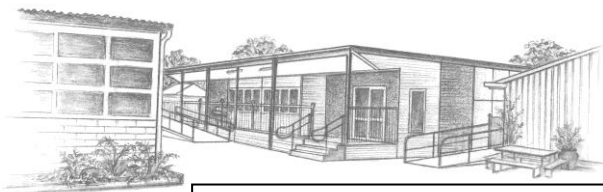


# TALLYGAROPNA PRIMARY SCHOOL NO.3067



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**SCHOOL VALUES - RESPECT, HONESTY & INCLUSION**

## News from the Principal's Desk

Hi everyone,

Last week was Education Week and we had a number of fun activities at school. These included chalk drawings and lunchtime dance and the Grade 4/5/6 students had a great day at Reedy Swamp for a Science Excursion which included a number of other small schools in the local area. Our Transition Program began last week as well with 2 Open Days being held on Monday and Friday and so far we have had 5 families visit our school which is promising for 2017. There are 3 Open Days remaining this term, but any potential new families can visit the school anytime and can make an appointment at the office. Please spread this message as much as possible.

In today's edition of the newsletter there is information relating to the Student Led Conferences which will be held on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> June. Parents can return this form back to school if they wish or respond on Tiqbiz immediately in regard to a time that suits for these. All conferences will go for 15 minutes for each student and this is a wonderful opportunity to touch base with class teachers and see how students have progressed so far at school for the first semester. It is essential that we maintain this valuable link between home and school so it is strongly encouraged that all families make an appointment. Other times can be arranged if needed as well.

Good luck to the 9 students who have an opportunity to represent our school at the Division Athletics Carnival on Friday. This is a good experience to all involved and I am sure this experience will hold them in good stead going forward.

Finally, our whole school is looking forward to the Biggest Morning Tea and Special Friends Day on Thursday. This is one of the big social events for our school for the year and we look forward to seeing many visitors coming through classrooms on this day. As always, our Parents Club does a great job organising this event and it would be appreciated if all families could bring a plate to share for this morning. Classroom visits can begin at 9am and will conclude at 10.30am.

Karen will be away for most of Tuesday morning, but will be back at school until Thursday as usual to attend to any matters that arise. I look forward to catching up with some parents on Thursday and I am sure most of our families will support this fundraiser for the Anti-Cancer Council.

David Brodie (Principal)

THE NEXT EDITION OF THE NEWSLETTER WILL BE A MINI ONE. THIS WILL BE PUT ON TIQBIZ AND OUR SCHOOL WEBSITE.

**THE NEXT PLAYGROUP FOR THE YEAR  
WILL BE HELD ON THURSDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> JUNE**

***THE NEXT CURRICULUM DAY WILL BE  
HELD ON FRIDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> JUNE. STAFF  
WILL BE BUSILY FINALISING REPORTS  
SO NO CHILDREN WILL BE REQUIRED  
AT SCHOOL ON THIS DAY.***

***THE STUDENT LED CONFERENCE DAY  
IS HELD ON  
THURSDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> JUNE.***

***HELPERS FOR CATERING FOR THE  
TALLYGAROPNA FOOTBALL CLUB  
ARE NEEDED FOR SATURDAY NIGHT.  
IF YOU CAN ASSIST PLEASE CONTACT  
BEV MONTGOMERY OR THE OFFICE  
ASAP.***

***PERMISSION FORMS FOR THE  
DIVISION ATHLETICS ARE DUE BY  
THURSDAY.***

***THANKS TO MEL JONES FOR THE  
DONATION OF THE SLOW  
COOKER TO OUR SCHOOL  
KITCHEN.***

## DIRECT BANK DEPOSIT

Account Name:

Tallygaroopna Primary School

BSB: 063—527

Account number: 00907788

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



## Photos of the Week – Reedy Swamp Excursion





## Photos of the Week – Trade Night



## Photos of the Week – Division Cross Country



## Fairleys Supa IGA Community Rewards Program

Our school is registered for the Fairleys Supa IGA Community Rewards program. Families can register in-store. Funds generated by customer point donations are converted to cash and handed over at the end of the financial year.



