



# NEWSLETTER

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## **Euroa Primary School**

**Principal (acting): Mrs Michelle Bootes**

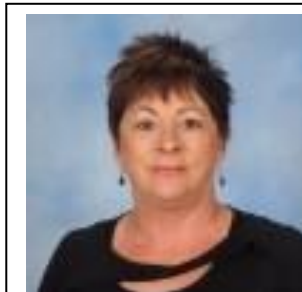
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Two teams of "Kanga Cricketers" off to the next stage  
of this competition in Week 8





**Oscar Groves Gracey Chenhall and Emily Belcher**

**HANGING THE WREATH FOR REMEMBRANCE DAY**

## **PRINCIPAL'S REPORT**

**Michelle Bootes**

The Grade 5/6 students gave a wonderful performance of the "Seriously Serious Circus" last Thursday night: students walking on stilts, juggling a variety of items, working with spinning plates and some amazing gymnastic team work. Well done to all the students for a fantastic evening of entertainment.

This week the Year 5 students have been invited to nominate for the selection process for being a School Captain in 2017. Students will present their speeches to Years 2-5 on Friday afternoon from 2:15 - 3:15 in the Senior gallery. Assembly for this week by 4CJ and 4/5K will be postponed. Each student will be asked to vote for their preferred applicants following the speeches. The results will then be tallied, producing a list of students whom will then go through an interview process with the final selection panel.

On Monday evening, an information evening was held for the 2017 Japan tour. The meeting was well attended by students and their families. Robert Lawrence and Natalie Middleton (Peranbin Primary College) presented PowerPoints on their Japanese experience. The 2017 tour is open for current Grade 5 students. Expressions of interests should be handed in to the office, if this was not done on the night.

Congratulations to our "Kanga" Cricketers: Oscar Morphet, Ryan Mackrell, Noah Mawson, Jaycob Martinez, Robert Lawrence, Fletcher Paul, Keily Jager, Areaka Bamblett, Zoe Martin, Cara Gabutan, Ashtynn Railton, Millie Watson, Ashleigh Fraser, Teagan Kubeil and Ella Davidson. Two teams will go to the next level of competition during week 8.

A huge thankyou goes to Felicity Watson, who last weekend took all the clothes from the lost property home to wash and iron them. If your child has lost an article of school clothing, this may be found on a table at the rear of the BER gallery, nicely cleaned and ironed. Unclaimed clothing will go to our second hand uniform collection.

I wish the grade 5/6 students, teachers and accompanying parents a safe and enjoyable camp in Canberra next week. Please make sure that your child is at school at the designated time on Monday so that the trip leaves on time.

## **School Hats**

A reminder to all parents that all students are expected to wear a school hat. Students who do not have a school hat are expected to remain in designated shaded areas.

## **Reminder to all students:**

Arrival to school in the morning should not be before 8:30am.

Breakfast Club operates on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of every week unless otherwise advised. This runs from 8:30-8:55am. All students are welcome and there is no charge.

## DATES TO REMEMBER

### NOVEMBER

Monday 14- Friday 18	5/6 Camp
Thursday 17	Junior Athletic sports
Tuesday 22	Milo T20
Tuesday 22      6.45pm	School Council meeting
Wednesday 30 – Friday 2 December	3/4 Camp

**ASSEMBLY** – NO assembly tomorrow – instead of assembly, Grades 2–6 will meet in the senior gallery for School Captain 2017 speeches

### **JUNIOR SCHOOL**

**Angela, Megan and Amy**

#### *Junior School Sports*

The Junior Athletic Sports will be held on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> November from 11.40am to 1.00pm. We hope to see as many parents as possible at the sports to cheer on the children.

**Smart Spelling** – sound “ar”

**Parent helpers** – we appreciate and encourage parents coming to our school and assisting us with many tasks. Please remember to sign in at the office when you are staying after the bell in the morning so that we know who is at the school. Thank you.

### **SENIOR SCHOOL**

**Kim, Heather, Jenny, Maddi, Deanne and Deb**

### ***Camp News***

Grade 5/6 camp to Canberra is next week! Grade 5/6s please double check that all of the items that are listed on the packing list are packed in your suitcase ready to go. We hope that you have a wonderful time on camp and look forward to hearing about your adventures.

