



Tintinara Area School NEWSLETTER

Term 3 Week 6 - 24th August 2021

TERM DIARY DATES

SAPSASA Soccer	30th Aug-1st Sep
Governing Council	Mon 30th Aug
PAT Testing	30th Aug-8th Sep
Book Week Parade	Tues 7th Sep
School Closure Day	Fri 10th Sep
Year 9/10 Work Experience	13th-17th Sep
SAPSASA Athletics	Mon 20th Sep
Year 8 Immunisations	Wed 22nd Sep
Year 4/5/6 Camp	22nd-24th Sep
End of Term 3	Fri 24th Sep
Early 2.15pm Dismissal	Fri 24th Sep

Suggestion & Feedback - DL.0438.feedback@schools.sa.edu.au or to the box in the front office.

School Happenings



Food Drive



Preschool Happenings



Foundation in the library



Government of South Australia
Department for Education



News from the Principal



Over half way through Term 3 already! I'm not sure if you are feeling like me, but the time is flying and it is hard to believe that we will be in September next week!

It is great to see the weather warming up a little and the days becoming that

bit longer. I was with friends recently when one commented that you could 'smell' the freshness in the air.

Yesterday staff undertook training with Louise Hanrahan from the Literacy Guarantee Unit around Spelling and how to master this concept. We are excited about how this will look for our site in 2022. We then had a session with Kathy Palmer around the Big Ideas in Number which we will also be delving more deeply into in 2022. Our final session of the day was viewing 'The Resilience Project' video that Hugh Van Cuylenburg wrote. If you have not read this amazing book yet, or listened to his podcast, I highly recommend this. As a staff we have all read his book and use some of his teachings daily in our class and lives.

The works at the Preschool are well underway and we envisage these to be complete by the end of this term. Our new shed has been erected and hopefully within the next few weeks you will see our new shade sail which will be over the new sandpit. Thank you once again to everyone who has helped out in some way to get this project to where it is now.

Last week we celebrated our wonderful SSO staff for 'SSO Week'. It is not often that parents and community members see the wonderful work that

our SSO's do- but without them our school would not be as it is today. I would like to say a very big thank you to all of our support staff for the work that they do at TAS.

Over the coming weeks please keep an eye out for your child's NAPLAN results that will be sent home. Please ensure that you take the time to read thoroughly through the information that is provided within these reports. If you have any questions regarding your child's NAPLAN results, please contact your child's class teacher. Please remember that these results are a snap shot of where your child was at that point in time of testing.

PAT testing also takes place in Week 7 for all students. As a site we work with these results and the data they provide very closely and this allows us to improve and reflect on programs and teaching methods that are in place.

A reminder to all families that we will be celebrating Book Week during Week 8 with our 'dress up' parade on Tuesday 7th of September. I wish to remind parents that we do not expect elaborate costumes to be made or purchased, sometimes the simple ones are the best! We look forward in sharing with the students the theme of 'Old Worlds, New Worlds and Other Worlds'.

Like always, if you have feedback to offer, suggestions to give we welcome these which can be emailed to dl.0438.info@schools.sa.edu.au

Regards
Jacqui Vandeleur
Principal

Meet the TAS team!



GET TO KNOW THE AMAZING STAFF AT OUR SCHOOL!



Name: Lindy Scobie

What is your role here at TAS? I am part of the MacqLit team, guiding students through the program. I also have a classroom support role where ever I am needed across the site.

When did you join the TAS team? I joined the staff at TAS in July 2010.

What do you enjoy most about your role? The satisfaction that comes with supporting a child to make a connection is very rewarding. Whether this is working through the MacqLit program or answering a question in the classroom, watching their inquiring minds grow is amazing.

What do you like to do outside of school? I love farming with my husband on our "beautiful" Coorong property. I also enjoy travelling, camping, riding my horse and spending time with my children and grandchildren. A relaxed long lunch with friends is always a favourite.

What was your favorite subject at school? I really enjoyed Art and English at school.

What is your favorite food? Breakfast is my favourite meal of the day, Bacon and Eggs - anyway ! I am also quite partial to Thai food.

If you could travel anywhere right now, where would you go? My travel "Bucket List" is very long ! I would love to go to the Kimberleys and travel down the WA coast. A trip across the Simpson Desert is also high on the list. Overseas I would like to go back to Scotland and vist Ireland and Wales.

Name: Anthony Wandel

What is your role here at TAS? Groundsman

When did you join the TAS team? August 2020

What do you enjoy most about your role? I enjoy fixing things for the teachers and taking care of the oval and the rest of the school grounds.