MEDITATION CD'S ARE AVAILABLE TO BE PURCHASED FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE. THESE COST \$20 FOR EACH CD AND THE SCHOOL WILL RECEIVE \$5 OF THESE PROCEEDS.



### WHOLE SCHOOL LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

– Random Acts of Kindness

**Congratulations to Sienna and Imogen for the kind thoughts last week.**

**Stevie Rey and Jai will be organising this kind gesture this week.**

**Meditation Website (Path of Calm) - <http://www.pathofcalm.com/>**

Simple Phrase "If in doubt, breathe out".



TALLYGAROPNA  
PRIMARY SCHOOL  
PRIDES ITSELF ON  
BEING A COMMUNITY  
SCHOOL



# STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

## – Term 2 / Week 5

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

### Foundation / Grade 1

#### The Busy Bees!

Owen & Ellie



Owen – thoroughly enjoys the challenge of practising his Tally Sight Words. He is currently working on the 600 word list.

Ellie – has worked really hard to become a fluent reader. She is currently working on her black words

### Grade 2/3

#### Mrs H's Happy Hippos

Declan



Declan for the fabulous way he has been working on his Maths especially in Mathletics. Also Declan has so far this year ran the most K's as anyone in the school (38.75km)

### Grade 4/5/6

#### Miss T's Marshmellow Monsters

Declan & Tayla R



Declan – for being an amazing role model to every student at school both inside the classroom and out in the yard. Thank you for being an excellent role model to others.

Tayla R – for putting 100% effort into her math work this week. Even though it was a challenging week of work, you persisted and did an amazing job.

## Values Vault Winner for Week 5 was Dan

# STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

## – Term 2 / Week 6

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

### Foundation / Grade 1

#### The Busy Bees!

Thomas & James



Thomas – went up to a student in the friendship turtle and asked them nicely if they would like to play. Fantastic work Thomas!

James – this week, James has made an effort to concentrate and to complete his work. He wrote a fantastic diary entry about his favourite things to do. Keep it up James!

### Grade 2/3

#### Mrs H's Happy Hippos

Lilly



Lilly – for the wonderful persistence she has been putting into her schoolwork and for the terrific way she has been super helpful not only to me but to her classmates as well. A fantastic effort Lilly!

### Grade 4/5/6

#### Miss T's Marshmellow Monsters

Nick & Dan



Nick – I was very impressed by your behaviour on our excursion to Reedy Swamp. You were an excellent role model to others, asking heaps of engaging questions and representing Tally PS very well. Well done!

Dan – For showing lots of passion and enthusiasm in the classroom every day. You are always the first one to put your hand up in class when I ask a question, and I love listening to your answers. You have so much knowledge to share!!

**Values Vault Winner for Week 6 was Daniel**



**Congratulations to Nicole Binion and Cameron Hutchinson on the birth of their  
little girl Izabella Margaret. A beautiful little sister to Kaedyn.**



**1. Trade Night**

A big thank you to the whole school community for supporting the Trade Night which was held on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> May. This night was well attended and many parents brought in a plate for supper so your support is really appreciated. The Parents Club anticipate a profit of about \$1,000 which is a great effort.

**Trade Night Raffle Winners**

1<sup>st</sup> Prize – Dayna Walton

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – Melissa Beer

3<sup>rd</sup> Prize – Renee Wills

4<sup>th</sup> Prize – Collins Family

5<sup>th</sup> Prize – Emma Klug

6<sup>th</sup> Prize – Debbie Brett

7<sup>th</sup> Prize – Renee Wills

Luck Door – Dusty Farrell

**2. Division Athletics**

A number of students have an opportunity to attend the Division Athletics Carnival this Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May at the McEwen Reserve in Shepparton. Good luck to the following students, we know you will represent the school well – Harvey, Kyle, Declan N, Cohan, Daniel, Eloise, Alyssa, Alicia and Taylah G.

Permission forms and information went home today and this need to be returned by Thursday. The cost is \$10 per student which is payable to Tallygaroopna PS. Parents will be responsible for transport on this day – contact the office if you need assistance though. School Uniforms will be required on this day.

