### TALLYGAROOPNA PRIMARY SCHOOL NO.3067





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SCHOOL VALUES - RESPECT, HONESTY & INCLUSION

### News from the Principal's Desk

Hi everyone

Production is now only a few weeks away and we are starting to put the finishing touches to this. We are in need of some assistance with props and costumes so if you can assist in any way please contact the school – some information is provided in this edition of the newsletter. A reminder to order and pay for DVD's for the Production before the end of the week - get in quick to avoid disappointment.

Over the last fortnight, we have had some busy school related activities. These have included our Jump Off Day, AFL Sporting Schools Day and the Annual Disco. The latter was a great night and it was terrific to see many members of the school community attend this event and have some fun. A big thank you to Teagan Thomas who was able to provide her Coffee Van on the night – I know many of the parents enjoyed a hot drink on this evening.

This Friday is our Grade 1/2 Activity & Sleepover Night as well. This is the second time this event has been offered and the aim is to give younger children an experience away from home in preparation for camps which will be held in future years. We will monitor behaviour closely on the night – as always silly behaviour will not be tolerated and we expect all of our children to abide by strict rules and expectations on the night. Mrs Haberfield and Miss Lothian have kindly offered to run this night and we hope that their effort in planning this evening is appreciated and respected by the children who are participating.

All families should have received a Review Survey and it would be appreciated if these were returned by this Friday 31st August – there will be a secret prize drawn when these are all handed in. As always, we appreciate everyone's feedback – an online version is also available for families to complete if needed. This survey should only take 5-10 minutes to do.

The Parent Opinion Survey also began a couple of weeks ago and families should have received a letter regarding this in the mail. If you have not received this or have misplaced this letter – please contact the school and a new one will be sent home. We are hopeful for an 80% response rate if possible. The Parent Opinion Survey has now been extended to this Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> September and we would appreciate your feedback.

Finally, we currently have 11 enrolment forms in for new Foundation students for 2019 – thank you for getting these in early to assist with planning for the new year.

Karen will be away on Thursday. I look forward to catching up with some parents at the Father's Day Stall on Thursday.

David Brodie (Principal)

The next Parents' Club meeting will be held on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> October at 9am. All are invited to discuss some major activities planned before the end of the year.

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

Can any other outstanding payments for excursions, camps, etc be paid for ASAP please.

Random Act of Kindness: This week's givers are: Sofia, Bohdi and Lachlan Glover. Well done to last week's givers – Beau, Harry and Izzy.

DVD orders for the School Production are due by Friday 31<sup>st</sup> August. These cost \$20 each and must for paid for when ordering at the office.

Enrolment forms for 2019 are now due. Scheduled Open Days for new families have finished. However, other days can be arranged upon request. Contact the school if an appointment is needed.

School working bee for major construction of our sandpit is planned for Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> September.

Contact the office if you can assist.

\$10 is due for the Red Racing Hood Eastbank performance.

DIRECT BANK DEPOSIT

Account Name:

Tallygaroopna Primary School

BSB: 063—527

Account number: 0090 7788

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

### School Review - Consultation with the School Community

When completing a Pre Review Self Evaluation, our school collaborates with the community to arrive at a shared, evidence-informed understanding of how well the school has performed over the life of the School Strategic Plan (SSP) and to identify levels of proficiency against all 16 FISO Dimensions.

#### These include:

Building practice excellence
Building leadership teams
Setting expectations and promoting inclusion
Evidence-based high impact teaching strategies
Instructional and shared leadership
Vision, values and culture
Intellectual engagement and self awareness
Global citizenship

Curriculum planning and assessment
Empowering students and building school pride
Building Communities
Evaluating impact on learning
Strategic resource management
Health and wellbeing
Parents and carers as partners
Networks with schools, services and agencies

### THESE FISO DIMENSIONS MAY BE DISCUSSED AT THE SCHOOL COUNCIL LEVEL.

Part of the consultation process will involve a School Review Survey being sent home. This has been sent home and it would be appreciated if it is returned by Friday 31<sup>st</sup> August. Main feedback encouraged will be based on the following key questions?

