

# Newsletter

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Term 4 Week 7

Thursday 29th November, 2018

Dear Tallong Families,

## Shoalhaven Zoo Visit

Our students have had some very exciting learning experiences in the past two weeks. A visit from Shoalhaven Zoo was a huge success with hands on experiences and close up viewing of animals brought from the zoo to Tallong. The presenter was lots of fun and very informative about the range of extremely tolerant and beautiful animal visitors. I wonder how many of our students will now want to become zookeepers?



## RFS Thanks

**Tallong PS students** participated in the Rural Fire Service demonstration on the oval last Tuesday. The visit was a timely reminder to all us of bushfire procedures. Students were able to try out the hoses and inspect the Fire truck.

Many thanks to the wonderful RFS crew from Tallong who gave our students many important tips and information. The hands on experiences reinforced the important messages given by Jen and the crew.



## Positive Behaviour for Success

**Respect**

**Responsibility**

**Safety**

**Always be in sight of a teacher.**

NEW SOUTH WALES  
DEPARTMENT OF  
EDUCATION  
AND TRAINING



## Kreative Koala Project

**Congratulations** to our Year 4 students and Mrs Moore who were the recipients of three awards for their Kreative Koala sustainability project:



## **“Save Me, Save Our Species”**



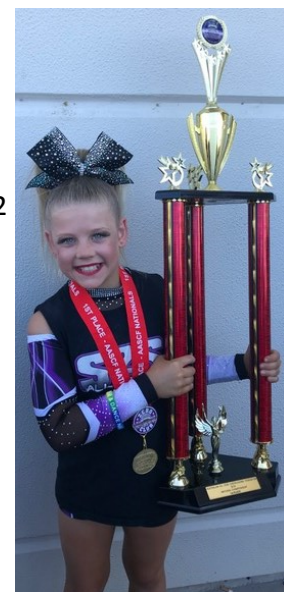
**They received the**

- **ACCIONE ENERGY AWARD for BEST COMMUNITY PROJECT FOR CHANGE**
- **THE BEST KREATIVE KOALA INSTALLATION**
- **and a \$500 HOLCIM AWARD for GRAND CHAMPION KREATIVE KOALA**

Ellie Moore  
**Principal**

## Congratulations, Maddie!

Maddie and her Cheer Team attended the AASCF National Championship in Queensland. Her team ‘Scorch’ became the Jr Level 2 National Champions, placing 1st in Australia. ‘Scorch’ was also awarded Level 2 Runner Up Grand Champions! They had the 2nd highest scoring Level 2 routine, overall beating a whopping 191 teams; only having a senior team take out the title. TPS is so proud of your achievements!



**SAVE  
The  
DATE**

## *2018 Presentation Day*

**Monday 17th December, 2018 @1:30pm**

**Tallong Memorial Hall**

## *Year 6 Year Farewell Dinner*

**Year 6 students and parents (Year 5 students only)**

**Tuesday 18th December, 2018**

**5:30pm - 8:30pm @ Sylvan Glen**

Riley and Isaac being presented with one of the Kreative Koala sustainability project awards.



### **Star Students**

Our star students this fortnight are: **Paige, Coby and Max**. These students were drawn from the “spotted being good” ticket boxes and will join me for morning tea at the end of the term.



## Summer Festival Q+A

### ♦ **What is the Summer Festival?**

The Summer Festival is a year long project the Stage 3 students have focused on. They have devised small businesses and will present these to the school on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> December from 11:30am -1:00pm.

### ♦ **How much does it cost?**

Each experience/stall will cost students 1 ticket/1 dollar.

### ♦ **Where do we purchase tickets from?**

Tickets are on sale now and will be sold in packs of 10. Students will have their first names written on their tickets and they will be handed out on the day.

### ♦ **What is the money raised going towards?**

The Stage 3 class of 2018 would like to purchase representative shirts for the school. The set of 20 shirts can be used for sporting events, public speaking, debate teams etc and will have collars, school logo and numbers on the back. We are aiming to raise \$700.00.

### ♦ **Stalls include:** BBQ, drinks, ice-blocks, cakes/slices, water balloons, balloon animals, face paint, hair colour, Nerf, Lego, reptiles, slime, art/craft, cards, chickens, books, spider drinks, a raffle and sock wrestling.

