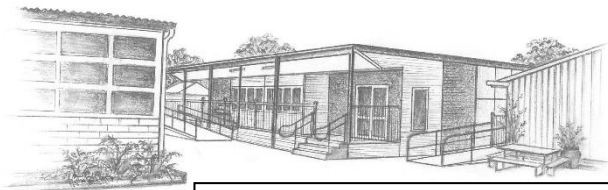


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MINI NEWSLETTER

- 1. SEIL Visit / Classroom Observations** - Tomorrow, we will be having a visit from our Senior Education Improvement Leader - Scott Watson. All classes will be involved in Classroom Observations during the day so we would appreciate limited interruptions if possible.
- 2. Student Led Conferences** - Spots are filling fast, so reply via Flexibuzz or return the slip which went home with all families last week. We are aiming to fill all the interview spots by the end of the week.
- 3. Student Reports** - These will be distributed on Monday 26th June. Teachers are busily finishing assessments and testing in regard to this, so please be conscious of this over the next few weeks.
- 4. Public Holiday** - There is no school on Monday because of the Queen's Birthday long weekend.
- 5. Curriculum Day** - The third Curriculum Day for the year will be held on Tuesday 13th June. Families will need to make alternative arrangements on this day as staff spend the day Report Writing in line with the new Victorian Curriculum. School will resume on Wednesday next week.
- 6. Cooking Day (F-2)** - Parents' Club will be cooking with the Junior Unit on Wednesday 14th June from 9.30am until 11am. There will be 2 sessions and the students will be making Rum Balls during this time.
- 7. Footy Colours Day** - This will be held on Friday 16th June. There will be no cost this day for families - if not participating school uniform is required.
- 8. Munch N Crunch** - This will be held on Friday 16th June and families will be given an order this week. The lunch will involve Hot Dogs.
- 9. Newsletter next week** - The full edition will be distributed next Wednesday via Flexibuzz and it will also go on our School Website.
- 10. Principals Conference** - I will be away on Monday 19th June and Tuesday 20th June at a Conference in Melbourne with other local Principals.
- 11. Production** - We will be aiming to set up PA equipment next week in the Project Room. Please reinforce being careful in this area over the next few weeks.
- 12. Region Cross Country** - Eloise, Zoe, Declan N and Daniel have an opportunity to attend this on Wednesday 21st June. This is being held at Winton this year and permission forms have gone home already. Parents will have to organise their own transport on this day unfortunately.
- 13. Performance (F-2)** - This will be held on Thursday 22nd June at Bourchier St. PS. The performance (Snow Queen) begins at 1pm so we will be having an early lunch on this day. Permission forms will go home this week and the cost for the show is \$10 per student which covers the Play (\$8) and the Bus (\$2).
- 14. Performance (3-6)** - This will be held on Thursday 22nd June at Eastbank in Shepparton. The performance (The Witches) begins at 1.30pm so we will be having an early lunch on this day also. Permission forms will go home this week and the cost for the show is \$10 per student which covers the Play (\$8) and the Bus (\$2).
- 15. School Uniform Compliance** - Obviously, during the colder months we have some students who are not in school uniforms for a variety of reasons (ie: jumper wet on the clothesline). School uniform reflects our school and it would be appreciated if any students not in uniform present a note to the Principal. Thanks in anticipation.
- 16. Speech Therapy** - The last session for Term 2 will be held next Wednesday 14th June for some families and reminder letters were sent home a couple of weeks ago with specific times. All parents are encouraged to attend these sessions so that specific work can be reinforced at home.
- 17. Book Fair** - We anticipate that this will begin this week some time and families will be informed via Flexibuzz when the Book Fair is open for business - books will be available to view and purchase for a couple of weeks. All classes will be shown through the Book Fair and families can make purchases before school from 8.30am to 9am and after school until 4pm.
- 18. Attitude to Schools Survey** - We will be aiming to conduct this with Grade 4-6 students on Friday. All results are confidential and more specific details were in last week's newsletter. Overall school data will be made available to the school later on in the year.
- 19. Cooking Sessions - Survival Snacks (John Hosking)** - This continues this week on Tuesday from 10am until 11am. Parents are welcome to come along and assist as well. The aim is to have all students participate throughout the year. There will be no session next Tuesday because of the Curriculum Day.
- 20. Life Education Van** - This program is scheduled to be held this Thursday 8th June. We are hopeful that all children will participate in the Life Education Program. Although the van session is a one off, all class teachers have booklets to further reinforce themes which are discussed as part of this program. Permission forms must be returned now and the cost is \$5 per student. This Program is kindly subsidised by the Tallygaropna & District Lions Club.
- 21. Men's Shed Visits** - Our third Men's Shed visit will take place this Friday from 9am until 10am.
- 22. Lego Donations** - We are in the process of purchasing some Lego to add to our collection in the Multi-Purpose Room - any donations would be appreciated.
- 23. Parents Club Meeting** - The next meeting is not scheduled until Monday 17th July at 7.30pm (first day Term 3) - all are welcome.
- 24. Open Days** - There are 4 of these remaining for potential new families coming to Tallygaropna PS in 2018 - other days can be organised upon request. The second Open Day is on Tuesday 6th June and next week's session will be held on Wednesday 14th June.
- 25. Sporting Schools Program** - This continues this week with Orienteering tonight and Basketball tomorrow. There are no sessions next week obviously. Sessions begin at 3.35pm and all children need to be picked up by 4.35pm.
- 26. Playgroup** - There is no Playgroup this week. The next session will be held on Thursday 15th June.
- 27. Breakfast Club** - We are still after some more helpers on Monday or Thursday. Contact the office if you can help.
- 28. Random Acts of Kindness** - This whole school initiative involves 2 students being picked out of a hat as the Givers and 2 students being picked as the Receivers. Well done to Kaedyn and Tayla from last week. This week's givers are Tom and Zoe.
- 29. OSH Care** - is available on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday this week - we are only licenced for these 3 days. **A new enrolment form is to be completed for each child on an annual basis.** These can be collected at the office and are available on our school website.
- 30. Specialist Program** - P.E. will be held tomorrow as per normal. There is no Science this week because of the Excursion last week. Our Art program will be held on Friday as per normal
- 31. Frozen Pipes** - This effects heating in the morning in the following rooms so dress appropriately - Office, Library, Grade 3/4 classroom, MP Room

David Brodie (Principal)

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Our general school rule is to "consider the feeling of others at all times".

Can all families pay the \$5 for the Life Ed. Van ASAP please.