

# Tarcutta School News

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## **WHAT'S HAPPENING TERM 4 2015**

### **NOVEMBER**

19th—Transition—ALL DAY

26th—P & C meeting at 8.30am

26th—Transition last day—ALL DAY

26th—Wagga Small Schools Movie night at Wagga Public School Hall—6.30pm

30th November—11th December—Intensive swimming program

### **DECEMBER**

15th—Presentation Night

16th—**END TERM 4**



Remembrance Day 2015

**DID YOU KNOW!** You can access the School Newsletter and other exciting snippets from our students via the school website. Type Tarcutta Public School in the search bar and follow the links. It's easy.

### **WELCOME**

Welcome to Patrick Nyatoro. Patrick is in the 2nd year of his Teaching degree at Charles Sturt University and he has been with us since the 29th of October. Patrick will complete his time with us this Friday and we hope his time with the students and staff has been enjoyable.

### **STAY TUNED**

In the coming weeks the Tarcutta Public School App will be available for families to download to their phones.

### **P & C MEETING**

The next P & C meeting will be held on Thursday 26th November starting at 8.30am. All parents are encouraged to attend.

### **MOBILE LIBRARY**

The Mobile Library van will next be in Tarcutta on Friday 27th November.

### **SUMMER**

As we head towards spring/summer and more sunshine the school policy of "No Hat, No Play" will apply. Students are required to wear their own wide brim navy blue hat. No Caps. We discourage children from sharing hats for hygiene reasons. Children are also encouraged to have their water bottle in class so they can stay well hydrated. Research has shown that small, frequent drinks of water are beneficial to concentration.

### **TRANSITION**

Please note on Thursday 19th November and Thursday 26th November Transition will be full days. The 26th November will be the last transition day for 2015. On these two days the children can come at 9am and be picked up at 3.25pm. Please ensure that you pack morning tea, lunch and a drink for your child.

### **HOMEWORK**

Students are required to return their homework to school each morning. Mr Carroll would like parents to continue encouraging their children to practise their spelling and reading every night and record on the sheet and continue with other home activities which may include watching and talking about the news, and doing lots of drawing.

### **STEWART HOUSE VISIT**

Yesterday, Matthew and Jenna, travelled to Sydney for a two week stay at Stewart House. We hope they have an enjoyable time and have lots of stories and adventures to tell us when they return.

### **Transition**

By Lilly West

Transition kids are having a great time at Tarcutta Public School. They get to do cooking with Mr Carroll and they get to do lots of craft and singing with Cathy. We know that they are having a great time with the other kids on the playground. We all hope that they are having a great time being here all day.

### **Thursday Cooking With Fiona and Cathy**

By Emmilly

Class cooking is on Thursdays! We cooked beetroot again because we grow so much in the garden. Thanks Cathy for finding all of the different beetroot recipes.

### **Guinea Pigs**

By Dakota

Steve brought two guinea pigs in from Mount Austin school. One escaped. The other one's name is 'Guinea'. We feed it 2 lettuce leaves a day. Guinea lives in a cage that has wheels and can be moved to a new patch of fresh grass.

### **Presentation Night**

By Nick

At Presentation night we are going to be singing and presenting awards. We will be also having supper at the school. There will be two movies that we have made and 1 little play from the kinders.

### **Mr Nyatoro**

By Will

Mr Nyatoro is really good at basketball and teaching us new games for us to play. He has mostly been teaching the K,1 but has also been teaching the rest of us with the cook book. He has been helping all of us with our Terrific Tarcutta Tales movie with cutting, fading our movies and putting our movie together. He will be leaving Tarcutta Public School before the movie night.

### **Movie Night**

By Will

On Thursday night 26<sup>th</sup> November at Wagga Public School there will be a movie night with movies made from all of the schools in the Wagga Small Schools group. It is about how terrific Tarcutta is and obviously the movie is called 'Terrific Tarcutta Tales'. Mr Carroll entered our movie even before we had even started it.



Our "Student of the week" is Matthew. Check the school Website for more exciting progress regarding our students.