

Newsletter

Tallong Public School

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Term 2 - Week 6

Wednesday, 7 August 2013

Principal's Report

We are certainly hoping for clear weather this Friday as the Athletics carnival approaches. We extend an invitation to all parents to come along and enjoy the day with us.

The next three weeks are very busy with a dental visit, Questacon, an Eisteddfod performance for the 3-6 class and of course our excursion in the last week of term.

The CWA project/colouring in on Morocco is due back to school on 11th June so please put the date on the calendar as well.

Reports will go home on the last day of term, wrapping up Term 2. Wow! We are just about half way through the year!

Have a happy and safe long weekend.

S. Matthews

Principal

Upcoming Events

Term 2

Week 6

Thursday 6 th June	Art Club \$2 with Mrs Carey 3:15pm - 4:30pm
Friday 7 th June	Athletics Carnival (K-6)

Week 7

Monday 10 th June	Public Holiday
Tuesday 11 th June	School Dental Visit 9am CWA – 'Morocco' due Active After schools Club Basketball 3:15 - 4:30pm

Wednesday 12th June

**Questacon Science Show
FREE**

Active After school Clubs
Hockey 3:15 - 4:30pm

**Playgroup Goulburn
Family Support Services**

**"Living With Little Kids"
presentation
9:15am - 11:00am**

Thursday 13th June

Art Club \$2 with Mrs Carey
3:15pm - 4:30pm

Friday 14th June

Goulburn Eisteddfod (3-6)

Week 8

Monday 17th June

ICAS Writing

Tuesday 18th June

ICAS Spelling

Active After schools Club
Basketball 3:15 - 4:30pm

Wednesday 19th June

Active After school Clubs
Hockey 3:15 - 4:30pm

Playgroup
9:15am - 11:00am

Thursday 20th June

Art Club \$2 with Mrs Carey
3:15pm - 4:30pm

Friday 21st June

SRC Milkshake Fundraiser
\$1.50 each

Excursion Payments

Payments must be completely finalised by **Friday 21st June**.

If you have any concerns regarding payment please come and talk to Mrs Matthews.



Athletics Carnival

The combined small schools will be holding their annual Athletics Carnival on Friday 7th June, 2013, at Eridge Park in Bowral.

Students who have qualified to compete in the field events competitive section include:

High Jump: 12 years Kody Tozer, Monique O'Leary

Long Jump: 8,9,10 years Keenan French, Arthur Anderson, Madeleine Myers
11 years Jack Newman, Riley Maguire, Megan Schweers

12 years Kody Tozer

Shot Put: 8,9,10 years Keenan French, Alex McDonald, Joshua Porter

12 years Kody Tozer, Billy Gee, Monique O'Leary

Discus: 8,9,10 years Alex McDonald, Samuel Gilson, Keenan French, Joshua Porter

12 years Kody Tozer

A timetable of events and also a canteen menu are attached to this newsletter. Parents most welcome to attend.

P&C Afternoon Tea Helpers

The P&C are asking for parents to help with the supplying of afternoon tea for our students on Wednesdays for the Active After School Club. A roster system will be generated once volunteers have come forward. The P&C will reimburse \$10 for costs involved. Afternoon tea can be dropped off either Wednesday mornings or in the afternoon at 3:00pm.

Please contact:

Rob McDonald 0416 086 313 or 48 410 194

Email: rob@remac.net.au

Morning Tea

'Living with Little Kids, Affects & Emotions'

Wednesday 12th June, 2013 from 10:00am – 12:00 noon Kathy and Kelly from the Goulburn Family Support Service along with Alan Caldwell from SaCC (Schools as Community Centres) would like to invite **ALL** families to come along for an informal morning tea and a

chat. The invitation extends to our families of school aged children as well as our Playgroup families.

Following at noon, stay and enjoy the Questacon Science Circus with our students.

Goulburn Family Support Service presents...



LIVING WITH LITTLE KIDS

Visiting Tallong Playgroup
WEDNESDAY JUNE 12TH 2013

10.00AM – 12.00PM

Morning Tea provided

For further information please
contact Kath on – 4822 2200

Goulburn Family Support Service Inc. is a community managed agency funded by the NSW Department of Community Services - 85 Goldsmith St, Goulburn.

First Aid Certificate

Tallong P&C are organising a 1 day First Aid Certificate training opportunity. It will be held in the Tallong Hall on **Sunday 21st July**, 9am – 4pm. Training will be conducted by Allens First Aid with a local trainer. This will include completing an online session prior to the practical day. Certificate achieved will be current for 3 years.

Please contact the office or Chrissy Wursten if you are interested. Cost will be \$130.00 per person with \$10 going towards the P&C who will be supplying morning tea and lunch on the day. The full amount must be paid prior to completing the on line booklet.



Congratulations Kody!

Kody Tozer represented our school last Friday at the **Regional** Cross Country carnival held at Cambewarra. Out of a field of 77 runners Kody was placed 11th. A fantatsic effort at that level of competition. Well done!



Reconciliation Week Art in The Koalas Classroom

As part of Reconciliation Week, we read an Aboriginal Dreamtime story about how the birds got their colours. We found the story really interesting! We wrote about the story and then did some art.

We painted a background of dots, which is a very common technique in Aboriginal art, while we listened to Aboriginal music and watched slides of Aboriginal artworks on the IWB. Then we cut out bits of birds in different colours to stick onto our background. We enjoyed watching our artworks evolve and turn into a bright, colourful reminder about the significance of Aboriginal culture in our country.



School Attendance

Parents/Caregivers are reminded that children must attend school on every school day unless they have a reasonable excuse for being away, such as illness.

Visiting family, being tired, and staying home on birthdays are not acceptable reasons to be away from school.

We ask that parents please supply a note informing a reason for a child's absence on the day the student returns to school after an absence. If you require more absence slips, please do not hesitate to see Mrs Murray who will happily supply you with them.



Woolworths Earn & Learn

We are starting to receive stickers and sticker sheets already for the Woolworths Earn & Learn program.

Through this program we will be able to get new educational resources for our school. From Monday 8th April to Sunday 9th June, with every \$10 you spend on groceries at Woolworths you will receive a sticker. Place the stickers on the Points Sheet (attached and also available in store) and when it's full you can either drop it into the collection box in the office or in the *Tallong Public School* collection box at Woolworths in Goulburn.

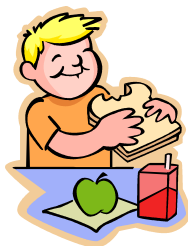
If you would like to know more visit www.woolworths.com/earnandlearn



Lunch Orders

Due to Monday being a Public Holiday next week, canteen lunch orders will be on Tuesday 11th June instead.

If you wish to place an order for Tuesday, please drop it into the shop by 9:00 tomorrow.



SRC – Bake Sale

The next SRC Bake Sale scheduled for Friday 14th June, has been cancelled due to years 3-6 attending the Eisteddfod that day.

P & C News **2nd Hand Clothing Available**

Dresses	Size 4	x1
	Size 6	x1
	Size 8	x2
	Size 10	x1
	Size 14	x1
Skorts	Size 8	x1
	Size 10	x2
	Size 12	x2
	Size 16	x1
Track Pants	Size 6	x1
	Size 8	x6
	Size 10	x1
	Size 12	x1
Jumper	Size 6	x1
	Size 8	x2
S/S Shirt	Size 10	x1
Blue Fleece Jumper	Size 14	x1

All items available for a Gold Coin Donation.

If any families have any uniforms in reasonable condition, that your child no longer wears, could you please donate them to our 2nd Hand Clothing Pool.

Thank you.