Thank-you so much to all those parents who participated in the ‘Kids Matter Day’. What a wonderful school community effort. It was great to watch the senior kids walking with the primary students and enjoying the music and sunshine. The number of parents participating was an added bonus.

Congratulations to TSPA and the canteen for providing lunch and treats. A huge thank-you to Sean Fitzpatrick and Gemma Collins who coordinated the day and all the various presenters and staff who contributed to the day.

The gold coin donation will go towards Relay for Life. We are the first school in Victoria to hold its own Relay for Life Day. Thank-you to Jenny Inglis for supporting the SRC in the organisation of this activity.

The whole day was sponsored through our NAB ‘School’s First’ funding. This allowed us to have high quality presenters, without a cost to the students.

Kids Matter is all about social connectedness, building communities and letting our students know that we care for them and their wellbeing. Our Kids Matter day successfully achieved all these goals.

On Election Day we will be having a BBQ/produce stall. We will be selling bacon and eggs, sausages, homemade goods etc. Please bring along a few dollars if you are voting in Timboon. If you can lend a hand for an hour or two to help that would be appreciated. Any donations of produce to sell would be gratefully received. We are building a new rebound wall and we are about $2000 short of the funds we need. Any assistance will be greatly appreciated.

This week we had our 4th WorkSafe visit. We passed all sections of the inspection with flying colours. You may notice that we now have little ‘a’ stickers on our eaves. This is to ensure that when work is being done on the buildings, that no holes are drilled without the asbestos audit being checked first. Kids Matter but safety comes first.

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) Email: timboon.p12@edumail.vic.gov.au

ROSALIE MOORFIELD
PRINCIPAL

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**ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL REPORTS**

**Kids Matter Day**

We received word from our neighbouring schools of two separate reported incidents of students being attempted to be coerced into a vehicle, after being dropped at their stop. The vehicle was a Red Dual-Cab Hilux with tinted windows.

**PMP parachutes**

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TIMBOON SCHOOL CAFETERIA AND A AND B BUILDING ARE PEANUT AND TREE NUT FREE ZONES
What a wonderful celebration of our ‘Kids Matter Health and Wellbeing Day’ we had yesterday. It was fabulous to have the opportunity as a whole school to enjoy, experience and learn many new things to help support overall wellbeing. The opportunity to work with experts such as Victoria Police and Welfare Support Officers has been very powerful for our students as they develop and consider their needs as future citizens. A huge thank-you must be given to Sean Fitzpatrick and Gemma Collins for their work in getting this day up and happening.

We are now beginning the planning stages for class structures and child placements for the next year. While teachers take the utmost care when considering the placement of every child, using their understanding and experience, we do offer parents the opportunity to share with us any extra considerations that you as parents are aware of that may impact on your child’s learning. For example, there may be neighbourhood issues that can cause distractions for children’s learning or there may be friendship concerns that you would like to alert us to. If this is the case then you are able to notify me about these issues and we will bring them into consideration when planning our grades for 2014. Likewise, if you know that your family will not be attending Timboon P-12 School in 2014 we would greatly appreciate having this information as it will assist in our class planning process. Please contact me directly with your information either by phone or come in to see me before September 20th. Please note that for your request to be considered it must come through me directly not via teaching staff. Once this time passes our ability to consider your information is seriously impacted so please make sure you contact me in the next three weeks.

Next week parents with students in grades 3 and 5 should receive a copy of their child’s NAPLAN results. These tests were carried out in May this year and are a snapshot of how your child performed on one particular day in one particular area. Each year we use these results alongside many other sources of data collected by your child’s teacher to develop individual learning goals and report progress to parents. If you have any questions regarding the NAPLAN results you can visit the web site given on the results information page or you can make an appointment to discuss them with your child’s teacher.

We have had a case of chicken pox reported to us in the last few weeks. While chicken pox is not strictly a notifiable disease, we do appreciate knowing about it so that we can make contact with families who have medical issues that may be impacted by such things.

Finally we are now starting our ‘Hat Season’. This means that all Prep to Year 6 students need to be wearing their Timboon P-12 School hat to play in our yard. If you don’t have one they can be purchased from Jo-Jo’s down the street. Please remember to NAME the hat.
Wow, I can’t believe that finally some ducks have hatched. It has taken about twenty-eight days for them to start hatching. Five ducklings have hatched so far, so there is about thirty-five more to hatch. We could either choose to be with a partner or have a duck by ourselves. I paired up with Shannon. Our duck hasn’t hatched yet but when it does we are going to name it Mr Morris Moss. The ducklings are so cute and fluffy! Shannon, Caitlin, Zane, Michael and I all got to hold one each. They kept trying to run away from us when we were holding them. The first time we tried to get ducklings they all died and I’d like to thank anyone who helped us successfully hatch the ducklings.

