



Tallygaroopna Primary School Newsletter

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Term 3 #27 - August 28th 2023

>> NOTES / PAYMENTS DUE <<

Please finalise any outstanding payments

1. Planning for 2024 – We are currently in the process of pursuing a 4th classroom teacher for the new year. This is being actively advertised on Recruitment Online and other communication channels as needed (i.e. Facebook). Unfortunately, we could not fill this teaching position last year because of recruitment difficulties. We hope we have more success this year – stay tuned. Please promote our school in a positive manner to assist with this process.

2. Behaviour Expectations– Last week, we had some very good conversations with all students in regard to specific school expectations and consequences. This allowed our students to have some input into these and will allow these to be more consistently applied across the school. These expectations will be displayed around the school as a constant reminder for all staff, students and families.

3. Costume List – This was distributed last week for our school Production and your attention here would be appreciated – this is available on Skool Loop also. Please contact Miss Parry if you need anything clarified.

4. Communication – Just a reminder about this – been some late night calls and text messages of late. This was in the 1st newsletter of the year.

Communication – We all need to be mindful of contacting staff and families outside of school hours (beyond 5pm). This may involve text messaging, phone calls, Class Dojo and Skool Loop – it is important to remember that we all have lives away from the busy work day. Please feel free to discuss any issues with myself or specific class teachers. At Tallygaroopna PS, we are accessible to parents and we value the importance of positive and constructive communication with all of our families. Please contact the school to make an appointment if needed – so that issues can be addressed at an appropriate time, which does not affect normal planning and learning time.

5. Parent Opinion Survey – This is still available to complete online until Friday 8th September. Instructions for how to complete the survey, and a link for the online survey portal went home a few weeks ago in a formal letter for each family. If you have misplaced this – contact the school and a new one will be sent home.

6. Enrolments for 2024 – If your child will not be at our school for 2024, can families please contact the office. This will assist with planning for the new year – at present we are not aware of any current students not being at our school next year, apart from our Grade 6 students

7. Twisted Science Excursion – F/1/2/3/4 students will attend a free excursion at Echuca on Monday 11th Sept - permission forms went home last week. We will leave school by bus at 8.30am so that we can be at the Twisted Science venue by 10am for our first session. All students will need to bring their normal lunch, snack and drink for this day and school uniform is required along with school hats. We anticipate that 4 members of staff will be attending this day and the bus will be at capacity. We anticipate returning to school by 2.30pm.

8. AFL 9s – Permission forms for F-6 students are now due along with a Hot Dog order which needs to be returned by Friday 1st Sept. This day will be held at Congupna on Friday 8th Sept and is FREE (Footy Colours Day), organised by AFL Goulburn Murray. The F/1/2 students will be at Congupna Primary School taking part in AFL / Netball Victoria Primary Play sessions while the 3/4/5/6 students will be at the Congupna Football Oval at the AFL 9s tournament. We look forward to a fun filled day – teams were sent to the organisers last week.

9. Choir – Could the choir commitment note please be returned no later than this Friday please to assist with come practice in regard to our school production. Consult Miss Parry if you have any questions.

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 www.education.vic.gov.au/coronavirus

**RESPECT
HONESTY
INCLUSION**

10. Canberra Camp – This camp is planned for Grade 5/6 students in Term 4 from Mon 23rd Oct to Thurs 26th Oct. Information was sent home a number of weeks ago and is also available via Skool Loop – to be returned no later than Fri 8th Sept which has given families plenty of time to make specific medical appointments if needed.

The cost for this camp has been set - \$400. Families are encouraged to make regular payments to ensure that their fee is fully paid prior to the start of the camp.

11. Production Organisation – We are aiming to pick up some backdrops from Rushworth PS on Friday 8th September – a trailer is needed so any support would be appreciated. Lights and sound will be set up at the Tallygaroopna Hall on Monday 11th September and a last practice matinee will probably be available to view on Tuesday 12th September during the day – more details will be available soon.

12. Wellbeing Boost Funding – The following extra curricula activities have been organised so far which will be free to all students. A reminder that participation in any such incursions and excursions is by invitation only and behaviour will be closely monitored and parents will be contacted if needed.

AFL 9's – Fri 8th Sept

TwistED Science Excursion (F-4) – Mon 11th Sept

Yachting (5/6) – Tue 14th Nov

Science Discovery Dome – Tue 21st Nov

End of Year Excursion – Fri 1st Dec

13. School Council – Our next meeting is scheduled for Monday 4th September. We anticipate that information will be distributed to members before the end of this week.

