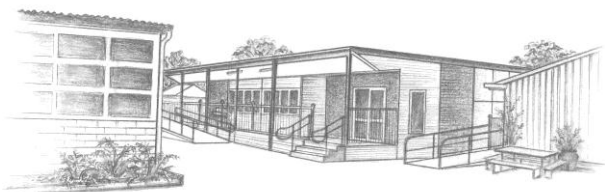


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**SCHOOL VALUES - RESPECT, HONESTY & INCLUSION**

## NEWSLETTER

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TERM 4 NO.30 8<sup>th</sup> October 2012

#### **Life Education Van**

**Permission forms are now due.  
These will need to be returned along  
with the \$4.25 for the program.**

#### **SuperClub Permission forms are due now**

**The next School Council meeting will  
be next Wed 17<sup>th</sup> October.  
Finance Begins at 6.30pm  
School Council Begins at 7.30pm**

Hi everyone,

Welcome back to school after a restful holiday period. You will notice some minor alterations to the front path of the school since the end of last term and the school looks really bright and vibrant at the moment. We will be looking at upgrading our vegetable garden over the next few weeks as well – so stay tuned!

Our School Production was a great success and it was fantastic to see so many of our kids rise to the challenge during this period. At times, this was a stressful experience, but to see the end result makes you really appreciate how worthwhile such an experience as this is for our children. We can all take a breath now and focus on normal classroom routines for the rest of the year. Special thanks to all of the helpers during the last few weeks of term 3. As always, our Parents Club organised a great Munch N Crunch lunch as well – I missed out on this one!!

Today, we welcome Mrs Wallace back to school after returning from Long Service Leave. Again, I would like to acknowledge Mrs Montgomery for her work during this time. The Prep/1 students were able to continue on with normal programs as per normal and this speaks highly for Bev's organisation, dedication and willingness to do whatever is needed for the benefit of our kids. Thanks again Mrs Monty!!!

This week the children began utilising Supeclubs and it essential that all permission forms are returned ASAP, so that all students in the school can benefit from utilising this resource. We also have our Life Ed. Van here on Friday which is always a worthwhile and beneficial program for our kids. Information regarding specific programs is in this edition of the school newsletter.

Karen will be in the office until Thursday this week, if any matters need addressing. I look forward to catching up with some Mum's and Dad's at the Life Education Parent Session on Friday. This begins at 9.15am and concludes at 9.45am. Have a great week everyone.

David Brodie – Teaching Principal

**Our Staff are having an Asthma PD at our school next Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> October (4-5pm)  
If any parents would like to join us could you contact the office ASAP please.**

**SCHOOL HATS ARE NOW COMPULSORY – NO HAT = UNDERCOVER AREA**

**If you would like to receive this newsletter by email contact our office.  
An alternative is to go to our school website.  
Enrolments for 2013 can now be made. Tours of the school can be requested as well.**

### **School Production**

Congratulations to everyone who made our School Production so wonderful last term. Special thanks to all of our staff and parents for supporting this learning experience and for the students of Tallygaroopna PS for their effort, dedication and determination during this time.



## School Grounds Maintenance – School Holidays



### **1. NAPLAN**

NAPLAN results went home to families during the last week of Term 3. Overall, we were extremely proud of the level of achievement which was evident with our Grade 3 and 5 students and this speaks highly of the children's ability to focus on a set task, concentrate and persist. Congratulations on some great results kids. Feel free to contact staff if you wish to discuss these results.

### **2. Swimming Certificates**

This week all of the children who participated in the Swimming Program at Aquamoves will receive their level certificates. Originals will be sent home and copies will be put in student files and kept at school for future records. All of the levels were marked by qualified Austswim trained instructors and these levels will be used for future swimming programs.

### **3. Kinder Visits**

On the last Thursday of the term our school went over to the Kindergarten to sing some songs which were part of our school production – Dragon Girl. This was very successful with children using this time to play with some of the kindergarten children as well. As a result, we will be looking at visiting the Kindergarten on a regular basis on the first Tuesday of every month (11am until 11.30am) to do some similar activities. No permission forms are necessary because it is a local excursion. If you would prefer your child to **not participate** can you let the school know ASAP please. The next scheduled visits are on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> November and Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> December.

#### **4. Attendance Awards**

These will be handed out at assembly next Monday morning. As always we will acknowledge children who have 95% attendance at school each term.

