



IMPORTANT DATES

MAY

Tuesday 5th

Interschool Cross Country
(Selected students)

Wed 13th-Fri 15th

Gr6 Urban City Camp

2027 OPEN DAYS

Saturday 16th & Tuesday 19th

Thursday 21st

School Photos

German Week

Celebrations 21st&22nd

Tuesday 26th

Interschool Netball/
Softball (Selected
students)

JUNE

Friday 5th

Curriculum Day
(No students required
at school)

Monday 8th

Public Holiday

Friday 26th

Last day of Term 2

Principal's Message

Dear parents and carers,

What a fantastic start to Term 2 it has been! It has been wonderful to see our students return refreshed and ready to learn. They have quickly settled back into their routines, demonstrating enthusiasm and a positive approach to their learning across all areas.

We have also been fortunate to enjoy some beautiful sunny weather this week, which has added to the positive atmosphere around the school. It's been great to see students making the most of the sunshine during recess and lunchtime, as well as bringing that same energy into the classroom.

Tomorrow Saturday the 25th of April, Tylden Primary School has been invited by the RSL to attend the Kyneton ANZAC Day Ceremony at 9:45am, at the Kyneton Cenotaph to participate in the singing of the National Anthem. I encourage everyone who can make it to attend this special event. Students who are attending should be in full school uniform. I will also be there to represent Tylden Primary School. I look forward to seeing you tomorrow!

School Council will meet next Tuesday at 7:00pm. We look forward to continuing our important discussions and working together to support the ongoing success of our school.

On Wednesday the 29th of April, we will be welcoming STOMP Dance Company back to our school for the day. This will be the first of two

sessions to organise our dances for our annual School Concert, that will be held in Term 3. More information regarding the concert will be announced later in the term.

2027 Prep enrolments are now open for Tylden Primary School. If you have a child starting Prep next year, please ensure that you have enrolled them. Enrolment forms can be found at the office.

The AEU continues to negotiate with the Victorian Government regarding pay and conditions for teachers and Education Support staff. As these negotiations continue, members are taking further protected industrial action to highlight ongoing concerns around workload and pay.

A further half-day stop-work is planned in our region on Wednesday 13 May, from 8:30am to 12:30pm. At this stage, I anticipate significant staff participation, which will result in minimal supervision onsite during the morning. Staff will return from 12:30pm and resume normal duties for the afternoon.

I will provide further details as they become available. Thank you again for your strong support during the previous stop-work action.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Bree Sliwczynski

Principal

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TERM 1 CITIZENSHIP AWARD WINNERS



Pictured: Ella, Riley & Dylan

TERM 1 CITIZENSHIP AWARD

Dylan is always a polite and positive student who consistently demonstrates our school value of striving for his personal best. He approaches all learning tasks with enthusiasm and determination, showing a strong commitment to improving and achieving his goals. Dylan is an exceptional role model for others and has truly shown what it takes to be a successful Grade 2 student at Tylden Primary School. He treats his classmates with kindness and respect and is always willing to lend a helping hand or offer encouragement to others. Congratulations!

Riley consistently demonstrates the qualities of an outstanding citizen within our school community. He works hard in everything he does, showing dedication and determination to achieve his best. Riley is always polite, treating teachers and classmates with respect and kindness. He naturally supports others, offering help and encouragement whenever someone needs it. Riley's positive attitude brightens the classroom and inspires those around him. Congratulations.

Ella, you have shown outstanding citizenship this term. Your resilience and commitment to doing your personal best make you a wonderful role model for others in our school. You consistently approach your learning with a positive attitude and demonstrate kindness and respect towards those around you. Ella, you are a valued member of our school community, and your ability to keep trying, even when things are challenging, is truly admirable. You lead by example through your actions and always strive to make a positive difference. Congratulations!

HEADLICE / NITS REPORTED

Head lice infection has been reported this week. If your child seems to be scratching his/her head or complaining about feeling itchy, then a thorough check is warranted!

Please check your children's hair carefully and treat them if necessary. Head lice are spread easily, so it is important to act immediately they are discovered. Remember that a second treatment after 7 days is essential. Once the child has been treated they can return to school the next day.

Head lice are annoying, but their spread can be minimised if every family is vigilant about checking for them and thorough when treating an infection. Please make sure long hair is tied back off their face as this helps minimise the spread.

It is important to advise the school if headlice are detected. Thank you for your cooperation with this matter.

SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGIST

Pemma our provisional psychologist started back this week. If you would like to book your child in or you would like to find out more, please visit the office or come and speak to Bree Sliwczynski.

LUNCH ORDERS

School lunch orders are available.

- Subway (Wednesday) Ordered online the night before
- Super Sushi (Thursday) Ordered the day before at the office cash only. Drop orders at the office.
- Tylden General Store (**Friday's only**) Dropped in the class box at the office by 9am on the Friday.

PREMIERS READING CHALLENGE

The Premiers' Reading Challenge will begin on Monday 4th May at Tylden Primary School.

I have outlined below how the Premiers' Reading Challenge works for those who are new to this.

