PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

- We come to the end of a semester and it is an absolute pleasure to be able to report on the successes of this term. We have had so many successful camps, excursions and sporting events to celebrate and our participation in the Warrnambool Eisteddfod has improved our public performance skills.
- The Corangamite Shire has thrown their full support behind the merger of the school and town library and the Library building is looking fantastic. Our whole school community can be really excited about the educational experience this building will offer.
- Next term the School Council will begin the process of interviewing for a new Principal. This position will commence in term four.
- The whole school bids a sad farewell to Mrs Lyn McInerney who will be retiring tomorrow. Lyn has been a long standing and much valued member of our teaching staff. We wish her all the best.
- We also have some teachers taking short term leave: Ms Porzig, Mrs Howland, Mr Allender, Mrs Clements and Mrs Togni. We welcome Mrs Dumesney (Mrs Togni), Ms Natasha Togni (Mrs Howland), Mr Biber (Mr Allender), Mrs Mckenzie (Mrs Clements) who will be joining our staff.
- Have a relaxing, safe holiday. Remember the Fun for Kids festival is on in Warrnambool which is a fantastic activity and we look forward to seeing some well rested, happy students ready for the rigours of term three.

Myth: If I tell someone, it will just make it worse
Fact: Research shows that bullying will stop when adults in authority and peers get involved

Congratulations to: Laura Ayres, Tim Smurthwaite, Stephanie Windridge, Fleur Barling, and Ben Ludeman on their efforts in the Western Zone Cross Country

If you have any concerns or issues that you wish to discuss with me please feel free to contact me as follows: School (55983381)

ROSALIE MOORFIELD
PRINCIPAL

Our Timboon matildas qualify for the next round!
This week will see the completion of half a year’s school work for our students. Our mid-year reports have now gone home and many parents will have taken advantage of today’s Parent Teacher Interviews to clarify and develop some ideas to support their child in the next half year.

New to our reports this time has been the inclusion of a table outlining the possible consequences of student absence over the course of their schooling. This information has been included to support parents in their understanding of how odd days away do add up and can cause gaps in learning and in social networks. Another of our focuses is the expectation on our students to behave as thoughtful community members who display an ability to follow rules and be responsible for their actions. This is supported and reinforced on a daily basis by our teachers who use the school’s policies and programs to develop the children’s awareness of not only their rights but their responsibilities toward each other to help create a strong sense of “School Community.”

Thanks must go to all our parents who have been able to support the school in ways varying from attending camps, classroom helpers, canteen helpers, sport coaches and so many other ways your contribution is both acknowledged and appreciated by us all.

Finally have a safe and restful holiday and we will see you all back here to start term three refreshed and ready for action.

**ANDREA TAYLOR, ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL**

### 9-12 SUBSCHOOL REPORT

Congratulations to everyone for a great semester 1. The semester break will give us all a chance to recharge our batteries as well as reflect on achievements and successes. Students can consider what they felt they achieved, what they were proud of, what they did well - in all aspects of their life, not just school. They can decide on what they’d like to do better, improve on and consider what strategies they’ll need to help them achieve their goals. A worthwhile challenge.

Planning is already underway for an action packed semester for VCE / VCAL students - semester 2’s main focus is successfully completing the year (we won’t mention exams just yet). With the Pizza Oven’s arrival, our VCAL students are already hard at work laying foundations, putting all the bits and pieces together (lets hope they don’t have any pieces left over when they finish) - we’re all looking forward to our very own pizza’s.

Year 9 and 10 students face the challenge of new units, with some major activities ahead: year 9 activity week and camp, year 10 work experience and mock interviews.

Have a great holiday.

**JULIE NICHOLSON, 9-12 SUBSCHOOL LEADER**

### 5-8 SUB-SCHOOL REPORT

With the end of term, as well as lots of winding up of activities, also come things to look forward to.

Year six cast for “Alice and Dorothy” have been reading through their scripts. As with many previous years the talent pool is sufficient to run two main casts, one from each grade, to share the performances over two days in term four. It is hoped they will enthusiastically research their character and begin committing lines to memory over the break and return with great ideas for their character ready to begin rehearsal in earnest.