By Laura Bentley 5D

Hooptime All Stars
Our Year 6 boys and girls All Star teams travelled to Terang last Friday to compete in the annual Hooptime competition. The students had spent many weeks preparing for the day and were looking forward to the challenge of competing against other schools from our local area. Our boys’ side was very competitive all day, working well as a team, to finish with two wins and two losses from their four games. Our girls team also competed very well, but was unable to record a win. They all put in their best efforts and displayed good teamwork during the day. Congratulations to both teams, who represented our school so well on the day.

A big thanks must also go to Paul Fowler who assisted us by coaching the boys’ team on the day. Thanks also to all of our other parents who came along to assist with scoring and supporting the teams when they played.

MATT HAUGH
P.E. / SPORT COORDINATOR

YEAR 6 CHICKENS
The chickens have been hatched for just over three weeks now and some of them are starting to get very big. Some of the chicks are over 200 grams in weight and with their necks extended can be 20cm tall. They are expecting to be in the barn in another week’s time. We have already built the barn at the 5-8 playground. The chickens are beginning to fly and can almost escape out of their 55cm high tub!

By Sam Cole, Zavier Mungean and Connor Cardwell.

SECOND-HAND UNIFORM SALE
The next second-hand uniform sale will be held on Friday, 13th September 2013 (1:00pm 1:50pm in the SEU building.) For enquiries please call Katrina, 5598 3443.
CAREERS NEWS WEEK 8 TERM 3 2013

Reminders

- **Year 12s:** Please get your Leavers Manual information to Raelene as soon as possible.
- **Occupational Therapy information evening:** 5:30-8pm, Thurs 12 Sept; Austin Hospital, Studley Rd, Heidelberg; Register: email Monica.williams@austin.org.au
- **Medical Radiations tours** at Peter Mac; Sun 15 Sept; Information: ph 9656 1375, RTEducation@petermac.org, www.petermac.org.
- **Deakin University’s school holiday program:** 23-Fri 27 Sept; Info: www.deakin.edu.au/discover.
- **Fashion Camp:** 23-27 Sept); Kangaroo Institute, Richmond; Cost: $785; Ages: 15 – 18 years; Book: www.kangan.edu.au/short-courses-melbourne/fashion-camp/aosc/ftashn12/
- **Monash Year 11 Inspiration Day** – explore options, university life, discuss your future; 26 Sept; Caulfield; Register: www.monash.edu/year11-day; Info: Eddie 9903 1613 or onshore-events@monash.edu.
- **Nuclear Medicine Hospital Visits** – What is nuclear medicine? Find out on a visit to a major hospital; 26-27 Sept; Info: mediclsciences@rmit.edu.au, see www.rmit.edu.au/medicalsciences/nuclearmedicine.

CAREERS IN PSYCHOLOGY – Many students indicate an interest in studying psychology, and are unsure what it involves. Find out by attending a ‘Careers in Psychology’ free information evening run by the Australian Psychological Society (APS) Student Society. When: 6.30-9.00pm, Fri 20 Sept; Where: Advanced Technologies Centre, Swinburne University of Technology, 427-451 Burwood Rd, Hawthorn; Parking: www.swinburne.edu.au/corporate/facser/booking.html.

BOOKINGS NOT REQUIRED.

YEAR 12 STUDENTS –

- **APPLYING FOR COURSES** - A reminder that you need to apply for courses through VTAC for 2014 by 27 September (www.vtac.edu.au). The cost of applying up to that date is $27.00. If you apply after this date the charge rises to $91.00. You can apply without paying at the time, but be aware that if you do not pay at all, you will not receive an offer of a place in January 2014. Remember that once you apply, you can change your application. The final time you can change your application is at noon on 23 December.

- **SCHOLARSHIPS** – Reminder: All current Year 12 students are advised to apply for Equity and Merit scholarships via VTAC. VTAC scholarship applications for domestic students close at 5pm on 18 October 2013. See: www.vtac.edu.au/applying/process.html. Also check individual institution websites for other scholarships. There are also Student Start-Up and Relocation Scholarships available to students receiving income support; these are administered by Centrelink. Indigenous Commonwealth Scholarships are administered by institutions and will be allocated to students who meet the Commonwealth eligibility as described on the Centrelink website and have had their indigenous status confirmed.

