PRINCIPAL’S REPORT

- On Tuesday I had the honour of taking four of our School Captains to meet with Minister Dixon at Colac. They were able to ask the Minister several questions about support for rural students and the future direction of the Education Department. It was a great opportunity for our students to meet with a politician and gain insight into the role of the State Government.
- Next Tuesday, starting at 7:00pm, we have our Timboon on Display evening. It is a compact way for parents and students of any year level to come along and learn about the subject offerings at Timboon. It is never too early for primary parents to learn about the wide range of subjects we offer in the secondary campus, so feel free to come along and join in the activities.
- This week we played host to the year six students from Simpson Primary. We hope they enjoyed their visit and have a better understanding of secondary education.
- Next Thursday, 7th June, there may be some staff taking industrial action. Parents will be informed early next week of classes that will be affected by this action.
- Thank-you to Michael O’Keefe who came along with his tractor to assist with the clearing of the fence line between the school and the bowling club.

If you have any concerns or issues that you wish to discuss with me please feel free to give me a call at school (5598 3381) or on (0407 345 324)

ROSALIE MOORFIELD, PRINCIPAL

Calendar:
June
4th Try a career day (Yr 9)
5th Timboon on Display
6th ICAS Science Comp
6th VCE Biology Exc
6th P-6 Camp Quality Puppets
7th Possible Industrial Action
8th Report Writing Day- Pupil Free
10th Queens Birthday

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL REPORTS

Year 10 Homegroup students listening into local Businessman and former student Tim Marwood as part of the Year 10 Careers focus. We have had many local community members give up their time for this program. Thank you to Joshua McKenzie, Tim Marwood and Melissa Berry.

Contribute to the school review
https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/CQVJHV7

TIMBOON SCHOOL CAFETERIA AND A AND B BUILDING ARE PEANUT FREE ZONES
Simpson Primary Year 6 students visiting Timboon P-12 School and participating in the "Preparing for Secondary Education" day as part of the Year 6-7 transition program.

Uniform reminders:
1. Hooded tops under school jumpers are not acceptable uniform.
2. Dark or navy scarves are encouraged and should be worn.
3. White socks must be worn under tights/leggings.
4. Tracksuit pants are not acceptable uniform on the 7-12 campus.

And remember: 'Be more concerned with your character than your reputation, because your character is what you really are, while your reputation is merely what others think you are' – John Wooden.

SEAN FITZPATRICK
ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

What a huge success Education Week was for our school. Thank-you is extended to the many families who made time to come and join us over the week. The selection of experiences highlight for our community the breadth and depth of education experiences that are offered here at Timboon P-12 School. Here is an example of our prep grade writing:

Well the wet has arrived! Our grass areas have begun their annual slip to mud, so we are now beginning our talks with the children about making sensible choices for their play areas to avoid becoming overly muddy. With this in mind I would like to let parents know that if you have a child who is prone to coming home messy, it would be worth your while having a chat with them now to let them know you do not want a phone call from the school asking you to come up with a change of clothes. It is an annual issue but one where we expect children to make good choices for themselves and, if they fail to do this, the consequence is often a messy one, quite literally.

Just another reminder: that we have had a number of students forgetting to use the lunch basket to order their lunches. Please make sure that lunch is ordered through the basket system for all P-6 students, and then only a ‘straight down-straight back’ system is used for small snack items, such as icy-poles, over the lunch time only. We would like to remind everyone that children should not be buying food items for anyone other than themselves.

ANDREA TAYLOR
ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

9-12 SUBSCHOOL REPORT

Unit counselling for year 9 and 10 students has been completed over the week. Many exciting choices include Create your own Fashion, Small Engines and Welding, Cake Decorating and Music Recording. We would like to thank Mr Whitehead and Mr Fitzpatrick for their assistance.

Year 9 ‘Try a Career’ Day will be Monday, 4th June, at Sherwood Park, Warrnambool. All year 9 students will be trying 3 VET courses of their choice. The students have a try at different things to gauge whether they would like to complete a VET (Vocational Education and Training) course in 2013.

Year 9 camp to the Northern Grampians - 13th-15th June: The students will spend two nights in tents, rock climbing and bush walking and catering for them. Thank-you must go to Mr Graesser for organising and coordinating the camps.

