



# Toormina Public School Newsletter

Week 7 Term 1 • 18 March 2022

Dear parents and carers

Congratulations to Wyatt for his outstanding swimming efforts at yesterday's North Coast PSSA Swimming. Thank you to Mr Macpherson, the convener of the carnival, for his wonderful organisation.

Thank you also to Mrs Trist for her coordination of our school photos this week. These photos are most likely to be returned to us next term as we only have three weeks of this term remaining.

Thank you to parents who attended our first P&C meeting for the year this morning. Our P&C will be organising an Easter raffle to be held during our final week of school and are looking at a mothers' day stall next term.



At our P&C meeting we also discussed about applying to establish a multi-category (MC) class at our school in 2023. If you have any opinions or questions about this, please feel free to contact me to discuss.

I am looking forward to seeing our students dressing up for Harmony Day on Monday. The gold coin donations collected will be donated on behalf of our students to the SES, who have helped so many families during times of natural weather events such as recent flooding and our freak hail event last year.

Finally, I would like to congratulate Xavier who gained second place in the recent K-6 AECG

Art Competition. Congratulations to Iluka who was also a finalist. Well done!

Kind regards,  
Mr. Matt Hankinson  
Principal

## Upcoming Events



Mon 21 March	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Harmony Day Muffi</li> <li>• Intensive Swimming Scheme begins</li> </ul>
Thurs 31 March	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Big Vegie Crunch</li> <li>• Year 7 Selective High School Test @ TPS</li> </ul>
Tues 5 April	Easter Hat Parade
Thurs 7 April	Potential Day for the Cross Country <u>if</u> the grounds are dry enough
Fri 8 April	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School ANZAC Ceremony</li> <li>• Final day of term one.</li> </ul>

## Easter Egg Raffle

Donations of Easter Eggs for our annual P&C fundraiser are now gratefully being accepted. Please leave these at the school office.



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**Be Responsible**  
**Be Safe**  
**Be Respectful**  
**Be A Learner**





## Attend today. Achieve tomorrow.

Across our school this week, the classes with the highest attendances are:

**1st 1/2 Yellow and 5/6 Violet**

**2nd 1 /2 Orange 3rd 2/3 Lime**

**School success starts with attendance.**



Congratulations to Wyatt

1st 50m Breaststroke

2nd 50m Butterfly

3rd 200m Individual Medley

A great achievement!

## Student Representative Council

Our Student Representatives received their badges this week and are looking forward to representing their classmates at regular meetings.

## Chess

Our lunchtime chess players meet on Tuesdays and Thursdays with Miss Brogmus.



Early Stage 1 and Stage 1 Award Recipients



# Big Veggie Crunch!



Toormina students will be joining thousands of other students across NSW in the "Big Veggie Crunch" on March 31<sup>st</sup> at 10am.

*Did you know that only around 6% of Australian children eat enough vegetables? Kids need to eat 3-5 serves of vegies each day.*

To help get our Toormi Kids crunching more often on delicious, fresh vegies, we will be joining in the Big Veggie Crunch on  
**Thursday March 31<sup>st</sup> at 10am.**

Primary schools across NSW will be joining us to try to break the record for the most students crunching vegetables simultaneously.

The current record is: 50,260 students (set in 2018).

## What can you do to help?

- Pack a container of vegetables (not fruit this time) for your child to eat and crunch on Thursday 18 March
- Remember to keep serving up the vegetables at home and in your children's lunchboxes.
- Check out the [UP THE VEG at Home](file:///C:/Users/htrist/Downloads/VWBVC2022UpTheVegAtHomeFINAL.pdf) resource for ideas -



## MUFTI DAY FLOOD FUNDRAISER

### FRIDAY 1st of April

Our wonderful SRC are raising money for those affected by the recent NSW and QLD floods.

We have seen the devastation and want to do what we can do help!

Please provide a gold coin or donation of your choice.

There will be some yummy, one-off treats being sold at the canteen ranging from 50c - \$2 with proceeds going to the cause.

All funds raised will donated to the Lismore SES.





This week at school

