

## Tallong P.S.

**A nurturing small school environment with caring and committed staff.**

Dear Tallong families and friends,

What a busy but exciting term we have just experienced. We had so many school and P&C events for our students and community to enjoy. As principal of Tallong I am very proud of how our students represent our school at school functions in and out of school grounds.

I would like to thank all the parent volunteers yesterday for assisting throughout the day at the canteen for the soccer gala. A special thank you to the parents that were behind the scenes baking, making jelly cups and organising the bbq and other items. It was very successful and the profits will go towards a P&C project.

### **NAPLAN RESULTS FOR YEAR 3 AND 5**

The 2019 NAPLAN results have arrived and once again we are proud of the students' achievements. Letters to Parents were sent home last week detailing your child's results across all domains. As recommended by NESA (NSW Education Standards Authority), 'parents and carers should take particular care in considering the 2019 results if your child experienced disruptions in taking the NAPLAN tests due to connectivity issues. Class teachers are best placed to provide insight into students' educational progress'.

### **WORLD TEACHERS' DAY**

World Teachers' Day is held internationally on 5 October. Due to the holidays, on Wednesday of Week 1 October 16, we will celebrate World Teachers' Day. It will be an opportunity to thank the wonderful teachers at Tallong Public School for their dedication and passion they give each and every day.

### **KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS 2020**

We are now taking enrolments for Kindergarten 2020. Please come into the office and speak with a member of staff or give us a call for further information. If you are planning to enrol a Kindergarten child for next year, please come to the school office to complete the enrolment process by 27th September.

### **CHANGES TO ENROLMENT POLICY**

The Department of Education has strengthened its enrolment policy regarding the enrolment of non-local students. Changes to the policy include schools having an enrolment cap based on their permanent classrooms. This cap will affect the school's ability to enrol non-local students. Parents enrolling children will now be asked to provide the 100 point residential address check to confirm they live within the school's designated intake area. Documents accepted for this check can be found at: <https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/going-to-a-public-school/media/documents/Residential-address-check.pdf>

More information about the Department of Education's enrolment policy can be found at: <https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/going-to-a-public-school/media/documents/changes-to-the-enrolment-policy-for-parents.pdf>

### **TELL THEM FROM ME PARENT SURVEY**

We are encouraging parents to participate in The Tell Them From Me Parent Survey. It is anonymous, voluntary, and easy-to-use. It is based on a comprehensive questionnaire covering parents' perceptions of their child's experiences at home and at school.

Insights into parent and staff communication, activities and practices at home, and parent voice on the school's support of learning and behaviour all build an accurate and timely picture that schools can use for practical improvements.

The link to complete the survey is <http://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/yj7d2>

### PRINCIPAL AWARD WINNERS

Teagan	Ella	Hamish
Estelle	Anderson	Ronny
River	Tait	Hayden O
Landyn	Maddie	Isaac
Cooper	Jonathon	Deacon
Paige	Spike	Finley
	Bodhi	

### WEEK 6 CLASS AWARDS

Koalas	Kookas	Kangas
Eve	Paige	Jack M
Teagan	Jonathon	Logan
Aaron	Brianna P	Hayden D
Aaliyah	Tait	Stevie

### LOST PROPERTY

On the last day of term we will be going through the lost property basket. Items with names will be handed back to the students, items with no names will be given to the clothing pool. PLEASE LABEL YOUR BELONGINGS!

### TERM 4 ITEMS

Teachers have planned some exciting things for Term 4. I just wanted to mention some of the activities/programs so you are aware.

2020 leadership	Year 6 Fun Fair	Walk-a-thon	End of year fun day
Year 6 Farewell	Swim school	Cricket gala day	Presentation Day
School disco	Zoo excursion	Volunteers morning tea	Year 6 camp

### SELECTIVE HIGH SCHOOL APPLICATIONS FOR 2021

Parents of children currently in Year 5 who are interested in applying for a position in a Selective High School are advised that the process will begin during the second week of the school holidays. The dates are as follows:

- 8 October 2019 Application for entry in 2021 opens online
- 11 November 2019 Application for entry in 2021 closes. Late applications will not be accepted.
- All applicants are required to sit the Selective High School Placement Test to be held on Thursday 12 March 2020.

Applications are completed online. Parents who would like more information regarding the process should read the information contained in the following two links:

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/selective-high-schools-and-opportunity-classes/year-7/application-process>

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/selective-high-schools-and-opportunity-classes/year-7>

If parents have any questions or need assistance with applying please contact the school.