Your child will bring home a book from a tub in their classroom containing titles which are listed on this year's Premiers Reading Challenge list. (These books are separate to the library books that they bring home each week.) Students can either read the book on their own, or it can be read to them. You then record the title and author of the book on the checklist provided by the school, and your child returns the book and swaps it for another from the classroom tub. The junior students (grades P-2) have all been provided with a checklist to record the names of the books that they bring home. The juniors need to share and record 30 books. The senior students (grades 3-6) need to record 15 books. Seniors can request a record sheet from me if they want one.

Students can also record any other books that they may read at home to their list. Titles don't all have to come from the official challenge list. Please send your child's completed list back to school or you can scan and email the list to me directly so that I can enter them on the official Premiers' Reading Challenge website.

The Challenge runs until September, so there is plenty of time for your child to reach their goal. If they meet the challenge by reading the correct number of books by September, they will receive a special certificate at the end of the year.

If there are any queries don't hesitate to contact me at: wanda.bird@education.vic.gov.au

Wanda Bird
Library Assistant

FANTASTIC TERM 1 AWARD



Owen F- You have had an incredible term! You give all tasks a go, contribute to class discussions and always have a smile on your face. I am so proud. Keep it up!

Poppy – You come into class every day with a smile and a positive attitude. You have been working hard on your reading both in class and at home. Well done Poppy!

Heidi R- You have had such a brilliant term! You are always kind, helpful and you are an outstanding role model for your peers. Keep being the amazing person you are!

George- What a great start to Grade 3 George. You are working hard, making giant leaps and doing it all with a smile. Keep up the great work!

Sophie S- You have had such a fantastic term! You're a bright light, always kind and supportive. Your effort and humour make our class a better place!

Miles- You have worked hard to build your knowledge and skills this term. You get started on tasks without complaint and have taken on new opportunities, like interschool sport, with a smile. It has been wonderful to watch you step up your leadership skills and begin to take younger students under your wing. What a fantastic term!

PE – Ryan -You always display such a positive, can-do attitude towards PE. You put in your best, support others, strive to improve and are a great sport. Well done Ryan!

GERMAN Willow- Congratulations on a fantastic term in German! You can confidently understand and produce simple sentences using 'sein' and 'haben' and create questions using subject/verb inversion. You encourage and support your peers and work collaboratively in group activities. Keep up the great work!

Herzlichen Glückwunsch zu einem tollen Term in Deutsch! Du kannst einfache Sätze mit „sein“ und „haben“ gut verstehen und selbst bilden. Du kannst auch Fragen machen, indem du Verb und Subjekt tauschst. Du hilfst deinen Mitschülern und arbeitest gut in Gruppen. Mach weiter so!

PERFORMING ARTS Lewis - For showing impressive talent, dedication, creativity and confidence as well as a positive attitude and consistently supporting others. Well done, Lewis!

VISUAL ARTS Owen Mc- You have shown great creativity and focus in Visual Arts this term. You are always willing to experiment with new forms of art and put great effort into mastering techniques. Well done!

IMPROVEMENT TERM 1 AWARD



Madeleine- You have shown some impressive improvements this term, your confidence to give things a go has grown. I am impressed. Keep it up!

Mac A -You are becoming a great role model in our class this year. You often challenge yourself in writing tasks and are becoming a more confident reader thanks to your hard work. Keep up the awesome work!

Xavier – You have demonstrated great resilience this term and made some fantastic connections in class. Keep up the amazing work!

Cooper – Well done on making great improvements to your learning. Keep making great choices and you will keep improving!

Rupert- What an outstanding term you have had! You have shown such wonderful growth in your confidence, finding a group of friends where you feel happy and supported and sharing ideas in class more often. Amazing!

Emelia M- You have started your final year of primary school so positively. It has been wonderful to see you practising in lessons and sharing your ideas with more confidence. Keep it up!

GERMAN Lucas - You have shown great improvement in your German language this term. You have been participating actively in classes and taking a leading role in group tasks. You should be proud of your efforts. Keep up the positive approach to language learning.

Du hast dich in diesem Term im Deutschen sehr verbessert. Du hast im Unterricht aktiv mitgemacht und oft eine führende Rolle in Gruppenarbeiten übernommen. Du kannst stolz auf deine Leistungen sein und solltest deine positive Einstellung zum Sprachenlernen beibehalten.

PE Ethan F- It has been great to see your overall confidence in PE increase this term. You always strive to do your best and work hard to improve your skills. Keep it up!

PERFORMING ARTS- Harper C Through persistence and a willingness to have a go, you have made great progress this term. Well done Harper!


VISUAL ARTS Liam- You have tried hard in Visual Arts this term. It has been great to see you become more confident and capable in using different art techniques. Keep it up!

STEPHANIE ALEXANDER KITCH GARDEN PROGRAM

This week we made Pizza of Imagination, Sweet Potato and Apple Quinoa Salad and a Fruit Crumble. It was a busy session making the pizza dough and patiently waiting for it to rise. Lots of discussion was had about what was the best pizza toppings. We also surprised the grade six students with their very own pizza, to thank for moving out of their class each week.