- 1. What does our school do well?
- 2. What would we like to see our school doing well in 5-10 years time?
- 3. What are the things we need to work on in order to build the bridge from question 1 to 2?
- 4. What is the schools fundamental reason for existence?
  - a. What is the purpose of the school?
  - b. What do we value in the school?
  - c. What does the school stand for and how does it want to operate?
  - d. What are the influences that will impact on our school in the next 4 years?

### https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/82PNQ8N





# Photos of the Week - School Disco

A huge thank you to the school community for coming to the School Disco and helping make this a fun filled night. Special thanks to the Parents' Club for their general organisation on the night – your support is always appreciated.













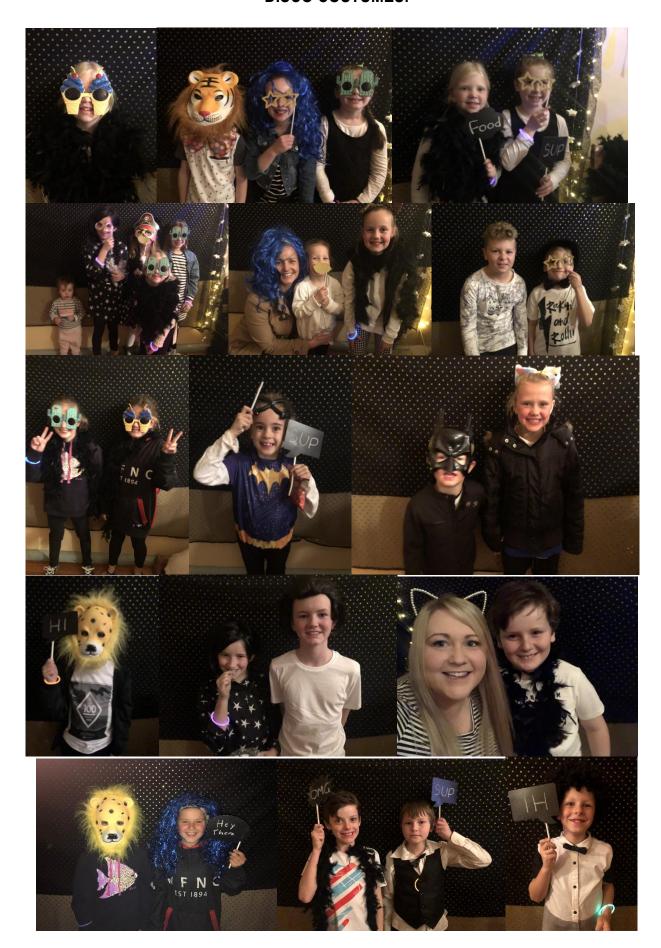








# Photos of the Week – School Disco DISCO COSTUMES!



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We look forward to another fantastic Disco night in 2019. Thanks everyone for such a great night.

# Photos of the Week - Jump Off Day





















## Photos of the Week - Sporting Schools (AFL)



This program will continue on Friday 31st August. We hope to purchase some new goal post pads thanks to funding supplied for the Sporting Schools program.

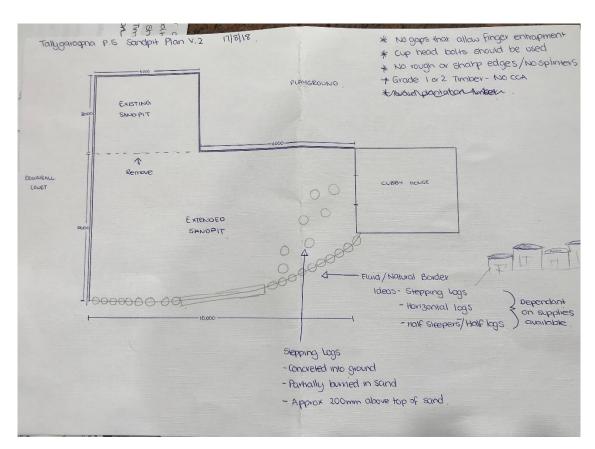
# Sandpit Working Bee

This will be held on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> September beginning at 9am finishing with a BBQ lunch with some light refreshments. We hope that this working bee will be well supported.