**3. Tallygaroopna FNC Ball - Catering**

The Parents Club have again been asked to assist with catering for the Tallygaroopna Football & Netball Club Ball this Saturday night. If any parents can assist with this please contact Bev Montgomery or the office. This night is very informal and no preparation of food is needed on the night. Parents assisting will be simply serving food so your support would be really appreciated.

**4. Bravehearts**

Our whole school will be participating in a Brave Hearts Personal Safety Show on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> May from 2.00pm until 2.45pm in the Project Room. The purpose of 'Ditto's Keep Safe Adventure Show' is to teach children protective behaviours in a non-confrontational, fun and engaging fashion. Bravehearts' Education Teams deliver the show's messages into schools, day care centres, shopping centres, sporting clubs and other facilities (relating to the care of children) to provide students, parents, teachers, carers and the general community with specialised child sexual assault awareness and education.

'Ditto's Keep Safe Adventure' Education Program aims to continue communicating essential personal safety messages and works tirelessly to reach children across Australia. Since reaching the 200,000 safer kids milestone in March 2012, the amount of children that have seen Ditto continues to grow.

The show's main contents address:

\* Yes and No Feelings

\* Warning Signs

\* Scared and Yucky Feelings

\* Private Parts and Privacy

\* It's OK to say NO if you don't feel safe

\* What to do if you feel unsafe or unsure

In addition to the performance and to continue communicating Ditto's personal safety messages, the team also provides an Activity Book for each student to take home and share with parents and carers. **No Permission forms will be necessary for this show – please contact the office if you would prefer your children to not participate in this performance.**

**5. Open Days**

Information about Open Days for potential new families are attached to this newsletter. This information has been put on Tiqbiz and also on our School Facebook site and it would be appreciated if our families could let people know of these 5 dates. Alternative dates can be made if these dates don't suit possible new families for 2017.

**6. Principals Conference**

Mr Brodie will be away at a Principals Conference next Wednesday afternoon until the end of the week. The focus of these days will be on Emerging Technologies and many Principals from the Shepparton Network will be in attendance as well.

## **7. Breakfast Club**

The school has applied for a Breakfast Program which would be funded by the Education Department. So far, we have received a lot of support from the School Community in regard to this and if successful we are sure that this initiative will further enhance our school and allow us to utilise our school kitchen more often. A draft example of the Breakfast program would involve the following

8.30am – 3 Parents set up the Breakfast Program  
9am – Breakfast concludes (Bell Rings)

8.45am – Students from the school have breakfast  
9.15am – Parents finish cleaning and packing up.

More specific information will be available in the near future. Ideally, this program would be held every day but this is open to change.

## **8. Performances – Cluster / Notre Dame**

The whole school will be attending a Performance of Aladdin on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> June. The cost for the day will be \$10 per student which covers the Play and transport by bus. Permission forms will go home this week and more specific details will be available soon.

We also hope to be able to attend the Notre Dame College Performance of Beauty & the Beast on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> July – to be confirmed. All of these performances aid our students' knowledge in preparation for our School Production in September.

## **9. Food Intolerances - reminder**

Our families do a wonderful job of celebrating birthdays of children at our school. As a result of this, many students bring in a variety of cakes to share with their classmates. We are currently looking at ways to improve our policies in regard to this, so all parents must contact the School Principal if they are going to bring some food in to class to share and specific ingredients should be noted.

This can be done with a simple text message or by utilising Tiqbiz if needed. The Principal will then let specific families know so that alternative arrangements can be arranged if needed.

## **10. Biggest Morning Tea / Special Friends & Grandparents Day**

On Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May, we are holding a Grandparents/Special Friend Day and also a Biggest Morning Tea. We would like your child to write a letter to their Grandparent (Or Special Friend) to invite them to come. Either both sets of grandparents or one or even just a friend will be fine. Could you please return information below listing the name/s and their address.

1. Grand Parent -
2. Grand Parent -
- or
3. Special Friend –

The Biggest Morning Tea will be held on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May in the Multi-Purpose Room. All members of the school community are invited and the day will begin at 10.30am and conclude at noon. Entry will involve a gold coin donation which will go towards the Cancer Council of Australia. Could attending parents bring a plate of morning tea to share please.