- **OFFERS** – VTAC has announced that offer letters will no longer be mailed to applicants. When offers of places are released on 17 January 2014, applicants will be able to view their offers in their VTAC user account. Offers may also be published by newspapers with the applicant’s permission. NOTE: Verbal offers have no status; if you receive a verbal offer, ask for the name of the person making the offer and contact VTAC.

INTERESTED IN WORKING WITH ANIMALS? Werribee Open Range Zoo and Healesville Sanctuary are offering opportunities to find out more about what it takes to work in these environments, and to find out about careers. Check out the duties of keepers including feed preparation, animal enrichment, exhibit maintenance and animal encounters. Werribee - When: 24, 26 & 30 Sept and 2 Oct; Book: www.zoo.org.au/werribee-whats-on/keeper-for-a-day; Healesville - When: 24 & 25 September and 1 & 2 October; Book: www.zoo.org.au/healesville/whats-on/keeper-for-a-day. Cost for any day: $103 (incl morning tea). Healesville also has a Vet for Day program on 25 & 26 Sept and 2 & 3 October; Book: www.zoo.org.au/healesville/whats-on/healesville-sanctuary-vet-for-a-day; Cost: $125. Enquiries for all sessions: 9285 9406.

AUTOMOTIVE MODERN APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM – Vantage Automotive P/L is a major provider of government funded vocational learning and outsourced services to major vehicle manufacturers. Applications are being sought from people interested in joining the motor trade. Applicants from all over Australia are encouraged to apply, and if you are selected will be offered full time employment at a dealer close to your home. Positions are already available for 2014. Info/apply: www.vantageautomotive.com. Another suitable organisation is the Victorian Automobile Chamber of Commerce (VACC); see www.vacc.com.au and go to Apprenticeships and Training.

NURSING AT LA TROBE UNIVERSITY – From time to time, universities change the prerequisites for their courses. La Trobe university has announced that from 2016 (applicable to current Year 10 students) the Bachelor of Nursing and the Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Midwifery will require a study score of at least 20 in one of Units 3 & 4 biology, chemistry, physics, any maths, psychology, physical education or Health and Human Development (in addition to Units 3 & 4 English (any), currently the only prerequisite).

LA TROBE MELBOURNE – La Trobe Melbourne is a pathway into a degree from La Trobe University. La Trobe Melbourne is part of the Navitas group, an internationally recognised education provider with the knowledge and resources of staff in more than 50 different college and campuses worldwide. The diploma programs are in Business, IT, Mass Media and Communication, Bioscience and Health Science. These diploma programs are equivalent to the first year of a University degree, but with smaller class sizes and increased academic contact. After you have completed the Diploma, you progress into second year of a range of Bachelor degrees at La Trobe University (see pages 230-231 of VTAC Guide).

NOTE: This is similar to the Melbourne Institute of Business and Technology’s (MIBT) relationship with Deakin University. Monash College also has pathways to Monash University; Swinburne has UniLink. Another pathway to university is a TAFE Diploma. As a rule, two years at TAFE equals one year at university (in a related field).

AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY (ACU) BONUS SCHEMES – ACU offers a number of bonus schemes to Year 12 applicants, including the Early Achievers Program (EAP) and the Elite Athlete Bonus (5 point bonus). Some of these schemes apply to applicants automatically, while others require an application form. For details see: www.acu.edu.au/accessacu. Applications for EAP close on 21 October; applications for the Elite Athlete Bonus scheme close on 1 November.

MORE THAN ONE CAREER – A LAW PANEL EVENT – The Faculty of Law at Australian Catholic University (ACU) is hosting a panel of law professionals to discuss the benefits and opportunities from studying law. It is an opportunity for students to find out about the range of careers that ACU law graduates may undertake. Some panel members have pursued the traditional employment path, while others use their degree to influence policy or fulfill a critical role in organisations. Guest panel members include Cr Jackie Fristacky, Mayor of Yarra City.

JMC ACADEMY – has workshops in the holidays to help you find out what a career in the creative industries can be like. JMC specialises in courses in 3D animation, audio engineering and sound, entertainment business management, film and TV production, games design and contemporary music performance. Where: JMC, 171 Bank St, South Melbourne; Cost: $10 per day (with lunch); Bookings: www.jmacademy.edu.au/News/2013-07-05/MELBOURNE-WORKSHOPS.cfm.

AUDIO-VISUAL TECHNOLOGY - Do you want to learn the broad skills of the audio-visual industry including lighting, sound, TV production, design, installation and event management while working on real-life productions and events around Melbourne?

