



# TALLIMBA PUBLIC SCHOOL

*"A Little School Achieving Big Things!"*

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**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2017**

**Term 4**

**Week 3**

## Principal's Report

Welcome to Term 4 Week 3.

Last week we held our first Kindergarten Orientation session which was very successful. We have seven very excited Kindergarten students participating in this program. A very big thank you to Mrs Quade and Mrs Reid for coordinating this program.

## School Planning 2018-2020

We are currently seeking input into the 2018-2020 School Plan. As a part of this consultation process we are surveying parents and community members. Our second parent survey is attached to this newsletter. This is an opportunity for parents to have their say on various aspects of school life.

Please take the time to complete this survey.

Please complete this survey and send back to school. Surveys will remain anonymous however each family who completes and returns their survey will go into the draw to win an IGA voucher.

Last week in the P&C Meeting I presented the Vision Statement for consultation and feedback.

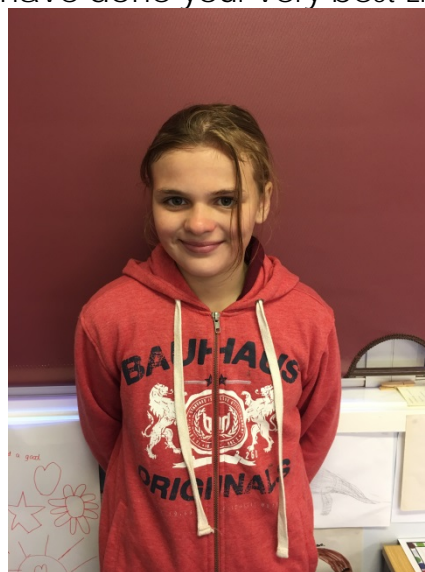
Tallimba PS is committed to providing quality education in a nurturing, innovative learning environment, where all learners aspire to reach their potential. We work together as a whole school community to prepare and inspire our students to be active, confident

participants in a quickly changing global society.

The P&C were happy with this statement however any further comments or suggestions to the vision statement are very welcome.

## State Athletics

Lili recently competed in the State Athletics carnival in Sydney, participating in discus. At time of writing this, her results are unknown. To have made it to such an elite level in athletics is a huge accomplishment and we know that you would have done your very best Lili.



**Term 4** sees our "No Hat, No Play" policy implemented in line with the Sun Safety requirements.

All students are required to wear a broad brimmed hat – no caps!

We are already in the midst of organising **swimming lessons** for the whole school, Year 6 Farewell, School Leader 2018 speeches and intensive swimming. Keep your eye out for permission notes with information about these exciting upcoming events.

Tallimba Public School is participating in **Operation Christmas Child** for Samaritans Purse. Families are asked to donate one or two items appropriate for a boy or girl and we will collate here at school. Please see the images for ideas.

## CLAIMING THE DATE

Tallimba Public School

Presentation Night

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2017 @ 6pm

Could all perpetual trophies please be returned to the school ASAP?

Mark the correct age category:

<input type="checkbox"/> 2-4 Years Old
<input type="checkbox"/> 5-9 Years Old
<input type="checkbox"/> 10-14 Years Old

**Girl**

**GIRL 2-4**

- Pencils
- Colouring book
- Exercise book
- Safety scissors
- Watercolour set
- Stuffed animal
- Doll
- Blanket
- Dress
- Hat
- Scarf
- Mittens
- T-shirts and tops
- Pants
- Underwear
- Socks
- Shoes
- Toothbrush
- Facewasher
- Soap
- Comb or brush
- Balls
- Cars, trucks, boats
- Toys that light up, squeak or make a noise
- Tote bag/purse
- Blocks
- Finger puppets
- Board or cloth books
- Sunglasses
- Plastic tools
- A note from you!

**GIRL 5-9**

- Pens, pencils and sharpener
- Exercise book
- Eraser
- Scissors
- Colouring book
- Dolls
- Doll bed
- Stuffed animal
- Dress ups – crowns, fairy wands, etc.
- Toy jewellery
- Ribbon wands
- Balls with pump if necessary
- Lego
- Puzzles
- Hand puppets
- Plastic toys
- Yoyo
- Dress
- Pants
- Hat
- T-shirts and tops
- Socks
- Shoes
- Soap
- Underwear
- Facewasher
- Toothbrush
- Comb or brush
- Hair ribbons, elastics, etc.
- Sunglasses
- Kaleidoscope
- Bag
- A note from you!

