

TRAWALLA SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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DATES

Mon May 25th – PUPIL FREE day
Tues May 26th – year prep – 2 return to school
Tues May 26th School Council via Webex at 8pm
Fri May 29th – 3-6 pick up week 8 learning pack
Fri June 5th – MARC van at Trawalla
June 8th – QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY HOLIDAY
Tues June 9th – years 3-6 return to school
Mon June 15th – Cluster Webex assembly at 2.30pm
Fri June 19th – MARC van
Mon June 22nd Cluster Webex assembly at 2.30pm
Fri June 26th – Term 2 ends 2.30 dismissal

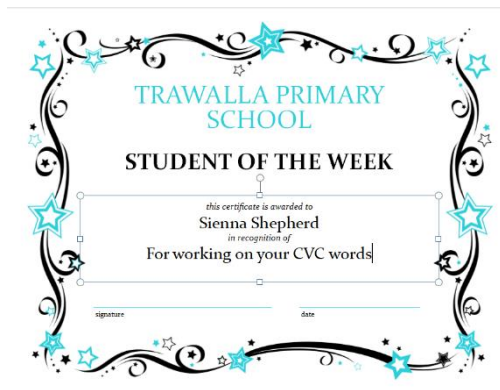
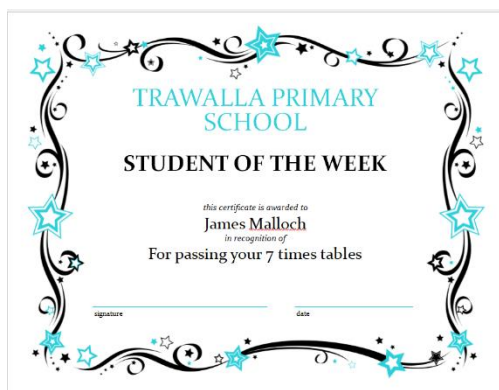
Principal update

Monday May 25th has been declared a pupil free day. Students in year prep-2 will return to school on Tuesday May 26th. The year 3-6 students return to school on Tuesday June 9 after the June 8th holiday Monday. On May 21 I emailed a document outlining how school will operate as we return to school. I have summarised the document...

Return to School Summary

- Students to arrive after 8.55am.
- Parents to drop off and pick up from front gate.
- Visitors are to limit their time on the school grounds and use sanitiser in front corridor.
- Students will need a water bottle
- No camps or excursions until further notice.
- Bus travel is unaffected.
- All work and materials sent home in learning packs is to be returned to school on Tuesday May 26th.
- Unwell students are to stay home, students will be sent home if they become unwell at school.
- School reports for semester one will have comments only, no dots.

Students of the Week – James Malloch and Sienna Shepherd



Trawalla is a Childsafe school

Week 7 Learning Pack

For those students still learning at home the folder has a daily running sheet for families to follow each day. Each day has reading, writing, spelling and maths activities. The plastic envelope has activities that can be completed at any time throughout the week. Art for week relates to the school theme of Bugs. There is also another Wellbeing sheet to work through.



Japanese

Peta and Ken will recommence teaching from Trawalla on Monday. The lesson for Japanese will be conducted by Ken face-to-face each Thursday afternoon.

PE

The PE video is now available on the school Facebook page. This is a fun activity for all ages to do every day. The daily timetable will change slightly from next week to enable the students to do 30 minutes of PE everyday. Kate and Lachie will work together to provide a range of activities to keep us all active and healthy. PE lessons will be at 1pm – 1.30pm each day.

MARC Van

Kathy's latest Webex was this morning, from 9.30am. She explained Sorry Day to students, reading a story and getting the students to do a short activity. MARC van will return to face to face lessons from June 5th.

Remember to return your books in a waterproof bag.

School Council

Our term 2 School Council meeting will take place on Tuesday May 26th via Webex at 8pm. I have sent a Webex meeting invite to each of you. Click on the link and it should take you to the meeting room. Please note this is not the same link as I use to meet with the students each day.