What do you like to do outside of school? I like to spend time restoring my AU Ford Falcons and messing around with my Field Marshall tractors.

What was your favorite subject at school? I liked metal work, wood work and art.

What is your favorite food? I enjoy a cup of tea with an apricot jam sandwich. I also love plenty of ice cream

If you could travel anywhere right now, where would you go? I would go to England to see some tractor rallies.





Year 11/12

Food & Hospitality



The Year 11/12 showed off their skill and design in Stage 1 and 2 Food and Hospitality by producing various beautifully designed and carefully crafted High Tea.





School News

Preschool Happenings

Preschool children visited the Tintinara Post Office recently. We wrote letters to our families to take with us and posted them in the slot out the front. We met Post Master Karen and she showed us into the back of the Post Office. Our letters had fallen through the slot into a basket. Karen helped us to stamp our letters, find our family boxes and sort our letters into the right box. We saw parcels, mail bags and the gift shop. We asked Karen questions about her job. It was an interesting excursion.



Food Drive

As many of you already know, this Term we have been running a food drive at Tintinara Area School. What a success it has been thus far! A massive thank you to all the families who have contributed, your generosity is highly appreciated and will make a significant contribution for many families in need. A special thank you to Cristofer Groben and his family for donating a whopping 20 items.

There has been a little bit of friendly competition between the two-house colours at TAS, on who can donate the most items. At the moment we have **Messent** in the lead with 98 items and trailing not too far behind we have **Ngarkat** with 57 items. Please keep donating, as it is not too late to win!! We will still be taking items until the end of week 9.

Claire McLeary
Wellbeing Coordinator





Dear Tintinara Families,

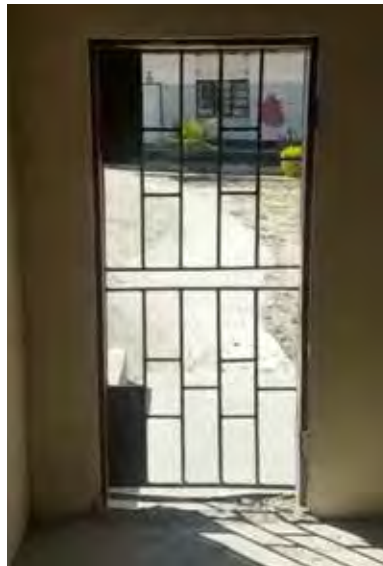
Charity Academy School Kitwe Zambia would like to appreciate all of your help and kind donations that were made from individuals.

The money has gone towards the finishing of the school library. The money has been used for roofing, windows, doors, and painting. We are very humbled with this gesture and thank you for putting a smile on the face of several kids at the school. Once again, we are very thankful.

Thankyou to Mrs Vandeleur for organising this and to everyone who supported and still supporting the school.

For all those that would want to know more about Charity Academy and other ways you can be involved, please check out www.projectsimpactzambia.org.

Kind regards, Moses and Linny



Farewell Miss Jones





School News



SEPEP

Throughout Term 3 in HPE, 7/8 students have been engaging in Sport Education (SEPEP), a program designed to provide an experience of the planning and administrative components of a sports competition. Students create teams, the team identities and form a league consisting of a pre-season, regular season, and a finals series. Through this, students develop game-based skills, leadership qualities, teamwork, and fair play.

After a gruelling pre-season, the teams were primed and ready for action! The above photo captures our students listening to the Australian National Anthem during the opening ceremony prior to commencement of Round 1.

Student Free Day

During our Student Free day yesterday, the staff at Tintinara Area School were busy learning, utilising two workshop sessions throughout the day. Our teachers are actively and continually improving in the learning areas of Spelling and Mathematics. In our first session, Louise Hanrahan from the Literacy Guarantee Unit delivered a workshop focusing on Spelling, with an emphasis on the program 'Spelling Mastery'. We are excited to implement this program into our Years 3-8 classes beginning in 2022. This will compliment InitialLit, which is currently being applied in our Early Years.

The second workshop was associated with the 'Big 6 in Number', presented by Kathy Palmer via Microsoft Teams. Staff were able to consolidate their prior learning and develop strategies to help improve students learning across the year levels. The Big 6 in Number has a focus on five areas, with students progressing through the different stages when they have full mastery of each stage.

A big thankyou to everyone who presented on the day.



Term 3 Principals Awards

Congratulations to all of the students who received a Principals Award at Friday's assembly.

It's great to see these students recognised for their good work by multiple staff at the school.

Well done all!