14. Bus Travellers – 2024 – We are starting to think about bus travellers for the new year. Below is a list of students who we think will utilise the bus in 2024. If you are thinking of not using the bus or are not on this list - contact the office ASAP.

Bus Run 1: Abbie, Nathan, Bailey, Penny & Brittany (5 students)

Bus Run 2: Skylah, Seth, Ayla, Georgia, Eliza H, Mason, Nate P, Lincoln P, Opal, Amelia, Henry, Will & Vera H, Jaxon & Mason H (15 students)

15. New Foundations – We currently have 10 enrolments for new Foundations for 2024 which is fantastic – T shirts are currently being handed out. If any enrolment forms are still outstanding please return them ASAP. We anticipate that we will be having an extensive Transition program again in Term 4 which will involve possibly 5 school days – these dates will be released soon.

16. Munch N Crunch – This is scheduled to be held on Wednesday 6th September and will involve another Subway order. Orders have been sent home and these are due on Tuesday 5th September.

17. Bike Education – This continues today and concludes tomorrow. It would be appreciated if all bikes are collected from school by the end of the week please. Grade 6 Bike Ride permission forms are now due – this will be held tomorrow.

18. End of Year Excursion – This will be held on Friday 1st December and will involve a trip into Shepparton. Activities will be at Star Bowl and Fun Planet and we may have a quick lunch in the Queen's Gardens – more details will follow soon.

19. Parent Payment Arrangements – These are set at \$140 per student to cover stationery, online subscriptions and MACC & MARC costs. A reminder invitation for families to make a contribution has been sent out. [Further information is found here.](#) 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.

20. End of Year Events – We anticipate that the following events will be held. It might be a good idea to pencil these into calendars for the time being.

Production – Tuesday September 12th

Tally's Got Talent – Friday 24th November

End of Year Excursion – Friday 1st December

Christmas Concert – Wed 13th December

Graduation Night- Monday 18th December

STUDENT LEADERSHIP / JSC DATES

1. Footy Colours Day – Fri. 8th Sept (changed)
2. Dress Up Day (Teacher's Day) – 20th October

Nick Bamford	Occupational Therapy - Friday	Speech Therapy - Thursday
Tuesday's from 9-11am (Term 3)	Term 4 – Oct 6 th , Oct 13 th - TBC	Term 3 – Aug 31 st , Sept 7 th , Sept 14 th Term 4 – Oct 5 th

Student of the Week

Grade F/1/2

Miss M's Blossoming F/1/2's



Lincoln

It has been great to see Lincoln enjoying himself this week and giving all learning tasks his best effort. He really tries his best and I am looking forward to seeing what else he can achieve this term. Well done, Lincoln. Keep it up!

Grade 2/3/4

Miss P's Tremendous 2/3/4s



Asora

Asora has made a fantastic transition back to Tallygaroopna Primary School. He has settled into the routines and expectations of the classroom and yard seamlessly, and has developed fantastic relationships with his peers and teachers. He is attentive during lessons and consistently uses his manners to anyone he speaks to. Asora, you are a pleasure to have in the classroom. Keep being amazing!

Grade 4/5/6

Miss L's Effervescent Experts



Max

This week Max produced a fantastic narrative text based on the topic 'Time Travel'. Max showed a lot of evidence of editing and skilfully used his humour to craft a piece that was entertaining to read. It has also been pleasing to hear about Max's enthusiasm and developing skills in Bike Ed sessions with Mrs Monty! Great work, Max!

SPORT AWARD



Iluka

For hitting the golf ball like a real superstar, she also helped pack up equipment at the end.

SPORT AWARD



Maddi

For going about her business with a smile and achieving an amazing hole in one, much to her amazement!