Yesterday year 5 and 6 students took part in football and netball competitions in Warrnambool. They had a terrific
day with a variety of individual and team successes. Particular mention and thanks must go to the students from year 8 who have proven very capable coaches and trainers for the teams. A small group of cross country students have gone on to the next level. Look forward to full details after the break.

Students are proving to be capable budding artists under the expert tutelage of Ms Orr and Mrs Hegarty. Year eight students have completed their portraiture and landscape work exploring different medium and the resultant effects of their use. They are embarking on lino cuts. Year five and six have completed their ceramic pen holders and are beginning their ‘pop art’ cartoon characters of themselves. We have a wonderful display of their Ned Kelly collages (year 5) and paintings (year 6) based on the Sydney Nolan series. These paintings allowed the students to learn about and focus their own work on foreground and background.

Year eight English students have been sitting in teams of four working up debate presentations; some of them having to take a stance with which they personally disagree. Having to see the other side of any argument is a step in our growth to becoming articulate adults even though it is sometimes a struggle!

Please have a wonderful time with your children over the break. Take time to review their school materials and replenish them. Many students now have bulging or overflowing folders of work. All teachers would appreciate encouragement and assistance from home to provide extra plastic pockets/ folders or envelopes. Some students are finding this is impeding their ability to be organised. We are all growing and some of us are a little absent minded as to where particular items of uniform have been left. Please also check uniforms.

Take the opportunity to practice some of the skills we have been trying to build in the students over this semester: board games are an excellent way to sharpen number fact skills as well as correct ways to respond to challenging situations; cooking experiences provide excellent measurement practice especially with capacity; sharing discussion following current events reported through the news; the chance to search recipes and write up menus for a meal can also provide a bit of family fun and the chance of development of responsibility roles; writing a letter to a relative; sharing a novel; and watching and discussing a film. The opportunities are endless- ENJOY. We look forward to a safe and refreshed return to school in a fortnight.

Any queries regarding year five and six reports hopefully were solved at today’s parent teacher interviews. Year seven and eight queries can be quickly solved with a phone call; please contact your child’s home group teacher if you have any questions or concerns about your child and their schooling. Interviews for these two year levels will be in week nine of term three.

**PAM HAWKINS, P-4 SUB-SCHOOL LEADER**

**Biodiversity Photography Competition Details**

Thanks for all the entries to the World Environment Day Biodiversity photo competition. Congratulations to the winners: Sarah Gaut (9-12) and Ahliya Harris (5-8). All images will be on display next term.

Ann Hegarty (Arts) & Denise Murray (Humanities).

Photo by Sarah Gaut

“Cows Create Careers’ Final Presentation & Awards Ceremony”

The S17 class, Phil Allender and I went to Terang on Friday 18th June to listen to guest speakers about their personal experiences and careers in the dairy industry. Our students looked at project work on display from our and other schools, participated in a student quiz and answered dairy-related questions as part of the audience. Some of the students received small show-bags of goods for their participation efforts.

Lastly the prizes and awards were announced.

The winners of the Junior section (Year 7 -8) were:
1st Kaniva College  2nd Kaniva College  3rd Kaniva College
School Prize: Kaniva College

The winners of the Senior section (Year 9 -11) were:
1st Ballarat Grammar College  2nd Ballarat Grammar College  3rd Hamilton & Alexandra College
School Prize : Ballarat Grammar College

Congratulations to those schools for their efforts. I think the S17 students have gained an insight in the effort and the skills required and obtained to work in an area of the
dairy industry while caring for the calves for a three week period.
Thank you again to Robyn Vale, Simone & Nicholas Renyard and Ricky & Randall Mair for making it possible for the school to participate in the Cows Create Careers Project for 2010. Hopefully the school can participate in this project in 2011.
FIONA ALLAN.

NUMERACY DEVELOPMENT
We are trying to rebuild supplies of recyclable materials. Over the break it is hoped you will be able to get your children to help you locate and package any of the following to bring to school when we return in a fortnight:
1. Buttons - perhaps before clothing is discarded buttons could be removed.
2. Cardboard packaging - as items in the pantry are finished could the boxes be flat packed? Unusual shaped packaging from sweets or chocolates are eagerly sought.
3. Unusual shaped plastic/ glass bottles from kids drinks, perfumes, and the like.
Thank you in anticipation.