**GIRL 10-14**

- Pens, pencils, coloured pencils, eraser and sharpener
- Exercise books
- Scissors
- Books
- Ruler
- Chalkboard and chalk
- Doll
- Backpack
- Stuffed animal
- Skipping rope
- Doll
- Balls with a pump if necessary
- Puzzles
- Yoyo
- Musical instruments
- Dress
- Skirt
- Hat
- T-shirts and tops
- Socks
- Shoes
- Underwear
- Pants
- Soap
- Facewasher
- Toothbrush
- Comb or brush
- Hair ribbons, elastics, etc.
- Sunglasses
- Kaleidoscope
- Bag
- Sewing kit
- A note from you!

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**Boy**

**BOY 2-4**

- Pencils
- Colouring book
- Exercise book
- Safety scissors
- Stuffed animal
- Blanket
- Hat
- Scarf
- Mittens
- T-shirts and shirts
- Pants
- Underwear
- Socks
- Shoes
- Toothbrush
- Facewasher
- Soap
- Comb or brush
- Balls
- Cars, trucks, boats
- Toys that light up, squeak or make a noise
- Tote bag
- Blocks
- Finger puppets
- Board or cloth books
- Sunglasses
- Plastic tools
- Duplo
- A note from you!

**BOY 5-9**

- Pens, pencils and sharpener
- Coloured pencils
- Erasers
- Pencil case
- Exercise books
- Scissors
- Stickers
- Chalkboard and chalk
- Backpack
- Stuffed animal
- Balls (tennis balls, bouncy balls, hacky sack, football, soccer ball, beach ball, etc) with a pump if necessary
- Plastic dinosaur, animal or action figure (no war-related toys)
- Lego
- Cars or trucks
- Puzzles
- Frisbee
- Musical instrument
- Yoyo
- Soap
- Facewasher
- Toothbrush
- Comb or brush
- Sunglasses
- Hat
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- Shoes
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- Pants
- Socks
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### Upcoming Events




#### Week 3

- Monday 23rd October**  
Anna and Di @ Small Schools Finance Meeting in Forbes
- Wednesday 25th October**  
Anna at RIEN Principal Network Meeting all day

#### Week 4

- Wednesday 1st November**  
David Lamb-Director, Public Schools NSW visiting
- Thursday 2nd October**  
Music Count Us In

### TERM 4 CALENDAR

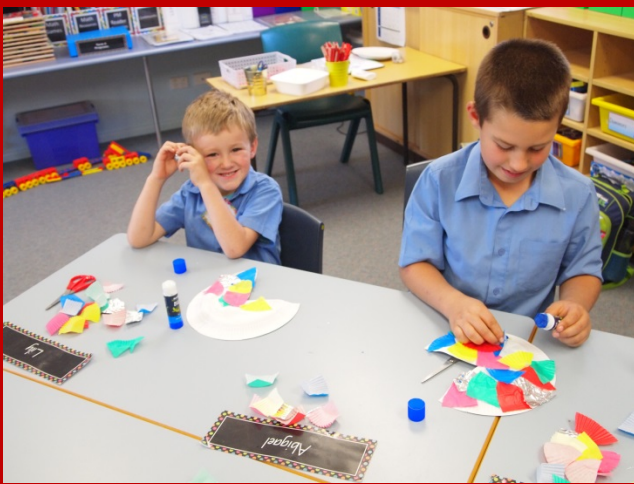
Week 3	
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> October	<b>SPORTS</b> 
Week 4	
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> November	<b>SPORTS</b> 
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November	Kinder Orientation 9am-12pm 



# KINDER ORIENTATION – DAY ONE







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## TRIVIA NIGHT

Saturday, November 11

7pm @ the S & C Club

\$20 a head

8 per table – BYO Nibblies

**Bookings essential - contact**

**Julie Anthoness 0415 515 161 or**

**Jodie Quinn 0419 689 991**

*Come dressed as your favourite*

*Blast from the Past*

All proceeds to West Wyalong



## Can Assist Griffith Local Craft and Hobby Show

When: Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> December, 2017

Venue: Coro Club

Time: 10am till 4pm

Admission: \$5 Adults, children free

Lucky door prize and raffle. Craft chats and classes from exhibitors. Christmas craft, knitting, cards, patchwork, handmade fashion, burlap.

Silent auction, 2013 Sydney Roosters NRL team panoramic framed, reserve held.