If you can help out on the day please contact the school to assist with catering. Thanks in anticipation.









# Orientation Program for 2018 - Foundation Students for 2019

The following days have been scheduled for new Foundation students for 2019. This Orientation Program is essential to starting school. Dates are below:

Day 1 - Tuesday 16th October (9am - 11am) Kinder Day - walk kids back at 11am

Day 2 - Tuesday 30th October (9am - 11.30am) Kinder Day - walk kids back at 11.30am

Day 3 - Tuesday 13th November (9am - 2pm) Kinder Day - pick up from school at 2pm

Day 4 - Tuesday 27th November (9am - 2pm) Kinder Day - pick up from school at 2pm

Day 5 (Statewide) - Tuesday 11th December (all day)

We look forward to seeing you soon, Staff at Tallygaroopna PS



## Our kids matter.

KidsMatter helps our school nurture happy, balanced kids.



# Grade 1/2 Activity Night Grade 2 Sleepover

This program will be held on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> August beginning at 4.30pm and concluding at 7.30pm for the Grade 1 students. The Grade 2's will need to be picked up by 8am the following morning. Pizza will be provided for tea for all students who attend and the Breakfast Club will be open for Grade 2 students the following morning. A permission form has been sent home and is due now to assist with catering. Grade 2 students staying the night will need to return the normal camping medical form also. This night is not compulsory – it is just an opportunity for our kids to experience a night away from home leading into camps for the future.

### Photos of the Week – Orientation Program (Kinder Visit)



**HOME READERS – A parent's guide (reading tips)** 

Youtube clip is found here

## Photos of the Week - new enrolments at Tallygaroopna PS for 2019

We welcome Braxton, Thomas, Lebron, Evie, Levi and Eadi to our school for 2019. We hope you will enjoy your time at Tallygaroopna Primary School.





A reminder to get those enrolment forms in ASAP, so that more presentations can be made at assembly over the next few weeks.

**Enviro Tip for the Week:** Please remember to turn off heaters and lights when you leave the room, especially with the weather warming up.

Grade 3/4 remain top of the charts in Nude Food. Last week they had only 11 pieces of non-recyclable packing. Well done.

The most environmentally friendly classroom last week was the Foundation and Grade 1's. Good effort little ones!

Totals for the term are:

Foundation/Grade 1: 19 Grade 2/3: 23

Grade 3/4: 27 Grade 5/6: 19

With Grade 3\4 students firmly on top....again

# Knit a footy scarf

Knit a scarf in your team's colours!!!

Learn how to knit and make something to keep you warm.

Lessons will be held in the MPR at lunchtime on Thursdays.

You'll need to bring number 10 (about)

knitting needles and a ball of wool of your favourite colours (8 or 10 ply).

You don't have to knit a footy scarf. Your scarf can be any colour you like.

Enquiries to John Hosking.

### Sock Fundraiser

Could any money for socks be returned to the office as soon as possible please.



# STUDENTS OF THE WEEK - Term 3 / Week 5



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

Foundation / Grade 1				
Mr Flood's Fantastic F/1s				
Kealan				



Kealan received this award for the great effort he is making with his reading and the confidence he shows in using the strategies.

# Grade 2/3 Miss L's Lively Learners Charlie



Charlie received this award for his enthusiasm towards his literacy learning. Charlie has been working hard to practise his Readers Theatre lines and is reading them with great expression. He has also worked very hard during our visualisation and alliteration tasks this week. Well done, Charlie!

# Grade 3/4 Mrs H's Terrific Tribe Roseannah



Roseannah received this award for trying really hard to stay focused on all areas of her learning.