9.00am - Grand Parents / Special Friends Read

10.30am - Morning tea 11.10am - Kids Join In

## **11. Dance Festival**

Students mainly in Grades 4/5/6 will have an opportunity to participate in the Dance Festival which will be held at the Shepparton Basketball Stadium on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June from 1.30pm until 2.45pm. More information will go home in the near future – permission forms will be needed and there may be a small cost to cover the bus. Practice at school for this event has been finalised (2pm until 3.10pm) and we hope all students will attend school on these days to assist with planning for the day. Any queries contact Mrs Haberfield.

Dance Practice 3 - Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> June

Dance Practice 4 - Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> June



## **12. Placement Forms – Grade 6**

These have been sent to the Transition coordinator. Thanks to all Grade 6 families for being so prompt with this.

## **13. Outside School Hours Care**

OSH Care (Outside School Hours Care) continues this Wednesday, Thursday and Friday in the Multi-Purpose Room. 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.**

**A NEW ENROLMENT FORM IS TO BE COMPLETED FOR EACH CHILD ON AN ANNUAL BASIS.**

## **14. Sporting Schools Program**

Our Sporting Schools Program continues this week. 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. Formal permission forms are available from the office and on Tiqbiz.

A summary of specific dates remaining is below.

AFL (Football) – all sessions at school	Basketball – all sessions at school
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May – Week 7	Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> May – Week 7
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> May – Week 8	Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup> May – Week 8
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> June – Week 9	Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> June – Week 9

**The Sporting Schools Program for Term 3 will involve Golf and Orienteering. More specific details will be available early in Term 3. We anticipate starting this program on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> July.**

**FUNDING ARRANGEMENTS ARE YET TO BE CONFIRMED FOR THE SECOND SEMESTER YET.**

## **Music Lessons 2016**

Cliff Doorncamp will be conducting both guitar and keyboard lessons at the school again in 2016. 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 has been great to see some new students join this program over the last couple of weeks.

## **Parent/Teacher Interviews (Student Led Conferences)**



Parent/Teacher Interviews will be held on Thursday, 23<sup>rd</sup> June starting at 8.15am and concluding at 5pm. Please indicate on the form below what time suits you. Times will be allocated on a first in first preference basis. If the times do not suit you, please contact the school to make an alternate arrangement.

✂.....

NAME:.....

Yes I/we would like to attend the parent/teacher/student interview session with you on Thursday, 23<sup>rd</sup> June.

My preferred time is .....am/pm.



## Parents Club News 2016 – No. 6

Dear Tallygaroopna Primary School Community,

\* The **Trade Night** was held last Friday night and I am pleased to say that we should push close to **\$1000** raised. Still waiting on some money from party plans, but it was a great night. Well supported by many of the locals, family and friends. Thanks to all the families who helped with a donation for supper, my committee for helping to co-ordinate and organise, also to those parents who helped at the door and organise raffle prizes, your help was much appreciated. Raffle prize winners were 1<sup>st</sup> **Dayna Walton**, 2<sup>nd</sup> **Melissa Beer**, 3<sup>rd</sup> **Renee Wills**, 4<sup>th</sup> **Collins Family**, 5<sup>th</sup> **Emma Klug**, 6<sup>th</sup> **Debbie Brett** and Lucky Door was won by **Dusty Farrell**. Congratulations.

\* **Pie Drive** – The Higgins family have a new baby, so we are still waiting on a confirmation date for delivery, but as soon as we know we will be getting pie order forms out to all families so that you can start collecting orders. This is a very good fundraiser and the pies are delicious. Stay tuned.

\* **Biggest Morning Tea/ Grandparents/ Special Friends Day this Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May** – this is one of the biggest days on our school calendar for visitors at our school and we aim to also raise some money for the Cancer Foundation as well. We are asking all families **to please donate a plate of morning tea**, (that can be left at the office or in the multi). We ask also for a **gold coin donation** from each family, with donations going to the Cancer Foundation.