### ♦ **Money will NOT be accepted at the stalls and tickets can only be purchased PRIOR to recess on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> December.**

**Please note: The last day of Term 4 is Wednesday 19th December. Staff will participate in their Staff Development Day on Thursday 20th December, 2018.**

## Calendar of Events

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>TERM 4</b> Week 7	26/11	27/11	28/11 Mayoral Reception School Leaders	29/11 Big Read Bus	30/11 Sport Day Early Learning Hub 9-11am Assembly 2:30pm Freezing Friday Ice Blocks \$1.00
Week 8	3/12	4/12 Mulwaree HS Info night for Year 6  P&C Meeting @ 7pm	5/12 Volunteers Morning Tea	6/12	7/12 Early Learning Hub 9-11am  Summer Festival 11:30am - 1pm
Week 9	10/12 Swim School Bus return to school @ 3:30pm	11/12 Swim School Bus return to school @ 3:30pm	12/12 Swim School Bus return to school @ 3:30pm	13/12 Swim School Bus return to school @ 3:30pm	14/12 Swim School Bus return to school @ 3:30pm
Week 10	17/12 End of Year Presentation Day 1:30pm	18/12 Year 6 Farewell 5:30pm - 8:30pm @ Sylvan Glen (Years 5 & 6 only)	19/12 Last Day of School	20/12	21/12

Remember the best way to keep in touch with what is happening at our school and receive newsletters is with the School Stream app.  
Download it today, it's FREE! Once downloaded search for 'Tallong Public School'.



# Fire Brigade Visit



Thank you to the  
Tallong Rural Fire  
Services for visiting  
our school.

# Shoalhaven Zoo Visit



ADVENTURE  
STARTS HERE

**\$399**  
**Early Bird**  
**Booking**  
until 21/12/18



## School Holiday Camp

21 - 25 JANUARY 2019

An exciting five-day adventure, enjoying fun activities including self defence, mountain biking, archery, high ropes, flying fox, cooking, art and craft.

Experience the beauty of Tallong's natural environment, spotting wildlife and exploring Barbers Creek. Tallong is situated two hour drive from Sydney and 1.5 hour drive from Canberra.

**Boys and girls from all schools are welcome. Ages 7-14**

**5 Day Package \$480 per child**

**Book your holiday adventure. Bring your friends!**

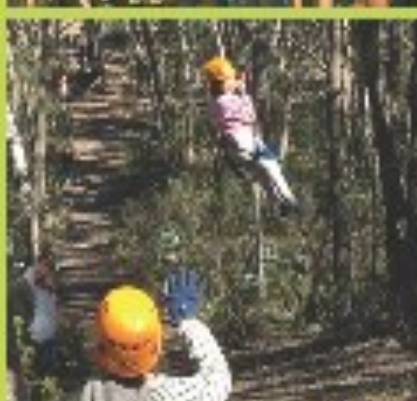
Email [tallong@ssc.nsw.edu.au](mailto:tallong@ssc.nsw.edu.au) or call 02 4841 0439

Bookings close 4 January 2019

Package includes accommodation (four nights), all meals and equipment. Bus transport to and from Sydney is available. Day-only stays and short-stay options are available.

**[ssc.nsw.edu.au/tallong](http://ssc.nsw.edu.au/tallong)**

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All costs inclusive of GST

# HARRY HOOKEY



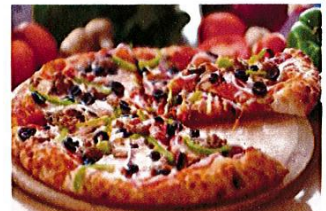
## RETURNING TO TALLONG FRIDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER

**Tallong Memorial Hall 7pm, \$25 per ticket**

Book a table [8 per table] also single ticket sales

Tallong Community Focus Group announces  
Victorian singer songwriter **HARRY HOOKEY**  
and special guests **THE HOOKEY FAMILY** and  
**JO CASSLEY** will perform at Tallong.

BYO, Food and Drinks. FRESH PIZZA available from  
The Midge Tallong [pre ordering is necessary]



**Bookings via TRYBOOKING**

<https://www.trybooking.com/YSDM>

**LIMITED TICKETS! ON SALE NOW**

**THE TALLONG COMMUNITY FOCUS GROUP,**



**THE HALL TRUST  
AND TALLONG RFS**



## **COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS PARTY**

**SUNDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> DECEMBER** at Tallong Memorial Hall

**FROM 12PM      BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL**

It's impossible to cater for an unknown number. We wouldn't want children to miss out, so **PLEASE RSVP**

**\*We will ONLY cater for those who RSVP\***

**Sausage Sizzle BBQ, and goodies from the RFS**

**Magic Jester Show, and a visit from Santa arriving in style!**

RSVP by returning slip to TCFG mailbox at The Midge,

Email- [secretary@tallong.com.au](mailto:secretary@tallong.com.au) or TCFG FB Page



Don't forget about the silent auction to raise money for the TCFG Exercise park Winner announced at the Xmas Party

You can bid on The Budgie painting at The Midge NOW

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### **RSVP TO TALLONG CHRISTMAS PARTY**

**Name-**

**Adults-**

**Children-**