



# TARCUTTA Public SCHOOL



Having fun celebrating St. Patrick's Day

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## Reminders

### *Return to School*

Gymnastics \$55

Donations for Easter Egg Raffle

Primary—Novel \$15

Primary Students Sydney Excursion Permission notes & deposit of \$30

Due 28th March



Building the Future



## Calendar

### Term 1 Week 8

|                |   |
|----------------|---|
| Mon 18 March   | P&C Meeting<br>**Change of date**         |
|                | Gymnastics                                |
| Tues 19 March  | Primary—Recorder Day                      |
| Wed 20 Mar     | Bluearth                                  |
| Thurs 21 March | Harmony Day                               |
| Fri 22 March   | Responsible Pet Ownership Day<br>Assembly |

### Week 9

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| Mon 25 March | Gymnastics     |
| Fri 29 March | Mobile Library |

### Week 10

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| Mon 1 Apr  | School Counsellor visit |
| Tues 2 Apr | Visit to Humula PS      |
| Wed 3 Apr  | Bluearth                |
| Fri 5 Apr  | Assembly                |

## Principal's Note

Welcome to Week 8. It has been another fabulous week at school with loads of new experiences for our students to learn from and enjoy.

Today the Primary class were fortunate enough to have a visit from Mrs Gollasch. Mrs Collasch is a highly trained musician and she came to work with the Primary class on how to play the recorder in preparation for us starting to learn our musical pieces for the **Festival of Instrumental Music** in Sydney in August.

Tomorrow (Wednesday) our **Parent Helper** program begins in the Infants Classroom. Mrs L is happy to meet with parents at recess time (11am-11:25am) to talk about how it will work and what happens at each station. We are looking for parents to come and listen to our students read. If you would like to be involved drop by to see how it will work and we can help you get your Working With Children Check sorted out.

Thursday, is **Harmony Day**. On Harmony Day we celebrate the diversity of our students. Students are asked to bring in a family object that reflects their diversity, their heritage or a special tradition that they celebrate. If the object is too precious to bring to school a photo can be brought instead. On this day we also **Say No to Bullying** and talk about the importance of making good decisions that respect everyone. The colour of Harmony Day is orange and the colour of Say No to Bullying is Purple. So we ask students to wear a splash of either orange or purple. This can be clothing or ribbons or socks or nail polish.

The **Premier's Reading Challenge** is starting. To participate students need to read books that are on the Premier's Reading Challenge list and then write down the title of the book they have read. To access the list you can google Premier's Reading Challenge and look

6:30pm

Wednesday nights

**NETBALL**

IT'S A WAY OF LIFE!



Education

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at the booklist. In our school library Premier's Reading Challenge books have a sticker on them. The school has just purchased \$700+ of new books for the challenge so there are new books and new series of books for the students to borrow.

Thank you to everyone who was able to attend this week's **P&C Meeting**. Some of things discussed included new school jackets for winter, a long sleeve t-shirt for winter and the Easter Hat Parade and Raffle.

The next **P&C Meeting** will be in Week 11—**Monday 8th April**.

**Voluntary School Contributions** are invited to be made by the end of this term.

This is \$30 per child or \$60 for 3+ children. This money goes towards purchasing items for the classrooms for the students to use on a daily basis.

On Friday we are having very special visitors to our school as we look at **Responsible Pet Ownership**. This will be after our assembly.

Students in Years 1-3 have taken home **Home Readers**. Please ensure these are brought back in everyday so your child can bring home new books. Kindergarten have been given sight words to learn every night. Please get them to read each word to you and practise every night.

### Kirilee Post, Principal

Check out our school website:

<https://tarcutta-p.schools.nsw.gov.au>

## Jackets for Winter

The P&C are looking into some additions to our winter uniform. Hunters can offer a long sleeve version (similar) to our t-shirt and a jacket. Some parents also liked the idea of getting a jumper with a hoodie that they get Hunters to put the logo on. There was also a discussion about in the future looking at a winter tunic for the girls, if other parents are interested

If you are interested in ordering a jacket you may want to do so before the holidays as they sometimes take a week or two to come in to the shop before Hunters can embroider them.

Child Jacket—Style—J3150B—\$35.95—plus logo cost.

Adult Jacket—Style J3150—\$35.95—plus logo cost.

Long Sleeve T-Shirt—MPS-PS43K—\$25 plus logo cost.

Colours must be Navy with the red stripe around the collar.

Also students are to wear navy socks.

White socks are to be worn with the dress.

## Easter Egg Raffle and Parade

On the last day of term we will be having an Easter Hat Parade and students are encouraged to create a hat to wear. The P&C will be running a raffle in the lead up to this event and are looking for donations for the raffle. If you would like to donate chocolate eggs, colouring in books, little fluffy bunnies, etc you can start sending them in from next week and we will store them in a box. Tickets will be going home next week for you to sell.



## Primary Class Novel \$15

The Primary students are reading *The Ranger's Apprentice* by John Flanagan. The students will get to keep this novel when we finish it next term. The cost for the novel is \$15. Please pay this by the end of the term.

## Mixed Netball for the Community

Mixed netball is back for 2019 and everyone is welcome to come along and have some fun. Netball is on Wednesday nights from 6:30pm. Contact Jaz for more information on 0429575532 or just show up. It is just a gold coin donation and you will be put in a team when you arrive.

## Primary—Excursion Tickets

If you would like to watch your child perform at the Opera House you are able to make your own way to Sydney and purchase a ticket from the Opera House to watch our performance. If you would like to do this please arrange your accommodation soon as they tend to fill up quickly. Often parents who come up will eat dinner at the same restaurant we are at and we will let you know where that is closer to the date.