Final payments for grade 3/4 Urban camp need to be made by the November 21st. Permission forms, medical forms and a checklist have been sent home. Please make sure that the forms are returned this Friday November 11<sup>th</sup>.

### **HOUSE CAPTAINS**

There is **no assembly** this week as the grade 5 students will be presenting their 2017 House Captain speeches. They have shown much enthusiasm in preparing their speeches and we wish them the best of luck.

### **5/6 Production**

Well done to the grade 5/6 students who did a spectacular job of entertaining the crowd in with their circus skills last Thursday.

### ***Milo T-20 Blast***

We were so proud of students' achievements, conduct & behaviour at Seymour Milo T-20 blast cricket on Tuesday.

## **EUROA HEALTH SEVEN CREEKS COUNTRY FAIR**

The Seven Creeks Country Fair is Saturday 26 November with free entry for all children under 15 years and \$10 gate entry for all other visitors. It's a big day of affordable fun for all families. Live music, skydiver display, games, food and stalls set in the magnificent gardens at Seven Creeks Estate.

More information <http://www.euroahealth.com.au/building-fund/calendar-of-events>

### **HEALTH INFORMATION**

The Department of Health and Human Services has identified a new strain of norovirus that may lead to gastroenteritis outbreaks.

Norovirus is characterised by acute onset of -

- **nausea**
- **vomiting**
- **diarrhoea**

Other symptoms may include -

- **fever**
- **headaches**
- **muscle aches**

Symptoms usually resolve after 48 hours but if a parent is concerned about their child's symptoms they should seek medical advice. Good hygiene is important both at school and at home and to help prevent the spread of norovirus everyone should do the following:

- Avoid attending school when experiencing gastroenteritis symptoms and advise the school that your child or yourself is ill
- Stay away from school until symptom free for 48 hours
- Maintain strict hygiene procedures at all times by washing hands with soap and water, especially after going to the toilet and before eating OR preparing food



### **POTENTIAL HEALTH HAZARDS FROM MOSQUITOES**

Recent heavy rainfall across the state has led to ideal breeding conditions for mosquitoes. Current and predicted weather conditions, particularly in the north east of the state, suggest that high numbers of mosquitoes will continue well into the summer months. While the overall risk is considered low some mosquitoes carry viruses including Ross River and Barmah Forest, or very rarely, Murray Valley encephalitis virus. Most mosquitoes found in Victoria do not carry viruses but can be more of a nuisance. Ross River and Barmah Forest viruses can cause joint inflammation, pain and rash in about a third of those infected. The majority will show no symptoms. MVE is a brain infection that, in rare cases, can cause the brain to swell. Simple steps to help protect from mosquito bites –

- Wear loose fitting clothing when outdoors. Cover up as much as possible
- Use mosquito repellent that contains picaridin or DEET
- Remove areas of stagnant water, clean gutters and storm water pits and undertake routine maintenance
- Ensure rain water tanks or water storage devices are sealed
- Repair holes in flyscreens and close windows and doors that do not have flyscreens
- Use knockdown sprays or zappers

Dusk and dawn is when most mosquitoes are more active but some will also bite during the day.

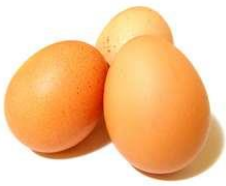
For additional information, or if anyone has health concerns, please see your doctor, phone Nurse-On-Call on 1300 606 024 or contact your local council.



Friday (11<sup>th</sup> November) at 5pm. If you haven't already registered, please do so. IN2CricketMilo must be done online at [www.playcricket.com.au](http://www.playcricket.com.au) , go to Learning Skills and follow the links. Fees are to be paid online as well. The cost is \$75.00. U12 registration forms are in the next few days.

