DIARY DATES

Dates can be subject to change; please check each newsletter issue to ensure you have current information.

TERM 3
August
13th SAPSASA Golf try outs at Murray Bridge
14th Combined Student Free Day
18th Ag Committee Meeting 5:30p
20th USE Soccer at Coomandook
25th Yr 5/6 Festival of Music Choir Rehearsal – Adelaide
-Newsletter
27th Year 9 Multicultural Night
28th SAPSASA Athletics Tryouts
29th Mary & Friends Variety Concert starting at 8pm in the Tintinara Institute
31st Aug - 4th Sept Footsteps

September
2nd Cupcake 4 a Cure - SRC
3.4th SAPSASA Golf – Adelaide
7-11th Royal Adelaide Show
7th Governing Council Meeting
* Please note change of GC date*
8th Newsletter
10th School Closure Day
15th Festival of Music Rehearsal + Concert – Adelaide
-USE Netball
16th SAPSASA Tennis/Cricket Tryouts – Karoonda
21st SAPSASA Athletics – Adelaide
22nd Newsletter
25th Last Day Term Three!

Advance Notice
Governing Council AGM
16th November

Principal’s Report

Allergy Warning
Owing to health concerns for several students in the Junior School we are currently in the process of reviewing our policies around nuts and the foods students bring. While we go through this exercise we ask that students in the Junior School do not bring foods containing peanuts for lunch or recess, as this could have serious implications for some of their classmates. Students with severe allergies can have a dangerous reaction just by using a door handle touched by someone eating peanuts or peanut based food, and so this is a matter of considerable importance. We trust that you will support our school family while we review our policies and processes to ensure everyone’s safety.

Safety at the front of the school
Recently I have had several road safety “near misses” brought to my attention. I would like to remind everyone that Wendt Tce along the front of the school property (between the tennis courts and the bowls club) is a 25km/h zone when children are present. At pickup times this can become quite busy, and so it is crucial that we prioritise the safety of our young people by driving appropriately. If people are not adhering to the rules SAPOL will become involved on a more regular basis.

To assist with safety we have also been in negotiation with Council about parking at the front of the school, and we anticipate an announcement later this term about improvements to access and parking.

Student Free Day
This coming Friday staff will be meeting at Lameroo with colleagues from across the Coorong Mallee Partnership to work with Val Westwell on executive functions. These are things such as working memory, mental flexibility, and the ability to delay gratification and manage your emotional responses. Research shows that these are crucial skills for both learning and life, and we are keen to explore how we can more effectively support and develop them within our students.

Stuart Kitto

Student Free Day Reminder
This Friday 14th August there is a Student Free Day. There will be no school buses running for the day, and no classes taking place!
REMINDER also that there is a School Closure Day on Thursday 10th September. This is to encourage people to the Royal Adelaide Show to support our Show Team when judging occurs for our students and animals. Again, there will be no school buses running, nor staff on site for that day.
Learning Journey
Term 3

Thank you to all the Parents/Carers and Grandparents who attended last term’s Learning Journeys.

This term there will be a different format for the preschool and primary school to share their learning with you.

Each class will invite Parents/Carers to visit sometime during the term to share in the learning that has occurred. Please look out for your child’s class invitation.

Murray Mallee Regional Music Festival Rehearsal

Most of the Tintinara choir students travelled to Tailem Bend for a regional rehearsal on Wednesday 5th August. Schools from Mannum to Karoonda down to Meningie and Tintinara all congregated for a packed day of learning and rehearsal prior to the Adelaide concert series. A big thank you to Noel Prosser who drove the bus for us. This year there will be a small dance troupe for Ederlezi. Students were able to have a go at some of the moves. They will get to audition later with further information to come shortly, however they will be required to rehearse weekly at Tailem Bend until October in Term time and attend both concert nights.

