



Tallygaroopna Primary School Newsletter

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Term 3 #24 - August 5th 2024

>> NOTES / PAYMENTS DUE <<

1. Parent Opinion Survey – This survey continues to be open for parents / caregivers / guardians to complete between **Monday 29 July and Friday 30 August**. Specific information was sent home last week in sealed envelopes and we welcome any feedback as per usual. Please just completed one survey per family.

2. Student Conferences (2 Days) – These will begin on Tuesday 13th August and conclude on Monday 19th August beginning at 4pm and concluding at 6.30pm. Bookings opened up last week and these can be accessed online. Further information is again provided in this edition of the newsletter and also on Skool Loop - students are encouraged to attend to discuss their learning goals at school. Bookings must be finalised by Monday 12th August 2024 at 4pm.

3. Dreamtime Activity – This will be held on Tuesday 13th August in the morning for Grade F1 (9am) and 23 (10am) students. This session will be provided by Julie Best who is an Indigenous Library Assistant from GV libraries. This is a free session for students and will involve some dreamtime stories and activities. If families need any further information, see Miss McDonald.

4. Curriculum Day – A message was sent on Skool Loop last week in regard to a Curriculum Day potentially on Friday 23rd August. This day is dependent on staffing so it hasn't been confirmed yet – stay tuned for further information.

5. Munch N Crunch – This is scheduled for Monday 12th August and involves a pie and doughnut. Orders were distributed last week and are also on Skool Loop – these need to be returned by Thursday 8th August.

6. Birthdays (Food) – Just a reminder to families about contacting class teachers when bringing in food for birthdays (ie: cakes, cupcakes). This allows us to cater for any dietary requirements. A list of food and ingredients would be appreciated. A couple of these may have slipped through.

7. Snags & Milo This continues on Friday and is again well supported by our students. Any donations of food would be appreciated. Please see Karen so this can be coordinated and any helpers on the day from 10.30am to midday would be appreciated.

8. Parents' Club Meeting – The next meeting is scheduled for Monday 12th August straight after school – all are welcome as per usual.

9. Enrolments for 2025 – Can any enrolments for next year be handed into the office now please. We are currently trying to plan for next year, but this is a difficult task if we don't know what numbers will be for 2025. If you are planning on leaving the school – please let me know also and confidentiality will be respected. Thanks in anticipation – David.

10. Uniform Reminder – A reminder to families to reinforce our school uniform. This should give our students a sense of pride without competition at school. Shorts should be only black without logos and beanies during winter months should be bottle green or red – not footy beanies. Thanks for your cooperation with this matter. Parents may be contacted and letters sent home if we continue to have non-compliance.

[The full uniform policy can be accessed here](#)

11. Staffing – Obviously, there are lots of major changes happening to staffing at present which is unprecedented for our school and we will navigate through this difficult period as best as we can. This will be a test of the whole school community's resilience and resolve during this time. Let's stay connected everyone! Please ensure that respect is at the front during this time and it is essential that this is modelled by all of our staff, students and families.

12. Grade 1/2 Night – This will be held for Grade 1 and 2 students on Friday 16th August. Specific information went home a few weeks ago and is also available on Skool Loop and will need to be returned by Monday 5th August. If staying overnight – the camping form needs to be returned ASAP. If there is not enough interest for the sleepover this will be cancelled.

13. Ballarat Camp – This camp is planned for Grade 5/6 students in Term 4 from Monday 28th October to Wednesday 30th October. Families are encouraged to make regular payments to assist with the overall cost of this camp. We anticipate that this camp will be about \$400 - \$450 per student subject to fundraising.

