



WEEK 10

TERM 3 Week 10

Friday the 23rd September 2022

Tooleybuc Central School

Upcoming Events

Monday 10th October - First day Term 4

Tuesday 18th October - Foundation 2023 Orientation day (until lunch)

Friday 21st October - Pink day for women's cancer - fundraising to be confirmed

Monday 24th-26th October - Stage 2 excursion to Ballarat

Friday 28th October - Day for Daniel - red casual dress

Monday 31st October - Year 10 & 11 University excursion - to be confirmed

Wednesday 2nd November - Year 12 Graduation Dinner at Tooleybuc Club

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Louisa's Thoughts





What a fantastic term we have had here at Tooleybuc Central School. It has been exciting to be part of the many opportunities that have been available to our students. I am constantly impressed by how much all the staff are prepared to put in to ensure all the students have both a successful and enjoyable time at school. This week alone the staff and students have been busy organising the Final Year 12 Assembly and Morning Tea, Whole School Assembly, School Captain Speeches for 2023, The Year 9-12 Formal, Check In Assessments for Year 6 and a Writer's workshop for Year 3-6. Some of our staff members even agreed to be suspects in 'The Case of the Missing Chocolate Milk.' If you read some of the impressive persuasive writing pieces created on the day I am sure you will be able to work out who they were.

Thank you to our P and C for organising the colour run and BBQ last Friday. Not only did everyone have a lot of fun on the day but they raised approximately \$4000 for the school as well.

I hope you all enjoy a good break over the holidays and I look forward to seeing all again next term.






TOOLEYBUC CENTRAL SCHOOL TRANSITION

Days for 2023 Enrolment

"A school that is like a big family" - parent quote

Year 7-

- First Transition Day Tuesday 2 August 2022 (**Year 7**)
- Second Transition Day Wednesday 31st August 2022 (**Year 7**)
- Third Transition Day Monday 14 November 2022 (**Whole School Transition Day**)

Foundation-

- First Transition Day partial day Thursday 25 August 2022 after the book Parade until the end of recess.
- Second Transition Day, half a day that will finish at lunch time 12.53pm on Tuesday 18 October 2022.
- Third Transition Day Monday 14 November 2022 (**Whole School Transition Day Full Day**)

Our School

Tooleybuc Central School's staff collaborate to ensure every student is known, valued and cared for. Our class sizes allow us to provide a variety of curriculum opportunities in an environment where every student is supported to achieve their personal best. State 'Check In' assessments, have seen us regularly achieve above state average results in both literacy and numeracy.

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School News



Colour Fun Run

We held our Colour Fun Run last Friday while the sun shone. Students were showered in brightly coloured powder at various spots around the oval. There were also obstacles such as hurdles, balance beam, agility poles and the football accuracy test, which Mrs Frost mastered easily! Lots of fun was had by all and there were plenty of smiles all round.





















































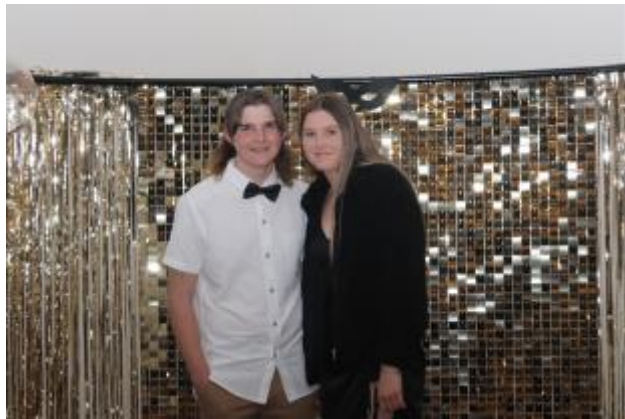


Year 12 Formal

What a smartly dressed crowd we had for the TCS yr 9-12 Formal. Every student looked fabulous, sparing no effort in their preparation and dress. Students and supervising Teachers enjoyed choice tunes from DJ Danny, while Liz and the SRC ran fun games to get the night pumping. There were super group dance moves on display to The Nutbush, and The Macarena. Students also rocked out to a few "just dance" dance competitions. Overall, a thoroughly good night was had with students dancing right up to the farewell song and they looked to have had a ball!





