### <u>Grade 5/6</u> <u>Miss Love's Legit Legends</u> Taylah G



Taylah G received this award for her dedicated efforts in maths this week and her continuing all around positive attitude:)

### Values Vault Winner for Week 5 was Alicia



# STUDENTS OF THE WEEK - Term 3 / Week 6



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Foundation / Grade 1 Mr Flood's Fantastic F/1s Lara	Lara received Student of the Week for being a resilient student throughout the week and for always trying her best with some difficult tasks with Mr Brodie and Mrs Montgomery.				
Grade 2/3 Miss L's Lively Learners Sienna	Sienna received this award for the confidence and enthusiasm she showed during her group's Readers Theatre performance. Sienna read with fantastic expression! A brilliant performance, Sienna! Well done.				
<u>Grade 3/4</u> <u>Mrs H's Terrific Tribe</u> Owen	Owen received this award because he was really helpful in our class and he worked very well.  Thanks mate!				
Grade 5/6 Miss Love's Legit Legends Zoe	Zoe receives Student of the Week for her great efforts in literacy and production practice this week. Well done Zoe.				

# Values Vault Winner for Week 6 was Amelia

### 1. Father's Day Stall - Special Friends

We will be holding a Father's Day Stall on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> August. This is obviously available for Dad's, Special Friends, Grandparents and Uncles...etc. All students will have an opportunity to purchase a gift each for \$5 – a limit of 1 per child please to accommodate everyone. Could \$5 be paid to the office by EFT or cash prior to the day please – gifts that are paid for will be sent home on Thursday. Any unpaid items will remain at the office until paid for. Staff will make some cards for this event and all of the students in the school will have an opportunity to go to the stall – specific times are:

9.20am: Siblings in the school (brothers and sisters)
9.40am: Grade 5/6
10.00am: Grade 3/4
10.20am: Grade 2/3

10.40am: Foundation / Grade 1

### 2. Father's Day Breakfast - Special Friends

At the last Parents' Club Meeting, we decided to again hold a Father's Day Breakfast for the wonderful Dad's, Special Friends, Grand Dad's or Uncles out there. The breakfast will be held on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> September from 7am until 9am. Breakfast will involve - Bacon and Egg Rolls or Muffins & Coffee / Tea / Milo.

Special visitors are invited to stay around after breakfast to play some board games/table tennis. Students will be monitored at school by staff when special visitors have to leave. This is a wonderful initiative and I am sure our kids would love to see plenty of Dad's, Grand Dad's, Special Friends or Uncles at this event. Contact the school on 5829 8264, if you can attend with names of all people attending please. Any new students intending to come to our school in 2019 are invited to participate as well.

# Please RSVP to the office ASAP to assist with catering.

### 3. Shepparton Education Plan – have your say on Kindergarten and Primary School Education

For the next stage of the Shepparton Education Plan, the Victorian School Building Authority are looking to develop a better understanding of transitional phases from early childhood through to primary and then onto secondary school. This is all about working out how they can support Shepparton students and educators with a smoother transition process between the stages of schooling.

Get involved – attend a community pop-up session, fill in the online survey, give feedback on the comment board – they want to hear from you.

In addition to this, all members of the Shepparton community are invited to attend an <u>informal BBQ on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> August at Shepparton High School from 3pm – 7pm.</u> This is your opportunity to ask about the Shepparton Education Plan and provide any further feedback regarding transitional phases from early childhood through to secondary.

For more information about events and a link to the survey, visit <a href="https://engage.vic.gov.au/SheppartonEducationPlan">https://engage.vic.gov.au/SheppartonEducationPlan</a>

Last week, the first of two briefings were delivered to DET staff (Principals and area-based staff) and it was requested by schools to receive the Secondary School Engagement Design Report (Phase 3) along with the consultation YouTube video. Links to both are below.

Shepparton Education Plan Community Engagement: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=il6T3C5eNCo&t=4s">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=il6T3C5eNCo&t=4s</a> Secondary School Design - Engagement Report: <a href="https://engage.vic.gov.au/SheppartonEducationPlan">https://engage.vic.gov.au/SheppartonEducationPlan</a>

- **Social media:** visit our Facebook page <u>www.facebook.com/VictorianSchoolBuild</u> and share our 'Early Childhood & Primary School' post.
- **EngageVictoria:** share this link with your community and encourage them to complete the online survey https://engage.vic.gov.au/SheppartonEducationPlan

### 4. Performance at Eastbank

A permission form for a performance of Red Racing Hood at Eastbank Centre on 18th September was sent home with your child. Thank you for returning these as quickly as possible and it was great to see many families utilise Flexibuzz for this. Cost of this excursion is \$10 per student – can this be paid for ASAP please.