#### **5. Life Education Van**

Our Life Education Program is scheduled to be held this Friday 12th October. **The cost for the program is \$4.25 and permission forms must be returned as well.** Mums and Dads are invited to a Parent Information morning on this day from 9.15am until 9.45am before class programs begin at 10am. A summary of the programs is included below:

Prep / Grade 1 (10-11am)

Topic: Harold's Mystery Tour - Prep and Yr 1

Harold invites the class to attend a mystery tour in a special bus. On a humorous journey they visit a variety of places including The Full Body Experience, a beach and a waterslide. They discuss issues and engage in activities centred on:

- the main internal human body parts
- safety in public places
- safe use and storage of medicines
- appropriate remedies for illness
- being scared/pressured to do things and ways of coping

Grade 5/6 (11.30-1pm)

Topic: The Burning Issue - Yr 5/6

- Recognises that smoking affects all body systems resulting in short and long term consequences
- Identifies services and products that advise, educate and inform people of the facts about smoking
- Identifies both personal and community strategies to reduce the harms related to tobacco use
- Examines the harmful effects that smoking has on the environment
- Describes the laws governing the advertising, sale and use of tobacco products

Grade 2/3/4 (2-3.25pm)

Topic: All Systems Go - Yr 2/3/4

Harold takes the class on an adventure, travelling in the blood through the human body. The journey begins at the heart and visits a number of other body parts. As well as examining some human body parts and their function, other issues raised are:

- peer pressure
- passive smoking
- safety with medicines

#### **6. School Uniform**

A reminder that full uniform is required at school and a **note must be presented to staff if this cannot be adhered to.** We acknowledge that there may be issues with uniforms during the Winter months at school.

#### **7. After School Care**

A reminder about this service which is available to all families in the school. Transport has been finalised for After School Care and families will be invoiced by Tallygaroopna PS for this cost. Stepping Stones will invoice families separately for the service provided at St. Luke's PS. A reminder that information booklets and enrolment forms can be collected from our school office. Both of these documents are also available on our school website. Bookings are to be made with Stepping Stones not our school – we will then be contacted from Stepping Stones with specific numbers for each session after school and we will then contact the taxi service in regard to this. **We will be contacting the taxi service at 1pm each day so bookings need to be completed by this time to manage the program effectively.**

The cost for each day of transport for After School Care will be \$23 for each trip. This cost is based on travel from Tallygaroopna PS to Congupna PS and it will be split evenly for the amount of children using that service each day. A summary of costs is below:

1 Child - \$23	2 Children - \$11.50	3 Children - \$7.50
4 Children - \$5.75	5 Children - \$ 4.60	6 Children - \$3.75
7 Children - \$3.25	8 Children - \$2.85	9 Children - \$2.55

Bookings are to be made to Stepping Stones no later than 1pm.

Students attending After School Care will need to leave school by Taxi at 3.15pm.

The school will be charged for the travel component of the program and then families will have separate invoices sent out.

## **8. Superclubs (Skoodle)**

Students who have returned permission forms for this online program began using it today during Information Technology classes. Specific usernames and passwords have been handed out and use of this site will be heavily monitored in and out of school hours.

Website - <http://www.skoodle.com/d/>



## **9. Zone Athletic Sports**

Next Monday 15th October, 5 students will represent our school at the Zone Athletic Sports at McEwen Reserve. On behalf of the whole school community, we wish Jordan O'Brien, Brock Austin, Daniel Bagley, Teagan Brett and Zailie Dempster all the best for the day. These children will have some practice leading up to the day – first week back. Parents will be responsible for transport on this day.

## **10. Grade 5/6 Camp**

Numbers for the camp to Queenscliff have been handed in and we are expecting to receive some more information as soon as possible. This will include specific information about the camp along with normal medical, clothing and permission forms. The camp is scheduled from Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> November until Friday 16<sup>th</sup> November.

## **11. No Pie Warmers**

As per normal, no food will be heated via the pie warmers or microwaves this term. As a result, all children will need to bring normal lunches to school.

## **12. School Values Reminder**

These values are used to support our students, teachers and parents in becoming positive citizens within their community.

**Inclusion:** including others and to not leave anyone out. It is important to let people join in if they are not playing with anyone and to involve others in decision making so that everyone gets a say.