Here are some of their comments on the day:

The choir rehearsal yesterday was good. I was amazed when I heard all the confident people with their great voices and I was thankful to go. Katelyn

Yesterday at choir I tried out for the solo of “And the band Played Waltzing Matilda”. I am very nervous to find out if I got the solo, personally I think the person next to me sounded better. It was still lots of fun though. Lidia

At choir rehearsal in Tailem Bend we slowly progressed through the choir book singing the songs. For most of the “Remembrance” songs I had to use my book. I didn’t audition for the Ederlezi dance troupe but lots and lots of people did. Ethan

At choir rehearsal yesterday we sung all of the songs in the choir for 2015. We saw the dance troupe routine. CJ

Yesterday the 5/6 class went to Tailem Bend for a choir rehearsal. I auditioned for a solo and I was literally shaking. In all, the choir trip was really fun. Bethany

Yesterday at choir was so fun. I liked the part where we practised a dance. The 5th August at Tailem Bend was the best day ever. Ebony

At choir rehearsal yesterday at Tailem Bend I learned how to sing the songs better. Tyson

When I went to the choir rehearsal yesterday it was an amazing experience to be able to see so many amazing voices. I really hope everyone went well. It was really fun.

KJ

Choir was so fun. We got to audition for dancing and sing all day. James
Science Alive Expo Excursion
Year 7-10 students attend the Science Alive Expo in Adelaide on Friday 7th August.
At the Science Expo my group went to a stargazing session. We sat inside a dark, round tent. The stars were projected on the black material of the tent. We were told about how humans have been telling stories for centuries, and shown star formations. My favourite was The Emu, which the Aboriginal people discovered.
Joy Omega
At the Science Expo I learnt that the colour white is actually all the other colours mixed together!
Marijo Richards

Tony Bones Performance of The Stone Lion
By Margaret Wild
On Monday 3rd August 2015 the Primary school students had the opportunity to watch the Tony Bones performers present The Stone Lion by Margaret Wild. The Stone Lion is one of the nominated Children’s Books of the year. The story is about a stone lion that sits just outside the library. The lion feels sorry for the two orphan children who take shelter from the cold one winter’s night at its base. It protects the children so that they survive the night and are taken in by the librarian the next day. The students were very excited at the sight of the large foam Lion puppet and the smaller gargoyle that were used to tell the story. There were many eager hands up when volunteers were required to help with the show.
At the end of the show there was time for questions many of which centred on how the puppets were made and the scenery. It was interesting to hear that the backdrop is double sided so that two plays can be toured at the same time. All the students enjoyed watching and taking part in the performance.
Girls Basketball
On Wednesday the 5th of August Erin Tonkin, Ellie Meyer, Libby Miell, Trinity Manning, Jessie Seidel, Tara Nicolle and Lumeshia Brady participated in the girls SAPSASA basketball. It was something we all enjoyed. We all enjoyed learning new things like playing man on man basketball and competing against teams with different skill levels. It was a very good experience with some of us not having done it before and Erin and Ellie participating for the last time in this type of competition. We all would like to thank Courtney Manning for being our coach and John Miell for being our team manager, they really helped us a lot. Also a big thanks to all the parents on the sidelines cheering for us it really helped us gain confidence.
Trinity, Erin, Jessie & Lumeshia.

Boys Basketball
On Friday the 7th of the 8th, 2015, Josh Croser, Daniel Borchardt, Dylan Ward, Tyson McCabe, Tom Finn and I travelled to Adelaide to compete in SAPSASA Boys Basketball. We went to Pasadena Stadium in Adelaide. We all enjoyed the day and our favourite parts were:
Josh: winning two games; Daniel: shooting goals; Dylan: winning all the taps at the start of the games; Charlton: beating Lockleys and shooting goals; Tyson: beating Lockleys; and Tom: beating Tanunda.
We finished the day winning 2 games, tying one game and losing three. We defeated Tanunda and Lockleys, tied with Hawthorndene and lost to Westminster, St Peters Woodlands and Murray Bridge (St Josephs).
The highlight of the day was when in each of the first five games we scored a goal within five seconds.
Charlton
Secondary School Camp

On Sunday 26th to Wednesday 29th the year 7-10 students were involved in the annual secondary school camp. This year it was to experience what Adelaide had to offer and here are some of the thoughts from the students:

“My favourite part of the Adelaide Camp was the Amazing Race because I got to experience how to use tram stations and see new places in Adelaide that I have never heard of. I also got to experience what it was like during the day at Adelaide.” Angelica Omega

“Adelaide Camp this year was extremely enjoyable and educational. I would not be able to pick my favourite from Bounce, The Amazing Race and the dolphin boat cruise. Thank you very much Mr Gregory, Mrs Rohan and Dr Marzec for an amazing camp.” Zara Keller

“The Adelaide centre orienteering activity was great fun. Everyone in the group contributed and worked well together to solve problems. We learnt a lot about how to use maps and directions in the city and these skills will benefit the students of Tintinara for the rest of their lives.” Alec Morris

“I learnt a lot on the camp and enjoyed a lot of things. I learnt a lot about the aboriginal culture and the tunnels that go to Victoria Square. I enjoyed Bounce the most but we should have had two sessions. We could have extended the camp much longer so we had more time to stay at the camp and do activities.” Nick Croser

“This was a camp that included a few firsts for me. They included catching a train for the first time, going to the Adelaide Central Market and experiencing Bounce. I think everyone had a great time and that’s what made it great.” Mitchell Cocciolone

“This experience was one of the best camps I had ever been involved in. There were a lot of things to do from Sunday to Wednesday. Every day was fun and exciting but also educational. The fun things were Bounce, Adelaide Amazing Race and instead of the Mary Poppins theatre show, we went bowling. The dolphin boat cruise was both educational and fun, and also got to see some dolphins. The rest of the activities we did were educational and I also learnt a few things along the way. Overall everyone got along with each other and it increased good friendships to great friendships.” Diana Biescas

“I learnt a lot of things on the camp especially about the aboriginals. I learnt how they hunted their food and how they made things and this was really interesting. I also learnt about the Maritime Museum and found out when I got home that the rock there that has Matthew Flinders’ name and his boats’ name on it was found on my distant uncle’s property.” Josh Croser

“Most of the camp was fun like Bounce, bowling and the Amazing Race. Some of it was disappointing like the tunnel tour under Adelaide because the tunnel was blocked off so we couldn’t walk down it. The one hour tour of Hills Farm Supplies was great with Anthony Pearce, who supplies TAS the animal feed.” Brandon Nicolle
Secondary School Camp
Secondary School Camp
Tintinara Area School is exploring a new subject called Integrated Learning. There are many aspects to this subject. The student in Years 7-10 have each chosen two food producing businesses that they have to build from scratch. Students work together to make their enterprises as high quality as possible. Each enterprise has a different market and we all aim for a profit and excellence.

The enterprises consist of goats, sheep, steers, beekeeping, growing vegetables/fruit, growing flowers, aquaponics, construction and cooking.

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<td>Goats</td>
<td>There are 6 goats in the enterprise. The members of the enterprise have tamed, fed, weighed, brushed and walked the goats. Every fortnight the goats are weighed and the results are tabulated. The goats are walked daily by their owners during lunchtime at school.</td>
<td>The market for the Goat Enterprise is the Meat Industry.</td>
<td>This enterprise aims to raise their goats to produce good quality meat. They also aim to take part in the Adelaide Show.</td>
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<td>Sheep</td>
<td>We have a small flock of Merino sheep which the members of the enterprise feed, weigh, halter and walk. Every fortnight the sheep are weighed and the results are tabulated. Students monitor their growth and progress.</td>
<td>The market for the Sheep Enterprise is the Meat and Wool Industry.</td>
<td>This enterprise aims to produce good quality meat and wool. They also aim to take part in the Adelaide Show.</td>
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<td>Steers</td>
<td>They are fed, brushed, walked, tamed and weighed. Like the goats and sheep, the steers are weighed fortnightly and the results tabulated. The students feed and measure the ingredients in to the feed.</td>
<td>The market for the Steer Enterprise is the Meat Industry.</td>
<td>This enterprise aims to produce good quality meat. They also aim to take part in the Adelaide Show.</td>
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<td>Beekeeping</td>
<td>There is one box of bees and the hive is dying because there is no queen. The girls plan to raise their own queen and add the queen into the hive later. Despite this, the members of the enterprise have successfully extracted honey from the hive.</td>
<td>The honey produced will be marketed to community members and passing trade.</td>
<td>This enterprise aims to produce honey and sell it to the community.</td>
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<td>Growing vegetables/fruit</td>
<td>The members of this enterprise are so far working on their worm farm, compost heap, hot house and vegie plots. They are currently planting vegetables to grow and sell. They have sold some radishes to the Home Economics program.</td>
<td>Teachers, parents, families and members of the community.</td>
<td>This enterprise aims to grow a variety of vegetables, fruits and herbs to sell to the community.</td>
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<td>Growing flowers</td>
<td>The members of the enterprise have grown many plants. They have separated the larger clusters of flowers they have previously propagated. They are working on growing a variety of flowers to sell.</td>
<td>The food grown will be sold to the Tintinara Community Members</td>
<td>This enterprise aims to grow a large variety of flowers and sell them individually or in bouquets.</td>
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### Aquaponics