If so, you might be interested in the one-year Certificate IV or the two-year Diploma in Audio-Visual Technology at RMIT. Audio-visual technologies have a worldwide presence in home, shopping, government and corporate environments, and their evolving applications are one way for companies to differentate themselves from competitors. As AV technology is aligning with computer technology, new job roles are being created to cater for a new market. Industry professionals often look to employ RMIT graduates due to their professionalism and strong can-do attitude. Info: www.rmit.edu.au/programs/c4230.

Drew Deppelet 55983381

PARENT CLUB NEWS

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

TSPA MINI MINUTES

The cook book will be published by Amazon printing in time to be launched on the 1st November. Prices are still $25 for one or $40 for two. Progress is at the printing stage which will take about 4-6 weeks. The next stage will be regarding promotion of our book. We will be considering online, print, and in local shops. Any ideas are welcome.

ELECTION DAY BBQ: September, 7th: Rosalie has offered to start the BBQ and TSPA and any other people free on the day to do any times at all, are most welcome. We are also asking for fresh and baked produce donations to sell. Any contributions can be left on the day or the day before at the school. TAP’s On! 21st November: TSPA are doing BBQ lunch similar arrangement as last year.

Next Meeting: 9/9/2013 at school admin building at 7.30pm. All are welcome to attend
Anne Rosolin (secretary) mob 0409029464 or rosolin@activ8.net.au

NOTE FROM THE OFFICE: All students who arrive late to school, or leave school early are expected to sign in or out from the Office. This includes all students from Prep to Year 12. All students are to sign in before making their way to their classroom.

TIMBOON SPORTING CENTRE: GROUP FITNESS:

TERM 3: 2013

Group Fitness Membership Cards: Single session $9.00
5 session $39.00  10 session $66.50  20 session $118.00

For further information on each program see overleaf or to make a booking call the Centre on 55983445 Bookings essential.

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Class Descriptions

Cardio Combo: This class is a mixed bag of body toning exercises that improves your strength & endurance as well as developing your cardio fitness and increasing your overall flexibility. Great class for first timers as you can work at your own rate without the need to keep up with everyone else in the group.

POWER BAR is the fastest way to shape and tone the body as well as lose body fat. It is a toning and conditioning program with bars & weights and is suitable for everyone. Great way to add strength training to your aerobic workout.

TRUenergy SPIN: A high energy 45 minute cardio work-out that ensures you get the most out of each session. Spin is a great way to improve your aerobic fitness without the joint stress of running on hard surfaces. This program also works on core strength and good posture as well as increasing lower body strength and endurance.

Gym Training: An introduction into resistance training. For those who would like to learn proper exercise form and how to structure an effective program. Get a great workout and expand your exercise knowledge.

TIMBOON SPORTING CENTRE:
11 HAMILTON ST   TIMBOON 3268   Ph: 5598 3445

CANTEEN NEWS

CANTEEN ROSTER

TERM 3

WEEK 9 (9th – 13th September)
Mon 9th Cherie Mungane
Tues 10th Sharon Mottram
Wed 11th Naomi Lewis  Tanya Toliday
Thur 12th Glenda Gardner
Fri 13th Tanya Delaney

(12:00 – 2:00pm – Monique Fitzpatrick)

WEEK 10 (16th – 20th September)
16th Melinda Drysdale
17th Katirina Currell
18th Ann Rosolin
19th Wendy Maskell
20th Katie Millard

(12:00 – 2:00pm – Volunteer Required)
1st Timboon Cub and Scout parents are invited to the Annual General Meeting
5.00-6.00pm Tuesday 17th September
Join us to make the group better and stronger for our kids.

FOR SALE
Ideal student’s first car. 1997 Ford Laser, registered till Jan 2014. $2500 contact Mrs Evans in the Library or phone AH 5598 3233

FLAT TO RENT IN TIMBOON
Fully furnished one bedroom flat
Excellent condition. Power and water paid for.
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6 TABLES REMAINING for Timboon & District Healthcare Service’s much-anticipated “Hospital Ball 2013”... book now in tables of 10 at hospital reception, tickets $25 each, BY drinks and nibbles, Saturday, September 14 at Timboon District Hall from 8pm-1am. Music from Michelle’s Velocity – don’t miss this fantastic night out. Call 5558 6000 for more info.

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(PAYABLE TO TIMBOON P-12 SCHOOL)

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Payment is due when submitting the order form.

Thankyou for your most valued support. We will contact you when books arrive.
MIXED NETBALL
2013 Season

Starts: Sep 26th & 27th

A & B Grades

Thurs & Friday nights

Team entries of 4 ladies & 3 men to Timboon Sporting Centre by 20th Sept

Phone Centre on 55983445