Year 10 Urban Experience -13th-15th June: Students are travelling by train to Melbourne for 3 days of urban orientation, career investigation and great Melbourne hospitality and includes negotiating public transport armed with our Myki cards.

Year 11 and 12 mid-year exams and GAT 13th-15th June

GABBY THEOLOGOUS, 9-12 SUBSCHOOL LEADER
5-8 SUBSCHOOL REPORT

- We would like welcome students and parents to the Timboon-P12 on Display OPEN NIGHT, Tuesday, 5th June. The evening begins at 7pm in the school hall; this is an opportunity to meet our 7-12 Staff and browse our displays. The display is followed by an information session in the 5-8 building at 7:45pm.
- Year 5 & 6 students, last week, participated in Operation Pancake which was a conclusion to our theme of chemical reactions. The week included a class reading of ‘Pancakes, Pancakes’ by Eric Carle and involved students discussing where the pancake’s ingredients came from and how many people were involved in the process of farm to plate.
- The students also wrote invitations to their parents to take part in a pancake sports afternoon (which was unfortunately changed due to weather conditions), completed math activities to work out the cost per pancake and homework activities requiring them to create advertising.
- Many students bought in samples of their excellent pancake recipes for everyone to taste. Some of the pancake recipes included exotic ingredients such as cinnamon and apple, chocolate chip, vanilla and even blue food colouring.
- A Matt Preston look alike even came along to some of the tastings.
- Thank you to the parents who supported our Operation Pancake!
- Students in years 5 & 6 were also involved in a letter from the heart writing competition. The letters have been on display in the B wing corridor. A big thank you must go to our judges Rosalie Moorfield (Principal), Kylie Orr (Sub-School Leader) and Robyn Vale (School Council Representative). The winners are:

Champion of year 5 & 6 Letter of the Heart: Nathan Gillingham

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- Good luck to the 16 year fives who are performing at the Poetry Reading Eisteddfod in Warrnambool this Friday.

KYLIE ORR, 5 – 8 SUBSCHOOL LEADER

WRAD ART COMPETITION

Congratulations to Lauren Pender, Grace Brown-Natafali, Kaitlyn Sinclair, Connie Savage, Tiarni McClelland, Gus Dalziel and Caitlin Ayres who used their innovative talents and imagination to create artworks for the WRAD Art Competition for senior students. The artworks are to be displayed from the 4th June to the 15th June at the WDEA Art Gallery, ART LINK (opposite the Police Station) in Koroiit Street, Warrnambool. The winners from all categories will be announced on the Friday, 15th June at the same venue. If you happen to be in Warrnambool please drop in and register a vote for your favourite artwork and check out the powerful messages these students are promoting with regard to the negative effects of drugs and alcohol on the mind.

P-4 SUB-SCHOOL REPORT

Pep
While they continued their theme on ‘plants’ this week, our prep students have been focussing on the parts of plants that we eat.

The children will be discussing the edible parts of a plant eg. Cauliflower – flower, carrot – root, celery- stem, and lettuce – leaves. It would be appreciated if students could bring along a piece of fruit or a vegetable to school. The students will be sorting and classifying them. They will then make soup or fruit salad; YUM!

The students will be learning about the letter/sound, ‘Uu’ this week. The children are being encouraged to hear the long and short sound that this letter makes. During oral counting in maths, the children are counting to forwards 20 and backwards from it to zero. They are also identifying the numbers before and after a given number.

Grade 1 and 2

This week our grade 1 and 2 student are continuing with their ‘Dairy foods’ study. Students have looked at the importance of looking after, and eating, foods that strengthen our teeth and bones. To encourage positive oral health behaviours, student will be brushing their teeth daily after lunchtime. Students have learnt the names of the bones and constructed 2D skeletons. Carly Dennis, whom the grades see on a regular basis, discussed the importance of eating 3 serves of dairy a day and showed us how to do the milkshake dance. As the yard is getting wetter many classrooms are encouraging students to take their shoes off, so if your child would like to bring slippers or thick socks to keep their toes cosy and dry, they can.

