



TALLIMBA PUBLIC SCHOOL

"A Little School Achieving Big Things!"

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Term 3 Week 4

Principal's Report

Welcome to Term 3 Week 4.

Thank you to everyone who attended the school on Friday to help celebrate Education Week. Congratulations to our special Education Week recipients Mrs Karen Protheroe, Isabella Petrie and Makala Leonard. Thank you to everyone who supported our Book Fair and Open Classrooms. The day was very successful and we had a great time.

Congratulations and well done to all the primary students who participated in the Small Schools Spelling Bee last Monday.

The Trent Barrett Shield is being held in Temora this Thursday 10th August 2017. It is open to boys and girls in Years 3 and 4. Boys play rugby league and the girls play league tag. Stage 2 students will receive notes today. Students will be placed in teams with students from other small schools.

Could you please ensure that notes are returned by **Wednesday 9th August**, if you would like your student to participate in this event. Transport will be the responsibility of parents.

Mrs McCullough and I commence our LMBR training this week.

We are in our final weeks of the Premier's Sporting Challenge throughout this term. We will be recording how much exercise we complete. We are asking for only healthy food to be sent to school in accordance with our healthy lifestyle focus. Lollies, roll ups, chocolates and Nutella snacks are "sometimes" foods and should not be sent to school as lunch.

Please remember:

- * Library is on Wednesdays.**
- * Sport is held on Thursdays.**
- * Learning Journals for both classes are due on Fridays.**
- * Students attending the Primary Combined Schools Excursion to Melbourne, Ballarat and Bendigo: money is due by Friday 1st September (Week 7).**

I hope you have a great week! ☺

P&C Annual General Meeting followed by General Meeting.

1pm, Wednesday 16th August.

Come along and be a part of what makes our little school great.

UPCOMING DATES				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
August 7	August 8	August 9 Trent Barret Sheild Notes  LIBRARY	August 10 SPORTS 	August 11
August 14	August 15	August 16  LIBRARY P&C AGM & GENERAL MEETING 1PM	August 17 SPORTS 	August 18

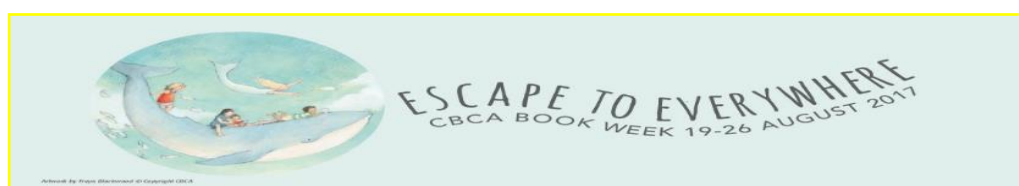
Exciting Library News!

Week 6 Book Week 2017

Tallimba Public School will be celebrating this year's Book Week with a dress up character parade on Wednesday 23 August in Week 6. Students and staff are encouraged to come to school dressed as their favourite book character. They will also be participating in a range of fun literacy based activities programmed around some of the CBA shortlisted texts this year.

Students have been asked to start thinking about who they will be dressed up as on the day. Please be mindful that costumes should be simple and put together with everyday outfits and items that can already be found at home. Expensive store bought costumes aren't necessary. Think creatively!

The Book Week theme this year is **'Escape to everywhere'**. The theme captures the fantastical ability of literature to help people escape to parallel places of wonder. Stories help us escape to different lands, worlds, times and cultures. Literature allows us to apply the skills of reasoning, empathy and imagination through the eyes, mind and heart of another.





West Wyalong Little Athletics

2017/2018 Season

Registrations have opened online at

www.lansw.com.au

To welcome the new season we will be having a

FREE sausage sizzle on

Monday, 14th August and Monday, 21st August

2.30pm-4.30pm at McAlister Oval

Come meet the new committee and find out more about having fun and making friendships at Little Athletics.

New registrations need to bring a

BIRTH CERTIFICATE or BLUE BOOK to register.

