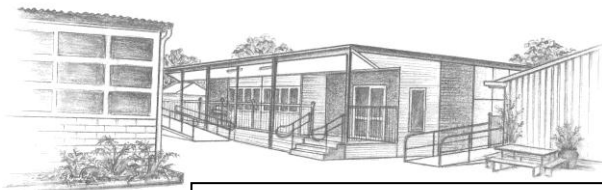


## TALLYGAROPNA PRIMARY SCHOOL NO.3067



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### MINI NEWSLETTER

**1. School Production DVD** - We are anticipating that these should arrive any day now. These need to be paid for (\$20) before they can be collected by families.

**2. Swimming Program** - We have almost the whole school participating in this program that began today. Students swim from 11am until midday each day and any students not participating will still attend Aquamoves and assist the younger students. The cost for this program is \$55 per student and this needs to be paid to the office now.

**3. Orientation Program** - This began last week for new Foundation students in 2016 and it was fantastic to see all of our 13 new Foundation students attend the first day. Other dates for this program are Oct 27<sup>th</sup> (9-11.30am), Nov 18<sup>th</sup> (9-2pm) and Dec 8<sup>th</sup> (all day).

**4. End of Year Excursion** - Any parents wishing to attend this day on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> December at the Whittlesea Fun Fields should contact the office ASAP or email the school. The cost for parents will be \$22 each and students of the school will be \$15 each. These payments are due by Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November. We look like taking 2 buses from Ford's Bus Lines (57 seater and 35 seater). Therefore, get in early to ensure your spot for this fun day. Students must be supervised by parents on this day. If you cannot attend let the office know and staff will assist with supervision if needed.

**5. Division / Region Athletics** - Congratulations to Harvey, Kyle, Declan, Eloise, Daniel and Jordan who represented the school at the Division Athletics last Monday. Also well done to Jordan who took up the challenge of representing the school at the Region Athletics on Friday and came 11<sup>th</sup> in the 1500 metres. Well done kids and thanks to all of the families involved for helping with transport.

**6. New Enrolments** - At present, we have 13 new Foundation student enrolments for 2016, with the possibility for this to increase again which would be a great result for our school. Please get enrolment forms for 2016 in ASAP. This will assist with planning for next year and staffing. We look forward to presenting more special treats to our New Foundation Students for 2016.

**7. Sporting Schools Program** - Our Sporting Schools Program for Term 4 began today. As per usual, sessions after school begin at 3.35pm and will finish at 4.35pm. Permission forms will go home this week for the trips to Shepparton for Ten Pin Bowling

Ten Pin Bowling - all sessions after school

Monday 19th October - Week 3

Monday 26th October - Week 4

Monday 9th November - Week 6

Monday 16th November - Week 7 (Shepparton)

Monday 23rd November - Week 8 (Shepparton)

Monday 30th November - Week 9 (Shepparton)

Monday 7th December - Week 10 (Shepparton)

Baseball / T-Ball - all sessions after school.

Tuesday 20th October - Week 3

Tuesday 27th October - Week 4

Tuesday 10th November - Week 6

Tuesday 17th November - Week 7

Tuesday 24th November - Week 8

Tuesday 1st December - Week 9

Tuesday 8th December - Week 10

**8. Play Group** - This will be held again this Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> October - and will be conducted by Mrs Forman. Please spread this message around the local community and everyone is welcome.

**9. OSH Care** - is available on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday this week as per usual.

**10. Library** - This will be held on Thursday this week and students are encouraged to return any library books that were borrowed during the last visit. Times will be limited in line with our Swimming Program if this program is still on this day - to be confirmed.

**11. Northerners Cricket** - This will be played on the school oval this Friday after school and we look forward to continuing our relationship with the local cricket club.

**12. Yachting Program** - 9 students from Grades 5/6 expressed interest in this program which will be held on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> November from 1.15pm until 2.45pm. The cost for this program is \$27 and this can be paid to the office now - due by Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> November. Permission forms will go home this week. Mr Brodie will be attending this program and providing transport. We are in need of 1 more car for transport, so if you can assist it would be greatly appreciated.

**13. T20 Blast Cricket Tournaments** - 4 Teams have been entered for both girls and boys in the middle and senior grades. The senior tournament will be held on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> November and the middle school program will be held on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> November. We are in need of parents to help with a team on each day, so if you can assist contact the school ASAP. Otherwise, both programs **may not go ahead**. Permission forms will go home once supervision for the day has been finalised. This program is invitation only and attendance and behaviour will be closely monitored leading up to these days.

David Brodie (Teaching Principal)

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