### **TENNIS COACHING**

Tennis coaching available for the remainder of the year including over the summer holidays with options of both private or small group lessons with flexible times. If interested please contact Kyle Andrews on 0405 208 529



### **Japan Trip 2017 Fundraiser**

Farm Fresh Free Range EGGS

\$5 dozen

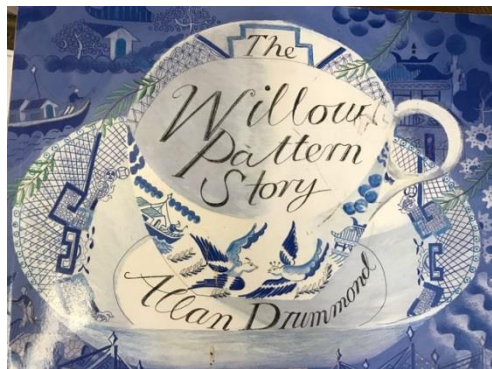
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# WILLOW PATTERNS



A picture can tell a thousand words and the willow pattern certainly has an interesting story and design. After the students shared what inspires them and their collections, I told them about my collection of willow pattern crockery and how it has inspired my artwork. We read the fascinating story of the willow pattern while examining the plates; then everyone began designing their own plate. Each member of the class found something different in the design and they experimented with a variety of drawing materials to create patterns and effects. Warm Regards, Suzie Bates



The art room needs lots of empty 1 or 2 litre soft-drink bottles (2 per puppet) please drop them off to the office, art-room or send them to school with your child. Thanks in advance!