TINTINARA BOWLING CLUB

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Secretary: Debra Jones 0428 572 188

Treasurer: Brenton Jones 0429 469 439

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Attn: All Bowlers

Program for the next couple of months:

- Saturday Pennants start on October 9th
- Thursday Pennants start on September 23rd

Social Bowls will start on Saturday 4th September.

Sat 11th Sept – Sat 18th Sept – Names in by 1 for 1.30 start.

Everyone welcome to come and have a try. Casual dress, flat soled shoes.

Practice for Thursday Pennants start on Tuesday 7th September. Names in by 9 for 9.30 start.

Thanking you
The Board of the
Tintinara Bowling Club

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Adult Fiction

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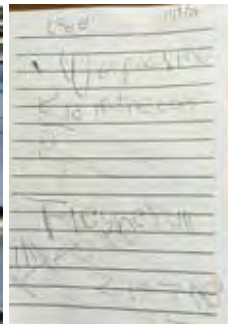
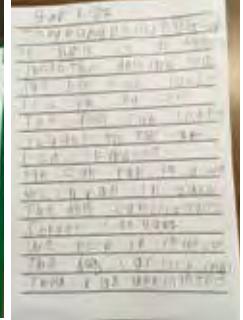
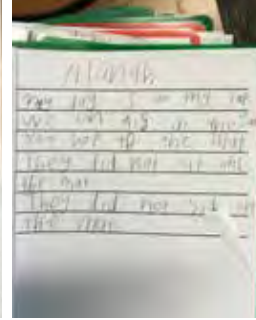
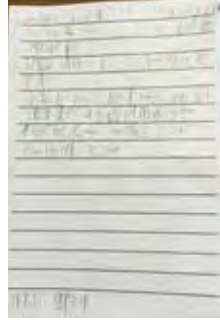
- STUDENT CORNER -



FOUNDATION

Foundation students have shown interest in writing words and sentences. In literacy we have been working on sounding, writing, reading and making sentences. We have learnt that when you put words together you make a sentence.

The interest in writing words and sentences came from the InitialLit program as well as from the many books that the students have been reading from the library.



Wendy's Pick



A Million Things
Author- Emily SPURR
Secrecy

Rae is ten years old, and she's tough. She's had to be: life with her mother has taught her the world is not her friend. Now suddenly her mum is gone and Rae is alone, except for her dog Splinter.

Rae can do a lot of things pretty well for a kid. She can take care of herself and Splinters, stay under the radar at school and keep the front yard neat enough that the neighbours won't get

curious. But she is gnawed at by fear and sadness; haunted by the shadow of a terrible secret.

Lettie, who lives next door, might know more about Rae than she lets on. But she has her own reasons for keeping the world at arm's length. When Rae finds out what they are, it seems like she and Lettie could help each other.

But how long can a friendship last when it's based on secrets?

A Million Things is a tender, funny, haunting and heartbreaking story of how we cope with grief and resilience, told with eloquent simplicity. In brave, spiky Rae, Emily Spurr has created a character you will never forget.

WHATS HAPPENING...

COVID-19 and what to expect in the library!

The South Australian Government are easing COVID-19 restrictions and have allowed Metropolitan and Country libraries to reopen. However, School Community Libraries are in a different position, as Community Library Borrowers and members of the public are currently not permitted to enter school grounds.

Due to the current situation concerning Coronavirus restrictions, the Tintinara Library staff will be adhering to the following guidelines from, The Department for Education and the Tintinara Area School Leadership:

- A Click&Collect service will be in place. Holds can be placed on library items via the telephone or by using our website. www.libraries.sa.gov.au/coorong

- Please phone ahead to arrange a collection time and PLEASE don't forget to wear your mask.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact the library on 87572120 we are more than happy to help where we can.



Community News



All secondary students are invited to attend the next TRADE meeting on Monday 30th August at 7pm in the rear of Cafe 52DoubleSix. Mrs. Rebekah Densley, from the Bordertown Veterinary Clinic will be the guest speaker. The winners of the 2020 Temple Grandin Scholarship will also give a presentation on how the Scholarship helped them in their Agriculture-related studies.

COONALPYN SHOW

Saturday October 16th 2021

As many of you know, the Adelaide Show has sadly been cancelled this year.

However, the Coonalpyn Show will still be held!

The book is ready to be printed
and we are planning the entertainment and displays for the day.
Traders are invited to send in their forms, which are available from the website,
and we look forward to a great day.

There will be Covid rules to follow, as there are everywhere, but we trust that all patrons will be happy to QR code or sign in so we can all have a safe and enjoyable day.

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