston Primary School**  
 proudly invites you to celebrate our  
**140<sup>th</sup> year of Education**

Join us for an afternoon of entertainment as we commemorate our school's rich history and present our vision for the future.

**SATURDAY OCTOBER 20** | 2PM-6PM | **ANGASTON**  
 PRIMARY SCHOOL HALL

TICKETS AVAILABLE ONLINE - \$10\*  
[www.angastonprimaryschool140.eventbookings.com](http://www.angastonprimaryschool140.eventbookings.com)

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Clare High School presents

**RAINBOW RUN**



**Saturday 22nd September, 2018**  
 GLEESON WETLANDS

10.00 Registrations at Premier Park  
 11.30 Primary School Dash (1-3 Kms)  
 12.00 Community (5 Kms) Rainbow Run/Walk with Colour Stations (Open to All Ages)

Lunch and Coffee Available  
 (Dodge 5 Free, Primary School Students \$5, High School Students & Adults \$10, Family \$10)  
 Registration forms available online at [www.clarehs.sa.edu.au](http://www.clarehs.sa.edu.au) or Register on the day  
 For any queries please contact Katie Liebelt 326@schools.sa.edu.au or 0411 404 052