Completion of registration and pick up of athlete packs will need to be done on either of these

dates. **Competition begins Monday, 28th**

August 2017 at 4pm.

Cost:

Tiny Tots (4years) \$60

Under 6 – 17

\$70 for the first child

\$60 for all additional

children excluding Tots



Aussie Fest In The West - Billycart Derby

Billycart Derby during the *In The West Festival*, 27th-29th October 2017.

TROPHY for the best ORIGINAL looking Billycart. For all inquiries please ring Gail Platz on 0421 121 214.

Aussie Fest In The West - Photography Competition

- OPEN TO ALL PHOTOGRAPHERS IN A RADIUS OF 150KM
- PHOTOS MAY BE BLACK & WHITE OR COLOUR
- COMPETITION CLOSES FRIDAY 20TH OCTOBER.
- COST OF ENTRY IS \$5 PER PRINT IN OPEN SECTION,
- THE SPECIAL SECTION IS \$10 PER PRINT AND 8YRS TO 17YRS \$2 PER ENTRY.
- IMAGES WILL BE DISPLAYED FROM 23RD TO 29TH OCTOBER.
- COMPETITION WINNERS WILL BE ANNOUNCED AT THE AUSSIE FEST.

ENTRY FORMS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE ALONG WITH MORE DETAILED INFORMATION.

<http://www.inthewest.com.au/>

EVENTS WEST WYALONG / PALS OF THE PEN 2017 INAUGURAL WRITING COMPETITION

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

- Entries must be the original work of the stated author and submitted Friday 29th September 2017.
- Entries need to focus on one or more aspects of Australian Country life, be they from the past, the present or looking into the future
- Entries may be in any form, prose or verse, fiction or non-fiction
- Entries must not have won 1st prize in any other competition.
- Each entry needs to be accompanied by a \$5 entry fee.
- Multiple Entries are encouraged and can be in either category.
- If submitting more than one entry at the same time, include a separate entry form for each, with payment details only on the first entry form.

PRIZES & PRESENTATIONS

- Prizes will be awarded for both prose or verse in these categories: Adult / Primary (5–9) / Middle School (10–14) / High School (15–18)
- Prizes: Adult: 1st - \$200 / 2nd - \$50 / Honourable Mention Certificates School Age Categories: 1st - \$50 + Book Prizes & Certificates for others
- Announcement of winners will be made during the Aussie-Fest In The West Festival – Friday 27 through Sunday 29 October 2017
- All who enter and their friends are encouraged to attend the Festival
- The 'Pals of The Pen' Writing Group will also be publishing a book of original stories and verse about Aussie Country Life after this year's Festival. If you have ideas or stories to share for this please contact us.

Entries to:

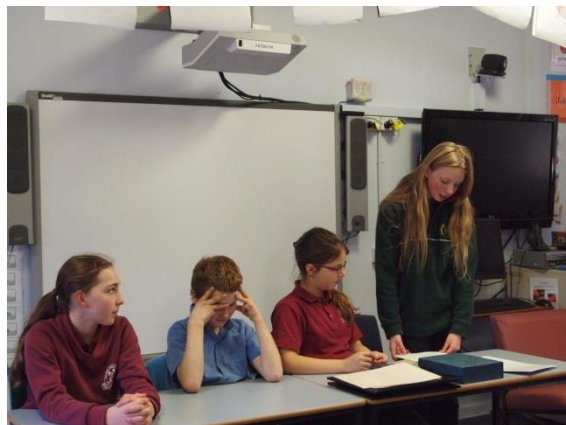
'Events WW Writing Competition'

via post: c/ Cameo Inn West Wyalong NSW 2671 (or phone 0421 121214)

OR email to: gail@cameoinn.com.au



Our school leaders, ready for assembly.



Debaters Makala and Lilly with Mrs McCullough. (Adrian absent)



Isabella received the student Education Week award.



Karen Protheroe was acknowledged for her contributions to our school with the Director's Education Week award.



Makala received the school leadership award.