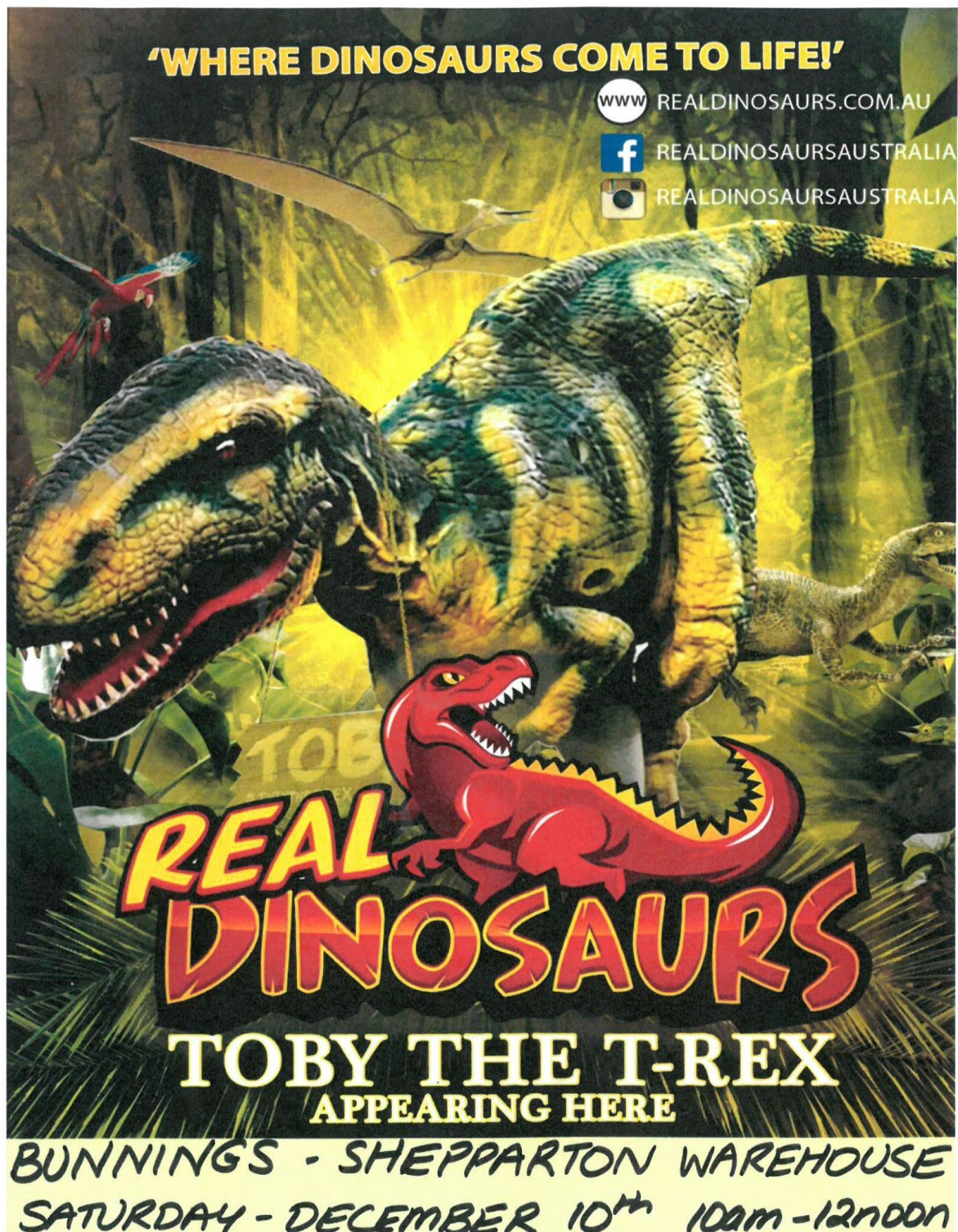


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**TOBY THE T-REX**

**APPEARING HERE**

**BUNNINGS - SHEPPARTON WAREHOUSE**

**SATURDAY - DECEMBER 10<sup>th</sup> 10am - 12noon**

**EXCITING NEWS...**Bunnings Shepparton Warehouse are getting a visit from TOBY the T-REX Dinosaur from "Real Dinosaurs" on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> of December between 10.00am – 12.00 noon.

Customers will get the opportunity to watch TOBY roam through the store during his show, and also be able to take photos with him as well. For more information the event is also detailed on Bunnings Shepparton website page



# Toptenn Tennis Academy Benalla Super Clinic 2017

Thurs 8th & Fri 9th of Jan at the Benalla Lawn Tennis Club

Peter Owen and his National Award Winning coaching team will be back in 2017 for the annual Benalla Super Clinic. The 2017 curriculum will include 2 jam packed days of Summer tennis for all age groups on Thursday the 8th and Friday the 9th of January. Programs include:

## Hot Shots Red Ball Clinic (4-7yrs)

9:30-11am | \$75 for 2 days | 25% Compression Red Ball

Uses modified nets, balls and teaching equipment to emphasise success, improvement and FUN. Students learn groundstrokes, volleys, serves and smashes as well as basic rules and scoring.

## Hot Shots Orange Ball Clinic & Tmt (8-10yrs)

• 9:30am to 2:00pm | \$115 for 2 days | 50% Compression Orange Ball

For Red Ball graduates and 8-10 year old beginners. Students are introduced to more rallying, more point play, new strokes and more advanced technique on the specialised Orange Ball Court.

## Hot Shots Green Ball (10-12yrs)

• 9:30am to 2:00pm | \$115 for 2 days | 75% Compression Green Ball

Intermediate players. More focus on competition tennis - rallying, tactics, point construction, scoring and specialised technique. Green Ball uses full court width

## Teen Xtreme (12-14yrs) & Teen Xtreme + (14+)

• 9:30am to 2:00pm | \$115 for 2 days | 100% Compression Yellow Ball

Specialised program for teenage players. Advanced tactics, conditioning and technique.

## Adult Coaching Clinic

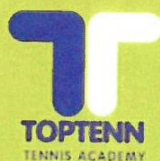
• 6:30-8:30pm | \$35 | Thurs 8th of Jan

Improve your skills, learn new skills and meet new people with Toptenn's Coach/Play (90 mins of coaching and 30 mins of social round robin).

**50% off**

**3<sup>rd</sup> family member**  
(discount is applied to youngest player)

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## PLAYER REGISTRATION

### Registration Details

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_ (Red/Orange/Green/Teen)  
Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_ (Red/Orange/Green/Teen)  
Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_ (Red/Orange/Green/Teen)

Adult Registration: \_\_\_\_\_

Adult Registration: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Registration Conditions:

I authorise Toptenn Tennis to obtain medical assistance for my child as they see fit and will meet all expenses thereof. Please indicate any medical conditions Toptenn staff should be aware of:

I acknowledge that I will not hold Toptenn Tennis or affiliates liable for any loss or injury sustained during the program. I authorise Toptenn to use images of participants of the program for promotional purposes only (ie. Flyers, website, etc).

### Payment Information

Please complete this form and send to [info@toptenn.com.au](mailto:info@toptenn.com.au) or PO BOX 80, Burwood (3125).  
Payment is required to secure your position

- **Cheque**

I have enclosed Cheque for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ ☐

- **Credit Card (+ \$2.50)** MC / VISA \_\_\_\_\_ Exp \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ CV \_\_\_\_\_

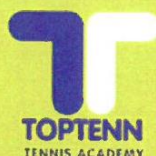
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- **Bank Transfer**

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