### 5. Grade 5/6 Camp

Thanks to all of the families who provided final numbers last Thursday. We look like having 12 Grade 5/6 students attend this camp and we now await final details from Dookie PS in regard to costs...etc. Students not attending this camp will still be required to attend school during this time. The State-wide Orientation Day will be held on Tuesday 11th December.

### 6. Munch N Crunch

This will be held on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> September and will include hamburgers and sausages. An order form was sent home today. Please return completed order with payment by Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> September.

### 7. NAPLAN / Online Version for 2019

The VCAA is able to confirm that the delivery of Individual Student Reports (ISRs) to schools will commence from Wednesday 29 August.

Last week, we trialled the Online Version of NAPLAN with some grade 3 and 5 students and there is a possibility that we will be transferring to this platform in 2019. This was just a test run to seek the capabilities of our IT equipment - no results will be available. It was interesting to be able to monitor which questions students are up to during the online test and we look forward to finishing this trial period with the Grade 5's on Friday with a writing task.

The public demonstration site can be found here - <a href="https://www.nap.edu.au/online-assessment/public-demonstration-site">https://www.nap.edu.au/online-assessment/public-demonstration-site</a>

### **8. School Uniform Compliance**

During the colder months we have some students who are not in school uniforms for a variety of reasons. School uniform reflects our school and it would be appreciated if any students not in uniform present a note to the Principal. Thanks in anticipation.

### 9. Parent Opinion Survey – 17 surveys out of a possible 53

Our school is conducting a survey to find out what parents think of our school. The Parent Opinion Survey is an annual survey offered by the Department of Education and Training that is conducted amongst a sample of randomly selected parents. It is designed to assist schools in gaining an understanding of parents' perceptions of school climate, student behaviour and student engagement. Our school will use the survey results to help inform and direct future school planning and improvement strategies.

Parents are invited to participate in this year's survey. All responses to the survey are anonymous. The Parent Opinion Survey has been extended to <u>Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> September</u>. The survey will be conducted **online**, only takes **10-15 minutes** to complete, and can be accessed at any convenient time within the fieldwork period on desktop computers, laptops, tablets or smartphones.

The survey results will be reported back to the school at the end of September.

For more information, see: Parent Opinion Survey

#### 10. Production Practice - afternoons

Practice continues many afternoon sessions so it essential that students in Grades 5/6 are present as much as possible this term to allow for effective planning and practice to occur. There will be some minor alterations to specialist timetables this semester to allow for this.

Orders for the Production DVD need to be in by Friday 31st August. The cost is \$20 each and payment needs to be made when ordering.

<u>11. Swimming Program</u> — This will be held for 5 consecutive days beginning on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> October. Please put these dates into calendars at home. The cost for this program will be significantly lower this year thanks to some funding by the Department of Education. The cost is \$46 per student.

### 12. Staffroom – Parents (confidentiality)

We have been working hard on assessment and reporting so far this year. We are planning on focusing on Student Data during the second half of Term 3. As a result, there is some confidential student data in the staffroom at present. We would appreciate all parents staying out of this room while this data is displayed.

We have also mada a Data Wall to reflect our Maths Assessment for the Number Fluency Assessment (NFA), so please don't enter the staffroom unless given permission. Sorry for any inconvenience.

#### 13. Colder Months - Tissues

We would be very appreciative if each family could please supply a box of tissues for the school in anticipation of colder weather (and possibly running noses and coughs!). We remind families to please encourage their children to dress appropriately for the weather.

### **Second-hand Uniforms**

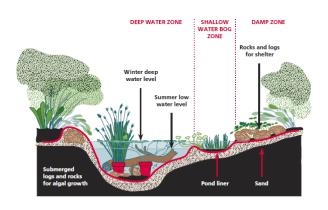
If anyone has any uniforms that they no longer require could you please send them along to school.

