

TOOLERN TIMES

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Resilience, Engagement, Acceptance, Cooperation, High Expectations

2020

Term 1 Calendar

Tuesday 28th January
-Curriculum Day
Student Free Day

Wednesday 29th January
-Grades 1-6 Start 8.55am

Monday 3rd February
-FND Students Start 8.55am

Monday 10th February
-Assembly

Congratulations to all of our Grade 6 Students



****Happy Graduation****



We hope all our Grade 6 students and their families had a wonderful time at the Graduation night last Tuesday. It was a special night, celebrating their time spent at Toolern Vale Primary. We wish all of our students all the best as they step into the next chapter of their lives in Secondary College.



"We acknowledge the traditional custodians of the land, and pay our respect to their Elders past, present and emerging. We also acknowledge our gratitude that we share this land today, our sorrow for some of the costs of that sharing, and our hope and belief that we can move to place of equity, justice and partnership together."

Merry Christmas

We would like to wish all our families, students and staff a wonderful Christmas, and all the very best for the new year! We look forward to seeing you all in 2020!

Good luck

To all our Graduating Grade 6 children, we hope you have much success in your future endeavours. We would also like to wish the families who are leaving our school all the very best.

School Banking

For all students participating in the Dollarmites Commonwealth School Banking Program, school banking will resume on **Thursday 13th February**.

Class Placement and school reports

Class placements for next year were sent home with school reports on Wednesday 18th December. Foundation 2020 class placements were mailed to families on the same day.

Hats—SunSmart

A reminder that students must wear their hats during term 1 and 4.

Our school has a "No hat, no play" policy.

End of year Concert

We had a wonderful end of year school concert on Monday. All of our students did an amazing job and had so much fun on stage, performing their class acts. Thank you to everyone who helped assist with the preparation, the concert and the clean up.

These events can not be held without help from our staff, families and the community.

Assemblies

Assemblies are held every second Monday morning at 8:55am.

The next assembly will be held on Monday 10th February 2020

Term 1 Upcoming Assembly Dates

Monday 10th February

Monday 24th February

Monday 9th March

Monday 23rd March



End of year school concert





SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

JANUARY 2020

STAY ACTIVE, GET CREATIVE, DANCE AND MORE WITH US THESE SUMMER HOLIDAYS!

Melton City Council's Community Activity & Learning Centres are celebrating summer with a variety of free and low cost activities across the municipality throughout the January 2020 school holidays.

BOOK YOUR SPACE VIA OUR WEBSITE OR CALL US FOR ASSISTANCE.

meltonlearning.com.au | 03 9747 7200

ACTIVITY	DESCRIPTION	LOCATION	TIME & COST
THURSDAY 9 JANUARY 2020			
School Holiday Scavenger Hunt	Explore Taylors Hill Youth & Community Centre while searching for clues, tackling challenges and solving riddles.	Taylors Hill Neighbourhood House 121 Calder Park Drive, Taylors Hill	Free 11am – 3pm (drop in any time)
TUESDAY 14 JANUARY 2020			
Hip Hop Workshop for Kids	Learn hip hop dance moves and put it all together to family friendly catchy beats. Suitable for children aged 8-12 years.	Banchory Community Centre 17 Banchory Ave, Hillside	Free 11am – 12pm

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WEDNESDAY 15 JANUARY 2020

Dance Grooves	Keep your pre-teen kids active in this fun workshop where they will learn some funky dance moves! Suitable for children aged 8-12 years.	Hillside Community Centre Royal Crescent, Hillside	Free 10:30am – 11:30am
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FRIDAY 17 JANUARY 2020

Loving Summer Family Picnic	Bring along your picnic blanket, snacks and celebrate summer with your family on the beautiful grounds of Botanica Springs.	Botanica Springs Children's & Community Centre 249 Clarkes Road, Brookfield	\$10 per family 5pm – 8pm
Shell Mosaic Workshop for Kids	Create a beach themed mosaic masterpiece to take home inspired by the summer holidays! Suitable for children aged 5-12 years.	Brookside Community Centre 17 Federation Way, Caroline Springs	\$8 per child 10:30am – 11:30am
Kids Disco	Dance the evening away to the kids' favourite tunes. Games and prizes to be won. Suitable for children aged 6-13 years.	Eynesbury Discovery Centre 479 Eynesbury Road, Eynesbury	\$4 per child 6pm – 7:30pm

SATURDAY 18 JANUARY 2020

The Willows Summer of Fun Day	Join us on the stunning grounds of The Willows Historical Park for a day full of fun outdoor family activities and sports for all ages.	The Willows Historical Park Reserve Road, Melton	Free 10am – 12pm
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MONDAY 20 JANUARY 2020

Mad Science for Kids	Learn to launch your own water rocket 30 meters high into the air! Suitable for children aged 4-13 years.	Eynesbury Discovery Centre 479 Eynesbury Road, Eynesbury	\$15 per child 10:30am – 11:30am
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TUESDAY 21 JANUARY 2020

Bird's Nest Making for Kids	Learn about bird behaviours whilst making your own bird's nest to take home! Suitable for children aged 4-9 years.	Diggers Rest Community Hall 48 Plumpton Road, Diggers Rest	\$5 per child 11:30am – 12:15pm
Japanese Cartooning Workshop for Kids	Learn to create Japanese cartoon or 'Manga' sea creatures using pencils and shading. Suitable for children aged 8-14 years.	Springside Children's & Community Centre 25 Becca Way, Caroline Springs	\$10 per child 11am – 12pm
Fluid Art Workshop for Kids	Create an abstract masterpiece by letting coloured acrylic paint run amok. Suitable for children aged 10-16 years.	Springside Children's & Community Centre 25 Becca Way, Caroline Springs	\$10 per child 1pm – 2pm
Bird Dance for Kids	Children will learn a variety of dance moves mimicking a range of different birds. Suitable for children aged 5-12 years.	Timbertop Community Centre Timbertop Parade, Aintree	\$7 per child 10:15am – 11am

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WEDNESDAY 22 JANUARY 2020

Multi Sports Day Fun	Children will get involved in a variety of indoor and outdoor games delivered by Reclink Australia. Suitable for children aged 3-12 years.	Bridge Road Children's & Community Centre 260 Bridge Road, Melton South	Free 10:30am – 12pm
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FRIDAY 31 JANUARY 2020

Mini Maestros	An active and educational music class that enhances children's development through beats, rhythms and more. Suitable for children aged 0-5 years. Bookings not required.	Eynesbury Discovery Centre 479 Eynesbury Road, Eynesbury	Free 0-2 years 10am – 10:45am 3-5 years 11am – 11:45am
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TUESDAY 4 FEBRUARY 2020

Mini Maestros	An active and educational music class that enhances children's development through beats, rhythms and more. Suitable for children aged 0-5 years. Bookings not required.	Springside Children's & Community Centre 25 Becca Way, Caroline Springs	Free 0-2 years 10am – 10:45am 3-5 years 11am – 11:45am
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