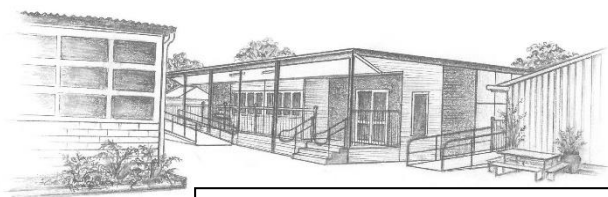


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News from the Principal's Desk

Hi everyone

Last week was a busy one with some extra curricula activities taking place. These included the Cricket Tournament, Yachting Program and the 3rd Orientation Day. The end to the 2017 school year is fast approaching and there are many more great events taking place over the next few weeks – many are featured in this edition of the newsletter.

A big thank you to the parents who helped with extra curricula events at Nathalia and Shepparton last week. Your support is greatly appreciated and as always it is wonderful to see our families involved in these programs.

This week, we have the Sink or Swim Program being implemented with the whole school on Wednesday and this session is always a fun way to follow up the formal Swimming Program that was held at Aquamoves recently.

Some information has been sent home already in regard to the End of Year Excursion at the Whittlesea Fun Fields and the Xmas Concert. These are held on the 7th and 12th December respectively – so please RSVP for these by the dates indicated in this newsletter to assist with planning. Both of these are fun and enjoyable programs – please contact the school if you need any clarification in regard to these.

Also last week, families received some raffle tickets for a Memorabilia Raffle which has kindly been donated by the Bemrose family. Please try and sell these raffle tickets if you can – if not, feel free to return them to school so that someone else may be able to use these.

Two of our Specialist Programs (PE. & Italian) have been formally announced for 2018 and we look forward to some more announcements over the next couple of weeks. Join with me, in congratulating Mrs Montgomery and Mrs Ceravolo on their appointments for a further 12 months.

Finally, good luck to Tayla (Minnie) Robertson who again ventures overseas to follow her dreams with BMX. We all wish her luck at the BXM Grand Nationals in the U.S.A and look forward to a full report when she returns to school.

I look forward to catching up with some parents throughout the week. Mrs Armstrong will be at the office until Thursday, to address any issues if needed. Have a great week everyone.

David Brodie (Principal)

"There are no secrets to success. It is the result of preparation, hard work, and learning from failure".

Colin Powell

**PLAYGROUP WILL BE HELD ON THURSDAY 30th NOVEMBER AT 9AM IN THE MULTI PURPOSE ROOM
– ALL ARE WELCOME.**

THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS FOR 2018 WILL BE TUESDAY 30TH JANUARY. THE SCHOOL WILL BE OPEN ON MONDAY 29TH JANUARY FROM MIDDAY ONWARDS – STAFF WILL BE AT CONGUPNA PS COMPLETING A CPR UPDATE FIRST THING IN THE MORNING.

CAN ANY OUTSTANDING PAYMENTS FOR EXCURSIONS/CAMPS/FEEs BE PAID FOR ASAP PLEASE.

**Random Acts of Kindness
– this week's givers are: Chantelle, Lachlan G, Beau, Hazel. Well done to Oscar and Bohdi for last week.**

***Enviro Kids Tip of the Week:
Be sure to take a moment to separate your rubbish correctly into landfill, recyclable or compostable.***

A REMINDER TO ALL FAMILIES TO ADDRESS INFORMATION IN THE ENVELOPE WHICH WAS STAPLED TO THE XMAS CONCERT FLYER SENT HOME LAST WEEK.

DIRECT BANK DEPOSIT

Account Name:

Tallygaropna Primary School

BSB: 063—527

Account number: 00907788

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

Article of the Week – News Report (Tayla Robertson)
Shepparton News – Nov 16th 2017

Tayla Robertson and Cooper Bromley are on their way to race in the biggest competition in the world. The Shepparton BMX Club riders will fly to the United States next week and take to the track at the BMX Grand Nationals. Both are supreme talents with Robertson, 11, having already competed in Belgium aged nine, while Bromley, 16, has lined up in A-men races.

Shepparton BMX Club spokesman Levi Collins said there was no bigger stage than the Grand Nationals in Oklahoma, which begin next Wednesday. “It’s the greatest race on earth, it’s pretty much the biggest race, it’s even bigger than the worlds (World Championships), it’s over four or five days — that’s how big it is,” he said. “If you win, it’s nearly more valued than a world title as such, if you’re the best that’s where you go.”

Shepparton riders have raced in the US in the past, with Gian Renato this year crowned world champion in the 13 years boys’ event in South Carolina. But it is the first time Shepparton talents will head to the BMX Grand Nationals. With thousands of riders from across the world attending, Cooper’s father Luke said experiencing one of the pinnacles of the sport had been on his son’s radar for a while. “For Cooper it’s been something that he’s been wanting to do for a long time,” he said. “He sets goals and he’s been setting this for probably two years now and one of Tayla’s friends is going, so she decided she’d go as well.”

As many riders make the most of their opportunities to head interstate and overseas, Collins said it was fantastic to have another pair jet off. “It’s definitely good to see local riders getting out of Shepp and representing their club and country and going overseas,” he said. “It’s good to see local riders making the most of what the council has done here (with the track).” Bromley and Robertson will have an ideal lead-up into the event, testing themselves against the best in the state when they contest the Victorian State Titles in Melbourne this weekend.



<http://www.sheppnews.com.au/2017/11/16/119750/grandest-stage-of-them-all>

Dear Parents,

In years past, we have participated in the Kmart Wishing Tree and it was brought up at a Junior School Council Meeting last week that students would like to participate again.

We, the Teachers at Tally are so gratified and pleased with the response that we have had in the past. We have so many wonderful reports of children doing lots of chores and extra jobs to earn a few dollars to contribute.

This year we wanted to continue this wonderful tradition and have decided that this year we will participate in The Kmart Wishing Tree and toys will be purchased to donate to this Charity event. The alternative is that you can buy a toy to add to our donation.

So, Parents, please talk with your child about ways that he or she can actively give something. The teachers would like this to be meaningful for your children, and if everyone's parents just give them money it won't teach our children the spirit of giving. You might consider having your child do extra jobs to earn money to donate or having them use some of their pocket money. This is not mandatory and you are under no obligation to participate. We understand that Christmas can be a hard time for some families. Please work out a plan that is right for your family.

We would like the money to be in no later than the 15th of December. (That will give teachers time to buy the gifts.)

We think this will again, be a wonderful project to share a little of what we have with others who are in need.

Thanks!

Photos of the Week – Men's Shed Visit



RSPV'S DUE DATES FOR END OF YEAR ACTIVITIES

Please be prompt with these to assist with organisation of these days. Your support is greatly appreciated.

End of Year Excursion to Whittlesea Fun Fields – Thursday 23rd November

End of Year Xmas Concert – Friday 1st December

Photos of the Week – Cricket Tournament

Thanks to our great parents who assisted on the day with transport, umpiring and scoring on such a hot day.



**IT'S NOT OK
TO BE AWAY**

Photos of the Week – Yachting Program

Thanks to our great parents who assisted on the day with transport.



FINAL NOTE FOR 15 MILE CREEK CAMP

- First Day: Students don't need to have any food with them. Lunch and Morning Tea will be provided upon arrival at 15 Mile Creek.
- Pack good walking shoes – we will do plenty of miles.
- All students should have a hat, drink bottle that can be filled easily and a back pack.
- Tally PS will organise some general sports equipment.
- We will be picked up at Tally PS at 8.30am, Congupna PS at 8.45am and at Dookie PS at 9.15am on Tuesday 28th November. We are aiming to arrive back at Dookie PS at 2.30pm, Congupna PS at 3pm and at Tally PS at 3.15pm on Friday 1st December.
- No lollies are to be brought to the camp.
- I Pods, expensive cameras...etc are not to come on the camp. The schools involved take no responsibility for any loss or damage that occurs on the camps. Staff will take plenty of photos and make these available to all schools.
- Staff will bring their own medical, permission and consent forms from their respective schools.

Looking forward to it everyone
Mr Brodie and Mrs Haberfield



Photos of the Week – Orientation Program Fun



TALLYGAROPNA
PRIMARY SCHOOL
PRIDES ITSELF ON
BEING A COMMUNITY
SCHOOL

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

Supervision – before and after school hours

A reminder to families that children should be in attendance at school before 9am, but teacher supervision will not be provided before 8.30am.

Reminder to town students to aim to be at school before 8.50 am on Mondays and Thursdays if wanting to be part of the Breakfast Program. Entry to the Program officially closes at 8.55 am – we cannot serve breakfast to students coming in after this time.

IF ALL FAMILIES COULD DONATE A BOX OF TISSUES TO THE SCHOOL THIS WOULD BE APPRECIATED. THESE CAN BE DROPPED OFF AT THE OFFICE.

Mrs H. is interested in starting up a Ladies Tuesday Night Indoor Netball Team. Season starts 20th November at Major League Sports McGill Street Shepp. Times will vary most weeks. If you are interested please contact her on 040087920. Cost will be \$9 a game.







Sink or Swim Program

This program will be held at school on Wednesday 22nd November from 2pm until 3pm. The focus of this morning is on Water Safety with the summer months fast approaching. No permission forms are needed, because this informal program is held at school. Just contact the school if you would prefer for your child to not participate.

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

– Term 4 / Week 5

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



<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Foundation / Grade 1</u> <u>Mr F's Curious Caterpillars</u> Jodie</p> 	<p>Jodie received this award for being here every day that Mr. Flood has been here and for always doing her best in all her challenges. Great effort Jodie!</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Grade 1/2</u> <u>Miss L's Crafty Cats</u> Lloyd</p> 	<p>Lloyd received this award for the fantastic effort he consistently puts into his learning. Lloyd works hard to up-level his writing pieces, practises his spelling regularly, and reads his chapter books with great expression. Well done, Lloyd!</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Grade 3/4</u> <u>Mrs H's Mad Hatters</u> Joshua</p> 	<p>Joshua received this award for the enthusiasm & co-operation he showed this week in class. He was a great help to Mrs Monty & Ms Wright while Mrs H was absent. Superb effort Joshua!</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Grade 5/6</u> <u>Miss L's Funky Monkeys</u> Zoe</p> 	<p>Zoe received this award for the amount of effort she displayed in all areas of her school work. I have noticed that she has been persistent when the tasks have been challenging. Keep up the great work!</p>

Values Vault Winner for Week 5 was Chantelle
Enviro Kids Sustainable Classroom of the Week – Grade 1/2

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

– Term 4 / Week 6

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

<p><u>Foundation / Grade 1</u> <u>Mr F's Curious Caterpillars</u> Cooper</p> 	<p>Cooper received this award for working purposefully in designing a chair for Baby Bear, working as a team and sharing construction ideas with Mr Hosking.</p>
<p><u>Grade 1/2</u> <u>Miss L's Crafty Cats</u> Gemma</p> 	<p>Gemma puts so much effort into her work and always takes care to produce quality handwriting. I have also been very impressed with her spelling results this term. Great work, Gemma!</p>
<p><u>Grade 3/4</u> <u>Mrs H's Mad Hatters</u> Sam</p> 	<p>Sam received this award for the great work and effort he has put into his schoolwork last week in particular his Big Write and Spelling. Great work Buddy!</p>
<p><u>Grade 5/6</u> <u>Miss L's Funky Monkeys</u> Jessica & Leah</p>  	<p>Jessica and Leah received this award for the awesome teamwork they used by discussing and trialling their decisions to incorporate a mixture of 2D and 3D shapes to create their summer holiday housed creation.</p>

Values Vault Winner for Week 6 was Lachie M
Enviro Kids Sustainable Classroom of the Week – Grade 1/2 & Grade 3/4

1. Memorabilia Raffle

Raffle tickets went home with the eldest child in each family last Friday. There are 20 tickets in each book which are \$2 each and money collected is due at the office by Wednesday 6th December. Special thanks to the Bemrose family for the kind donations. We hope to draw the winners of this raffle at the Xmas Concert on Wednesday 13th December.



2. Graduation Dinner / Grade 6 Cluster Lunch

Plans are in place for the first ever Grade 6 Graduation Dinner. We look like having this event at school in the Multi Purpose Room on Wednesday 20th December and the dinner will involve Grade 6 students and current and long standing staff at Tallygaroopna PS. The tea would be provided by the Parents Club and would begin at 6pm (lasagne, salad and chips) and we hope that some of the Grade 5 students will be able to come to the evening and act as waiters (white shirt and black pants required). The formal Graduation Ceremony would begin in the Project Room at 7pm and the whole school community is invited to the night. We hope to wrap up the night by 8pm at the latest. More details will follow soon.

There is a Grade 6 Cluster Lunch at Pizza Hunt planned on the 20th Dec also – more details to follow.

3. Communication with staff - Reminder

At Tallygaroopna PS, we value the two-way link between home and school and it essential that positive communication occurs always. This is vital and our parents and staff generally do a great job with this. However, at times teachers or parents receive messages in a variety of forms (text messages, class dojo..etc) where sometimes the tone of the message is not really clear. It is also important for the School Community to respect the personal time of others also outside of school hours and always contact the school first if possible.

Therefore, it is better for everyone to communicate personally by either phone or at school so that all communication is clear and concise and no mixed messages occur. If some time to discuss an issue is needed as well, please make an appointment because we are all busy people in our workplace and in our private lives – especially during this time of the year. We are always looking to do this better - this is just one thing for all of us to work on.

4. Absence Notes

Could the attached form be used for Absences please - this went home again today. The other alternative is to do an absence on Flexibuzz. Both of these are the preferred methods because they are completed immediately. If either of these are not convenient - please ring the school. Formal notes are needed for audit records and your support would be appreciated. We would prefer no text messages.

What happens if absences continue – 7 days a term turns into 28 days a year, which turns into 196 days over 7 years. This results in a child missing 1 whole year of their Primary School years – something for all of us to think about!

5. Production DVD's – last reminder

These can now be collected at the office once payment of \$20 has been made for each copy. Thanks to Masters Video Productions for being prompt with these for families.

6. School Fees

These have been approved at School Council and are summarised below – fees will remain the same next year with no changes. With the new Education Department Guidelines specific items need to be itemised hence some minor differences between fees for different year levels.

Foundation \$165	Grade 1 / Grade 2 \$140	Grade 3 / Grade 4 \$150	Grade 5 / Grade 6 \$155
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7. Christmas Concert – date change

This night has changed and will now be held on Tuesday 12th December, because of cricket commitments for a number of students in the school – sorry for any inconvenience. All families will have received a formal letter about this evening last week – please RSVP to assist with catering by Friday 1st December. Please make sure you also open the Special envelope and address this information ASAP.

8. OSH Care Fees for 2018

At School Council we decided to increase OSH Care slightly, beginning for the 2018 school year. This is the first increase of fees since the beginning of OSH Care in 2014. These will be \$22 for Casual places, \$20 for Permanent places and \$12 for places which conclude before 4.30pm. There has been some interest in the full time position for 2018 and we are enquiring in regard to qualifications and suitability at present.

9. Bus Costs Proposal

All bus travellers for 2018 should have received a formal letter from School Council last week in regard to a proposal to introduce and increase some fees in regard to bus use for next year. The school currently makes a large financial contribution in supporting families, so some changes are necessary in line with increasing costs. We welcome any feedback before this proposal is reviewed and endorsed at School Council in early December. If you did not receive this letter, which was sent by mail – contact the school and a new letter will be sent home immediately.

10. End of Year Excursion

Planning for the trip to Whittlesea Fun Fields is progressing well and we can confirm that this day will be held on Thursday 7th December. The Parents Club have kindly offered to subsidise some of the entry fee to Fun Fields along with the bus. As a result, tickets will be \$20 per student and \$35 per parent / guardian. This cost is significantly reduced but no changes in prices will be made to any families choosing to drive down by car. Normal general admission ranges from \$37 to \$45 per person.

This can be paid to the office now. Bus arrangements will cater for 2x 57 seats - **Please book your spot now to avoid disappointment.** The Fun Park is open from 10am until 4.30pm, so we anticipate leaving Tallygaroopna PS at about 7.30am and leaving at 4.30pm. We should arrive back at school by about 6.30pm. Alerts regarding arrival will be updated frequently via Flexibuzz.

This day is strictly for students of the school and parents / guardians. If families wish to bring other siblings other arrangements will need to be made in regard to travel and entry to Fun Fields – but please consult with the School Principal in regard to this. If anyone is attending but is not part of the School Group – normal gate prices will apply. Students can be supervised by staff on the day if needed as well if parents / guardians are unable to attend – please let us know ASAP.

Can all families return the End of Year Excursion (Whittlesea Fun Fields) slip that was sent home with the eldest family member from our school last week please with payments enclosed. Numbers need to be confirmed by this Thursday 23rd November.

11. Policies to Endorse

At School Council, we will be reviewing a number of policies and endorsing these at the last meeting of the year in December. These have been sent out via Flexibuzz and we welcome any feedback. The policies being reviewed are:

Student Engagement Policy for 2018
Care Arrangements for Ill Students Policy
First Aid Policy
Duty of Care Policy

E Smart Policy for 2018
Illness & Injury Notification Policy
Mandatory Reporting Policy
Communication Procedures

12. Enrolments / Grade Structures for 2018

At present, we look like beginning the new year with 79 students which is a great result for our school. Therefore, we will be having a 4th classroom again in 2018 and we are currently working on grade placements which we hope to confirm in the next couple of weeks. The grade structure for 2018 will be the following, but class numbers may change with any future alterations to enrolments.

Junior School

Foundation / Grade 1 – 20 students

Mr Ian Flood – maternity leave position

Grade 2 / Grade 3 – 20 students

Miss Liss Lothian

Senior School

Grade 3 / Grade 4 – 19 students

Mrs Claire Haberfield

Grade 5 / Grade 6 – 20 students

Miss Dee Love

We are over the moon, that we can again offer low classroom sizes across the whole school. This will obviously make our school an attractive learning environment for the future. If you would like to discuss grade placements for Grade 3 students could you see Mr Brodie ASAP please. We anticipate having all of our classroom teachers for 2018 attend the State-wide Orientation Day which will be held on Tuesday 12th December.

13. Specialist Programs

We can confirm that Specialist programs in P.E. and Italian will continue next year and we are currently finalising processes for Music, Library and Art as well. In 2018, Science will be implemented by classroom teachers – which we are looking forward to.

P.E. – 1 day a week for all classes (Mrs Montgomery)

Italian – 1 day a fortnight for all classes (Mrs Ceravolo)

14. Buses for 2018

Below is the current list for next year, if this is incorrect can you contact the school immediately please. We are still working on arrangements for the bus service for 2018. All families will be updated via Flexibuzz on a regular basis, but we look like having 2 runs similar to this year with our buses so that all families can be included.

Dan Klein	Jade Klein	Lilly Walker	Zoe Collins
Josh Collins	Lachie Mawson	Beau Voss	Jake Buckland
Oscar Buckland	James Mawson	Sienna Elliott	Lynn Rutten
Gemma Thomas	Tait Buckland	Lloyd Akers	Imogen Castles
Lara Tielen	Alira Bux	Ryder Thomas	Jodi Rutten
Max Grinter	Zane Brown	Jai Brown	Bailey Mawson – F
Opal Castles – F	Amelia Castles – F	Oliver – G6	Zoey – G1

15. Curriculum Day – Pupil Free

The final Curriculum Day for 2017 will be held on Friday 8th December. This will be the day after the End of Year Excursion and staff will be busily finalising School Reports on this day. No students will be required at school on this day, so families will need to make alternative arrangements.

16. Sporting Schools Program

Sessions after school begin at 3.35pm and will finish at 4.35pm. Students receive a healthy snack before the program begins for all sessions. Students need to be picked up immediately after each session.

A summary of specific dates remaining for Term 4 are below.

Baseball – all sessions at school	Tennis – all sessions at school
Session 5 - Monday 20 th November	Session 4 - Tuesday 21 st November
Session 6 - Monday 27 th November	Session 5 - Tuesday 28 th November
Session 7 - Monday 4 th December	Session 6 - Tuesday 5 th December
	Session 7 - Tuesday 12 th December



17. Australian Fitness Education Award

Over the next few PE sessions, students in Grades 5/6 will be participating in some running activities which are part of the AFEA. Good running shoes are required. This program focuses on individual fitness, flexibility and co-ordination. The aim for all students is to improve on their own performance over time. The testing is conducted over a few weeks and will indicate progress in relation to general fitness. If you would like to know more about this program please contact the school. It is now a major part of the Physical Education and Health Assessment for this year and results will be put into Student Books. All student results will remain confidential.

18. Playgroup Dates

This program continues next week and will be coordinated by John Hosking. Community members are invited to drop in with their little ones and have a tea / coffee and a chat. Playgroup is every fortnight and begins at 9am and concludes at 11am. Specific dates remaining for 2017 are below – these are all open to change:

Term 4 – November 30th, December 14th

19. Outside School Hours Care

OSH Care is available on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday only – we are only licenced for these 3 days at present. **A reminder to all families that a new enrolment form for 2017 must be filled in for any children utilising this service. This form is available on our School Website.**

http://www.tally-ps-3067.vic.edu.au/uploaded_files/media/enrolment_form_2017.pdf

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.**

Hi Parents!

Next year the Mad Cow Mud Run will be held again at Shepparton/Ardmona Kids Town on the 3rd of March 2018. Early Bird Registrations have opened and so far we have 3 registrations. Currently Early Bird Registration is \$25.

If your child/ren would like to be involved please follow the link and register under team

'Tallygaroopna Primary School'

password : Tally2017

To access your registration details - [Click Here](#)

This will involve school students (ages 5-12) but will not be a school event and as such you will need to register, deliver and supervise your own child/ren, if you would like to join in the fun.

Mrs. H



Welcome to Tallygaroopna Primary School.

The following days have been scheduled for new Foundation students for 2018.

This Orientation Program is essential to starting school.

The dates are:

Day 1 – Tuesday 17th October (9am-11am)

Day 2 – Tuesday 31st October (9am-11:30am)

Day 3 – Wednesday 15th November (9am-2pm)

Day 4 – Tuesday 12th December - **change** (all day)

I look forward to seeing you soon,

Mr Flood / Miss Beer

Foundation/One Classroom Teacher



PLEASE BE CONSCIOUS OF THE DATE CHANGE FOR DAY 4 WITH THE ORIENTATION PROGRAM. SORRY FOR ANY INCONVENIENCE.

Enviro Kids Sustainable Classroom of the Week

A new student-led initiative called the Enviro Kids started a couple of weeks ago. This group consists of some volunteers from the grade 3 and 4 classroom. It is being trialled this year and will become an ongoing endeavour in the future with volunteers across the school. Chantelle, Sam, Jake and Aden are our Enviro Kids for this year.

This group has been started as part of our ResourceSmart Schools Program and aims to encourage all students to think about:

1. the way electricity, paper and water are used in the classroom/grounds
2. how much waste is produced in the classroom and how this could be minimised or disposed of in an environmentally-friendly way

The role of the Enviro Kids is to assess each classroom (and office) once a week using a checklist. This checklist rates things such as:

1. lights are only on if necessary (should blinds be open or closed?)
2. split systems are set at appropriate settings
3. lights and splits are not left on over recess or lunch unnecessarily
4. windows opened to catch a breeze or closed if split system is on
5. students bring Nude Food lunches as much as possible
6. waste is correctly separated in the appropriate bin - landfill, recyclable, food/compostable or soft plastic recyclable
7. making sure paper is used efficiently ie. Double-sided where possible, can other media be used?

The Enviro Kids record the results of the Checklist onto the Enviro Kids Class Dojo using an iPad so that they don't waste paper! They also announce the winning classroom at assembly each week and offer an environmentally friendly tip which is published in the newsletter.

Teachers may also award Class Dojo points to students who remember to pick up rubbish, turn off or report dripping taps, mulch or weed gardens, etc.

Points accumulate each week and the class with the highest points at the end of the year is acknowledged as the most sustainable classroom.



END OF YEAR EXCURSION – TALLYGAROPNA PS

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Can all families return this Excursion slip with payments enclosed. Numbers need to be confirmed by Thursday 23rd November.



END OF YEAR EXCURSION – Thursday 7th December

Family Name –

Parents / Guardians Attending (names) –

Tallygaroopna PS Students Attending (names) –

Travelling by – Bus / Personal Car (indicate Please)

Is Staff Supervision Needed – Yes / No

Amount Enclosed -

Costs - \$20 for Tally PS students / \$35 for Parents & Guardians



END OF YEAR CHRISTMAS CONCERT TALLYGAROPNA PRIMARY SCHOOL



We have scheduled this night for Tuesday 12th December beginning at 5.30pm with tea if families wish. A BBQ will be provided by the local Lions Club and will include Sausages, Hamburgers and Egg and Bacon Sandwiches. Drinks will include Water and Soft Drinks – prices will be available on the night. The BBQ will conclude at 6.30pm. Tally PS and the Lions Club are holding this evening for the Coin for Kids Program where 50% of funds raised goes to a charity of the schools choice and 50% to lions club charity (Kids Cancer Research)

This will be a very informal night with some Christmas Carols at 6.30pm and presentations to families leaving the school. The Grade 6 students will perform a song as well and families are welcome to bring their own salad if they wish. Santa will be arriving on the night at about 7.30pm and we are hoping to invite new children and families who will be at our school next year. **Families should receive a small note about the night this week in a sealed envelope.**

For Catering Purposes (to assist the Lions Club) could the following be filled in and returned to the office before Friday 1st December. If this is not returned we will assume that you will be unavailable on this evening.

Powerpoint presentations of Grade 6 students can be viewed in Project Room from 5.30pm to 6.30pm before the Xmas Concert begins.

Our family.....will be coming to the Family BBQ night before the Christmas Concert / Graduation Night on Tuesday 12th December. We will need to be catered for people.

Signed.....



ABSENCE NOTE – 2017



Student's Name.....

Class..... Date of Absence.....

Reason.....

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Signed.....



ABSENCE NOTE – 2017



Student's Name.....

Class..... Date of Absence.....

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ABSENCE NOTE – 2017



Student's Name.....

Class..... Date of Absence.....

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Signed.....



Shepparton Notre Junior Football Club

Information Night

Season 2018

When: Tuesday 21st of November 2017

Time: 6pm- 7.00pm (6.10pm start)

**Where: Shepparton Football Netball Club, FJ Edwards
Social Rooms, Deakin Reserve.**

Who: U/14, U/16 & Youth girls

Shepparton Notre Junior Football Club is a successful, inclusive and well established football club that has developed:

- *Clear pathways from Junior Football into the Senior Club Environment.*
- *Access to well educated coaches with a football structure that is sound and successful.*
- *A fun and enjoyable family club environment.*
- *A focus on junior football that ensures that every child is valued, receives individual feedback and is afforded every opportunity to improve skill level.*

The SNJFC Committee and coaching staff are looking forward to addressing existing players from the 2017 season as well as new players at all levels who are ready to enjoy their football at a proud and exciting football club.

For further information about the Shepparton Notre Junior Football Club please contact **President Mark Washington on 0417 123698.**

TALLY P.S. CALENDAR – TERM 4 2017

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
6 Breakfast Club SS - Baseball	7 Melb. Cup H'day	8 OSH School Council Cricket at TPS Newsletter - full	9 OSH Breakfast Club	10 OSH Art Men Shed Visit 9 Remembrance Day Ceremony Cricket at TPS
13 Breakfast Club Mini Newsletter Buddies SS - Baseball Kanga 8s	14 Chaplain SS - Tennis	15 OSH Orientat. Day 3 Yachting Prog. Cricket at TPS Speech Therapy Chaplain	16 OSH Chaplain Breakfast Club Playgroup	17 OSH LOTE / Library Music Cricket at TPS
20 Breakfast Club Newsletter - full SS - Baseball	21 Chaplain PE / SCIENCE SS - Tennis	22 OSH Sink or Swim	23 OSH Chaplain Breakfast Club	24 OSH Art Men Shed Visit 10 Chaplain Cricket at TPS - 25
27 Breakfast Club Mini Newsletter Buddies SS – Baseball 15 Mile at TPS	28 Chaplain SS - Tennis	29 OSH Cricket at TPS	30 OSH Chaplain / P. Group Breakfast Club	1 OSH LOTE / Library Music
15 MILE CREEK CAMP – GRADE 3/4- Mrs Haberf. (4 days), Mr Brodie (Thur, Fri)				
4 Breakfast Club Newsletter - full SS - Baseball Parents Club Mtg	5 Chaplain PE / SCIENCE SS - Tennis	6 OSH School Council Cricket at TPS Raffle Tickets Due	7 End of Yr Excurs.	8 Curriculum Day Pupil Free Day Cricket at TPS Choir Perf – 9th

NOVEMBER / DECEMBER

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
11 Breakfast Club Mini Newsletter	12 State Orientation SS - Tennis Chaplain Xmas Concert	13 OSH Cricket at TPS	14 OSH Breakfast Club Chaplain Playgroup	15 OSH LOTE / Music Art - TBC (8 th) Cricket at TPS
18 Breakfast Club Newsletter - full Reports Home	19 Chaplain PE / SCIENCE	20 OSH Graduation Din. Grade 6 Lunch	21 OSH Breakfast Club Chaplain Muck Up Day	22 OSH Men Shed Visit ? End of Term – 2.25
25	26	27	28	29
SCHOOL HOLIDAYS				
1	2	3	4	5
SCHOOL HOLIDAYS				
8	9	10	11	12
SCHOOL HOLIDAYS				

DECEMBER / JANUARY