INTER-SCHOOL GIRLS SOCCER REPORT
The inter girls team set off to play in Warrnambool on the 18th June. Unfortunately we realised we were two players short, including a goalie... and had to recruit some junior players. Change of plan with Ruby volunteering to try the goalie job... brave choice. The draw changed due to other schools withdrawing, so the team only played one game. This was against Brauer. Timboon was down 3.0 at half time. The defenders did a valiant job preventing some effective passing moves by Brauer. The second half saw Timboon gaining some scoring opportunities through Jessica, Taylor and Emily. Brauer scored a further 2 goals. Timboon defenders reduced Brauers scoring opportunities and created some effective team play. Final score to Brauer was 5.0. A good game was played by all the girls. Team members:- Ruby, Hannah, Taylor, Jessica, Emily, Nikki, Jasmine, Hayley, Jaymie and Tess.
CAROLYN WORDSWORTH

7-12 Western Zone Cross Country, June 23rd
Yesterday 6 students participated in the Western Zone Cross Country in cold and windy Ballarat. Our results were fantastic: Rachel Ayres 11 (qualified for state finals), Fluer Barling 25th, Stephanie Windridge 31st, Ben Ludeman 25th, Joanna Couch 25th and Tim Smurthwaite 83rd. Well done to all, Fluer and Joanna missed out by one place and Ben missed by two places on progressing to the next level.

LIGHTNING PREMIERSHIPS, 2010
NETBALL
The girls had a great day with 2 wins and a loss. The girls' confidence in each other and their own abilities grew throughout the day. The girls encouraged and supported each other beautifully and their behaviour for the day was impeccable. Thank you to our year 8 students, Rachael Beams and Kirsty Ludeman, who helped out with coaching and scoring. Thank you also to Katie Millard for her support. The netball team consisted of: Sophie Blain, Emily Duynhoven (vice capt.), Stephanie Hibbert, Kate Jones, Millie Marshall, Hannah McClade, Jacoba Mungeen, Kayla Poul (capt.), Laura Roslin and Rebecca Vogels. Congratulations to the girls on a fantastic day all round!

FOOTY
The boys also had a successful day with 2 wins and a loss. They were coached beautifully by Nathan Hunt and Eddie Gaut, who have given up their time to coach the boys every Friday afternoon this term. Bulldogs player Easten Wood presented Grady Rooke, Ryan Smith and Matthew Drayton with invitations to become members of the V-Squad - a Junior Footy Education Program run by AFL Victoria and the Flying Squad. Grady Rooke was also awarded 'Player of the day' for Timboon. The boys behaviour and support for one another was sensational. The team consisted of: Darcy Johnston, Ryan Smith (capt), Grady Rooke (capt), Shaun Drayton, Darcy Tribe, Austin Rhode, Matthew Drayton, Cody Hibbard, Kye Tempton, Bayley Thompson, Nick Duynhoven, Darcy Selton, Zac Negrello, Billy Gale, James Stevens, Luke Stevens, Sam Giblett, Jarrod Bullen, Jack Gaut, Hamish Hufadin, Ricky Bellis and Brad McKenzie. Thankyou to the 5/6 staff for organising and assisting with the day.

S17 class at the “Cows Create Careers” Final Presentation & Awards Ceremony
5 – 6 Football Team

PARENT CLUB NEWS

TSPA PARENTS SAY
Love to hear from you!

Name: ______________________________________
Phone: ______________________________________
(So we can contact you and have a chat about your contribution.)

TSPA MEMBERSHIP 2010
NAME:
* Both parents can be members, but if you want 2 votes, you need to pay twice!

NAMES & GRADES OF CHILDREN @ TIMBOON P-12

$2.20 ENCLOSED

The date of the next TSPA meeting is to be on Monday 2nd August, 2010. 7:30pm in the administration building. The father’s day stall will be on Wednesday 1st September 2010 in the pink room.

Thanks
Kylie Martin.

EMA cheques are now available and can be picked up from the school.