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<td>The members of this enterprise have created their aquaponics system, using plastic troughs. They plan not only to farm fish but also some vegetables. It has, however, been vandalised by the goats so the group have to work even harder to complete it as soon as possible.</td>
<td>The aquaponics market is the Fish industry.</td>
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<td>This enterprise aims to complete their aquaponic system hopefully before the end of the term.</td>
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### Construction

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<td>The members of this enterprise have created the new hot house for the Growing Food and Flower Enterprises. They are also starting on a Stevenson Screen.</td>
<td>Tintinara Community Members and their classmates to help with their enterprises.</td>
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<td>In the future, they hope to acquire orders form the community—whether if its creating something new or fixing furniture etc.</td>
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Written by Cherie Kennett, Alec Morris and Joy Omega

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Photos L-R top to bottom:
- Flowers with Zara K;
- Flowers;
- Bees with Marijo;
- Constructions with Nick, Mitchell, Ellie & Dylan;
- Vegies with Jamie;
- Vegie patch;
- Aquaponics;
- Steers with Sophie;
- Sheep with Mitchell & Nick;
- Goats with Diana, Kiera & Brandon

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Tintinara Area School

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11th August 2015
Focus Group - Year Preschool

Drawing, we were drawing a picture—Phoebe

Colouring in! I was drawing an apple tree.—Sadie

I was drawing my house—Talia

I was moving them the pictures—Eric

That was the number one, counting tiles—Hamish
I was saying to the kindy people “This is three”! - Evan

It was Eva! She was spinning it around to see what was the world. — Ollie

Me play with play dough! - Ava

We were counting numbers— Ollie

Copying the numbers that Mrs. D did — Abby

Playing in the office with Layla! - Diesel

Eric did colour in my number two, crossed it out and I couldn't see it. - Evan
2015 Tintinara Area School Sheep Raffle

Tickets
$2 each or $6 for 5

*Tickets available at the Front Office, Tintinara Post Office and from Show Team students*

Prizes

1st Prize: 1 Dressed Lamb
2nd Prizes x 2 – ½ Dressed Lamb

**Runner up prizes:** (1st drawn gets first on list etc)

- Remote Control Car
- Candy Canvas Tool Pup Bag
- $50 Tintinara Hotel Voucher
- Honey Tub
- Carton Coke & Stubbie Coolers
- Candy Canvas Wet Pack
- $25 Café Tinti Voucher
- Hand Held Pressure Sprayer
- Croser Tyres Gift Box
- Honey Tub
- 20kg Bag Pedigree Dog Food
- United Tintinara Gift Box
- Candy Canvas Pup Bag

