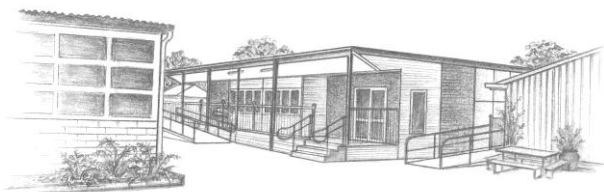


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SCHOOL VALUES - RESPECT, HONESTY & INCLUSION

NEWSLETTER

TERM 2 NO.9 15th April 2013

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Hats are still compulsory for all students until the end of April.

Finance & School Council will be held next Wednesday 24th April.

Next Thursday is a Public Holiday because of Anzac Day. The Ceremony in Shepparton begins at 11am.

AASC Forms are due by Friday 26th April

Hi everyone,

I hope all parents and children had a happy and enjoyable Easter break – how time flies when you are having fun. This period was a good opportunity to recharge the batteries and freshen up because Term 2 will be just as busy and full as the first few months.

The last week of term was very successful with the Athletics Sports being held at McEwen Reserve. It was great to see so many parents at this day and your assistance was greatly appreciated. I have had lots of positive feedback about the school marquee which is terrific and we look forward to continuing to use this resource many times into the future. A big thank you to the many parents who assisted with the Easter Raffle and Munch N Crunch on the last Thursday as well – your support is always first class. It was also great to see so many people from our school community participate in the Bonnet Parade as well, which was a bit of fun.

This term, we will be focusing on Anzac Day for the first couple of weeks and then settling into our major themes which are on Mini Beasts (P-4) and Australia (5/6). Our Bike Education Program begins in a couple of weeks and some more detailed information will be provided in next week's newsletter. Bikes being used will need to be checked thoroughly by Mrs Montgomery before this program begins. There are many items listed under the Term Dates subheading – so I encourage all families to pencil some of these into your own diaries at home. A few will need to be confirmed still.

Karen will be in the office until Thursday this week, if any matters need addressing. Have a great week everyone and I look forward to catching up with parents at the Community Forum on Friday night.

David Brodie
Teaching Principal

Tallygaroopna Community Plan Survey

https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/Tallygaroopna_Community_Plan

WHO MATTERS ? – OUR KIDSMATTER!!!!

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE THE NEWSLETTER VIA EMAIL – PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE.
THE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER IS ALSO AVAILABLE ON OUR SCHOOL WEBSITE.

There is a late arrivals, early departures (students) and visitor's (parents) book that needs to be signed at the office counter on a regular basis if the need arises. This will aid our emergency management of the school.

Athletic Sports – More Photos!!!



Easter Bonnet Parade

Congratulations to all of the students, staff and parents who participated in the Easter Bonnet Parade during the last day of Term 1. We saw some terrific hats on display and it was great to see everyone participate and have a bit of fun leading into Easter. The winners of the Easter Bonnet Parade were:

Prep / Grade 1 – Grace

Grade 2/3/4 – Ryan

Grade 5/6 – Abby

Adults – Mrs H





1. Attendance Awards

Congratulations to the following students who have had outstanding attendance for Term 1 (95% or above) and have been able to maximise their potential for learning. At Tallygaroopna PS, we are extremely proud of student's attendance rate and this speaks highly for the engaging and motivating programs which are implemented at school. These awards were presented at assembly today.

Term 1 (40 students – an increase from last year where we had 33 students reach 95%)

Prep / Grade 1 (14 students) - Jessica Bassett, Zane Brown, Jake Buckland, Mathew Church, Nicholas Church, Taylah Groves, Samuel Haberfield, Tomas Haberfield, Dan Klein, Jade Klein, Declan Newbound, Tayla Robertson, Brock Rumsey, Alicia Sprunt

Grade 2/3/4 (16 students) – Mitchell Bassett, Kelsie Dempster, Jack Fleming, Stephanie Fleming, Cohan Hall, Preston Hall, Bill Klein, Jacob McHale, Bailey McNab, Kyle Montgomery, Ashleigh Moore, Jordan O'Brien, Brooke Voss, Ryan Voss, Eloise Walker, Harvey Walker

Grade 5/6 (10 students) – Brock Austin, Teagan Brett, Tyson Clough, Abby Klein, Taylah McKenzie, Connor McNab, Brittany Meyland, Brenton O'Brien, Harri Ring, Haymish Wilson

2. Easter Raffle

A huge thank you to the many families who sold raffle tickets for the Easter Raffle last term. The school was able to raise \$247.50 for the Royal Children's Hospital Appeal which was a great effort. The lucky Easter Raffle winners are listed below.

1st – Fiona Fleming
3rd – Abby Klein
5th – Brock Austin
7th – Sam Haberfield
9th – Jordan O'Brien
11th – Jack Fleming
13th – Brock Austin
15th – Brooke Voss
17th – Mitchell Bassett
19th – Nicholas Church
21st – Clayton Groves
23rd – Brenton O'Brien

2nd – Newbound Family
4th – Mitchell Bassett
6th – Jessica Bassett
8th – Russell Egan (c/o – McNab Family)
10th – Jack Fleming
12th – Collins Family
14th – Burgess Family
16th – Sally Brodie
18th – Zailie Dempster
20th – Zane Brown
22nd – Zailie Dempster
24th – Jordan O'Brien



3. NAPLAN

The National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) is an annual assessment for students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9. It has been an annual event for schools since 2008. On Tuesday 14th, Wednesday 15th and Thursday 16th May, students will undertake the 2013 NAPLAN tests. A back up day will be made available on the Friday.

NAPLAN is made up of tests in the four domains of Reading, Writing, Language Conventions (spelling, grammar and punctuation) and Numeracy. NAPLAN assesses skills in literacy and numeracy that are developed over time, through the school curriculum. NAPLAN is not a pass or fail type test, but rather shows how individual students are progressing in numeracy and literacy skills against national standards for all Australia children.

All students are encouraged to participate in the tests. Students with disability may qualify for special provisions that reflect the support normally provided to them in the classroom.

An individual student NAPLAN report will be issued by the school later this year. Parents can use this information to monitor how their child is progressing and to identify any areas of concern. Parents may also wish to use their child's results to discuss progress with teachers.

More information is available at www.naplan.edu.au

4. Attitude to Schools Survey

Students in Grades 5 and 6 will complete the Attitude to School survey in the next couple of weeks. The overall objective of the this survey is to collect data about the opinions of students from Year 5 to Year 12 and for individual schools across Victoria to use this information to drive improvement. All results are confidential and students are given each question in detail.

5. Anzac Day Ceremony

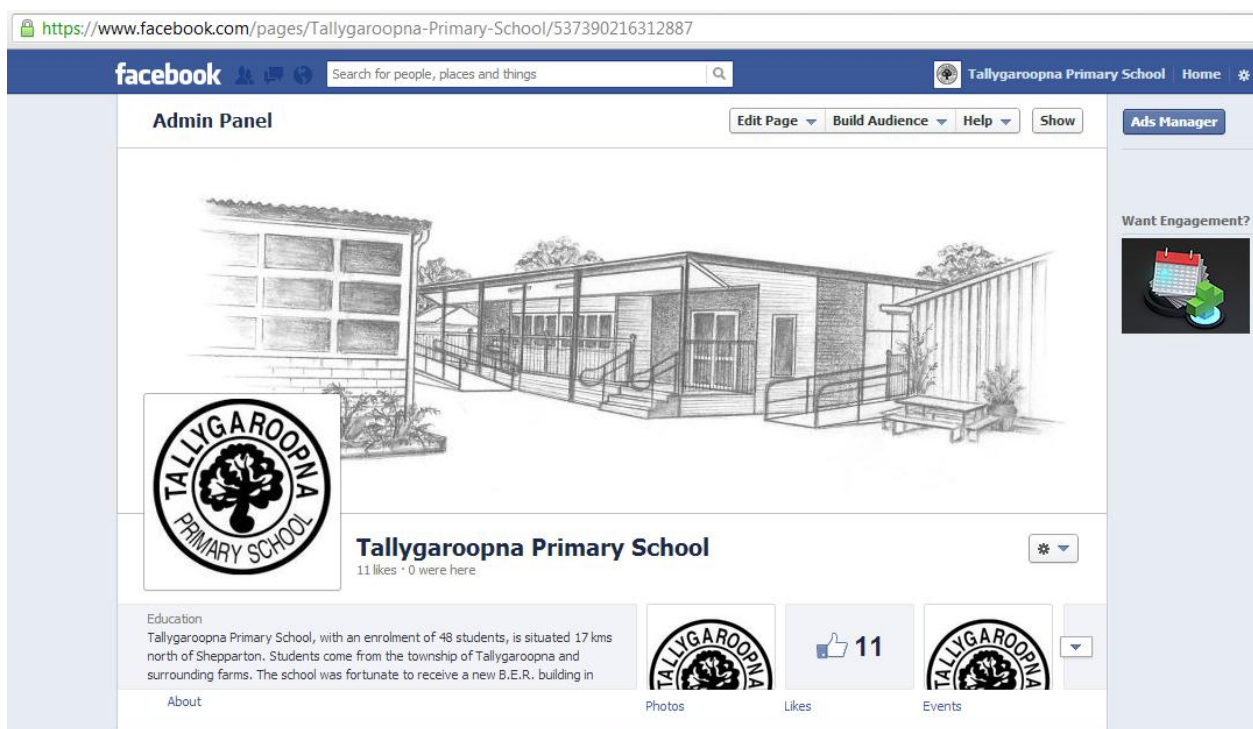
On Thursday 25th April, our school will participate in the Anzac Day Memorial Service which will be held at Welsford Street in Shepparton at 11am. Brenton and Teagan (School Captains – uniforms required) will represent our School Leadership group and they will lay a wreath as a mark of respect for this important day. All students, parents and teachers are welcome to attend this ceremony to remember and acknowledge the ultimate sacrifice our diggers have made during wartime.

Anzac Badges will be for sale at the office soon – Gold coin donation each

6. Facebook Page

Our new Facebook site is now active and parents are invited to join this site to aid communication between the home and the school. Mr Brodie is the administrator of this site and it will be closely monitored to ensure that it is used appropriately.

The site can be found here - <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Tallygaroopna-Primary-School/537390216312887>



7. Thank you

Thanks to all of the parents who assisted with the Easter Raffle and the Munch N Crunch last term. In Term 2, some major fundraising will occur – Pie Drive and a Chocolate Drive will take place in Term 3. We are positive that we will continue to receive great support as we always do from our school community.

8. School Hats

Our Sun Smart Policy requires all children to wear school hats from September to the end of April. Although, they are not compulsory during terms 2 and 3 it is recommended that hats continue to be worn during hot days at school. During the colder months, it is a perfect time to give the hats a quick wash for future use.

9. Division Athletics

Congratulations to Brock, Jordan, Teagan and Kelsie who have been selected to attend the Division Athletics Championships at the McEwen Reserve in Shepparton on Monday 14th October. This is a terrific achievement and all of the school community wish them the best of luck. All of these students received information regarding this event today.

10. P.E. Program

This term we will continue to implement P.E. for an hour and a half on Tuesday's. The focus this term will be on skipping and Dance. All students should have received sponsorship forms last term for the Jump Rope program. Extra forms are available if needed. We plan to conclude this program with a Jump Off Day on Friday 31st May. We also plan to have our Middle and Senior students attend the Dance Festival at the end of the term. This will be held at the Shepparton Stadium on Thursday 27th June – to be confirmed.

11. Finance & School Council

The Next Finance and School Council meeting will be held on Wednesday 24th April. Finance will begin at 6.30pm and School Council will begin at 7.30pm.

12. Icy Poles

We have decided to continue to make Icy Poles available to students each Friday. The cost of icy poles will continue to be 50 cents each and money for this will go towards fundraising generated by the Junior School Council.







13. Urban Camp – Grade 5/6


The finishing touches are currently being completed for the itinerary and cost of the camp. We hope to have this available to all families next week. We still anticipate the cost for the camp being around \$200 at this stage – this will be confirmed soon. The payment for the Urban Camp doesn't need to be paid in full until the end of May. Sorry for any inconvenience in regard to this. Permission and Medical forms will go home early in Term 2.



Tallygaroopna, Dookie, Lemnos PS 2013

Contact: David Brodie Grade: 5,6 Phone: 5829 8264 Fax: 5829 8244

Date of Camp	BREAKFAST		LUNCH			DINNER	
DAY ONE Wednesday 5 th June <i>WELCOME</i>	Arrive in Melbourne by train (Southern Cross) 9:10 am (TBC) 	National Sports Museum 11:30 am 	 Lunch from home on this day	Melbourne Aquarium 1:30 pm 	Arrive at Camp Camp Introduction 4:30 pm 	Please have a duty group ready 5:15pm Dinner 5:30 pm 	Melbourne Sports and Aquatic Centre Casual 7:30 pm 
DAY TWO Thursday 6 th June	Duty Group 7:15 am Breakfast 7:30 am 	Scienceworks 10:00 am  Planetarium Our Living Climate 11:00 am	Staff to meet you with lunches at:	IMAX The Last Reef 3D 2:00 pm 	Melbourne Museum 3:00 pm 	Universal Pizza 5:30 pm 	Eureka Skydeck 7:30 pm 
DAY THREE Friday 7 th June	Breakfast 7:30 am 	Digital Learning Hub Intro to Music Composition 10:00 am 	Lunches at:			Depart Melbourne by train (Southern Cross) 12:52 pm TBC 	<i>Goodbye</i> 



from the bush to the city

Duty Groups: Please have ready 15 min before breakfast and dinner.
Lunch Drop Off: Urban Camp staff to coordinate with school staff each morning.
Contact: Parents and friends can phone (03) 9328 2818 during office hours.

14. AASC Program

The program for term 2 will begin on Monday 29th of April. BMX will be held on a Monday and Netball will be held on a Tuesday. **Both sessions start at 3.35pm and finish at 4.35pm.** Participating students will be given fruit for afternoon tea prior to the start of each session. Andrea Walker will be our school supervisor on both days and her support is really appreciated. A free icy pole voucher will be awarded each week out of a lucky draw.

BMX Information:

Children will need to be competent and confident riding a bike, enrolment will begin with Grade 6's and work down to Preps. There will be a first in best dressed policy applied because the program will only be able to accommodate 20 children. The first 5 sessions will be held at school and then we hope that the last 2 sessions will be held at the BMX track in Shepparton. We will be able to utilise a bus for the last 2 sessions which will take children to the venue and then back to school – arriving at approximately 5.30pm. Mr Brodie will travel on the bus during this time as well. More details will be available soon, but the program will continue to be free to all children.

Students in Prep and Grade 1 will be able to participate – this will be up to the discretion of parents (no training wheels). Bikes, helmets and gloves will all be provided – **all children will need to have a long sleeve top, long pants and enclosed shoes.**

Requirements:

Bikes – good working order, no pegs, reflectors, bells, stands or chain guards. As far as brakes go, rear brakes only should be fitted preferably hand rather than foot brakes.

Helmets – full face helmets

Gloves – hands fully covered / good protection

Normal Requirements:

Long sleeve tops, long pants and enclosed shoes.

Prep / Grade 1 – if students can ride without training wheels they should be fine.

Any queries, it might be best to contact Bryan Kennedy on 0418 594 316 or bryan@arnwood.com.au

Shepparton BMX Track – Packham St, opposite Wanganui Secondary college (near Shepparton Velodrome)

- www.sheppartonbmxclub.com

The AASC Enrolment Form is now available on the School Website to download

15. Community Forum

The Community Forum for the Tallygaroopna Action Plan will be held this Friday 19th April at the Tallygaroopna RSL Hall beginning at 7pm. This will be a terrific opportunity for the community to discuss priorities and specific projects for the local community and all parents are encouraged to come along and have some input. Supper will be provided – see flyer in this edition of the newsletter.

Parents Club Special Announcement

The school will be providing supper for the Tallygaroopna Community Plan Forum that is to be held on Friday 19th of April at 7pm at the RSL Hall. Each family is asked to donate a plate of supper eg: cake, slice, sandwiches or biscuits etc. These can be brought on the night or to the school throughout the day if needed. We will also need some volunteers to clean up and help out on the night.

16. Bike Education Program

Planning is currently taking place for the Bike Education Program which will begin on Monday 29th April, for Grade 2 – Grade 6 children. Mrs Montgomery will be implementing this program which will run over a 3 week period. Permission forms will be handed out soon, but all students participating will be encouraged to bring their own bikes if possible. During this program, we will be hiring a Bike Education Trailer to assist with general organisation. More details will be available next week.

17. Young Leaders Program

All students in Grade 6 will be invited to the Young Leaders Day at Wanganui Park Secondary College on Wednesday 8th May. This program will go for the whole day and all children will travel to and from the venue with Mr Brodie. This day will allow all children to develop their leadership skills and will involve many fun and engaging activities. Behaviour will be closely monitored leading up to the day – excursions are a privilege not a right.

A pre conference task will be required prior to this event. If any parents can assist with this please contact Mr Brodie. The task involves the following:

Students create displays/posters re: LEADERSHIP (and/or working in a team)

- The qualities of a good leader
- Respecting differences
- What it takes to be a team player
- Public speaking with confidence
- Working as a team
- Being a good role model

**If at all possible, this year's tasks are to be 3-dimensional!
Yes 3-D - and made using environmentally responsible materials
(Eg: recycled – reclaimed - reused)**

Award certificates for "Best Message", "Best Art Work" & "Most Original" will be voted on and awarded during the Leadership Day.

**PINK PARENT SURVEY FORMS CAN BE PLACED IN THE
BRIGHTLY COLOURED BOX IN THE PROJECT ROOM.**



18. Pie Warmers

During second and third terms, students are able to bring along pies, sausage rolls, pizzas, etc to be heated in the pie heater. Food must be wrapped in foil and labelled with the child's name using a permanent marker. This will begin immediately.

19. Money at School

Just a reminder to students and parents, that the Box on the side of the bench in the office should be utilised for any money which would be handed in at the office. This box sits near the alarm and should be utilised as much as possible. We would prefer money to not be put on the office bench.

20. Colder Months - Tissues

Obviously, with anticipated colder weather students should be wearing appropriate clothes during this term. If families, could bring in a box of tissues each this would assist the school.

21. Term Dates

Over the next few weeks, I will continue to update this section. Dates for TERM 2 are:

April 19th – Community Forum – Action Plan
April 25th – Anzac Day Ceremony (School Leaders)
April 29th – Bike Education Program Begins
May 8th – Young Leaders Day – Grade 6 students
May 10th – School Photos (**Date Change**)
May 14th > 16th – NAPLAN Testing (G. 3 & 5)
May 20th – Education Week Concludes
May 31st – Jump Rope for Heart Day
June 4th – Performance at Dookie PS
June 10th – Queen's Birthday Holiday
June 19th – Region Cross Country
June 26th – Parent / Teacher Interviews

April 24th – School Council 3
April 29th – AASC Program Begins
May 3rd – Interschool Cross Country
May 9th – Puppet Show
May 12th – Mother's Day
May 17th – Division Cross Country
May 29th – School Council 4
June 3rd – Footsteps Dance Lesson
June 5th > 7th – Urban Camp (G. 5 & 6)
June 14th – Curriculum Day – Michael Ymer (TBC)
June 24th – Semester 1 Reports Go Home
June 27th – Dance Festival (TBC)

22. Student of the Week / Values Vault

These will both begin next week on Monday at assembly as per normal.

JUNIOR STADIUM NETBALL/AUSSIE NET SHEPPARTON SPORTS STADIUM 2013

**FOR KIDS 5 – 8 YEARS WINTER NETBALL
BEGINS FRIDAY 19TH APRIL FROM 4.00PM**

**STADIUM NETBALL HAS THE UNIQUE BENEFIT OF ALLOWING
KIDS TO MOVE FROM AUSSIE NET TO GAMES ALL IN THE SAME
YEAR TO CATER FOR ALL LEVELS OF PLAYERS.**

AUSSIE NET is a netball coaching and development program that caters for 5 to 7 years, introducing them to the basics of netball. It involves ball handling, footwork and general movement required for the game of netball.

LEARN AS YOU PLAY program introduces playing the game of netball on court with 2 teaching umpires. The players will learn with assistance on all court positions and how to move the ball down the court. The game is non-competitive and is focused on the individual development of each player. For players 6 to 8 years.

Fees: Aussie Net \$70 returning participants .

New Participants \$75.00 with Netball and Drink Bottle.

“Learn as you Play” Games \$70.00.

NO VNA OR WEEKLY FEES, COST OF PROGRAMS ALL INCLUSIVE!!!

Current schools represented GUTHRIE ST, GRAHAMVALE, ST BRENDANS, BOURCHIER, ORRVALE, KIALLA WEST, ST LUKES, ST MELS and MOOROOPNA
COME JOIN THE FUN!!!! ☺ ☺☺.

For registration call Kylie.

Mobile: 0419 998190 Email: Hutchy0642@b



NOTRE DAME COLLEGE



To Seek To See To Respond

OPEN DAY

Friday 10 May 2013

VISITORS MOST WELCOME

Notre Dame College is a Catholic Co-educational College which aims to impart a sound and well-rounded Christian education through an interesting and varied secondary curriculum, which is taught within the context of Gospel values and attitudes.

Knight Street Campus (139 Knight Street)

Tours commence from the Administration Building between the following times:

Session 1	9:15 am – 11:30 am
Session 2	1.45 pm – 2.15 pm
Session 3	3:45 pm – 4:30 pm

Emmaus Campus – Year 9 Programme (95 Grace Road)

Tours commence from the Administration Building between the following times.

2:00 pm to 4:00 pm

(Parents who are unable to visit on Friday 10 May, are welcome to telephone to make arrangements for an inspection of the school at a mutually convenient time)

Telephone: 5822 8400

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Email: ndc@notredame.vic.edu.au
www.notredame.vic.edu.au

Community Plan Themes – Forum to be held on Friday 19th April

Possible Council Action Areas	Key Themes Identified – What matters to our community
Land use planning Industrial development Transportation Housing	<p>Currently value: playgrounds, walking tracks, accessibility, facilities such as Aquamoves</p> <p>Want to see:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revitalisation of CBD (especially Maude St Mall) and development of precincts • Streetscape trees continuing • Drainage Improvements • Completion of Victoria Park Lake and showground developments • Better transport connectivity between small towns – and advocacy for increase public transport to Melbourne (specifically trains) • Planned ongoing upgrades and maintenance of infrastructure • Public amenities
Community support services Community safety Arts and cultural development Library services Neighbourhood Houses Recreation programs	<p>Currently value: existing facilities (specifically library, SAM, Kidstown, Aquamoves). Community belonging and connectedness, lifestyle and country living</p> <p>Want to see:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increased personal and public safety – especially focuses on safety of the Mall and cooperation with police for safer places • Increased community pride, and more positive community perceptions, positive public image and identity (linked also to cleanliness, and appearance of public areas, community safety, open spaces, parklands, facilities, community events and celebrations, small town identity/ies) • Community leadership development especially across more marginalised groups – youth, indigenous, multicultural • Support for communities and community groups as they develop and take ownership • Activities for young people
Employment Community economic development	<p>Currently value: small town planning</p> <p>Want to see:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Economic diversity – undertake research of industry needs and opportunities to ensure that we have considered all options for industry attractions and retention. Continued tourism development • Focus on job creation, and actions to reduce youth unemployment • Less disjointed CBD and substantial improvements in cleanliness and reducing shop vacancies • Town entrances improved • Parking addressed (including metering) • Continued small town focus (whole of municipality approach to community economic development)
Water quality Waste Management Energy consumption Parks/recreation	<p>Currently value: walking tracks, open spaces, riverside and lake environs, parks and gardens</p> <p>Want to see:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increased utilisation of, and access to natural environment (including protection of existing open space and river frontages, links with walking and cycle paths, public toilets, seating) • Continued planned development of tracks, trail and connectivity between them • Council as a visible leader in energy uses (renewable energy, sustainable design principles etc) • Waste management options
Council Vision Council Plan, strategies Councillor governance and management Rates policy	<p>Want to see:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Value for money • Harmonious, forward focused council • Strong leadership • Advocacy to other levels of government • Continued community consultation and engagement • Cohesive Plans

Tallygaroopna Community Plan



Tallygaroopna Community Forum



- Summarise the 3 wishes and survey input to the Plan
- Create a vision for Tallygaroopna
- Identify priority projects

**Friday 19th April
7pm at the RSL Hall
Fowler St, Tallygaroopna**

Supper provided

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