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OPPORTUNITY
ACHIEVEMENT
SUCCESS IN A CARING COMMUNITY

Principal: Richard Metcalf

Teralba Telegraph

Upcoming Events

Tue 21st Feb - Zone Swimming Carnival. Eligible students will be advised this week

Thur 23rd Feb - Book Club orders and payment due

Tue 28th Feb - Pizza Day, Yr 6 fundraising - order form out soon

Fri 9th March - School Cross Country

Tue 27th March - Questacon visit. \$5 each - must be paid by Monday 27th March

Tue 3rd April - Museum & Art Gallery visit (whole school). More details soon

Wed 4th April - Combined Schools ANZAC Service, Year 6

From the Principal's Desk – Term 1 Week 3 13th February 2012

What a great week we had last week. We had a very successful swimming carnival, with lots of races and parent participation, a great parent information session and a fantastic P&C meeting on Thursday Night.

Swimming Carnival

The swimming carnival was a successful event with most senior students attending and all participating. The races were fast and furious with lots of cheering from the sidelines. The new sports and school flags look great and I would like to thank Mrs White and Year 6, 2011 for that gift. Awards and ribbons will be handed out this Friday at Assembly.

Parent Evening

I want to thank all the parents for their attendance at the parent information sessions. The sessions were informative and useful to help parents understand what is expected of them and their child in 2012. If you missed the session and would like to speak to your child's teacher, please contact the office and set up an appointment.

P&C

On Thursday night the P&C held their first meeting for 2012. We welcome the new parents who joined us. The P&C have voted a new president - Phil Cliff with some new executive members being voted. I personally would like to thank Peta Smith and her team for the work they put in, in 2011 and I am glad to see most still active in 2012.

President - Phil Cliff

Vice Presidents - Megan Richards & Peta Smith

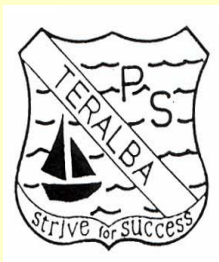
Secretary - Vanessa Cliff

Treasurer - Suzanne Murray

Mission Statement

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*To provide a caring
educational
environment where
children, staff and
community work
together to strive for
excellence and
equality*



Text Book Money

Students have began to use their text books, so please remember to start paying for them

Kindergarten - \$5

Mrs Pohl's Year 1 - \$17

Mr Calwell's Class - \$30

Mrs Te Rangji's - \$42

School Security

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Please phone

1300 880 021

to report anyone on
school grounds after
hours.

School Fees

Please note that the above mentioned money is **not** the school contribution fund. The School contribution fund (School Fees) is used by the school to assist in the buying of pencils, rubbers, glue and other items used by the students. **The School Contribution Fund for 2012 is \$40.** There is also a family rate of \$20 for every child after your first. (e.g. A family with 3 children will pay \$80; \$40 for child no. 1 and \$20 each for the 2 subsequent children) Fees may be paid in instalments.

Questacon Science Show

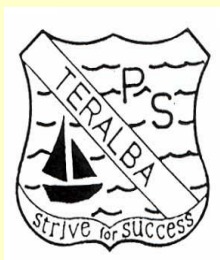
The Questacon Science Show will be visiting our school on Tuesday 27th March. **The cost is \$5 per student. Payment is required by Monday 26th March**, or your child will be unable to attend the show.

Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club will start tomorrow (14th February). It will run 4 days a week, Tuesday to Friday. A silver coin donation is required to get breakfast. Breakfast will be served from **8:30 till 8:50 am.**

Canteen

Canteen will be operating 2 full days a week and hopefully every other recess, BUT- **WE NEED HELP!!** If you can volunteer to help in the canteen please do so. We hope to have two parents volunteer at lunch and one at recess. Please let Robyn in the office know or contact Megan Richards.



Student Banking
Every Tuesday

**CAUGHT BEING
GOOD AWARDS -
11th FEBRUARY**

**Jamane
Angel**

Allergies

Do not forget that this school is an Allergy Friendly School. Please do not pack lunches with Peanut Butter as there are students who have severe allergic reactions to peanuts.

Active After School

Thankyou to all the students and parents who helped during Active After School. Do not forget Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons, with a free afternoon tea. Tuesday is bowls and Wednesday is orienteering. All students must have returned a signed permission note to participate.

Global Permission Notes

Could you please return the global permission notes as soon as possible. Prompt return of these notes means that your child will be able to fully participate in school activities.

Merit Awards

Congratulations to the following students received merit awards at assembly on Friday 11th February:

**Kalari
Jessie
Adrian**

**Jamane
Ben
Cooper**

Well done!

Assembly is held every Friday morning at 9am in the library. Parents and friends are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Book Club

Book club brochures are being sent home with the newsletter. If you would like to place an order, please complete the order form on the back page of the brochures and return it to school with your payment in a sealed envelope. The school earns points for the number of books sold and we are able to get free books and resources for the school. Last year we received several hundred dollars worth of new books for the library.

Woodrising Childcare have re-opened their **Before School Service**.

We are opened from 7am Monday to Friday during the school Terms.

We service: St Joseph's Kilaben Bay
Charlton
Fennell Bay P/S
Teralba P/S
Blackalls Park P/S
Booragul P/S

We provide the children with a nutritious Breakfast Daily, provide a safe and fun care environment and take the stress out of before school mornings at home.

We currently have some vacancies so if you are interested please contact Jodie on 0438 504 212

Fees start from as little as \$7.57 per morning (dependent on child care benefit) It may be even less if you have the Childcare Rebate paid directly to the Service.

We do also have limited vacancies in our After School Care Service. We Close 6:30pm daily.

TORONTO TIGERS JUNIOR BASEBALL CLUB

Aussie T-Ball will run from 16th February to 29th March for 5-10 year olds at Waterboard Oval, Blackalls Park from 4-6pm. Registration is at 4pm. The cost is \$25 all inclusive. Every participant receives a kit which contains a baseball glove and ball, sweat band, drawstring bag, Aussie T-Ball pop up tent shelter, Aussie T-Ball binoculars, 2 x children's ABL tickets, 1 x \$5 Fielders Choice voucher. Contact Liz on 0427 111 393 or email thecadogans@bigpond.com

CANTEEN VOLUNTEER REPLY SLIP

Yes, I am interested in helping

☐ I can do recess on (day)

☐ I can do lunch on Wednesday / Friday (please circle)

Please also state the frequency.

Name

Phone