### HAPPY HOLIDAYS AND STUDENTS RETURN

#### MONDAY 14 OCTOBER

After a busy term full of hard work, community events, fun activities and lots of learning, I would like to wish everyone a happy holiday. Enjoy the time with family and friends and thanks to all our teachers, staff, parents and students for making this such a productive term. Please note that there is no Staff Development Day to begin the term so all students will return on the Monday.

Regards

Scott Osborne  
Principal



## Planning for 2020

Dear Parents and Carers

We are currently planning classes and staffing for 2020. In order to do this, we need to know who is not returning to our school next year.

If you are leaving Tallong Public School and not returning in 2020 please complete the slip below.

Forms can be submitted to the office or given to your child's class teacher.

S Osborne

Principal

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Student/s Not Returning to Tallong Public School in 2020

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

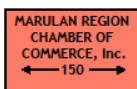
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The relocation is due to:

- ☐ moving overseas or interstate
- ☐ moving to NSW Department of Education School \_\_\_\_\_ (insert school)
- ☐ moving to an Independent/Catholic School \_\_\_\_\_ (insert school)



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And bring your clock along for an appraisal for the cost of a gold coin donation.

Historical walk at 11 am on SUNDAY

## SAVE THE DATE

THE SYDNEY CLOCKMAKERS SOCIETY TAKES TIME OUT ON THE 150TH MERIDIAN SHOWING THEIR HANDMADE CLOCKS & COLLECTIONS & MUCH MORE ....

NOT TO BE MISSED SAT. & SUN.  
12 AND 13TH OCTOBER, 2019  
MARULAN MEMORIAL HALL,  
George Street, Marulan

OPENING TIMES, 10 am to 4 pm  
BOTH DAYS

A gold coin donation would be appreciated for the Goulburn Palliative Care & Oncology Support Group

Email: linda.bichard@gmail.com

NSW  
**bike week**  
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## GOULBURN COMMUNITY 5 KM BIKE RIDE

CARR CONFOY EASTGROVE MONDAY 7 OCTOBER

Come join the fun and you could have a chance of winning some great prizes

- 9.30am Registration, Bike and Helmet Safety Checks
- 10am - 5km Escorted Family Ride around Golf Course and the Wetlands – Gold Coin Donation
- 11am – 12pm Free BBQ Lunch and Drink

For more information and to register contact Tracey Norberg  
Ph. 4823 4510 email [tracey.norberg@goulburn.nsw.gov.au](mailto:tracey.norberg@goulburn.nsw.gov.au)

To dust off your bikes and practice your skills join us in the Lilac Festival Parade on Sunday 6 October starting at 11am assembling at Cartwright Place. Decorate your bikes in lilac with balloons, streamer and your imagination and help celebrate the festival. We also have 3 bikes to give away on the day after the parade to the best decorated bikes



FREE  
Drink bottle  
backpack  
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Over \$2000 in  
prizes  
including a  
new bike.

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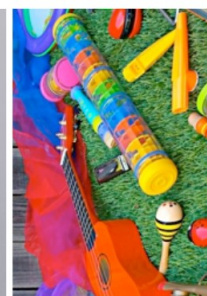


## Next P&C Meeting

Tuesday 5th November, 2019

@ 7:00pm All welcome!

Your  
P&C



## Holiday Programs @HumeCon

KIDSING! KEEP ON MOVING!

Thurs 10th October 10:30am - 1:30pm  
Fun singing for kids in Years 2 - 6.  
\$30 per person

EARLY CHILDHOOD MUSIC FUN

Tuesday 1st October 10:15 - 11am  
\$5 per family

ROCK GUITAR ORCHESTRA

Thurs 3rd October 10am - 4pm  
Learn and play different pieces and also a session on guitar care.  
\$80 including a restringing kit, & strings

BOOK YOUR PLACE:

4821 8833 | [enquiries@humecon.nsw.edu.au](mailto:enquiries@humecon.nsw.edu.au)

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## ALDI MINIROOS FOOTBALL HOLIDAY CLINICS

Highlands Soccer Association would like to invite you to attend our ALDI Miniroos Football Holiday Clinics.

A fantastic football experience. A must for players looking to brush up on their all-round game and a great introduction to the game for new players.

The clinics cover a wide range of development from the Football Federation Australia Curriculum – learning to master the ball, learning to act with the ball purposefully, and learning to play together purposefully.

All identified School Holiday Clinic players will be invited by the coaching staff to attend the advanced Development Programs.

**Week 1 - Skills Development Clinic – Moss Vale Soccer Fields, Church Road, Moss Vale**

10am to 12pm Monday 30<sup>th</sup> September & Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> October.