\*Shaye Burgess has kindly offered to co-ordinate the next **Munch N Crunch**, menu and date yet to be confirmed.

\* **Help required** for waitressing at the **Tallygaroopna Football/Netball Club Ball** which is this **Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> May at the Tallygaroopna Hall**. I need 4 volunteers for a few hours to serve platters of finger food. If you can help us out please let the school office know or myself. Great opportunity for parents to do their little bit for the school and their children. We do make money from this....Thanks in advance....

Regards Bev Montgomery  
Parents Club President

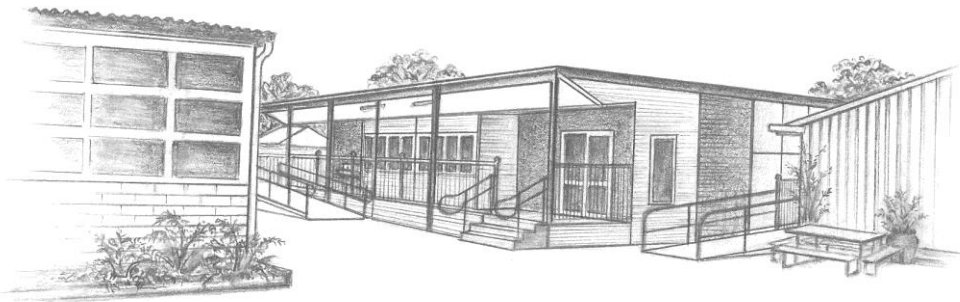
# Remaining Open Days

Tallygaroopna PS  
For prospective families

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> June

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> June

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> 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



**TALLYGAROPNA PRIMARY SCHOOL**



**BIGGEST MORNING TEA FOR THE WHOLE  
COMMUNITY AND NEW STUDENTS FOR 2017**

**10.30AM UNTIL NOON**

**WHERE: TALLYGAROPNA PS**

**DATE: THURSDAY 26<sup>th</sup> 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**

# TALLY P.S. CALENDAR – TERM 2 2016

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
2 Mini Newsletter SS – AFL Music Science	3 SS – Basketball	4 OSH School Council	5 OSH / Cooking Library / Pgroup Chaplain	6 OSH / Buddies Mother's Day 8 C. Country – 5/6
GRADE 3/4 CAMP				
9 Newsletter SS – AFL	10 SS - Basketball Chaplain Cooking	11 OSH Dance Prac. 1	12 OSH	13 OSH Art LOTE C. Country – Div. Trade Night
NAPLAN – grade 3 and 5				
16 Mini Newsletter SS – AFL Music / Science Open Day	17 SS - Basketball Reedy Swamp – Excursion 456	18 OSH Speech Therapy Dance Prac. 2	19 OSH Library / Pgroup Chaplain Cooking	20 OSH Buddies Open Day 2
23 Newsletter SS – AFL	24 SS - Basketball Chaplain Bravehearts Cooking	25 OSH	26 OSH Big. Morn. Tea Grandparents / Special Friends Chaplain Cooking	27 OSH Art LOTE Division Aths  Tally FC Ball 28.
30 Mini Newsletter SS – AFL Music / Science	31 SS - Basketball	1 OSH Dance Prac. 3 Open Day 3 Conference - DB	2 OSH Library / Pgroup Chaplain Conference - DB	3 OSH Conference - DB Buddies

MAY

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
6 Newsletter SS – AFL	7 SS - Basketball Chaplain Cooking	8 OSH Cluster Perf. School Council Open Day 4	9 Curric. Day – Report Writing Chaplain	10 OSH Art LOTE
13 Queen's B'day Holiday	14 Mini Newsletter	15 OSH Dance Prac. 4 Region Cross Country Speech Therap.	16 OSH Library / Pgroup Chaplain Cooking Open Day 5 Book Fair	17 OSH Buddies Tabloid Sports Book Fair
20 Newsletter Reports - Home Book Fair	21 Chaplain Book Fair	22 OSH Dance Festival Book Fair	23 Student Led Conference Day Chaplain	24 OSH Art LOTE End of T3 – 2.25
27	28	29	30	1
SCHOOL HOLIDAYS				

JUNE