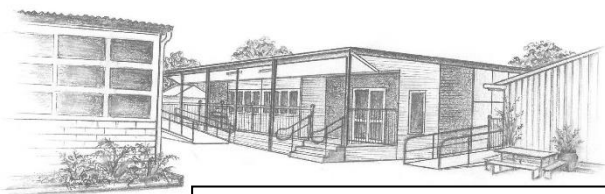


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SCHOOL VALUES - RESPECT, HONESTY & INCLUSION

News from the Principal's Desk

Hi everyone

Last week was a busy one with ANZAC Day activities taking place in and out of the school. This day continues to be an important part of the Australian landscape and it has been terrific to see the discussions, which have been taken place in the classrooms over the last couple of weeks. As Educators, it is our role to give our kids some information about our Diggers and how important they were and how many of them paid the ultimate sacrifice – we will continue to do this into the future. Thanks to the Parents Club for helping out with Anzac Biscuits and our beautiful wreath – Special thanks to those who donated flowers and assisted with these activities.

Our Photo Day went off smoothly and we look forward to receiving these back in the next few weeks. The whole school photo is always a highlight and it will be great to see this years with many new students and staff being part of our school for 2017. Last week, Cohan, Jack, Liv and Eloise attended the Leadership Conference with me in Shepparton as well and they have come up with some great ideas to be implemented for this year. A summary of these are in this edition of the newsletter and I am sure that these will be well supported by our school community. We hope to confirm visits to the Men's Shed in the next couple of weeks – stay tuned.

In this edition of the newsletter, there are some important items in relation to the Sporting Schools Program, Responsible Pet Program, Interscholar Cross Country and the Mother's Day Activity Day. The latter is on Wednesday and we would appreciate families paying the \$3 fee for this day ASAP. This will cover the cost for the materials for this fun day, which will be organised by the Parents Club once again.

Finally, there are some important after school activities approaching soon – Cyber Safety Night and Movie Night. Information in relation to these events are attached to this newsletter and it would be great if these were well supported. There has been some interest in strategies in relation to computers, so we are providing this night to cater for this and the Movie Night is always a bit of fun. Please RSVP for these ASAP. The Biggest Morning Tea is not far away as well.

Karen will be at the school until Thursday as usual to attend to any matters that arise. I look forward to catching up with some parents tonight at the Parents Club Meeting.

David Brodie (Principal)

THE NEXT EDITION OF THE NEWSLETTER WILL BE A MINI ONE. THIS WILL BE PUT ON FLEXIBUZZ AND OUR SCHOOL WEBSITE. A REMINDER – NO MORE PAPER COPIES OF THE NEWSLETTER WILL BE SENT HOME.

PLAYGROUP WILL BE HELD THIS THURSDAY FROM 9AM UNTIL 11AM. ALL ARE WELCOME.

A REMINDER TO ALL FAMILIES TO FREQUENTLY CHECK FLEXIBUZZ BECAUSE MANY SPECIFIC EVENTS ARE PUT ON THIS RESOURCE ALONG WITH THE NEWSLETTER.

Absence forms can be submitted on FLEXIBUZZ for any students absent. Please check with the office that the email address you are using with FLEXIBUZZ is the same that we have at school (Grade Expert), so that unexplained absence alerts can be given to parents.

School Fees are due now. Contact the school if a payment plan needs to be set up.

**Random Acts of Kindness
– this week's givers are: Jodie and Jai. Well done to Owen & Zane for last week.**

Congratulations to Declan Newbound who was successful at the Division Football Trials last week.

Contact the school if you would you prefer for your child to not participate in visits to the Men's Shed on a Friday. We are aiming to get all the students to experience this at least once this year from 9am to 9.45am with Mr Brodie.

This is covered under local excursions – no permission forms are needed.

DIRECT BANK DEPOSIT

Account Name:

Tallygaropna Primary School

BSB: 063—527

Account number: 00907788

Please ensure you include family name and payment description as reference.

Photos of the Week – Anzac Day



Photos of the Week – Leadership Conference



Our School Leaders would like to implement the following initiatives for 2017:

1. A roster for all students to go to the Men's Shed as a community project
2. Leaders to run a quick fun activity at the beginning of buddies
3. Tabloid Sports to still be implemented by Leaders at the end of each term.

Stay tuned for an update in future newsletters

At School Council last term, we discussed the possibility of getting some more lego for the children of the school who really love utilizing this at recess and lunch times. We thought we would seek donations from the school and local community first. We would appreciate any donations of lego that families no longer use. Your assistance with this little project would be appreciated.

Thanks in anticipation.
David

On the **28th April, 2017** Tiqbiz was formally rebranded to **FlexiBuzz**.

To ensure that your users can accurately locate the app and platform information, we will initially promote the "**Tiqbiz is now FlexiBuzz**" logo. This means that a potential user entering "Tiqbiz" or "FlexiBuzz" will be able to find the website or the app in the app stores.



The rebrand of the app will require users to apply the update. We will communicate with all users prior to the change and will continue to monitor app updates to determine an appropriate time to allow FlexiBuzz to stand alone and remove the reference to Tiqbiz.

AusKick will start on Wednesday 17th May at the Tallygaroopna Recreation Reserve

Families will need to register online - follow the prompts.

<http://www.aflauskick.com.au/>
Inquiries to Brent Karl on 0455 345183.

Tallygaroopna Kindergarten hours

The current hours for kindergarten at Tallygaroopna are 6 hour sessions (9 – 3). The committee has been informed that this will change as of 2018 down to 5 hour sessions (9 – 2). We are seeking feedback from as many families as possible, whether you will be utilizing the service next year or in the future. We want to present the feedback to the Shepparton council to try & reverse their decision. We would love to hear how this change might impact your lives or your decision on which kindergarten to send your children. Can you please make contact with the kindergarten by email tallygaroopna.kindergarten@shepparton.vic.gov.au or just call in to fill out a questionnaire.

Your input would be greatly appreciated

Thank you
Tallygaroopna Committee 2017



Information nights for Year 6 students entering Year 7 Government Secondary Schools in 2018

Parents and guardians of current Year 6 students are advised that information evenings will be conducted at the following Government Secondary Schools to assist parents, guardians and students in the selection of their secondary school for 2018.

Monday May 8th at 7pm
Shepparton High School

Tuesday May 9th at 7pm
McGuire College

Wednesday May 10th at 7pm
Wanganui Park Secondary College

Thursday May 11th at 7pm
Mooroopna Secondary College

Open days will be conducted at all schools on **Monday 15th of May** and **Tuesday 16th of May** at **9.15am and 11.15am**




Other times by appointment.



STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

– Term 2 / Week 1





All students received a certificate and also a free icy pole voucher to use this term.

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Foundation / Grade 1</u> <u>Miss Beer's Curious Caterpillars</u> Alira</p> 	<p>Alira's caring nature is very much appreciated in our classroom. She is always looking out for others and is willing to help anyone in need. Thank you for displaying our values of respect and inclusion.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Grade 1/2</u> <u>Miss L's Crafty Cats</u> Callum</p> 	<p>This week Callum put a lot of effort into his recount writing about Easter. He worked well independently, trying hard to listen to the sounds in words to help with his spelling. Well done Callum!</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Grade 3/4</u> <u>Mrs H's Mad Hatters</u> Chantelle</p>	<p>I gave Chantelle this award as I was really happy with her focus back at school this week. Chantelle has been persisting really well in her work especially in Literacy. Chantelle also got 15/15 on her spelling last week. Great effort Chantelle!</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Grade 5/6</u> <u>Miss T's Funky Monkeys</u> Tayla R</p> 	<p>Tayla received the award this week for the incredible amount of effort and preparation you put into your inquiry project and presentation. You were so professional and very confident when talking. You should be super proud of yourself!</p>

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

– Term 2 / Week 2

All students received a certificate and also a free icy pole voucher to use this term.

<p><u>Foundation / Grade 1</u> <u>Miss Beer's Curious Caterpillars</u> Ryder</p> 	<p>Ryder, thank you for the effort you put into your learning tasks. I was particularly impressed with the 'counting on' maths activity you completed. Keep it up Ryder!</p>
<p><u>Grade 1/2</u> <u>Miss L's Crafty Cats</u> Imogen</p> 	<p>Imogen consistently puts a lot of effort into her learning. It has been so great to see her reading and writing continuing to shine since the beginning of the year. Well done Immy!</p>
<p><u>Grade 3/4</u> <u>Mrs H's Mad Hatters</u> Ella</p> 	<p>Emma received the award this week for her great getting along skills. You have become a welcome addition to the Grade 3/4 classroom!</p>
<p><u>Grade 5/6</u> <u>Miss T's Funky Monkeys</u> Declan</p> 	<p>Declan received the award this week for the consistent hard work you have been putting into all of your class work since the start of term, especially in maths. This sort of growth mindset is good to see as you are using it in both school and outside of school events. i.e. Division football</p>

Values Vault Winner for Week 2 was Lara & Diesel **Nude Food Winners – 5/6**

New life, new responsibility and many new discoveries are coming.

The family of our own - Miss Beer and her fiancé, Peter Wallace is growing by 2 feet in October!

Congratulations on your pregnancy

Best Wishes from the Tallygaroopna PS School Community.



1. Sporting Schools Program

This program began today. As per usual, sessions after school begin at 3.35pm and will finish at 4.35pm. Students receive a healthy snack before the program begins for all school sessions. Students need to be picked up immediately after each session.

We aim to limit places to 20 for each sport if possible, so get in quick to avoid disappointment.

Orienteering – all sessions at school	Basketball – all sessions at school
Session 1 – Monday 1 st May Session 2 – Monday 8 th May Session 3 – Monday 15 th May Session 4 – Monday 22 nd May Session 5 – Monday 29 th May Session 6 – Monday 5 th June Monday 12 th June – Queen's Birthday Holiday Session 7 – Monday 19 th June	Tuesday 2 nd May – Athletic Sports (no session) Session 1 – Tuesday 9 th May Session 2 – Tuesday 16 th May Session 3 – Tuesday 23 rd May Session 4 – Tuesday 30 th May Session 5 – Tuesday 6 th June Tuesday 13 th June – Curriculum Day (no session) Session 6 – Tuesday 20 th June Session 7 – Tuesday 27 th June

2. Mother's Day Activity Day

All students will be able to participate in a Craft Activity Day on Wednesday 3rd May, which will be organised by the Parents Club. There will be a small cost per student (\$3 – pay by tomorrow please) and more specific details were sent home last Thursday. The sessions will take place from 9.30am until 1pm – if any parents can assist on this day see Philippa Collins please.

3. Athletic Sports

As stated on Tiqbiz last week, the Athletics Sports have again been postponed because of the holdup with the new track at McEwen Reserve in Shepparton. New dates have just been released and our sports day will now be held in Term 3. This is on Monday 28th August and the new back up date is Thursday 31st August. Athletics will now cease during our Physical Education Program with Mrs Montgomery, but we will pick up these activities again next term. Sorry for any inconvenience.

4. Open Days

We have set a number of Open Days towards the end of Term 2 for prospective families to have a look around the school. Please reinforce this with any families who are coming to our school in 2018 or are yet to make a decision about schooling for the new year. A flyer is in this edition of the newsletter and extra tours can be organised if needed.

5. Responsible Pet Program

Our whole school will be participating in this program this Thursday 4th May. The Responsible Pet Ownership Primary School Program is aimed at 5-12 year olds and has been delivered to over 1 million Victorian primary school children. It visits over 800 primary schools each year across the state. The Program includes a dog visit, multimedia tools, role play, song and story time.

The Program focuses on teaching students about dog safety:

- * when dogs should be left alone
- * things we should not do to dogs
- * how can you tell if a dog is happy, frightened or angry
- * a safe way to approach and greet a dog
- * what to do if approached by an unknown or aggressive dog.

The Program also introduces and develops the following concepts:

- * choosing an appropriate pet general welfare and husbandry
- * the importance of identification and registration
- * confinement and housing, exercise and training.



There are a range of presentations designed to target the specific audiences in relation to grade level, prior knowledge and learning modes. All dogs used in the program are carefully tested and under the control of a pet educator at all times. Below is a summary of specific times for our program:

9.30-10.10	F-2	37 children
10.15-10.55	Gr 3/4	18 children
11.30-12.10	Gr 5/6	20 children

6. Interschool Cross Country

This has been confirmed for this Thursday 4th May at the Shepparton Lake Victoria in Shepparton (new venue) and students in Grade 3-6 will have an opportunity to participate in this program. Permission forms went home last week and must be returned before the day. The cost for this day is **\$2 for bus**. We will leave at 12.30pm and return at 3pm.

Age groups:	10 and under – boys & girls	2000m	
	11 year olds – boys & girls	3000m	
	12/13 year olds – boys & girls	3000m	
Times:	1:00	10 & under boys	2000 meters
	1:15	10 & under girls	2000 meters
	1:30	11 y.o. boys	3000 meters
	1:45	11 y.o. girls	3000 meters
	2:00	12/13 y.o. boys	3000 meters
	2:15	12/13 y.o. girls	3000 meters

Ages are to be calculated as at December 31 2017. (i.e. if a child turns 11 during 2017 they run in the 11 years group)

7. School Production Auditions

All grade 4/5/6 students have received scripts for the School Production, which is planned for Wednesday 6th September. The production this year is titled "The Adventures of Super Stan" and there are a large number of speaking parts. Congratulations to all of the students who auditioned last week and we hope to announce the cast for our production in the next couple of weeks – stay tuned.

8. Pie Drive Orders

These have been collected – thanks to the many families who placed orders and helped with this fundraising initiative. The delivery day is on Tuesday 9th May and all orders will be boxed neatly in the Multi-Purpose Room and can be picked up after school on this day.

9. Parents Club Meeting

The next meeting will be held tonight beginning at 7.30pm and all are welcome. The last night meeting was really well attended, hence a night meeting has been set again.

10. NAPLAN

The National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) is an annual assessment for students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9. It has been an annual event for schools since 2008. On Tuesday 9th, Wednesday 10th and Thursday 11th May, students will undertake the 2017 NAPLAN tests. A back up day will be made available on the Friday.

NAPLAN is made up of tests in the four domains of Reading, Writing, Language Conventions (spelling, grammar and punctuation) and Numeracy. NAPLAN assesses skills in literacy and numeracy that are developed over time, through the school curriculum. NAPLAN is not a pass or fail type test, but rather shows how individual students are progressing in numeracy and literacy skills against national standards for all Australia children.

All students are encouraged to participate in the tests. Students with disability may qualify for special provisions that reflect the support normally provided to them in the classroom. An individual student NAPLAN report will be issued by the school later this year. Parents can use this information to monitor how their child is progressing and to identify any areas of concern. Parents may also wish to use their child's results to discuss progress with teachers. Class Teachers will be conducting most of the NAPLAN tests with Grade 3 and 5 students this year.

More information is available at www.naplan.edu.au

	Tuesday 9 May 2017	Wednesday 10 May 2017	Thursday 11 May 2017
Year 3	Language conventions <i>40 minutes</i> Writing <i>40 minutes</i>	Reading <i>45 minutes</i>	Numeracy <i>45 minutes</i>
Year 5	Language conventions <i>40 minutes</i> Writing <i>40 minutes</i>	Reading <i>50 minutes</i>	Numeracy <i>50 minutes</i>

11. Interschool Football / Netball

Students in Grades 5/6 have an opportunity to participate in these sports in Shepparton on Friday 19th May. To form these teams we will be buddying up with Congupna PS and Katandra West PS. Permission forms will go home ASAP, but we will travel by bus leaving school at 9am and returning at approximately 1.30pm. Miss Triffett will be coaching the netball team and Mr Wright from Katandra West PS will be coaching the football team. **The cost for this program will be \$5 – for the bus and entering the team.**

FOOTBALL Mooroopna Oval & John Grey Oval, Mooroopna
2 x 8 minute halves with a 2 minute half time.

NETBALL Shepparton Netball Courts, Brauman St, Shepparton
2 x 7 minute halves swap ends immediately.

12. School Hats

These are no longer compulsory to wear at recess. Hats will need to be worn again on 1st September – as per our Sun Smart Policy. Students may wish to take these home for a wash if they like but they are still encouraged to wear these outside if possible.

13. Playgroup Dates

This program continues this week and will be coordinated by John Hosking (new School Chaplain). All the community is invited to drop in with little ones and have a tea / coffee and a chat. Playgroup is every fortnight and begins at 9am and concludes at 11am. Specific dates remaining for 2017 are below – these are all open to change:

Term 2 – May 4th, May 18th, June 1st, June 15th

Term 3 – July 27th, August 10th, August 24th, September 7th, September 21st

Term 4 – October 19th, November 2nd, November 16th, November 30th, December 14th

14. Colder Months - Tissues

Obviously, with anticipated colder weather students should be wearing appropriate clothes during this term. If families, could bring in a box of tissues each this would assist the school

15. Outside School Hours Care

OSH Care is available on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday only – we are only licenced for these 3 days at present. **A reminder to all families that a new enrolment form for 2017 must be filled in for any children utilising this service. This form is available on our School Website.**

http://www.tally-ps-3067.vic.edu.au/uploaded_files/media/enrolment_form_2017.pdf

Each session begins at 3.25pm and concludes at 6pm. Specific information is available at the website below and prices are summarised below as well:

Website - <http://www.tally-ps-3067.vic.edu.au/page/176/Outside-School-Hours-Care>

Permanent Enrolment \$18

Casual Enrolment \$20

If collected before 4.30pm \$11

**ENROLMENT FORMS MUST BE RETURNED
FOR EACH STUDENT BEFORE THEY CAN
PARTICIPATE IN THIS PROGRAM AFTER
SCHOOL HOURS
– WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY.**

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



TALLYGAROPNA
PRIMARY SCHOOL
PRIDES ITSELF ON
BEING A COMMUNITY
SCHOOL

Music Lessons 2017

Cliff Doorncamp is conducting both guitar and keyboard lessons at the school this year. Lessons are held each Monday with individual lessons lasting 20 minutes. The cost of the lessons is \$17 per session (payable at time of lesson). For more information, please contact Cliff on 5828 6395 or 0474 769 963.

**IT'S NOT OK
TO BE AWAY**

ATTENDANCE: Any students away from school must be accounted for. We would appreciate a formal note or phone call in regard to any absences that occur throughout the year. Absences can be submitted on Tiqbiz for any students also. Please check with the office that the email address you are using with Tiqbiz is the same that we have at school (Grade Expert), so that unexplained absence alerts can be given to parents.

IF ALL FAMILIES COULD DONATE A BOX OF TISSUES AND SOME ANTI BACTERIAL HANDWASH TO THE SCHOOL THIS WOULD BE APPRECIATED. THESE CAN BE DROPPED OFF AT THE OFFICE.

Supervision – before and after school hours

A reminder to families that children should be in attendance at school before 9am, but teacher supervision will not be provided before 8.30am.

Movie Night (TROLLS) – Tallygaroopna Primary School



Thursday 25th May

Tea at 6pm – Multi Purpose Room

Pizza & Drinks provided free for everyone (parents as well)

Movie from 6.30pm until 8pm (Project Room)

All School Family Members are Welcome (siblings as well)
– everyone can come in their warm pyjamas and slippers.

Bean Bags are encouraged and Teddy Bears
are invited as well.

All children that attend need to be supervised by parents on
the night. Parents are welcome to bring along their own
SPECIAL DRINKS! to socialise on the night

Family Name –

Number of Pizza Slices – H: ML: CH:
(Hawaiian, Meat Lovers, Chicken Hawaiian)

Pop Top Drinks Provided -

This form needs to be returned by
Wednesday 18th May for catering purposes.

**CYBERSAFETY NIGHT AT TALLYGAROPNA PRIMARY SCHOOL
MONDAY 15TH MAY**

**BEGINNING AT 6PM AND CONCLUDING AT 7PM
ALL ARE WELCOME**

**PARTY PIES, SAUSAGE ROLLS AND PIZZA WILL BE SERVED AT
5.30PM. THERE WILL BE A DOOR PRIZE FOR THE NIGHT AS
WELL.**



**THIS NIGHT WILL BE IMPLEMENTED BY THE STAFF
This presentation was created by NetSmartz Workshop**

NetSmartz is a safety program that:

- Teaches children ages 5 to 17 about how to make better choices online and become responsible digital citizens.
 - Guides parents in protecting their children online.
- Offers a variety of free resources, including games, videos, classroom lessons and presentations like this one.