Grade 3 and 4

The grade 3 and 4 students have been continuing their theme on ‘forces’ this week by learning about the forces that effect flight. We have looked at the forces acting on planes in flight including thrust, drag, gravity and lift. The students have conducted a number of experiments using paper planes, parachutes and whirligigs to help them investigate each of these forces.

Congratulations to all of those students who have achieved 75 or even 100 nights reading; these students have been putting a lot of effort into their daily reading.
P-4 Numeracy Night

A big thank you must go to all of the families who supported our P-4 Numeracy night, last Thursday. We had a terrific turnout on the night, and enjoyed being able to share some of our regular maths activities with our school community. The feedback received so far from the night suggests that a great time was had by all, and I know that many of the students really appreciated their families attending. We hope that parents have now gained a better understanding of some of the games and activities that the students regularly participate in. It has been pleasing to hear that some families are already beginning to take some of these ideas and play these games at home.

MATT HAUGH, P-4 SUB-SCHOOL LEADER

Mr Horwill’s Tech spot Edition #33: You can find digital copies of our newsletters on our school website www.timboonp12.vic.edu.au

Thank you to the parents and students who turned up to our educational Facebook session on how to protect your digital footprint. The session included why and how to control your security settings through Facebook. My opening message was, “If you don’t know who someone is, don’t add them as a friend”. This was held on the Tuesday of our Education week. We were lucky to have four articulate technology savvy students (Kate, Mel, Chloe and Millie) to share their good, bad and ugly experiences while being online through Facebook. For those who weren’t able to make it on the night, the session looked and sounded like this: I introduced what Facebook is; Making a correlation between bullying being around for a lot longer than Facebook; and that bullying will continue to be around long after Facebook.

The girls then came out the front and discussed some positive uses for Facebook. Kate uses it as a way to keep in touch with her sister and old friends. She went onto say it was a great way to share and comment on family photos. Mel uses it to talk to her brother and friends who have gone to different parts of Australia. Millie uses it to stay in touch with family and friends all over Australia. Chloe uses it to talk her Grandma in Melbourne. They then shared their negative stories. Kate discussed how she heard rumors led to bullying and police got involved. Both Kate and Millie went onto say that unwanted messages were received as a result of a Facebook account being hacked into. Mel knows of someone who went to the police over unwanted messages.

The next part of the session Millie showed us how to delete, like and make comments. Kate then used her phone to have a private chat on the big screen. It is important to know that your children can access the internet through their phones. Millie and Kate went on to show us how to delete and suspend an account. Mel then shared the secrets of hiding Facebook on the computer. This included pressing F11 to hide and show browser tabs that are opened, and minimising a browser to the bottom of the screen.

I then shared how you can take control of what people can see and do through the Facebook privacy settings (these can be found by clicking on the down arrow found in the top right hand corner beside ‘Home’ once logged into Facebook) and how to protect your digital footprint. The three parent tips I gave were:

1) set a time limit on access to technology. This includes, gaming consoles, phones and the computer. The internet can be accessed through all these devices.
2) Only allow technology to be used in a public place with the screen visible to you. Have regular conversations about what your children are doing online.
A good place to find out what you should be discussing is here www.cybersmart.gov.au

Click Parents ➔ Guide to online safety ➔ Test your online awareness and take the online quiz. ➔ Find resources to educate yourself and your family about being smarter while online. Take a regular interest in how your children like to communicate and share information.

To conclude I showed a video sharing how important it is for your children and us to protect our digital footprints. What goes online stays on line forever. Employers, more than ever, are searching the internet and Facebook to see if your reputation fits in with their company beliefs. Employers, more than ever, are contacting secondary schools to find out if there have been any cases of bullying recorded. Business is moving toward a zero tolerance of past, present and future bullying. Don’t let your children deny themselves an opportunity through not being informed.