Webex Cluster Assembly

Full STEAM Ahead excursions have been cancelled and we don't have a date as to when they will return. To replace these days we are looking at linking students via Webex. The details of these events are still being finalised. I will pass on more information as we put together ideas for these assemblies.

Prep Update - Week 6

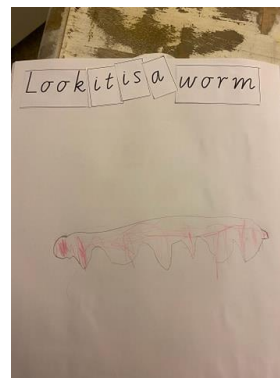
We have learnt 8 letters of our alphabet and practiced making 3 letter words with our familiar letters. I have enjoyed seeing your progress with your reading through the WUSHKA site and seeing how clever you are getting with reading these books. In mathematics this week we were focusing on shapes and the preps created their very own game of hopscotch, which I thoroughly enjoyed the videos that were sent through. Miss H

Back to school!

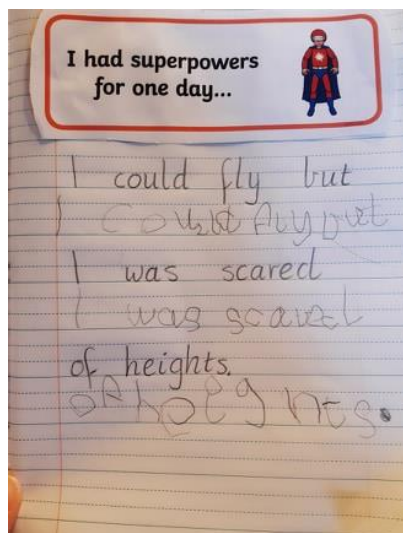
We have made it through our remote learning! I am so proud of all the preps, this has been a very challenging change for you and you have all given it 100%. Some days were harder than others but with the support of your grown ups at home you have pushed through. Now it is time to come back to school, I am so excited to see you all. We have so much more growing and learning to do, I am sure you are all eager to get back to school as well (maybe). A massive round of applause and thankyou to the grownups at home, you have all done such a good job with helping our preps to continue to learn. Miss H



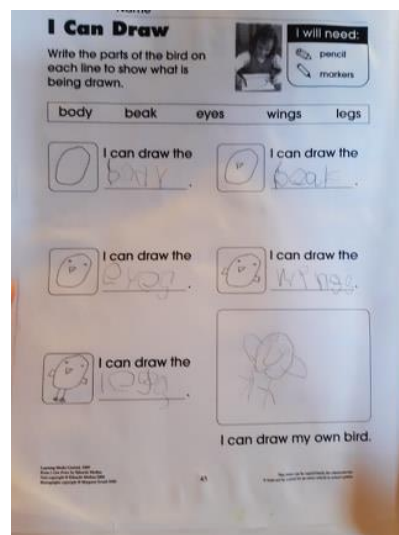
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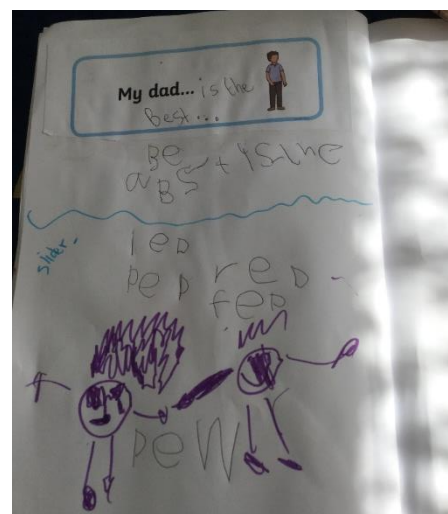
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Zavier: Sentence starter and
WUSHKA activity.



Sienna: Word
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Webex

The contact details for webex:

Kate –

<https://eduvic.webex.com/meet/kate.morcombe@education.vic.gov.au>

and type in the number **579 219 979**

Miss H - Available Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday go to

www.webex.com press join meeting and type in this number

579112368.

Art this week focussed on various types of colouring. A big thank you to Megan for putting together these wonderful art tasks each week.

We have enjoyed having the photos sent through to us with the finished products.

