

Newsletter

Tallong Public School

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Term 3 - Week 2

Wednesday, 7 August 2013

Principal's Report

We have started the term with busy efforts to prepare for Education Week. We look forward to seeing many parents, grandparents and community members at this event next Tuesday 30th July commencing at 11:30am.

Tennis coaching commenced Monday this week and was well received as usual.

We have 7 students representing us at the District Athletics this Friday at Eridge Park and we wish them all the best and look forward to hearing their results.

Miss Matthews enjoyed meeting and greeting parents today to discuss routines and homework and provide general class information. We appreciate parents taking the time to attend this afternoon session.

S. Matthews
Principal

Upcoming Events

Term 3

Week 2

Thursday 25 th July	Art Club \$2 with Ms Parsons 3:15pm - 4:30pm
Friday 26 th July	District Athletics
	Tennis Lessons \$5
	Bake Sale 50c - Brewster family

Week 3

Monday 29 th July	Explorers Club \$2 3:00 - 4:30pm Tennis Lessons \$5 P&C Meeting 3:15pm
Tuesday 30 th July	Education Week Open Day 11:30am onwards Active After School Clubs 3:15pm - 4:30pm Soccer
Wednesday 31 st July	ICAS English Test Playgroup 9:15am - 11:00am Active After School Clubs 3:15pm - 4:30pm Tennis
Thursday 1 st August	Art Club \$2 with Ms Parsons 3:15pm - 4:30pm Choral Concert Performance at the Workers Club (3-6 only) Opera House Tickets go on sale 9:00am
Friday 2 nd August	League Gala Day (K-6) at Eridge Park, Bowral

Week 4

Monday 5 th August	Inter-School Soccer match 1:30pm at TPS Explorers Club \$2 3:00 - 4:30pm
Tuesday 6 th August	Active After School Clubs 3:15pm - 4:30pm Soccer
Wednesday 7 th August	Playgroup 9:15am - 11:00am Active After School Clubs 3:15pm - 4:30pm Tennis
Thursday 8 th August	Art Club \$2 with Ms Parsons 3:15pm - 4:30pm

Friday 9th August

Opera House cluster
rehearsal at Bowral Public
School 10am – 2pm

Tennis Lessons \$5

Bake Sale 50c – Gilson
family

Donations to the Cooking Program

A very generous donation was made by the Hart family toward the items for our cooking program. The Harts donated an electric frypan as well as a set of saucepans, plates, cutlery and basic kitchen utensils. We are very appreciative of this kind donation.

Thank you!



Mr Randall is focusing his cooking program on the Live Life Well philosophy.

The students in 3-6 will prepare breakfast meals in the next two weeks. Following this they will prepare lunch meals, and following this some healthy dinner meals.

For the next couple of weeks, donations of: Eggs, bread, ham/bacon, butter, tomatoes, milk, seasonal fruit, natural yoghurt and honey would be appreciated on Fridays.



Education Week Open Day

We would like to extend an invitation to parents, grandparents and community members to attend our Education Week Open Day on Tuesday 30th July.

The program of events is as follows:

11:30am Open classrooms. Visitors are welcomed into classrooms to share in the learning and view student work.

12:30pm Sausage Sizzle and Cuppa

1:30pm K-6 Assembly including class and music items as well as award presentations.



3-6 Class Choral Concert Performance

When: Thursday 1st August

Time: 7:30pm

Where: Goulburn Worker's Club

Tickets will be available shortly. There is a limit of two tickets per student but further tickets will be on sale on the night of the performance.

Please return the ticket request form which was attached to last week's newsletter and hand in to the office along with payment by

Monday 29th July.

ALL students in the 3-6 class are expected to attend this evening performance.

Opera House Recorder Information

Please note that tickets go on sale on 1st August at 9:00am. See attached EOI information in last week's newsletter for bus travel to and from the Opera House on Thursday 29th August.



Positive Behaviour For Success

This week we have commenced a reward system for showing behaviours that are **Respectful, Responsible and Safe** in the playground and assembly area.

These rewards are going to be known as Fruit Salad awards and come in the form of green, orange or purple tickets. Students, on receipt of a ticket, deposit them in a plastic tub. When the tub is full the students receive a whole school reward which could include things like: extra play, a DVD afternoon, a special morning tea or more sports equipment for the sports shed.

We look forward to frequently rewarding students for doing the right thing.

ART Club

Next week for Art Club the children will need a photo of their father/grandfather's face. This should be a front-on view. Please bring in a plastic zip lock bag with your child's name on it.

Crossing and Footpath For Tallong

Recently Margaret Botticchio and Tallong residents put forward a submission for a pathway on the eastern end of Highland Way (HW) where there is no side verge or walkway, forcing pedestrians on to the busy roadway. The proposal is also for a pedestrian crossing. The TCFG encourage residents to sign the petition at the General Store to keep this request on Council's agenda.

Inter- School Soccer Match

On Monday 5th August Tallong will verse a combined Wingello/Penrose team in a 7v7 game of soccer. We will host the match, playing it on our school oval.

The match will commence at 1:30pm. Mrs Matthews is seeking a parent who may be able to volunteer to referee the game for us.



P & C Update

Apple Day –The P&C are looking for volunteers to coordinate the raffle and cake stall for Apple Day 2014.

A **coordinator for the raffle** would be responsible for gathering prizes for the raffle as well as coordinating ticket sales and rosters.

A **coordinator for the cake stall** would be in charge of gathering support for cake stall donations and organising a roster for sales on the day.

An Expression of Interest is also being sought from a parent/citizen to be the school **representative on the Apple Day Committee**.

Please contact **Chrissy Wursten** to find out more details about any of these roles and to register your interest on:

0418 648 610

48 410 077

Canteen Fundraiser at NRL Gala Day 2nd August

Volunteers are required on the 2nd August to assist the P&C committee in the canteen at the NRL Gala Day. If you are able to help out please contact Jeremy Porter on: 0409 982 384

Missing Sleeping Bag

Could parents please check the sleeping bag/s that were taken home after the Sydney overnight excursion, we have one in the office that doesn't have a name on it and one family that is missing theirs. Perhaps someone has picked up the wrong one by mistake and hasn't realised. Please see Mrs Murray in the office.