Registration open for U6 to U12 boys and girls.

Skill Development and Small Sided Games Training.

Team matches – 5 vs 5 format including goalkeepers.

Specific goalkeeper training is also available each day.

Cost: 2 days – \$75

To register please complete the JotForm:

<https://form.jotform.co/81562203784861>

All clinics will be directed by FFA Advanced Level Coaches.

For all enquires please contact Nick D'Amore HSA Technical Director

M: 0407 917 062

E: [dir\\_coach@hsa.org.au](mailto:dir_coach@hsa.org.au)

[www.hsa.org.au](http://www.hsa.org.au)

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# ASSEMBLY AWARDS



Hosted by the Koalas



# Kookas - Environments of the World Projects



# Soccer Gala Day





## TALLONG PUBLIC SCHOOL

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### **Enrol now for Kindergarten 2020!**

Our 2 Kindergarten transition sessions will be held on:  
Thursday 7 November 9.30-11.20am  
Thursday 14 November 9.30-11.20am



Website: <https://tallong-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/>

Email: [tallong-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:tallong-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au)

Schoolstream - Download our school app (search  
for Tallong Public School)

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## **Have Your Say on Before and After School Care**

The NSW Government is committed to providing before and after school care to all students of public primary schools in New South Wales. As part of the reform, [a parent web form](#) has been established by Service NSW that will enable parents to tell the department about their specific care needs and to stay up to date with any new developments.

The information provided by parents will help the Department of Education to understand your needs, give them insights into where there are gaps in service delivery and help to ensure the extra places are delivered where they are required.

Have your say today at <https://www.service.nsw.gov.au/basc>.

NSW Department of Education

### **Before and After School Care Have your say**

The NSW Government is committed to increasing the provision of before and after school care.

Have your say at

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Online feedback closes December 2019





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## **Tallong Public School** **2020 Kindergarten Information**



### ***Parent Information and Kindergarten Orientation Visits***

***Thursday 7 and Thursday 14 November 2019***

***from 9:30am to 11:20am***

Children will visit our Kindergarten classroom and participate in various activities. A school tour will be part of the Orientation Program. At the conclusion of the morning's activities, children have morning tea with our students (please supply a piece of fruit for your child).

While the children are visiting the Kindergarten classrooms, there will be an information session for parents/carers in the Learning Hub Thursday 7 November.

**[Advice for starting Kindergarten](https://youtu.be/HHjTfkeDmhM)** (<https://youtu.be/HHjTfkeDmhM>)

NSW CHILDREN'S WEEK 2019

# creative story competition

18 and under living in NSW

entries close Sunday 6 October 2019

chance to win a \$200 gift card

Do you enjoy writing and telling stories? This is your opportunity to write a creative story about an issue that is important to you and to other children and young people in 2019.

The Office of the Advocate for Children and Young People is inviting entries for the NSW Children's Week 2019 Creative Story Competition. The competition is open to all children and young people up to the age of 18 living in NSW.

Three winners (one winner for each age group: 0-5, 6-11, 12-18) will receive an award and a \$200 gift card at a special Children's Week event.

The winning stories will be decided by famous author and Children's Laureate Morris Gleitzman, together with the NSW Advocate for Children and Young People, the NSW Youth Advisory Council and the NSW Children's Week Committee. Entries close Sunday 6 October 2019.

author and Children's Laureate

**How to enter:**

1. Use your imagination
2. Write a creative story (200 to 500 words) about an issue that is important to you and to other children and young people in 2019
3. Type your story in the online entry form via the link below

For more information and to enter visit:  
[www.acyp.nsw.gov.au](http://www.acyp.nsw.gov.au)  
 Go directly to the entry page via: [bit.ly/CW19CS](http://bit.ly/CW19CS)

NSW CHILDREN'S WEEK 2019 AWARDS

Nominations are now open for the NSW Children's Week 2019 Awards

### Children and young people awards

Nominees must be under the age of 18

- Bravery Award**  
For those who demonstrate a single act or ongoing acts of courage, strength or determination
- Community Art Award**  
For those who inspire through art including painting, drawing, digital art, photography, performance, dance and music.
- Act of Kindness Award**  
For those who have or continue to offer acts of kindness by helping and supporting those around them.
- Newly Arrived Migrant or Refugee Award**  
For those who have made a positive contribution to their local community, region or state.
- Environmental Award**  
For those who help support the environment through a range of acts, decisions and initiatives.
- Voice Award**  
For those who have made a positive contribution to their local community, region or state.

### Adult awards

Nominees must be over the age of 18

- Inspiring Mentor Award**  
A person or group who supports, encourages and guides children and young people.
- Foster Parent/Guardian Award**  
A person who is committed to helping the lives of children and young people in out of home care.
- Teacher Award**  
A teacher who continues to improve the lives of children and young people and helps them reach their goals.

Children, young people and adults can nominate an individual, group, service or project that falls within the above award categories. The awards were decided by children and young people themselves.

A winner will be chosen for each award category (10 winners in total) and they will receive a \$200 gift card at a special Children's Week event.  
 Nominations for awards close Sunday 6 October 2019.

For more information or to nominate, visit:  
[www.nswchildrensweek.org.au](http://www.nswchildrensweek.org.au)  
 Go directly to the nomination page via: [bit.ly/CW19AN](http://bit.ly/CW19AN)

# SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

30 SEPT-11 OCT 2019  
Open from 6:30am to 6pm

**MON 30 Sept**  
**WILLY WONKA DAY**  
Create your own candy and chocolate bar, find the golden ticket in the scavenger hunt and relax in the afternoon watching the movie!

**COST: DAILY FEE LESS CCS ENTITLEMENTS**

**TUES 1 Oct**  
**BRICKS FOR KIDS LEGO WORKSHOP**  
A travelling workshop of lego galore. What will you create?

**COST: DAILY FEE + \$20 LESS CCS ENTITLEMENTS**

**WED 2 Oct**  
**EVERYTHING DISNEY**  
A day based on all your favourite Disney characters and Disney movies. Who will be our Disney trivia master?

**COST: DAILY FEE LESS CCS ENTITLEMENTS**

**THURS 3 Oct**  
**EXPLOSIVE SCIENCE DAY**  
A day of experiments, explosions and mind boggling science!

**COST: DAILY FEE LESS CCS ENTITLEMENTS**

**FRI 4 Oct**  
**FIZZICS EDUCATION BEEBOT ROBOTICS**  
Learn how to program beebots through obstacle courses!

**COST: DAILY FEE + \$20 LESS CCS ENTITLEMENTS**

**TUES 8 Oct**  
**GREAT AUSTRALIAN BAKE-OFF**  
Make, bake, and create! Who will take out our trophy for Wollondilly Fun Club champion baker?

**COST: DAILY FEE LESS CCS ENTITLEMENTS**

**WED 9 Oct**  
**WOLLONDILLY MINI OLYMPICS**  
A day full of indoor and outdoor sports, individual and team sports.

**COST: DAILY FEE LESS CCS ENTITLEMENTS**

**THURS 10 Oct**  
**A TASTE OF ITALY**  
A day celebrating the food and culture of Italy, Italian games and a gondola race!

**COST: DAILY FEE LESS CCS ENTITLEMENTS**

**FRI 11 Oct**  
**DINOSAUR MUSEUM & REPTILE ZOO**  
Join us for an awesome day out in Canberra!

**COST: DAILY FEE + \$50 LESS CCS ENTITLEMENTS EXTRA: LUNCH, WATER, HAT TIME: 9AM TO 4PM**

**CENTRE CLOSED: MON 7 October**

**Bring every day: HAT + DRINK + LUNCH ENCLOSED SHOES**

**DAILY FEE \$56**  
Less CCS entitlement. For your individual fee estimate please call Lisa on 4283 9984. Families need to complete a Child Care Subsidy assessment (online at myGov/Centrelink), including confirming the name of your child care provider - otherwise full fees will be charged.

**Bookings close 20 September ENROL NOW!**

**Big Fat Smile FUNCLUB @Wollondilly**  
P: 0431 602 195  
Visit [bigfatasmile.com.au/funclub](http://bigfatasmile.com.au/funclub) to enrol

## Calendar of Events

TERM 3	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 10	23/9	24/9	25/9 Playgroup 9:30 - 11:00am Art and Craft with Janet Soccer Gala Day	26/9 Library Newsletter Music	27/9 Sports Day Tennis Formal Assembly 2-3pm
TERM 4 Week 1	14/10 Students return today	15/10	16/10 Scripture	17/10 Library Music	18/10 Sports Day - Tennis catch up lesson NRL Visit 9-11am
Week 2	21/10	22/10	23/10 Playgroup 9:30 - 11:00am Art and Craft with Janet	24/10 Library Newsletter Music	25/10 Sports Day Walkathon Term 4 accounts due
Week 3	28/10	29/10	30/10 Scripture	31/10 Library Music	1/11 Sports Day - Tennis catch up lesson Assembly 2:30 Disco 5-7

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'.



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