Thanks for reading – have a great week everyone: Mr B















David Brodie (Principal)

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

Food scraps & food wrappers will go home in student lunch boxes to assist with hygiene in the school
[The Department's latest advice on coronavirus can be found at this website](#)

**RESPECT
HONESTY
INCLUSION**

Student of the Week & Other Awards

<p>Grade F/1 Miss M's Blossoming F/1s</p> 		<p>Molly</p> <p>Thank you for always being such a fantastic helper in the F/1 classroom and on specialist days. You can always be counted on to do jobs around the school in a responsible manner. The teachers at Tally Primary School appreciate your enthusiasm and desire to do your best in all learning subjects. Thanks for being an absolute star each and every day!</p>
<p>Grade 2/3 Miss P's Tremendous 2/3s</p> 		<p>Lachie</p> <p>Lachie has had a solid week being on task with specific learning activities. This week has had some challenges and it has been great to see Lachie continue to have a positive attitude in the class and try his best. He has worked diligently throughout the week without being disrupted. Well done.</p>
<p>Grade 4/5 Mr D's Dazzling 4/5s</p> 		<p>Jordan</p> <p>Jordan has made a strong effort this term to stay focused and persistent with all aspects of his learning. He has faced every challenge with a great attitude and continues to show the rest of his classmates why he is an excellent role model in the classroom with his consistent fantastic behaviour. Keep up the great work, Jordan!</p>
<p>Grade 5/6 Miss S's Flashy 5/6s</p> 		<p>Diesel</p> <p>Diesel, you have done a fantastic job showing our school values everywhere you go! You focus on your work, even with distractions around and it is amazing to see. You concentrate so well and always try your best, both in the classroom and outside. Keep up the great work, Diesel! We're all very proud of you!</p>
<p>GEM Gratitude, Empathy & Mindfulness</p>		<p>NO AWARDS THIS WEEK</p>
<p>SPORT</p> 		<p>Maggie</p> <p>For her super skipping skills, showing us how to skip in a squat and a kick out skip. Well done, Maggie, your dedication to practice is paying off.</p> <p>Nathan</p> <p>For his great concentration and effort towards his skipping skills. Very proud of your effort especially in the long rope. Well done, Nathan.</p>
<p>SCIENCE</p> 		<p>Molly</p> <p>For helping her classmates to make cards for the Men's Shed.</p> <p>Billie</p> <p>For persevering when recording Science Olympics results.</p>



Hello families!

The NED Show is visiting our school! The assembly is filled with storytelling, humour, illusions and amazing yo-yo tricks where our kids learn the hidden message in NED's name:

- N**ever give up
- E**ncourage others
- D**o your best!

Do you want to learn to yo? A yo-yo is both a learning tool and a tangible reminder of NED's message. While learning to yo, children will make mistakes, try again and improve.

Our school yo-yo sale

Our school received this assembly at no-cost because another school paid-it-forward to us. We want to help pay-it-forward too, and you can help by purchasing a NED-messaged yo-yo.

SALE DATES: Mond 29th July to Frid 9th August **TIME:** 8.30-9am, 3.30 - 4pm

ADDITIONAL DETAILS: Cash or Electronic payments are acceptable



Yo-yo designs and colors may vary. Make cheques payable to our school. Prices include tax (where applicable).

STUDENT ORDER FORM:

CLASSIC YOS AU\$15
Learn the basics of yo-yoing with assorted fixed and yo-yos.



SUPER SPINNERS AU\$20
Great for basic and intermediate tricks. With a strong frame, these auto-return yo-yos 'sleep' at the end of the string & then come back to you automatically.



SPECIALTY SELECTION AU\$25
Assorted professional long spin yo-yos for next level tricks!



REPLACEMENT STRING PACK AU\$6
Ten assorted strings to change color or replace a worn out yo-yo string.



YO-YO HOLSTER AU\$12
Keep track of your yo and have it ready to go. Attach it to your belt loop or backpack (yo-yo not included).



Name: _____

Teacher: _____

For more yo-yo fun and to learn tricks, check out: NEDkids.com



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ITEM	PRICE	QTY.	SUBTOTAL
String Pack	AU\$6		
Holster	AU\$12		
Classic Yo	AU\$15		
Super Spinner	AU\$20		
Specialty Yo	AU\$25		
TOTAL DUE			

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MUNCH N CRUNCH ORDER FORM

Monday, 12th August 2024

Lunch will consist of a Plain meat pie & donut for \$6 per order, supplied by Higgins Bakery & IGA Bakery.

Orders strictly due by Thursday, 8th August 2024.