SECOND-HAND UNIFORM SALE

The next second-hand uniform sale will be held at lunchtime on Friday 23rd July, 2010 in the SEU building. For enquiries please call Katrina 5598 3443

FOR SALE

Child seat for pushbike.
Foot stirrups, head rest and handles. Ex con $50
PHONE: 55986274 (after 6pm)

FREE
Baby change table and bath in one. Has plug and drain. Excellent condition.
PHONE: 5598 8180

Dwarf clown pleco’s “rare” species $300 pair
19 month old purebred pug. Female –fawn, black mask. Microchipped – vac $950
Commie Fish – ideal for ponds or tanks $3.00 each
Mystery snails of all sizes starting from 50c for tropical tanks.
PHONE: 0428 233 242

Small TV cabinet $15
Glass cabinet $20
Small TV (working) $50 ono
Fish tank 4ft and stand – plus extras $180 ono
Computer cupboard $100 ono
Fish pond – fibreglass $60
Book shelf 6 ft x 3ft $30
PHONE: 5598 3080 evenings

2 size 10 Timboon print school dresses (only worn for 1 term) $50 each
School coats sizes small, 10 and 12 $30 each
School jumpers sizes 8, 10 and 12 $10 each
PHONE: 5566 5171 or 0417 583 070

Relief Milker wanting to milk during the week. Preference around Timboon/local area
PHONE: 5598 3630 or 0409 175 130
**TIMBOON SPORTING CENTRE NEWS**

**SEAHAWKS/MERMAIDS COACHING DAY**

A reminder to all Junior Basketballers who have signed up for the Seahaweks/Mermaids Coaching Day on Wed 30th June that the program will be conducted with two separate groups as listed below.

**Group 1: U12 9.30 to 12.30**
- Charlie Trotter
- Lilly Everett
- Max Bond
- Alyssa Lumsden
- Kirralie Lumsden
- Mitch Trotter
- Jazie Negrello
- Zack Negrello
- Melissa Drayton
- Tomas Lindquist
- Ben Matthews
- Rob Matthews
- Pat Ryan
- Chloe Gibson
- Amy Hammond
- Grace Hammond
- Hollie Castledine
- Billy gale
- Macey Gale
- Samantha McKay
- M McKay
- Jordan Fowler
- Sam Cole

**Group 2 U/16: 1.30 to 4.30**
- Rhiannon Lumsden
- Sam Negrello
- Alex Lees
- Paige Gibson
- Rachael Gibson
- Jesse Johnson
- Darcy Johnson
- Ben Saunders
- Emily Finch
- Matt Drayton
- Tess Lindquist
- Lisa Couch
- Jo Couch

A free BBQ lunch will be held at 12.30 for all participants which means that the afternoon group will need to arrive earlier to be part of the BBQ lunch. If you have forgotten to book in for this day and you would still like to be involved please phone the Centre on 55983445

**SCHOOL HOLIDAY’S PCSLSC NIPPER MOVIE NIGHT**

When: Wednesday 7th July
Where: Port Campbell Surf Life Saving Club
Time: 7.15pm
Movie: "Cloudy with a chance of Meatballs" (G) (Columbia Pictures/Sony Pictures – 86 minutes)

"A hilarious & fun animation for the whole family"

Entry: $2.00 per person

Snacks and drinks available for purchase

EVERYBODY WELCOME
(Proceeds to go towards the PCSLSC Nipper Program)

Enquiries: James Green: 0418529201
Marina Deppeler: 55943499

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**TIMBOON BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION**

**SEAHAWKS–MERMAIDS COACHING PROGRAM**

**SCHOOL HOLIDAY COACHING DAY**

Following on from our successful 4 week coaching program we will be running a school holiday coaching day on Wed 30th June. There will be no cost for this day and it will include a free BBQ lunch for all participants. If you would like to participate in this day you need to register at the Centre office.

**DATE:** Wed 30th June

**TIME:**
- U12 GROUP: 9.30 am to 12.30 pm
- U16 GROUP: 1.30 to 4.30 pm

**COST:** FREE BBQ LUNCH FOR ALL PARTICIPANTS

BOOKINGS ARE BEING TAKEN NOW AT THE TIMBOON SPORTING CENTRE. LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE.