



TRAWALLA SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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DATES

Dec 13

School Concert 7.30pm

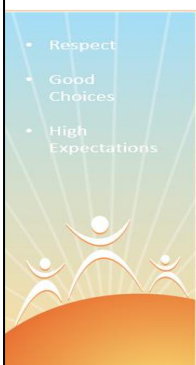
Dec 22

Last day of year - *early dismissal 1.30pm*

PATHS STAR
For this week is:

Clayton Treuer

Trawalla School Values



Trawalla School Values Awards

Clayton Treuer - For exhibiting High Expectations by confidently attending Transition Day at Beaufort Secondary College.

Charlotte Wright – For exhibiting High Expectations by putting in a lot of effort to reading and writing and improving in both immensely.

Beaufort PS Swimming Program (6th – 11th December, 2017)

Students in year F-3 concluded their swimming program for 2017. They have all improved since the start of the term, well done to each of the students.

Grades 4,5 & 6 Students will continue participating in the Beaufort Primary School swimming program. Our next swimming day will be Thursday Dec 14 followed by the Swimming sports on Friday the 15th December. We have been given the run around with this swimming program this year, I thank all of the families for their understanding and support.

Swimming Awards

Congratulations to Dan and Nick who both passed the 'Year 6 50m Swim'. Certificates were awarded to both boys at assembly yesterday morning.

SWIMMING SPORTS

The swimming sports for years 4-6 are on Friday December 15th at the Beaufort pool beginning at 11.00am.

Students will travel by Kate's car to the pool on this day leaving at 10.40am. Students should bring all snacks and drink requirements for the day.

Parents are encouraged to come along and cheer on the swimmers.

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Trawalla students will be allocated a house team and will be advised which one they are in before Friday.

- The pool kiosk will be open during breaks throughout the day. (To be confirmed)
- Sunscreen **MUST** be worn. More will be available at the pool.
- Students **MUST** wear a Tee shirt or rashie.
- Students are encouraged to wear their house colours – Tee shirt or ribbons on their hats etc. No writing on limbs or body!
- Hats are to be worn when not competing.
- Students must stay with their house team except when competing and not move around the pool without permission.
- Sports conclude at around 3:00pm. Parents wishing to pick up students from the pool on the day of the sports are to let Kate know.
- Town students can be dismissed from the pool with parent permission.

At the finish of the swimming sports, it would be greatly appreciated if parents could stay back and assist with cleanup.

FEEDBACK

As staff are reflecting on 2017 we are setting up a feedback box in the front hallway. Students and family members are invited to make a comment about our school, surveys earlier this year from students and parents highlighted that we don't provide opportunities for feedback to be collected. We would also like some feedback on how safe students and parents feel at school.

Headlice

We need all families to regularly check and treat children who have headlice. Students are to be treated and lice and eggs removed before children attend school. This will assist our school to be headlice free.

PFA - Concert

The School concert is on Wednesday December 13th at the Trawalla Hall starting at 7.30pm and all family and friends are invited.

The PFA will be running a hamper raffle to raise funds on this night. Thanks to the families who have provided items for the Christmas Hamper. If you haven't sent anything along please do so by Wednesday.

Raffle tickets are attached for families to sell.

The night consists of a concert put on by the students followed by a visit from Santa, who will have gifts for all the children. This is followed by a supper that is supplied by the families attending.

All families are asked to bring two plates for supper.

One plate suitable for adults and one plate "kid friendly".

We are pleased to acknowledge donations for our raffle from Beaufort Rural Hardware, Beaufort UFS Chemist, Mt Bolton and District Lions Club & Golden Age Hotel.

SunSmart

All students and staff are required to wear broad brimmed hats when outside for term 4 and term 1 each year.

Pyrenees Cluster Day

The amount raised from the barbecue at the Pyrenees Cluster day at Trawalla was \$143.00. This will be forwarded to Ararat West Primary School to help replace items destroyed in the fire.

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