2024 Job Opportunities

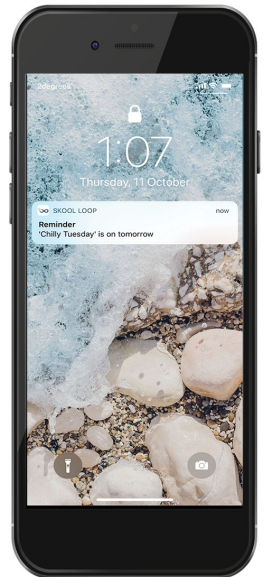
Classroom Teacher Position

Commencing 29th January 2024

➤ Apply on **Recruitment Online** or contact **David Brodie** on **0411 960 164** ➤

Here's some tips to ensure you receive notices and push notifications

- When you download the Skool Loop App you will be asked if you would like notifications please **tap yes**. Some devices don't ask this question and automatically tick yes for you. This can be changed in your settings
- If your notifications are turned off in your device settings, some phones apply that to all apps when downloading. In the phone settings please make sure your notifications are turned on
- Check your App Store or Google Play regularly for any outstanding updates
- There are 2 different notices school will send out: **push notification** (banner and ding) or a **notice** (visual alert only)
- You will only receive a push notification if you are not using the app at the time
- If your volume is off you will not hear an alert
- You will see a visual alert if a **notice** has been posted. You will not hear a ding
- You will only hear a ding if the school sends a **push notification**.



COULD ANY BUS OR OSH CARE FEES BE PAID FOR NOW PLEASE. THESE ARE NOT VOLUNTARY FEES, SO YOUR ATTENTION ADDRESSING THIS IMMEDIATELY WOULD BE APPRECIATED.

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

Tallygaroopna PS presents...



...a production featuring F-6 students from
Tallygaroopna Primary School!

Our story follows Dr. Mallard and Dr. Muscovy as
they travel through time trying to find and fix a
new source of power.

Featuring songs and dances from each year level,
a story told by the 4-6 students, and hits from the
60s, 70s, 80s, 90s, and 2000s!

Tuesday, 12th September, 7pm

Tickets will be available closer to the date.

**MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THIS PERFORMANCE
WILL BE AVAILABLE SOON.**

Bike Education Program – 2023

Week 8

Monday 28th August

9.30-11: Grade 4/5 (LL)

11.55-1.25: Grade 6

2-3: Grade 3/4 (TP)

Tuesday 29th August

9.30-11: Grade 5/6

On Road Test

11.55-1.25: Grade 6 Bike Ride

2-3: Grade 3/4 (LL & TP)

**ANY HELPERS FOR THE ONROAD TEST WOULD BE GREATLY APPRECIATED – CONTACT THE
OFFICE IF YOU CAN ASSIST PLEASE.**

FUTURE SUPER STARS – FOUNDATIONS FOR 2024



Welcome
Darcy and
his family
to TPS for
2024.



Welcome
Skylar and
her family
to TPS for
2024.

Respectful school communities start with respectful behaviour

Parents, carers, staff and students can help keep our school community safe, supportive and respectful.

Good relationships are based on:



Open and honest communication



Trust and respect



Working together



Fair and reasonable expectations by all

These behaviours are **not** okay in our school community:

- ⊗ 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.

For more information ask your school about the **Respectful Behaviours within the School Community Policy**.

TALLY P.S. CALENDAR

(all dates TBC)



Term 3 2023

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
JULY 10 Term 3 Begins	11 Chaplain	12 Lib. / PE Parents Club Mtg.	13 RR & RP	14 Music
17	18 Chaplain	19 Art / PE	20 RR & RP	21 Snag & Milo Day 1 PJ Day – Dress Up Men's Shed
24 Chaplain	25 Curric. Day	26 Lib. / PE / Music	27 RR & RP	28 Snag & Milo Day 2 101 Days of School
31 Munch N Crunch School Council 5	AUGUST 1 Family Maths Night Chaplain	2 PE	3 RR & RP	4 Snag & Milo Day 3 Life Ed. Van Men's Shed
7 Art	8 Conf. 4-6.30 Chaplain	9 Lib. / PE / Music Jump Rope Day	10 RR & RP	11 Snag & Milo Day 4
14 Conf. 4-6.30	15 Chaplain	16 Art / PE	17 RR & RP	18 Snag & Milo Day 5 Grade 1/2 Night
21 Bike Ed. Parents Club Mtg. Hats again!	22 Bike Ed. Chaplain	23 Lib. / PE / Music	24 RR & RP	25
28 Bike Ed.	29 Bike Ed. Chaplain	30 Art / PE	31 RR & RP	SEPT 1
4 School Council 6	5 Chaplain	6 Lib. / PE / Music Munch N Crunch	7 RR & RP	8 AFL 9's Footy Colours Day
11 Twisted Science Excursion F-4	12 Production Night Chaplain	13 Art / PE	14 RR & RP	15 Dismissal – 2.25pm

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