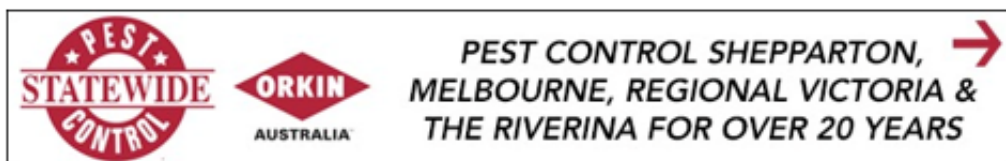
No orders will be accepted after this date.

Family Name: _____		
Child Name	Grade	Qty \$6 each
TOTAL \$		
Payment made via:		

We are unable to accommodate dietary requirements on this occasion.

Tallygaroopna Primary School

Thanks to the below businesses for sponsoring our school app:



If you would like to advertise on the Tallygaroopna Primary School Skool Loop App please email Content@skoolloop.com

To download our app: In Google Play & App Store search 'Skool Loop' & choose School once installed.

Equipment request: Science

We need enough shoe boxes for each child in Grades 4,5 and 6 to make an animal or human shelter and habitat diorama. This lesson will take place on 7th August 2024 – any support would be appreciated.



Dear Parents,

Student Led Conference Interviews at school with parents, staff and students will be held shortly on Tuesday 13th August 2024 and Monday 19th August 2024 (from 4pm – 6.30pm). If specific times do not suit - please contact classroom teachers directly via Class Dojo so that an alternative time can be arranged.

All students are encouraged to attend to discuss their learning goals at school.

Allocated times are 15 minutes, Student Led Conferences will be just under this to ensure smooth transition between interviews.

Go to www.schoolinterviews.com.au and enter the code **uxvap**

<https://www.schoolinterviews.com.au/code/h7ccq>



Enter your details for interview



Select the teachers you wish to see



Select the appointment times that suit your family best



When you click FINISH your selected bookings will be emailed to you immediately. If you do not receive your email, please check your junk-mail, or enter the event code again and check your email address spelling. Update your details if email address is incorrect.

DO NOT DELETE the email you receive. Keep it somewhere safe. You may need to refer back to it at a later date.

REMEMBER TO ADD YOUR APPOINTMENTS TO YOUR CALENDAR - reminders will not be sent home.

Bookings must be finalised by Monday 12th August 2024 at 4pm

If you need to view, cancel, change or print your bookings:

- Click on the link in the confirmation email you received after you made your bookings
- OR return to www.schoolinterviews.com.au and enter the code and the email address you used when making your bookings.

Bike Education – Grade 456

As discussed at assembly a couple of times, the bike education trailer at present does not have any bikes. Therefore, all students in these grades will need to organise their own bikes for this program late in August, early September. If this changes, we will let families know ASAP.

APPENDIX A: TALLYGAROOPA PS UNIFORM ITEMS

All year round

The following items may be worn all year round, with either the summer or winter uniform:

Bomber Jacket or Windcheater

Bottle green/red bomber jacket with school logo

Bottle green crew-neck windcheater

Polo shirts

Bottle green short sleeved with school logo. Grade 6 students may wear a red polo shirt with school logo. Bottle green long sleeved polo.

Skorts

Plain black skorts without decoration or brand name and in winter can be worn with black tights/stockings.

Socks or tights/stockings

Black or white socks

Black tights/stockings

Footwear

Appropriate footwear is to be worn. Summer sandals with covered toes, black school shoes or runners are permitted. No thongs or open-toed sandals are permitted.

Dresses

Summer bottle green and white checked dress

Shorts

Plain black shorts **without decoration or brand name**

Pants

Plain, black track pants without decoration or brand name

Winter Uniform – can be worn in Term 2 and 3

Skivvies

Plain bottle green or black skivvy

Beanies

Plain bottle green or red

Scarves

Plain bottle green

Hats – to be worn from mid-August to 30 April

Bottle green broadbrim or bucket hat without decoration or brand name.

Lost Property – There is a large amount of lost property in the Project Space. Can families have a look through this please and feel free to take any items home if you think these belong to you. A reminder to name items – unfortunately, many of these items are unnamed.

School staff have a right to be safe at work

Safe and respectful school communities create a healthy and safe workplace for school staff and a better environment for students to thrive.