Auction and stall enquiries: 0427 226 432



## TIPS FOR ADULTS AT KIDS SPORT

### 1. Keep it fun

don't take it *too seriously*  
It's not the World Titles



### 6. Let coaches

*do the coaching*



### 2. Be enthusiastic

but don't *scream* & *shout* instructions from the sideline



### 7. Always remember, volunteers

run kids sport



### 3. Emphasise trying hard

*not winning*



### 8. Understand, uphold and support your club's

**code of conduct**



### 4. Cheer & acknowledge

good plays by *all players, both teams*



### 9. Allow your child to

**play for themselves**

Let kids make the decisions *on and off the field*



### 5. Accept decisions by officials

they are human & *can make mistakes*



### 10. Think before you speak

*Your words may harm others*



## SHOOSH FOR KIDS

If your comment is negative, then **SHOOSH!**

Reward good effort with applause; if you can't then **SHOOSH!**

If your negative comment is directed at an official, then **SHOOSH!**

If your negative comment is directed at a child, then **SHOOSH!**

Show respect to kids and officials. Remember, sport should be fun!



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## Thinking of applying for a government selective high school for Year 7 entry in 2019?

You must apply online at  
<https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/selective-high-schools-and-opportunity-classes/year-7>

Students who are in **Year 5** this year and are considering going to a selective high school in 2019 need to apply on-line as directed above. Forms are available at the Front Office for those who don't have access to the Internet.



**Operation Christmas Child**  
A PROJECT OF SAMARITANS PURSE

Don't forget that Tallimba Public School is participating in **Operation Christmas Child** for Samaritans Purse. Boxes have been delivered and need to be filled by **Friday 27th October**. We would welcome the donation of items to fill these boxes. For ideas on what to pack and what not to pack, visit:  
<https://www.samaritanspurse.org.au/what-we-do/operation-christmas-child/>

## SWIMMING NEWS



### Training will start on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> October

**JUNIOR MINI** (40min)  
 TIME: 3:40pm - 4:20pm  
 DAYS: Mon, Wed, Thurs Fri

Junior Mini Squad focuses on introducing and fine tuning all four strokes and diving. A variety of skills and drills are completed over a distance of 25m. This is a fun session that also helps develop fitness.

**MINI SQUAD** (60min)  
 TIME: 3:45pm - 4:45pm  
 DAYS: Mon, Wed, Thurs Fri

Mini Squad focuses on developing your overall swimming ability and fitness. A variety of skills and drills are completed over a distance of 50m. Mini squad also introduces kids to competitive swimming with a focus on turns, starts, finishes and explanations of competitive swimming rules.

**PERFORMANCE** (120min)  
 TIME: 5:00pm - 7:00pm  
 DAYS: Mon, Wed, Thurs Fri  
 + Saturday Seals:  
 10:15am - 11:15am  
 + 2 morning sessions  
 (Days and time TBA)

Performance Squad is for more advanced swimmers. This session ranges from 1 1/2 to 2hrs pushing towards competitive qualifying times and for the committed endurance trainer. Core fitness, strength and speed training is the main focus at this level, to prepare you for racing and help maintain a high level of fitness.

Contact Holland Park Pool on 6972 2135 for more information on all our swimming and fitness programs. There is something for everyone from infant aquatics right up to Adult LTS and Adult Squad.



### Holland Park Pool

We are currently seeking suitably qualified teachers, who are passionate about teaching little swimmers this important life skill, and to deliver Learn to Swim programs at our centre in West Wyalong.

#### Learn to Swim Instructor (casual)

- After school and/or weekend positions available
- Need to provide WWCC Number
- Current CPR
- Qualified Learn to Swim Teacher



Please email expression of interest to Mel melissa@lrgroup.com.au

## calling all Drama Kings n' Queens!

# YOUTH THEATRE TROUPE.

WE ARE SEEKING DRAMA KINGS AND QUEENS BETWEEN THE AGES OF 9 AND 12 TO JOIN OUR YOUTH THEATRE TROUPE... with Jaz & Bonnie

Regular drama workshops are commencing again in Term 4. You will learn a range of drama and performance skills, including self-devised and scripted workshoping, group and solo performance work, as well as a range of different theatre styles. Each 6 week block of workshops will culminate in a performance opportunity. BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL - LIMITED PLACES AVAILABLE. Contact the Theatre for enrolment form.

Acting,  
 script writing,  
 performing...

Regular workshop details:  
 LIMITED SPOTS AVAILABLE. BOOK NOW!

Age: 9 - 12 year olds  
 Time: Saturdays 10am - 11.30am  
 Dates: Commencing 21 October 2017  
 Last session: 25 November 2017  
 Costs: \$60 per 6 week block  
 Where: Griffith Regional Theatre BGR

**JUNIORS**  
 9 - 12 yrs.

griffith www.griffithregionaltheatre.com.au | 02 6962 8444