**Respect:** being nice to others and to treat others how you would like to be treated. If you show respect you look after property that belongs to individuals and consider other peoples thoughts and opinions. Respect also involves being considerate of differences and personal space.

**Honesty:** tell the truth and own up to things in a mature manner. Individuals who are honest don't lie and always strive for their best without settling for second best.

### **13. Active After School Program – Term 4**

Our Active After School Program will begin on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> October. Tennis will be held on Monday's and Circus Tricks will be on a Tuesday. Both sessions begin at 3.35pm and conclude at 4.35pm and a fruit snack will be provided before each session. Andrea Walker will be our supervisor on a Monday and Gillian O'Brien will fulfil this role on a Tuesday. Enrolment forms can be collected from the office or accessed from our school website. A participation award will be handed out at each assembly – this will involve an icy pole voucher.

### **14. Student of the Week / Values Vault**

No awards were handed out today. This will begin next week and an Icy Pole Voucher will be awarded to individual students who are acknowledged with showing great getting along, confidence, persistence, resilience and organisation skills. The Values Vault will begin next week as well.

### **15. Term Dates**

Over the next few weeks, I will continue to update this section. Dates for TERM 4 are:

October 12 <sup>th</sup> – Life Education Van	October 15 <sup>th</sup> – Division Athletics Carnival
October 17 <sup>th</sup> – Finance & School Council 7 – <b><u>week 2</u></b>	October 19 <sup>th</sup> – Region Athletics Carnival
October 19 <sup>th</sup> – Community Tea (Parents Club)	October 21 <sup>st</sup> – Solar Boat Challenge - Melbourne
October 24 <sup>th</sup> – Science Excursion – G. 5/6	October 28 <sup>th</sup> – AASC Begins – Term 4
October 31 <sup>st</sup> – Kanga 8's Clinic	November 1 <sup>st</sup> – Bravehearts Safety (P-3)
November 5 <sup>th</sup> – Pupil Free Day (Reporting)	November 6 <sup>th</sup> – Melbourne Cup Holiday
November 6 <sup>th</sup> – Somers Camp Begins	November 13 <sup>th</sup> – Grade 5/6 Camp
November 13 <sup>th</sup> – Kindergarten Visit	November 17 <sup>th</sup> – Rotating Dinner
November 21 <sup>st</sup> – Finance & School Council 8 – <b><u>week 7</u></b>	November 21 <sup>st</sup> – Kanga 8's Tournament
November 23 <sup>rd</sup> – Motor Bike Safety Program	December 4 <sup>th</sup> – Kindergarten Visit
December 6 <sup>th</sup> – End of Year Excursion	December 11 <sup>th</sup> – Orientation Day
December 17 <sup>th</sup> – Reports Home	December 18 <sup>th</sup> – Christmas Concert
December 21 <sup>st</sup> – Last Day of Term 4	

## **Parent's Club News**

Parent's Club would also like to put a feeler out for interest in resurrecting the **ROTATING (PROGRESSIVE) DINNER** of years past. This is an event where small groups of school parents progress from host house to host house, eating 1 course of a meal at each home, throughout an evening. So that each host would prepare just one course of a meal, for a small group, and then move on to enjoy themselves at another host's home.

A proposed date for this has been suggested: Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> November, when the weather is warmer, but before the Christmas rush. Please let a parent's club member or Karen at the office know if you'd be interested in being a part of this fun social event.

## **Book Club Issue 7**

Order forms for Book Club Issue 7 went home with students today. If you would like to place an order, please return completed forms with payment by Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October. Cheques are to be made payable to Tallygaroopna Primary School.

**Activities in the Park** which is a partnership between  
**Parks Victoria and Greater Shepparton City Council**  
**free activities.**

Below is a summary of all the small towns activities:

Breaky with the Birds  
Gemmills Swamp – Mooroopna

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> December

Day at the Mill Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2013  
Days Mill – Murchison “*Photograph draw or paint*”

Guided Historic Tour                      Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> October 2012 / Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2012  
Chinamans Gardens – Mooroopna

Kite Making in the Park	
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> January 2013	Toolamba Recreation Reserve
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> January 2013	Undera Recreation Reserve
Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> January 2013	Merrigum Recreation Reserve
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> January 2013	Tallygaroopna Recreation Reserve

Performance in the Park  
Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2012