BEANIES AND TOTE BAGS FOR SALE

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| Beanies \$15 | Bags \$10 |

Tote bags
and Beanies
available at
the office

COMMUNITY NEWS

CELEBRATE THE CLOSE OF AUTUMN FESTIVAL
ON PIPER ST
KYNETON



THURS
APRIL 30
5-8
FREE

Paul's Park
Kyneton Museum

LIVE MUSIC
KYNETON COUNTRY REVUE
VALLEY ROAD and
Cat and Clint
THE DUSTY MILLERS

COSY AUTUMN
FOOD & DRINKS
LICENCED BAR
NO BYO



MACEDON RANGES
AUTUMN FESTIVAL





AFTER SCHOOL CLASSES

FOR PREP TO GRADE 6

ART CLUB FOR KIDS
Wednesdays
3.45pm - 5pm



Creative Yoga
I am...



CREATIVE YOGA
Wednesdays
4pm - 5pm

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NETSETGO!

The Fun Starts Here.

REGISTER FOR WOOLWORTHS NETSETGO TODAY!

Net Set Go Trentham
Starting Term 2
Thursday 23rd April 3:45-4:30
@ Trentham Football Netball Club
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GOOD CLEAN FUN

PLAY.AFL/AUSKICK

TRENTHAM AUSKICK CENTRE
TRENTHAM FOOTBALL CLUB
FALLS ROAD, TRENTHAM
STARTS APRIL 23RD
THURSDAYS | 4:00 - 5:00PM

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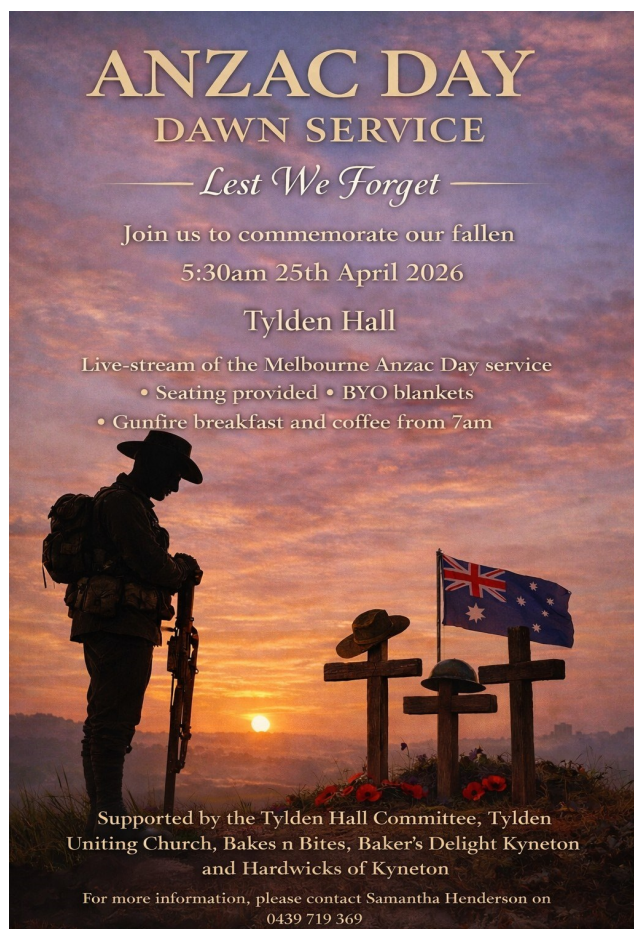

COMMUNITY NEWS

ANZAC DAY
DAWN SERVICE
— *Lest We Forget* —

Join us to commemorate our fallen
5:30am 25th April 2026
Tylden Hall

Live-stream of the Melbourne Anzac Day service

- Seating provided • BYO blankets
- Gunfire breakfast and coffee from 7am



Supported by the Tylden Hall Committee, Tylden Uniting Church, Bakes n Bites, Baker's Delight Kyneton and Hardwicks of Kyneton

For more information, please contact Samantha Henderson on 0439 719 369

WE'RE HIRING

FRONT OF HOUSE TEAM AND BACK OF HOUSE - THE PIG AND WHISTLE HOTEL

If you're someone who takes pride in your work, enjoys working with people and can keep things running smoothly during service - we'd love to hear from you.

AVAILABLE POSITIONS

Option A - Senior Floor

Part-Time | Approx. 19.5 hrs

- Wednesday & Thursday - 5-10pm
- Monday - 10:30am-3pm
- Tuesday - 5-10pm

Option B - Bar

Part-Time | Approx. 15 hrs

- Saturday - 5-10pm
- Sunday - 12-5pm
- Monday - 12-5pm

Option C - Dishwashing

Part-Time | Approx. 15 hrs

- Wednesday - 5-10pm
- Thursday - 5-10pm
- Friday - 5-10pm

APPLY NOW

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PIG & WHISTLE
HOTEL

Joey Scouts for 5-8 year olds is coming to



1st Kyneton

Scout Group

in Term 3!!

Joey Scouts is a fun, welcoming program for 5-8 year olds where children build confidence, make new friends and explore through games, outdoor adventures and lots of hands-on activities.

Fridays 5:30-7:00pm

Free Trial available



For more information or to register your interest please email:

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