Professional, collaborative relationships are based on:



Open and honest communication



Trust and respect



Working together



Fair and reasonable expectations by all

The following behaviours are **not** acceptable in our school:

- ⊗ Threats
- ⊗ Violence
- ⊗ Rudeness
- ⊗ Harassment
- ⊗ Discriminatory and derogatory comments
- ⊗ Aggression
- ⊗ Intimidation
- ⊗ Threatening gestures

This includes in-person, over-the-phone, email, text message, social media and online platforms.

If you experience any of these behaviours, or are concerned about the risk of this occurring, please report in eduSafe Plus and inform your elected Health and Safety Representative:

For more information refer to: **Work-Related Violence Policy and Procedure.**



ICYPOLES WILL BE SOLD ON A THURSDAY FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE TERM TO COINCIDE WITH THE MILO AND SNAGS ON OFFER ON A FRIDAY.

Parent Payment Arrangements for 2024 – These were approved at school council on 16th October, 2023 and are set at \$200 per student for 2024 to cover student supplies, online subscriptions and MACC & MARC costs. Payment can be made by direct bank transfer, cash or cheque. Further details [can be found here](#).

School Payments – When making payment to the school bank account for multiple items, please make one direct deposit for the total amount with your family name listed and email the school a message detailing the breakdown of the payment.

[The 2023 Annual Report to the School Community is now available to view here](#)

Absence Notes

The preferred method to notify the school is via Skool Loop. A written note will also be accepted so that we have something in writing.

**Enrolments for 2025 are now open.
Parents and carers should have
submitted enrolment applications by
Friday 26 July 2024.**

Lego Therapy - Tues	Speech Therapy – Thur
Group 2: Term 3 – Aug 6 th , Aug 13 th , Aug 20 th , Aug 27 th , Sept 3 rd	Term 3 – Aug 8 th , 15 th , 22 nd , 29 th , Sept 5 th , 12 th , 19 th Term 4 – Oct 10 th , 17 th EXTRA DAYS MAY BE ORGANISED FOR CANCELLATIONS

[Child Safety Training for School Volunteers can be accessed here](#)

TALLY P.S. CALENDAR

(all dates TBC)



Term 3 2024

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
JULY 15	16 Chaplain	17 PE / Music & Lib	18 RR & RP Chaplain (12.15 – 3.15) Pie Drive Orders Due	19
22	23 Chaplain	24 PE / Music / Art & Science Parents Club Mtg - Bicaros	25 RR & RP Chaplain (12.15 – 3.15)	26 Pie Drive – Pick Up Day (3pm) The NED Show – 2pm
29	30 Chaplain	31 PE / Music / Lib & Science	AUGUST 1 RR & RP Chaplain (12.15 – 3.15)	2
5 School Council 5	6 Chaplain	7 PE / Music / Art & Science	8 RR & RP Chaplain (12.15 – 3.15)	9
12 Munch N Crunch – pie & doughnut Parents Club Mtg	13 Chaplain Student Conference Day	14 PE / Music / Lib & Science	15 RR & RP Chaplain (12.15 – 3.15)	16 Grade 12 Activity Night / Sleepover
19 Student Conference Day	20 Chaplain	21 PE / Music / Art & Science Science Night - TBC	22 RR & RP Chaplain (12.15 – 3.15)	23
26 Hats start again Bike Education - 456	27 Chaplain Bike Education - 456	28 PE / Music / Lib & Science	29 RR & RP Chaplain (12.15 – 3.15)	30 Father's Day Breakfast
SEPTEMBER 2 Bike Education - 456	3 Chaplain Bike Education - 456	4 PE / Music / Art & Science	5 RR & RP Chaplain (12.15 – 3.15)	6
9 School Council 6	10 Chaplain	11 PE / Music / Lib & Science	12 RR & RP Chaplain (12.15 – 3.15) R U OK Day	13 Family Photos – 13,14,15
16	17 Chaplain	18 PE / Music / Art & Science Munch N Crunch - Subway	19 RR & RP Chaplain (12.15 – 3.15)	20 Dismissal – 2.25pm Last Day of Term 3

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