Work Placement

Will completed his work placement at Swan Hill Power Products.





Year 12 Farewell

On Wednesday 21st of September the Year 12's had their farewell assembly and morning tea. Their families and teachers attended as well. At the assembly a photo story showing each of their journeys from Foundation to now was shown. We wish them every success for their examinations and the future beyond.









School Chaplain - Liz Hindle



The Art of Conversation

Having good conversations is definitely an art, and one we often don't practice! Conversations can leave us frustrated at people who just 'never get it', feeling misunderstood, disrespected... and our relationships and quality of life suffers as a result.

The saying 'be quick to listen and slow to speak' has been around for thousands of years... the fact that these words of wisdom is still as relevant as ever suggests that being 'quick to listen' is harder than we might first think!

Listening well helps us to attend to the feelings and issues behind the words we are being presented with. Here are a few ideas to improve your listening skills.

1. *Get into the here and now*: this means really paying attention and not thinking about something else when your child is talking to you. Why is this important? Think about what it feels like when you are talking to someone and they keep watching the TV or reading the paper. Contrast that with how it feels to have someone's undivided interest and attention.

2. *Try to understand*: Work at concentrating on what your child is saying rather than thinking about what you are going to say next.

3. *Show that you are trying to understand*: Summarise your child's main points and pinpoint how they might be feeling (e.g. 'you're feeling angry because I didn't talk to you before making plans for this weekend. I can understand that.'), and then invite them to tell you more about what they are thinking and feeling.

Good luck practicing the art of conversation these holidays!

Liz Hindle

School Chaplain

Year 1/2 with Miss Hislop





Hello families,

It is hard to believe we have reached the end of another term already! Stage One have had another fantastic term completing lots of wonderful learning.

During writing this term we have been focussing on the text types of procedures, persuasive and informative. We have been using technology to assist us in creating our final copy of our writing and the students have loved showing off their tech skills and thrived in these tasks. For their persuasive piece, students needed to create an engaging video to convince people of their chosen topic. They needed to draft, edit and practice their speech and also create any props required for their final video. For their information report students had the choice of creating either a poster or a PowerPoint which they needed to present to the class. Every student thrived during these activities and produced some amazing work!

The end of the term has been a busy one. The students loved participating in the colour run last week and having their families join in on the fun. This week we have been busy completing our submissions for the Swan Hill show.

Once again, it has been a fantastic term in Stage One and I can't wait to see all the wonderful learning and activities we can do next term.

I hope everyone has a safe and happy holidays!

Miss Hislop



HSIE with Mr Rosewarne



As the Term 3 holidays quickly come into focus, students in HSIE classes have been busy finalising units for work, submitting major assignments and completing topic tests.

Geography

Stage 4 have been busy with their Oral Presentation assessment task. This term's topic was Connections with Tourism as a focus. Students had to choose a popular tourist destination from the World Heritage list. Students then researched the positive and negative impacts of tourism at this destination and presented their findings using PowerPoint. Last week they sat a quick topic test to wrap things up.

Stage 5 was also busy with an oral presentation task. Students selected a country at random, from a prepared sample. They were then required to use the knowledge gained earlier in the term to investigate the level of wellbeing for that country's population, using a selection of indicators. They then presented their findings to class. We finished with a revision activity to help with next term's exam.

History

This term Stage 4 moved from the Viking Age to Japan under the Shoguns, and we examined the rise and fall of the Tokugawa Shogunate in particular. We studied Japan's social structure - from the Emperor down to the merchant class, we learned about Japan's major religions Shinto and Buddhism and finally, the struggle to keep foreigners out of Japan. Our final topic for 2022 is a look at the impact of European contact with a selection of indigenous people from the 16th century on.

Stage 5 were busy looking at changes in Popular Culture following WWII. Their first task was an essay on the impact of Rock and Roll music, and the Protest songs of the 60's. They spent most of the term focused on a decade of their choice from the 1950's to the 90's. They were required to complete a large poster with information on significant changes in Australian life for that decade. Topics included: politics, fashion, entertainment, music, sport and technology. Our final topic for 2022 will be a look at involvement in the Vietnam War.

Cheers

Howard

Community notes

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