For more information on Facebook security settings ctrl + left click here

Thank you for reading. Kane Horwill eLearning
horwill.kane.r@edumail.vic.gov.au
Timboon make it through to the Cross Country Zone championships
After Friday’s weather cancelling our original Cross Country date with Noorat, it was great to see the sun shining on Monday. Matthew Haugh and I took down a team of thirty competitors and compete they did. As usual there was a very strong field. The closest race of the day was Zavier Mungean who was neck and neck all the way to the finish line. Zavier ended up with a very well earned second place. Aimee Hose again showed the result of regular training. Aimee, Lilly and their Mum were regularly spotted by a number of teachers training hard after school across Timboon. Aimee went away with a well deserved third place. Our team were commended on their respectful behaviour and shaking of their competitor’s hands. Aimee and Zavier went on to compete in the Zone Championships in Warrnambool.

Official results for the day:

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ICAS Competitions: please ring the office for entry forms for these competitions. We would love your children to represent the school. It will require about an hour of their time on the subject designated day. They cater to all interests and talents. Competitions still available Maths, English, and spelling.

Leonie Wallace visits VCE Legal Class
On Wednesday the 23rd of May Leonie Wallace came and talked to the year 11 Legal Studies class. Below are some of their comments.

Having Leonie come and talk to us was really interesting. Her book ‘Horrible Man’ is written about the Portland hair salon murders, where a hairdresser and her client were murdered. Leonie told us about writing the book and all the processes she went through to write it. She talked to witnesses, the families of the two victims, the owner of the salon and many others. Leonie told us that some people she contacted were happy to help her out with research, while others did not really want anything to do with it.

It has been 21 years since the murders and it’s still not known who committed them. - Georgie

The crime was interesting because it has gone unsolved for such a long time when there are so many credible suspects.

-Matthew

I found Leonie’s story very interesting. The journey she took to write and publish the book was very inspiring. - Grace.

Leonie’s talk made everyone want to read her book as it sounds interesting. - Fleur

Thank you to Leonie for giving up her time to share her story and the case information with our class; it was very much appreciated.

Year 11 Legal Studies

SECOND-HAND UNIFORM SALE
The next second-hand uniform sale will be held at on 15th June, 2012 (1:00pm -1:50pm in the SEU building)
For enquiries please call Katrina, 5598 3443.

EMA CHEQUES ARE NOW AVAILABLE FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE

NET SET GO
Starts this SUNDAY
11am - 12pm @ Timboon Rec Reserve
$50 per child
Enquiries Melissa 0412 335 593
~ Secret Girls’ Business~
You and your daughter are invited to this fun, fast moving workshop, which will explore both the physical & emotional changes that occur around the time of puberty. All mothers & daughters aged 10 – 12 years are encouraged to take part in this 3-hour workshop.

Date: Friday 22nd June
Time: 6.00pm – 9.00pm
Venue: Timboon & District Healthcare Service - Conference Room
Cost: $5.00 per couple

Sandwiches & fruit platter provided.
To reserve your place please phone Kirstie or Amanda on 5558 6000 - Bookings are essential!

PARENT CLUB NEWS

TSPA PARENTS SAY
Love to hear from you!
Name: ______________________________________
Phone: ______________________________________

TSPA MINI MINUTES
The Called Bush Dance for all the family will be booked very soon, and will most likely be held in mid to late October, so look out for the date when announced; also the other details. Instead of a recipe book we will be running a grocery hamper raffle similar to the book hamper raffle which was run last year. Look out for the flyer at the back of the newsletter for details. The Ticket books will be allocated one per family from the 4th of June; an item can be donated from now until the 8th of June which must be new and in date. Tickets must be returned by the 25th June, and will be drawn on the 27th June in the morning so that the winners will be announced in the newsletter. The tickets will sell at $1 each. Extra books will be available to anyone else to buy tickets from. The hampers will be delivered /collected on or close to the drawn date.

If you would like to have a copy of the minutes of the meetings, either by newsletter or email, then please let me know, thanks.
Email: rosolin@activ8.net.au
Our Next Meeting is on the Monday, 11th June, 7.30pm, at the school admin building. All welcome.
Anne Rosolin (secretary)

FOR SALE

One single white bed, slats, in good condition, no mattress $75
One box of Thomas the Tank sets $10
One box of hot wheels items $10
PHONE: Anne on 0409 029 464

Honda CT-90 step through motorbike goes well. New seat and battery; needs a few fixtures
Last time for add $450 – as is – no time wasters
PS2 games $15 each in good condition.
6 x 3 x 3 Dismantled lizard enclosure with glass sliding doors $700
WANTED – fish tank, 4 to 6 ft length, Accessories not important, no cracks or leak, with / without stand; width or depth not important.
PHONE: 0487 597 198

TSPA GROCERY HAMPER RAFFLE

ONE RAFFLE BOOK PER FAMILY

$1 PER TICKET
EXTRA BOOKS AVAILABLE FROM TSPA

(Please note that your name and contact ph. be on the tickets, and the buyer does not need to keep a copy)

T.S.P.A. is requesting that one grocery item per family is to be donated and that the item is new and in date.

