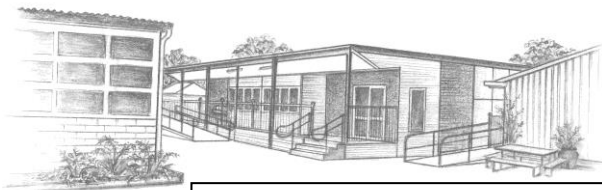


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MINI NEWSLETTER

- 1. Helpers Needed for On-Road Test** - The on-road test will be held this Wednesday 6th May for Grade 5/6 students from 9.30 until 11am. We need some parent helpers on this day to observe and record how effectively students ride around the streets of Tallygaropna and to reinforce safety. It's an easy job as Bev organises everything. If you can help at all please contact Bev Montgomery on 0400 914464.
- 2. Bike Education (permission forms for Grade 5/6)** - Students in Grade 5/6 need to return permission forms for the On-Road Test (Wednesday) and the Grade 6 Bike Ride (Friday) ASAP. Students who have not returned these will not be able to participate in these components of the Bike Ed. program. These forms are available on Tiqbiz as well.
- 3. School Performances / Mother's Day** - If any parents have not paid the \$2 for the Mother's Day activity day, which was held last Thursday, could this go to the office ASAP please. A reminder about the cost to attend both performance shows as well (17th June, 23rd July). The cost is now only \$12 per student (\$6 per student for each show). Payments can be made now.
- 4. AusKick** - This starts this Wednesday 6th May at 4:30pm, Tallygaropna Football oval. If anyone is keen to sign up or find out more please contact Pete Burgess on 0409515048 or just turn up on the day. Kids must turn 5 that calendar year.
- 5. Interschool Cross Country** - Students in Grade 2 to 6 (optional for Grade 2 students) are able to participate in the EGPSSA Cross Country at Princess Park on Friday, 8th May. Bus will leave Tallygaropna PS at 12.20pm and return at approximately 3pm. Cost will be \$2 to cover the bus. Students will need to bring their own drink in a named container.
- 6. Open Day (Notre Dame)** - A reminder that the Open Day is on at Notre Dame in Shepparton for Grade 6 students on Friday. Information has been sent home with students and is available on Tiqbiz.
- 7. Mrs Armstrong (Leave)** - A reminder that Mrs Armstrong will be taking Long Service leave for 3 weeks from Monday 1st June until Friday 19th June. Your assistance during this time would be greatly appreciated so that classrooms are not interrupted too much.
- 8. Biggest Morning Tea / Special Friends Day** - The Biggest Morning Tea will be held on Thursday 21st May from 10.30am until midday. A flyer has gone out on Tiqbiz already and this will be in next week's newsletter. On this day we plan to invite our Special Friends / Grandparents to our school as well to have a look at class programs. They are welcome to come into school anytime from 9am until 11am.
- 9. Open Days** - There will be 2 Open Days for potentially new students and their families on Thursday 4th and 18th June from 9.30am until 11am. Information is on Tiqbiz and will go out in the newsletter next week. If these dates don't suit some families, please contact the school to make another day and time that suits.
- 10. Woorabinda Camp Draw** - This random draw will be completed on Tuesday and parents will be notified of the outcome via Tiqbiz. This camp is scheduled for Monday 17th August to Friday 21st August.
- 11. NAPLAN** - A reminder to families that this will take place from Tuesday 12th May to Thursday 14th May. A back up day is available on the Friday if needed. Any queries should go directly to Mr Brodie.
- 12. Attitude to School Survey** - Students in Grades 5/6 completed this survey last week.
- 13. School Photos** - These have been distributed to all families.
- 14. School Council** - The Next Finance and School Council meeting will be held this Wednesday 6th May. Finance will begin at 6.45pm and School Council will begin at 7.30pm.
- 15. Play Group** - This will be held this Thursday to be conducted by Mrs Forman. Please spread this message around the local community and everyone is welcome.
- 16. OSH Care** - is available on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday this week as per usual.
- 17. Curriculum Day** - Don't forget that the Curriculum Day (Pupil Free) will be held on Tuesday 19th May.

David Brodie
(Teaching Principal)