FAMILY NAME.....AMOUNT OF PEOPLE.....

**WE WILL BE ATTENDING THE CYBER SAFETY NIGHT AND WILL
/ WILL NOT BE COMING FOR TEA.**

SIGNED.....

TALLYGAROPNA PRIMARY SCHOOL



**BIGGEST MORNING TEA FOR THE WHOLE
COMMUNITY AND NEW STUDENTS FOR 2018**

10.30AM UNTIL NOON

WHERE: TALLYGAROPNA PS

DATE: THURSDAY 25th MAY

**GOLD COIN DONATION WITH ALL
PROCEEDS GOING TO CANCER COUNCIL**



**PHONE THE SCHOOL ON 5829 8264 IF YOU ARE
PLANNING TO ATTEND FOR CATERING PURPOSES**

Open Days for 2017

Tallygaroopna PS

For prospective families

Monday 29th May

Tuesday 6th June

Wednesday 14th June

Thursday 22nd June

Friday 30th June



Tours of the school available from

9.30am until 11am

School Packages are available on the day.

These include enrolment forms, information booklets...etc

Come along and have an informal chat with staff, a cuppa
and some morning tea.

Phone 58298264 for more information

– other days can be organised upon request.

TALLY P.S. CALENDAR – TERM 2 2017

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
10	11	12	13	14
SCHOOL HOLIDAYS				
17	18	19	20	21
Easter Monday	Term 2 Begins Chaplain Newsletter - full	OSH Speech Therapy	OSH Chaplain Breakfast Club Playgroup	OSH LOTE / MUSIC Library
24	25	26	27	28
Breakfast Club Mini Newsletter Anzac Biscuits Wreath Making	Anzac Day	OSH Leaders Conf. School Council Finance Train.	OSH Chaplain Breakfast Club School Photos Pie Orders Due	OSH ART
1	2	3	4	5
Breakfast Club Newsletter - full SS – Orienteering Parents Club Mtg.	Chaplain SS – B. Ball	OSH Mother's Day Activity Day	OSH Chaplain Breakfast Club Playgroup Responsible Pet Cross Country	OSH LOTE / MUSIC Library
8	9	10	11	12
Breakfast Club Mini Newsletter SS – Orienteering	Chaplain PE / SCIENCE SS – B. Ball Pie Delivery Day	OSH School Council	OSH Chaplain Breakfast Club	OSH ART Div. C. Country
NAPLAN – GRADES 3 AND 5				14 – Mother's Day

MAY / JUNE

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
15	16	17	18	19
Breakfast Club SS – Orienteering Cyber Safety Night Newsletter - full	Chaplain SS – B. Ball	OSH AusKick Starts	OSH Chaplain Breakfast Club	OSH LOTE / MUSIC Library Footy / Netball
22	23	24	25	26
Breakfast Club SS – Orienteering Water Excurs. 3-6 Mini Newsletter	Chaplain SS – B. Ball PE / SCIENCE	OSH Speech Therapy	OSH Chaplain Breakfast Club Big. Morn. Tea Movie Night	OSH
29	30	31	1	2
Breakfast Club SS – Orienteering Newsletter - full	Chaplain SS – B. Ball	OSH	OSH Chaplain Breakfast Club Book Fair Starts Science Excurs.	OSH LOTE / MUSIC Library
5	6	7	8	9
Breakfast Club SS – Orienteering Mini Newsletter	Chaplain SS – B. Ball PE / SCIENCE	OSH	OSH Chaplain Breakfast Club Life Ed. Van	OSH
12	13	14	15	16
Queen's Birthday	Curriculum Day – Report Writing	OSH School Council Speech Therapy Newsletter - full	OSH Chaplain Breakfast Club	OSH LOTE / MUSIC Library

MAY / JUNE