*“Roaring 20s and all the Jazz”*  
 Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> November 2012      Mooroopna Ferrari Park  
 Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> November 2012      Tatura Mactier Gardens

Scone and Tea in the Park  
Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2012

Summer Film Festival	
Saturday 1 <sup>st</sup> December 2012	Murchison's Days Mill
Saturday 23 <sup>rd</sup> February 2012	Dookie

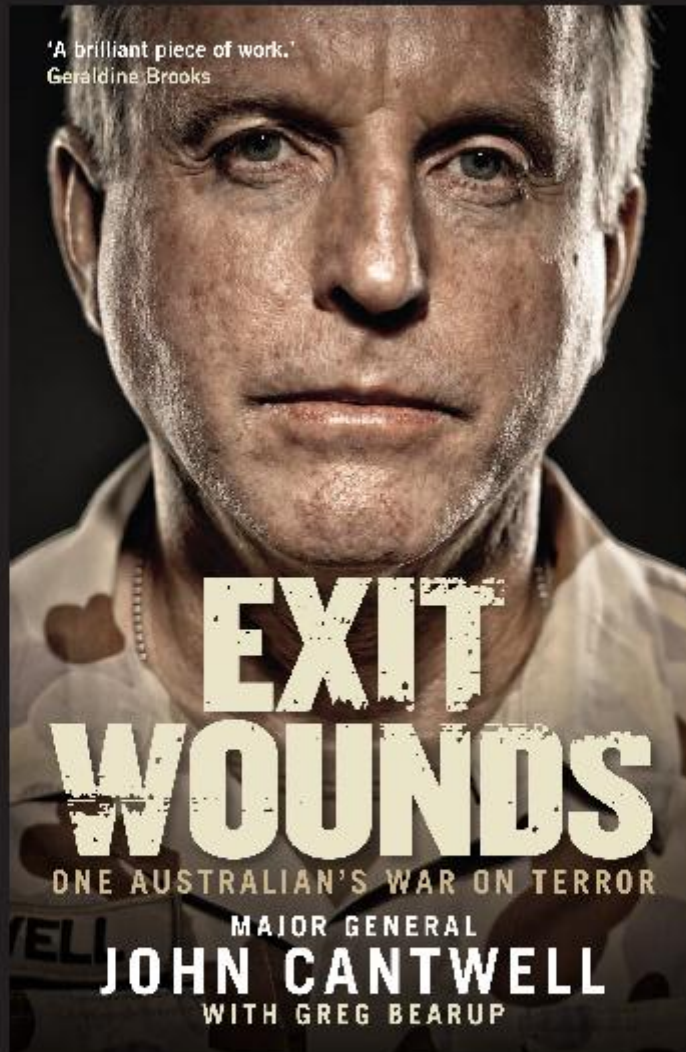
Summer Stroll Series	
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> November 2012	Undera
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> December 2012	Congupna
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> January 2013	Tatura
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> February 2013	Katandra West

Tai Chi in the Park	
Sunday 9 <sup>th</sup> December 2012	Tallygaroopna
Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> December 2012	Merrigum
Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup> February 2013	Tatura
Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup> February 2013	Katandra West
Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup> February 2013	Toolamba

# JOHN CANTWELL IN SHEPPARTON

6:30PM for a 7:00PM start  
THURSDAY 18 OCTOBER 2012  
Shepparton RSL Club, 88 Wyndham Street, Shepparton

'A brilliant piece of work.'  
Geraldine Brooks



*This is my story, but it is also the story of thousands of Australian veterans from Iraq, East Timor, Afghanistan and other conflicts who bare similar emotional scars. This is what becomes of those men and women we send off to war, pay little attention to, then forget once they are home.'*



\$25.00pp includes hot finger food, sweet selection, tea and coffee  
Tickets can be purchased and collected from  
Collins Booksellers Shepparton - 262 Maude Street, Shepparton  
(03) 5822 2679 [shepparton@collinsbooks.com.au](mailto:shepparton@collinsbooks.com.au)

**We are interested in putting together Care Packages to send to the very worthy Australian men and woman who are currently serving overseas. The idea behind this is that some troops over in Afghanistan may not have family who are able to send them packages with things they may need or things that make their time over there just that tiny bit easier.**

**There may also just be a soldier who is finding their time over there difficult and just needs a bit of cheering up. It'll get given to whoever needs it most.**

**We would love it if each family were to donate one 'thing' please see below what would be appropriate.**

For a bloke:

1 x Lynx Shower Gel Travel Size	1 x Pack of Schick Disposable Razors
1 x NON-AEROSOL Shaving Cream	1 x Lynx Roll On Deodorant
1 x Small Baby Powder (Talc)	1 x Chap Stick (SPF 30+)
3 x Bags of Allen's Lollies (NOT CHOCOLATE)	1 x Beef Instant Noodles
1 x Pack of Scotch Finger Biscuits or Anzac Biscuit (or Homemade if you want)	
2 x Canned Tuna (Pull Ring Style)	1 x Coffee Sachets or Tea Bags

For a Female:

1 x Dove soap or shower Gel	1 x Roll on Deodorant
1 x Chap Stick spf30	1 x small baby talc powder
3 x bags of Lollies	1 x Toothbrush and Paste
1 x Breath fresh mints	

All those free shampoo and conditioner/face Cream/hand cream samples you accumulate or can get from your chemist and beauty counters

1 x Pack of Anzac Biscuits or Ginger Nuts (or Homemade if you wish)

1 x Coffee Sachets – Latte etc or Tea Bags

This is only a guide of what is suitable to send. Please don't feel limited to these things.

Things that are not suitable are:

\*Clothing, except socks

\*Aerosols,

\*Pork,

\*chocolate (melts)

**You may wish to also include a self-addressed envelope and a letter from your family.**

**Some of the classes will be writing a letter of support.**

**Mrs. Haberfield will be collecting the donations and making up the care packages, so if you would like to donate something please have it to school by the 19<sup>th</sup> of October.**



# TWILIGHT STROLL



Greater Shepparton  
on the move

Friday  
19 October  
2012

Depart from  
Aquamoves or  
Chinamans Gardens  
in Mooroopna  
**5.30pm**



Register on the night  
**EVERYTHING PROVIDED FREE**

Shuttle bus will be departing KidsTown to Aquamoves  
carpark and Chinamans Gardens Mooroopna from 6.30pm

The Twilight Stroll is a volunteer run event. If you would like to become a volunteer,  
have special requirements or would like further details contact Greater Shepparton City  
Council's Leisure Facilities Branch on (03) 5832 9431 or visit [www.onthemoove.com.au](http://www.onthemoove.com.au)

Take the stroll to SPC Ardmona KidsTown and on arrival enjoy  
FREE entertainment including jumping castles, games and  
activities, musical entertainment, miniature trains,  
health checks, BBQ and much more.



In the event of flooding across the Peter Ross Edwards Causeway the Stroll will depart  
from Aquamoves and activities will be held at the Victoria Park Lake

Partner organisations



# **TALLYGAROPNA SPORTS CLUB**

**HOST NORTHERNERS CRICKET CLUB**

**OPEN FRIDAY AND SATURDAY NIGHTS**

**6PM TILL LATE**

**BIG SCREEN TV, POOL TABLE, AND MUSIC.**

**\*HEAVY BEER \$3.00, \*LIGHT BEER \$2.50, \*SPIRIT CANS \$6.00**

**\*SOFT DRINK \$2.00 AND LOTS MORE.....**

## **FRIDAY NIGHT MEALS**

**DINE IN OR TAKE AWAY**

**CATERERS IN OCTOBER**

- 5<sup>TH</sup> TALLY FOOTBALL CLUB(UNDER18'S)
- 12<sup>TH</sup> NORTHERNERS JUNIOR CRICKET
- 19<sup>TH</sup> TALLY PRIMARY SHCOOL
- 26<sup>TH</sup> TALLY LIONS CLUB

**CATERERS IN NOVEMBER**

- 2<sup>ND</sup> TALLY BOWLING CLUB
- 9<sup>TH</sup> TALLY FOOTBALL CLUB (THIRDS)
- 16<sup>TH</sup> NORTHERNERS JUNIOR CRICKET
- 23<sup>RD</sup> TALLY LIONS CLUB
- 30<sup>TH</sup> TALLY BOWLING CLUB

**INQUIRIES CALL EITHER KRISTIAN(GINGE) 0457673525 or TRENT 0408210382**

Mooroopna Education & Activity Centre

# INFANT FIRST AID

THURSDAY NOV 1ST

6.30pm-9.00pm

\$35.00 per person (\$60 couple)

Phone: 58 251774 TO BOOK