Grocery items can be left at the school from now until Friday, 8th of June. You may send them in with your children or drop them off at the office.

Books will be available from Monday the 4th of June, which will be sent home with your child.

Raffle tickets to be returned to school with money by Monday, 25th June.

The raffle will be drawn on the morning of Wednesday, 27th June, so the results will be in the same week’s newsletter. The hampers will be delivered /collected on or just after the draw date.

The number of prizes will be the number of hampers which can be made up with the items donated.

2009 Subaru Forester XS AWD Wagon
Manual One owner 49 000 km Services up to date
Many extras: boot Liner, tow bar, security windows, paint protection, rear step panel Roof rack Camellia Red
Includes eight months registration
Price on Application Ph. 55983288

‘Hippy Van!’ Much loved caravan. Weather proof, good condition includes gas stove, hot plates, fridge and microwave oven. New curtains and cupboard doors Tows Well. $2 900 or nearest offer Ph. 55983288

Small 1 ton silo steal frame with poly tip $100
PHONE: 5595 0373

The Timboon Kinder Committee invites you to
'Art by Us'
Charity Art Auction
Friday June 15th 2012
at the Timboon Railway Shed Distillery
8pm
Champagne/beer on arrival. Supper, Drinks available at bar prices
Dress: Frocks and Ties
Hear Funky tunes from Ashley Elenor
Funding for the Timboon Kinder and Abbeyfield House Project
Tickets $20 from the Timboon Railway Shed Distillery, Milk and Honey, or phone Bronwyn Rentall! 5598601!
UNDERGRADUATE MEDICINE AND HEALTH SCIENCES

ADMISSION TEST (UMAT) – Reminder: You must sit this test as part of the application process for Monash University medicine and physiotherapy degrees. You must register to sit this test by 5pm (AEST) Friday 1 June at www.umat.acer.edu.au. The test is on 25 July. NOTE UMAT changes: From 2012, UMAT scores can be used for admission to any of the UMAT consortium universities ONLY in the year following the test. E.g. results from UMAT2012 can be used for undergraduate medicine or health science courses beginning in 2013 but NOT 2014. Do not register for UMAT2012 unless you plan to apply for a course commencing in 2013 AND you meet the eligibility criteria specified in the UMAT2012 Information Booklet. The changes will not affect candidates who sat UMAT2011 under the previous policy. UMAT2011 Scores will still be accepted for courses commencing in 2013.

YEAR 10 INFORMATION EVENING AT DEAKIN UNIVERSITY – Start to plan your VCE, university and career options. Find out about Deakin courses, hear speakers talk about their professions, meet students and enjoy pizza! Where/When: Melbourne (Burwood) campus Tues 5 June; Waurn Ponds campus Wednesday 6 June; Geelong Waurn Ponds Campus Tuesday 12 June; Register: www.deakin.edu.au/future-students (go to Upcoming Events)

WHAT IS THE MELBOURNE UNIVERSITY BACHELOR OF ENVIRONMENTS? It gives you the chance to shape the world, explore ambitions and sync your personal interests with career pathways in areas like architecture, urban planning and design, environmental or social policy and construction and property.

Focus on Melbourne event. When: 7-8.30pm, Tues 5 June; Where: Prince Philip Theatre, Architecture Building, Parkville; Registrations: www.futurestudents.unimelb.edu.au/focus-2012. Other events in the series still to come are: Commerce on 31 May, Conservatorium of Music on 7 June, Law on 21 June, Science on 26 June and VCA on 28 June (see web address above).

THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE JD SHOWCASE – This Showcase is designed for school leavers interested in pursuing law at university (sample classes; participate in a dispute resolution case). When: 9.30am-4.30pm, Wed 4 July; Cost: $65; Registration: www.jld.law.unimelb.edu.au/schools.

INTERESTED IN CONTEMPORARY DANCE? Deakin Uni. has a 3-day course to give prospective students a taste of the course. When: 9.30am-1.00pm, 2 – 4 July; Where: Room P1.29 (Dance Studio, Building P), Burwood; Cost: $150; Registration: Rebecca Chang, ph 9244 6450.

FIND OUT ABOUT RMIT COURSES – Not sure which courses involve? Then, these will help: medical laboratory visits, sessions on art and design, computing, animation and IT, aerospace, mechanical and manufacturing engineering, electrical and computer engineering, advertising, marketing and public relations, community justice, day, health and medical sciences and nuclear medicine lab visits. Information/register: www.rmit.edu.au/experiencedays (aimed at Yrs 10-12).

CAREER WEEKS AT THE INTERNATIONAL COLLEGE OF HOTEL MANAGEMENT – Explore the hotel management industry and future career options by attending a career week at ICHM (Adelaide), the only Swiss Hotel Association school in Australia. Career weeks are 2-6 July and 24-28 Sept. Cost: $695; Info/register: www.ichm.edu.au or ph 08 8228 3636 or admissions@ichm.edu.au.

WHAT ABOUT A CAREER INVOLVING WATER CONSERVATION AND THE ENVIRONMENT? Are you concerned about the environment; about water supply into the future; about how we will feed the ever-increasing world population? Then, have you considered studying agriculture? The Bachelor of Agricultural Science is NOT about being a farmer...it is about being a professional scientist in a service industry. The Bachelor of Agricultural Science at La Trobe University moves from a 4-year to a 3-year degree in 2013 (2011/12ATAR: 54.40). It can be studied on it’s own, or as a double degree with a Bachelor of Business (2011/2012ATAR: 72.85) or a Bachelor of International Development (2011/2012ATAR: 73.15) (4-year courses). There is a big shortage of graduates in the field, with as many as five jobs available for every graduate in areas such as land management, agribusiness, and grain business and with seed companies. Around 3,000 jobs in agriculture are advertised each quarter. It is about yields, food security, water scarcity, energy scarcity and land scarcity. The only prerequisite subject for the single degree is Units 3 & 4 English (any).

YEAR 10 INDEPENDENCE DAY – You can support your independent educational decisions by spending time discovering a world of possibilities at Monash University. This event will give Year 10 students a chance to discover their options at Monash and life at university. When: Wed 4 July; Information (shortly) at www.monash.edu.au/study/options/schools/events.html.

PARENT INFORMATION EVENING AT MONASH – Parents of Year 11/12s can attend this event to find out about the VTAC application process, scholarships and fees, course options and graduate outcomes (held at Albury, Caulfield and Geelong). Register interest: www.monash.edu.au/parent.

MONASH PENINSULA CAMPUS TERTIARY OPTIONS EXPO – Several presentations available – tertiary study; parent information and special entry schemes; return to study and alternative entry pathways; When: starts 6pm, Tues 19 June; Register: www.monash.edu.au/peninsula.

MONASH ART DESIGN & ARCHITECTURE WORKSHOPS – Workshops for Year 12 students interested in studying creative disciplines. Aimed at assisting you develop your university entrance folio and introducing you to various disciplines; explore tertiary options. When: 10am-5pm, 3-5 July; Where: studios, Caulfield Campus; Details: www.artdesign.monash.edu.au/study/workshops.

NEW SPECIAL EDUCATION DEGREE AT MONASH – Monash (Berwick) has a new Bachelor of Education (Special Education) program (pending university and VIT approval). Commencing in 2013, it will offer studies for primary and secondary education. Information: edu-courseinfo@monash.edu.

COMPUTER GAMES BOOT CAMP – CGBC is an event run by the Monash Faculty of Information Technology for Year 9-12s to experience everything connected to computer games. If you are interested in becoming a professional gamer, building and designing games this event is for you. When: Sat 7 – Fri 13 July; Where: Clayton; Register: www.it.monash.edu/cgbc.

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