Raffle will be drawn and winners notified on Monday the 14th September 2015

A big THANK YOU to all our sponsors!
Adult Fiction:
Go set a watchman  Harper LEE
The marriage of opposites  Alice HOFFMAN
Alert  James PATTERSON & Michael LEDWIDGE
Naked greed  Stuart WOODS
Nemesis  Catherine COULTER
Hope harbor  Irene HANNON
Claiming Noah  Amanda ORTLEPP
Truth or die  James PATTERSON
The girls  Lisa JEWELL
Summer secrets  Jane GREEN
Ever after  Jude DEVEREAUX
Blueprints  Barbara DELINSKY
Country  Danielle STEEL
In the quiet  Eliza HENRY-JONES
Close to home  Pamela COOK
Without a trace  Liza MARKLUND
My mother’s secret  Sheila O’FLANAGAN
Feels like home  Lisa IRELAND
The ends of the earth  Robert GODDARD
Luckiest girl alive  Jessica KNOLL
The Grey Raider  John FLANNAGAN
The melody lingers on  Mary Higgins CLARK
A history of loneliness  John BOYNE
Time of death  Mark BILLINGHAM
Second life  S.J. WATSON
McKellan’s run  Nicole HURLEY-MOORE
Friday on my mind  Nicci FRENCH
My brilliant friend  Elena FERRANTE
Those who leave and those who stay  Elena FERRANTE

Large Print:
The collector  Nora ROBERTS
Secrets of Whitewater Creek  Sarah BARRIE
House of fools  V.J. BANIS
The secret of the silver locket  Jill BARRY
The family by the shore  June DAVIES

Cookery:
Lindt excellence: 70% cocoa the best ever recipes
Cookery (cont.):
The family table  AWW
What can I cook tonight?  AWW
Comfort food  AWW

Diet:
Sugar addiction:
The complete guide to beating sugar addiction  Jacob TEITELBAUM, M.D.
Sweet poison: why sugar makes us fat  David GILLESPIE
The sweet poison quit plan cookbook  David GILLESPIE
Eat real food  David GILLESPIE
Big fat lies  David GILLESPIE

The Fast diet:
The 5:2 diet. Feast for 5 days fast for 2 days to lose weight and revitalize your health  Kate HARRISON

Gardening:
Small space, big harvest  Dorling Kindersley

Self help:
The life-changing magic of tidying: A simple, effective way to banish clutter forever  Marie KONDO

True Crime:
Unsolved Australia: terrible crimes. Incredible stories  Justine FORD

Teen Fiction:
Afterlight  Rebecca LIM
Frankie and Joey  Nova WEETMAN
The accident season  Moira FOWLEY-DOYLE
Because you’ll never meet me  Leah THOMAS
Freedom ride  Sue LAWSON
Cuckoo song  Frances HARDINGE
Risk  Fleur FERRIS
Boy in the tower  Polly HO-YEN
Bronze and the Sunflower  Cao WENXIAN
Phoenix  S. F. SAID
Half a World away  Cynthia KADODHATA
Paper things  Jennifer JACOBSON
Not as we know it  Tom AVERY
Sugar  Jewell PARKER RHODES
Ophelia  Jackie FRENCH
The sacred lies of Minnow Bly  Stephanie OAKES

Empire of the waves:
Voyage of the moon child  C. RICHARDSON

My Australian Story:
Vietnam  Deborah CHALLINOR
**Children’s Picture Books:**

- **Newspaper hats** by Phil CUMMINGS
- **The very noisy bear** by Nick BLAND
- **Tea and sugar Christmas** by Jane JOLLY
- **Paddington** by Michael BOND
- **Soon** by Tim KNAKPAN
- **Mr Huff** by Anna WALKER
- **Kick with my left foot** by Paul SEDEN
- **Dream of the fox woman** by J.R. McRAE
- **Nana in the city** by Lauren CASTILLO
- **Lara of Newton** by Chris McKIMMIE
- **The noisy paint box** by Barb ROSENSTOCK
- **Pinky and Peet: the little Aussie bush lizards** by Dawn HAWTHORN-JACKSON
- **Mr Men go swimming** by Roger HARGREAVES
- **Noni the pony goes to the beach** by Alison LESTER
- **Animals should definitely not wear clothing** by Judi BARRETT
- **When Dad showed me the Universe** by Ulf STARKE
- **The bad guys** by Aaron BLABEY

**Children’s Fiction:**

- **Wesley Booth super sleuth** by Adam CECE
- **When I am happiest** by Rose LAGERCRANTZ
- **Tashi and the giant squid** by Anna FIENBERG
- **The dream snatcher** by Abi ELPHINSTONE
- **Travels of an extraordinary hamster** by Astrid DESBORDES
- **Molly and Pim and the millions of stars** by Martine MURRAY

**Children’s Non Fiction:**

- **Monster party: your scary-cool party guide**
- **Aussie Notables:**
  - **Banjo Patterson** by Allan DRUMMOND

**Classifications:**

**Classification M:**
- **Still Alice**
- **A good marriage**
- **The boy next door**

**TV on DVD:**
- **The secret river**
- **Poldark**

**Magazines**

**Lifestyle:**
- Better Homes & Gardens
- R. M. Williams Outback
- Australia Coast to Coast Country Style
- SA Life
- Vogue living
- Australian Women’s Weekly
- Australian Home Beautiful
- Real living
- Inside out

**Gardening:**
- Gardening Australia

**Geographic:**
- National geographic
- Australian geographic

**Sport:**
- Fishing SA

**Cookery:**
- Delicious
- Donna Hay
- Vogue Entertaining & Travel
- Super Food Ideas
- Taste.com

**Diet & Nutrition:**
- Weight Watchers
- Nature & health
- Good health

**Fashion:**
- Shop ’till you drop
- Marie Claire
- Vogue Australia
- Instyle
- Elle

**Adolescent Reading:**
- Dolly
- Girlfriend
- World of knowledge

**Science:**
- Cosmos: the science of everything
- Popular science
- Helix

**Literature:**
- The Literature base
- Magpies: talking about books for children
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MARY & FRIENDS

VARIETY CONCERT

Tintinara Institute
Saturday, August 29 at 8pm

STARRING: Lauren Potter with the cast of MBM’s hit production of Mary Poppins:

“Lauren Potter is the perfect nanny!” Advertiser

And Students from Tintinara Area School

Adults $20, Concession $15 (Plus $1 Booking Fee p/ticket)

Book through Wendy at the Tintinara Area School on 0428 560 020 or Lisa at the Keith Newsagency on (08) 87 551 788.

Further details at www.mattbyrnemedia.com.au

An Evening of
• Comedy • Song • Dance • and Mary ♡
MBM BRINGS MARY POPPINS TO TINTINARA!

Adelaide theatre producer Matt Byrne is bringing Mary & Friends Variety Concert, a concert version of his hit production of Mary Poppins, to the Tintinara Institute on Saturday, August 29 at 8 p.m.

The SA Premiere of the hit musical show was an enormous success in its five-week season in Adelaide, with critics calling its star Lauren Potter “the perfect Nanny!”

Byrne’s company Matt Byrne Media will present the Mary & Friends Variety Concert in conjunction with Tintinara Area School which will also feature performances by Tintinara Area School students.

“It’s exciting to be able to bring the show down to Tintinara and give the region a taste of this magical family musical,” Byrne said.

“I’ve always loved taking shows to the country and the Tintinara Area School and the local community have welcomed us with open arms.”

Byrne said the show would feature a Variety Concert in the first half, followed by “highlights from Mary Poppins in the second half.”

“It will be great to see students from the school present several numbers in the first half,” he said.

“And then some of them will join our cast in singing the classic number Supercalifragilisticexpialidocious, which will be a lot of fun for everyone.

“Our Assistant Musical Director Paul Sinkinson will accompany the concert with wonderful numbers like A Spoonful of Sugar, Let’s Go Fly A Kite and Chim Chim Cheree.”

Tintinara Area School teacher Tess Rohan said the students were “very excited at the chance to work with the MBM ensemble.”

“They will get the chance to work on stage and also learn the technical process of presenting a big show, as Matt is bringing lighting and sound with him,” Rohan said.

“It will be a wonderful experience and we hope to see a big crowd there on the night to celebrate the arrival of Mary Poppins in Tintinara.”

Tickets are Adults $20 and Concession $15 (with a $1 Booking Fee per ticket) and bookings are available from Tintinara Area School on 0428 560 020 or Keith Newsagency on (08) 87 551 788.
MEDIA RELEASE

Tintinara is set to welcome Steve Harvey this week on his long walk for Swags for Homeless.

TURNING a negative situation into a positive one can be a hard task - but Steve Harvey knows first hand how to go about it.

At the age of 28 and living in Perth, Steve was only a few weeks ago working as a diamond driller. That all ended when he lost his job and became homeless. "I've been in mining for quite a few years. I lived the high life and then I lost my job," he said.

He could no longer afford his lavish lifestyle, not wanting to go on the dole, Steve decided to do the unthinkable and become homeless. Now, in an attempt to raise awareness, he is walking solo with no support vehicle from Mandurah WA to Sydney. As part of his Coast to Coast walk he will be making a stop in Tintinara this week.

"I've never been big on going on the dole and so I thought I'd make myself homeless and support the cause. What better way to support homelessness than doing it yourself" he said.

Steve’s Coast to Coast walk is raising funds for the national charity Swags for Homeless. Swags for Homeless provide Backpack Beds - life saving emergency outdoor beds for street sleeping homeless sleeping without shelter.

Steve is hoping to raise $11,000 for at least 100 Backpack Beds for the homeless people of Western Australia. Steve is also sleeping in a Backpack Bed during his walk.

"I'm giving myself three to four months to complete it. I chose Swags for Homeless as the charity I would support as they help those at the end of the line, the ones who are turned away by emergency accommodation or for those that don't even have that option. In winter these Backpack Beds, like the one I am using on my journey, keep people warm, save lives & give them some dignity."

Over the course of his long walk Steve is asking for the community to show their support and get behind him. "Please jump on board, support me and help get me through this," he said. "I need support from people along the way - like a place where I can wash my clothes or sleep the night."

Steve will be walking through Tintinara this week - to keep updated you can follow his journey on Facebook or donate directly to his cause

www.facebook.com/Harveyswalk
http://fundraise.swags.org.au/event/harveyswalk

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ABOUT BACKPACK BEDS BY SWAGS FOR HOMELESS www.BackpackBed.org
MEDIA RELEASE

Swags for Homeless is a national Australian charity with tax deductible status. Swags for Homeless received Australia’s highest honour - the Australian Human Rights Award for Best Community Organisation in 2011. Swags for Homeless partners with over 400 homeless welfare agencies to distribute the internationally acclaimed Backpack Beds across Australia. 40,878 Australians will sleep on the streets this year (ABS 2011). A study has shown Backpack Beds improve dignity, health, comfort and warmth for homeless people. The Backpack Bed program has now spread to the USA, New Zealand, UK, Germany, Canada and Spain. The Backpack Bed has been awarded 7 international product design awards. The Backpack Bed has been acquired by 4 international museums (Sydney, Paris, Italy and Germany). Despite international success - they receive no government funding.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:
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Keep your kids smiling

Dental care is FREE for most school children and ALL preschool children at the School Dental Service.

All children aged 0-17 are welcome.

To locate your local School Dental Clinic visit www.sadental.sa.gov.au or call us now on 8222 8222.

Tony Pasin MP
Christmas Card Design Competition

Students in grades one to five are invited to participate in the 2015 Barker Christmas Card Competition

Students are invited to design, complete and submit a DL size picture under the theme of ‘Christmas in the Murray Mallee’

Entries are to be sent into the school no later than Sept 23rd. The winning designs will be featured on their Christmas cards. For further information and a template of the card, please contact the front office at the school.

Walk with the Mayor - Tintinara!

We are 10 days into the Mayor’s Pedometer Challenge so to help keep those steps up Council and OPAL have scheduled various ‘Walks with the Mayor’ in different towns around the council area. We will be in Tintinara on Tues, 18th August, starting our walk from the Tintinara Council office at 1pm. Our short afternoon walk will feature a local Tintinara walking trail, so come along and bring your friends!

This is a whole community event, so all are welcome to attend, even if you aren’t participating in the challenge. Please feel free to forward this onto anyone that might be interested.

Remember: bring a water bottle and comfortable shoes.

Walk with the Mayor – Tintinara
Tuesday, 18th August at 1pm
Starting at the Tintinara Council Office

All welcome to attend!

Tintinara Area School Ag Show Team Sponsorship Form

Please forward this slip with your payment to Tintinara Area School prior to August 31st 2015

PO Box 1596 Tintinara SA 5266, or drop into the Front Office at 37 Wendt Tce Tintinara

I/We __________________________________________________________________________________

(please write your name how you would like it to appear on the sponsors board)

would like to support the schools Royal Adelaide Show team for Ag for 2015.

I/We would like to donate $_________________ towards the 2015 show team.

Can we please have a Tax Invoice  Yes / No

If you require a Tax Invoice, please supply your postal address below:

___________________________________________________________________________________________

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Mastercard/Visa transactions are accepted, please fill in details below:

Name on card: ______________________________________________________

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Please make all cheques payable to Tintinara Area School.

Signed: ______________________________________  Date ___/___/_____

Thank you for your generous support of our team.
- TDIBA -
Tintinara & District International Basketball Association

Nomination for the 2015/16 Senior Season

The Senior season will commence the week of Monday 12th October with Women playing Monday and Men playing Tuesday nights.

If you wish to play, please put your name down on the form at the Tintinara Motel or Foodworks or contact a Committee member BY Monday 24 August.

Juniors wishing to progress to Seniors must be 12 years of age at the commencement of the season.

If you require further information, please contact:

Chad Kennett, President - 0447 586 108
Jarrad Fulwood, Vice President - 0417 145 471
Kelly Nankivell, Secretary - 0419 855 791
Courtney Manning, Treasurer - 0419 855 206
BUS TRAVEL ABSENCE NOTIFICATION
Please fill in and return to the school Front Office when changes to normal travel arrangements are made.

Student/s Name/s: __________________________ Bus Route: ________________

Date of absence/s: _____/_____/______ to: _____/_____/______ AM PM BOTH (please circle relevant time)

Changes to normal travel (eg different bus route, travelling with another student, etc): __________________________

Parent/Caregivers please note: Bus Drivers will need to be notified directly of morning absences as well.

For students that wouldn’t normally utilise buses (eg live under 5km from School) and have a need to use one of the routes throughout the year (eg sleepovers, sporting commitments etc) permission will need to be sought from the Principal PRIOR to travel taking place.

Parent/Caregiver Name: __________________________ Parent/Caregiver Signature: __________________________

Date: ____/____/____ Office Use:

[Office Notified: __________________________ Changes made: __________________________]

NOTIFICATION OF STUDENT ABSENCE

Student Name: __________________________ Year Level: ________________

Homegroup Teacher: __________________________

Date of Absence/s: On _____/_____/______ or up to and including _____/_____/______

Reason for Absence: __________________________

Parent/Caregiver Name: __________________________ Date: ____/____/____

Parent Signature: __________________________ Teacher Signature: __________________________

Please fill in and return to the school with your child/ren prior to absence or on their return to class.

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Tintinara Junior Basketball Season 2015

Are you interested in playing Junior Basketball this year?

If so please fill in the following form by **Wednesday 19th August**
and bring it to the school front office

Last year the Junior Basketball numbers were better than previous years and we would love this to continue so please support our Junior Basketball to keep it going …

The Junior Committee are seeking expressions of interest for players from Reception to Year 7 and also any parents willing to join the Committee for the 2015 season.

Name:_____________________________
Name:_____________________________
Name:_____________________________
Name:_____________________________

Help is required by **all parents** for the following positions and the season **CANNOT** go ahead without these positions being filled:-

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The Season will run for 8 weeks, being the last 4 weeks in Term 3 and the first 4 weeks in Term 4, commencing on **Wednesday, 2nd September**.

Once names have been received, teams will be arranged and a program will be distributed with team names and times.

Please note that a small cover charge of $10.00 per player is required for this season and is payable on the 1st night.

As per last year, the Mini’s will have a skills session, followed by a short game.

If you have any queries, please contact Courtney Manning – 0419 855 206