Thank you, Lisa Newbound (Uniform Coordinator)

### Frog Bog Assistance

If anyone has some rocks or tree branches that would be suitable as habitat for our Frog Bog could you please contact the school. We are also

looking for volunteers to assist the students in constructing the Frog Bog. The senior boys are doing a great job with digging at present but we would like some assistance with putting the bog together. A day to do this can be negotiated. Please see Karen if you can help.







# PRODUCTION NEEDS

3 x bowls of jewels

Rolled up carpet

Wooden bucket

Gong & mallet

2 large lollipops

Blackened envelopes

Giant ketchup bottle

Tea cosy

Silk

Piece of imitation silk

Pipe and snake

2 x rubber chickens

Large bottle (perfume)

Large blackened envelopes

Rubber duck

Large pair of briefs

Carrier bag

2 bags of coins

Royal ruby

Bags of treasure

Stick with beards hanging from it

Large books (How to Hide from Guards, History of Sausages, How to

Save Your Son)

Stage sets:

Cave of Wonders

"Back of Beyond" signpost

Throne

# Contact the school if you can assist with any of these props please.



Thanks to the Church family for the kind donation of cricket kits. We were fortunate to receive about 20 of these.

Your support is greatly appreciated.

# WINERY BUS TOUR

Sunday 7th October

\$50 per person

~ Lake Moodemere Estate~

~ Pfeiffer Wines ~

~ Corowa Whiskey & Chocolate ~

(for lunch at an additional cost)

~ Stanton & Killeen Wines~

Departing at 8.30am from Larsen Park and returning by 5.00pm Limited Seats Available

For bookings contact Renee on 0407 099 050

Raising funds for the Tallygaroopna Primary School

# TALLY P.S. CALENDAR – TERM 3/4 2018

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri		
27	28	29	30	31		
OSH / Assembly	OSH	OSH	OSH	OSH		
Breakfast Club	Chaplain	Art / PE	Chaplain	Grade 1/2 Night		
Buddies			Father's Day Stall	Grade 2 Sleepover		
				AFL – S. Schools		
				Father's Day - 2		
3	4	5	6	7		
		OSH	OSH	OSH		
		Library / PE	Chaplain	Music / LOTE		
	Speech Therapy		Playgroup			
			Munch N Crunch			
			Jess Comer Visit			
10	11	12	13	14		
		OSH	OSH	OSH		
Breakfast Club	1	Art / PE	Chaplain	Play Night Show		
Buddies		School Council 6	Play Matinee			
PROD	UCTION PRA	CTICE				
17	18	19	20	21		
,		OSH	OSH	OSH		
Breakfast Club		Library / PE		Music / LOTE		
	Eastbank			Dismissal – 2.25pm		
				Music / LOTE		
				Sandpit – Working Bee (23 <sup>rd</sup> )		
24	25	26	27	28		
24	25	20	21	28		
SCHOOL HOLIDAYS						

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
8 Term 4 Begins OSH / Assembly Breakfast Club Buddies	9 OSH Chaplain	10 OSH Art / PE	11 OSH Chaplain Cluster MARC	OSH LOTE
15 OSH / Assembly Breakfast Club Division Aths	16 OSH Chaplain Orientation Day 1 Secret Agency	Library / PE Chess Tourn.	OSH Chaplain Playgroup Parents Club Mtg	19 OSH Italian Day Region Aths
OSH / Assembly Breakfast Club Buddies	OSH Chaplain Secret Agency	Art / PE School Coun. 7	OSH Chaplain  30PM TO 2.30	OSH LOTE
29 OSH / Assembly Breakfast Club State Aths	30 OSH Chaplain Orientation Day 2	OSH Library / PE	OSH Chaplain Playgroup	2 Curriculum Day
5 OSH / Assembly Breakfast Club Buddies	6 Melbourne Cup	7 OSH Art / PE	OSH Chaplain T 20 Cricket	9 OSH LOTE Paint Run Munch N Crunch

AUGUST / SEPTEMBER

OCTOBER / NOVEMBER