## Parent Helpers— starts tomorrow

We are looking for some of our amazing mums and dads to join us on Wednesdays from 12pm-1pm to help with Reading Group Rotations. Each week you will supervise a different literacy station: listening to children read, helping them practise their sight words or writing. If you would like to be involved for one of these days please let us know and we will help you organise your Volunteer's Working With Children Check. We are going to start tomorrow and Mrs L is happy to meet with parents at recess time (11am-11:25am) to explain what is happening and to talk about each station.

## Crazy Hair Day

Thank you to everyone who came to school with their hair done in crazy patterns, designs and colours last week. Altogether the school raised \$24 for charity.

## University of NSW Tests—Primary

I'm interested in our primary class in extending their skills by participating in the University of NSW tests. I've asked each child to consider choosing 1 test to have a go at but they are welcome to choose more. The tests are available in: Maths, English, Spelling, Writing, Science, and Digital Technologies. Each test is \$14.50 and will be completed in September.

# Soccer 2019—Wagga—Saturday Morning

FOOTBALL WAGGA WAGGA 2019 winter season is fast approaching and registrations are now taking place.

Football Wagga Wagga Cater for all MiniRoos from U5's through to 11's, juniors from U12's through to U16's. Contact your local club and register to be involved in 2019!



## **SOUTH WAGGA WARRIORS**

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## **WAGGA UNITED FOOTBALL CLUB**

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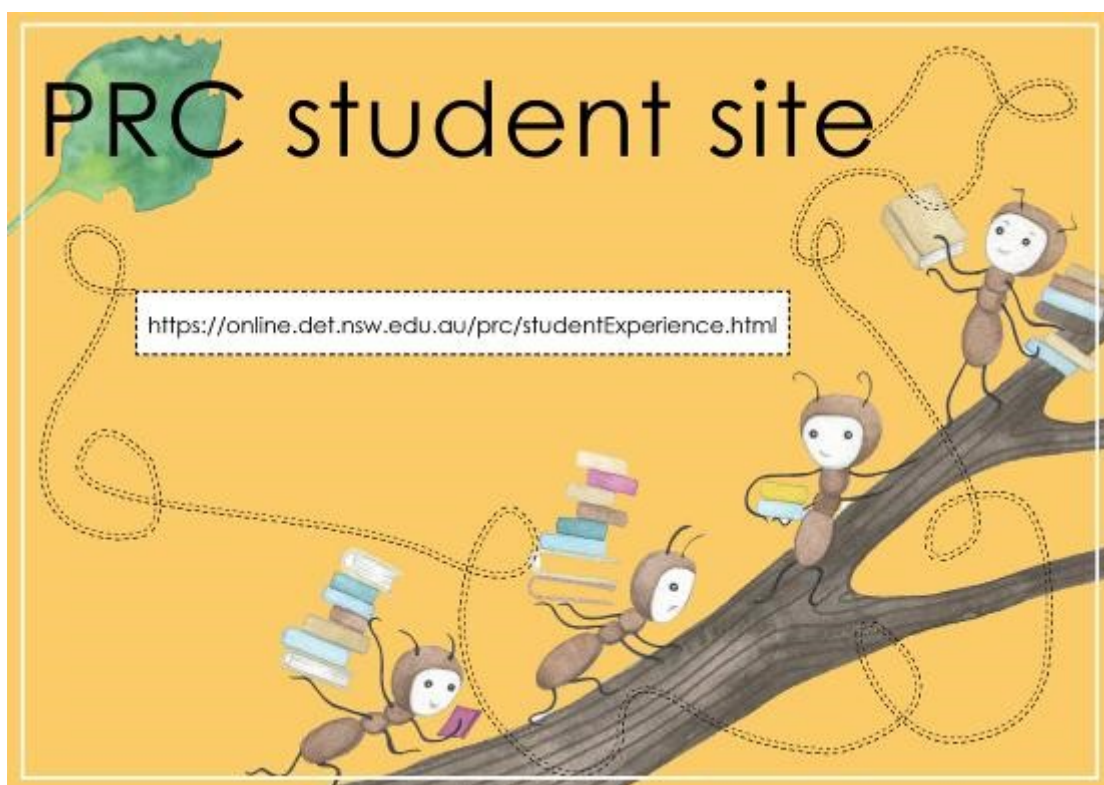
# How do students log in to the NSW Premier's Reading Challenge website?

It will take you to the PRC student site.

Then click on LOGIN in the top right hand corner. This will take you to the NSW Department of Education portal login page, students need to enter their username and password here:

A link to the Premier's Reading Challenge website can be found in the [Student Portal](#) under the **Learning** section. Students are also able to add a link to the PRC in the **My Link List** section to make the PRC easier to find. The URL to use is <https://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc/studentExperience.html#/>.

Public school students can also log in directly to the [PRC website](#) using their Department of Education (DoE) username and password. These are the same details a student would use to access the [Student Portal](#) and the computer network at school. If you are unaware of your username and/or password, please contact your class teacher and ask for your Student Portal username and/or password.



This is the log on page that every child uses to log on to their computers at school. They put in their USER ID which will usually be their first name.surname. Some students have a number after their surname. They should know their passwords

**Log in with your DoE account**

User ID

Example: jane.smithen1

Password

**Log in**

[Forgot your password?](#)

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Have trouble logging in?

[Help for DoE/TAFE staff](#)   [Help for TAFE students](#)