

TALLIMBA PUBLIC SCHOOL

A little school achieving big things

Term 4 — Week 6

Issue 34

Thursday, 16 November 2023

Coming Events:

Week 6

Thursday 16 November

- Kindergarten Orientation
9 am – 3 pm

Friday 17 November

- P&C Meeting 1 pm
- Mid-Term Assembly 2 pm
- Library
- Meal Deal – Spaghetti Bolognese

Week 7

Friday 10 November

- Library – returns only
- Sport

Week 8 – Intensive Swimming

Friday 1 December

Week 9 – Intensive Swimming

Friday 8 December

Welcome to Week 6

Congratulations to Mary Quade who received the Be a Good Citizen Award this week. Mary contributes positively to all aspects of school life by upholding our school values of respect, responsibility, and citizenship. Awesome work, Mary!

This week, we continue our PBL (Positive Behaviour for Learning) focus on 'Right place, right time.' Students continue to follow playground expectations and respond promptly to the bell. This helps us to be in the right place, at the right time.

Thank you to our families for supporting school attendance by ensuring students attend school every day unless they are sick or on approved leave. Over the year, a majority of students have attended school above 90% of the time. As you know, regular school attendance improves student learning outcomes.

Year 5 parents, if you are considering a selective high school for your child in Year 7, 2025 you need to apply online. The school cannot apply for you. The application process can be found by following this link.

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

Our Kindergarten Orientation for 2023 wraps up today. We are looking forward to welcoming our Kindergarten students in 2024. Well done, on a successful orientation program Oliver.

Congratulations to our primary students who participated in the RIEN Spelling Bee yesterday. Great job, everyone!

Our P & C meeting is tomorrow at 1 pm in the CAPA (Creative and Practical Arts) room, followed by the assembly which commences at 2 pm. We are looking forward to seeing you there.

Congratulations to Mary Quade and Anita Oxenbridge, who were drawn out of the PBL reward ticket box and are our PBL Stars of the week. Well done to all our students who were recognised throughout the week. Good luck in next week's draw.

Have a great week!

Melanie Johnson
Principal

Mary Quade



**'Be a Good Citizen'
Award**

**P & C
MEETING**

Many Hands Make LIGHT Work

**Tomorrow, Friday, 17th November
at 1pm in the CAPA room.**

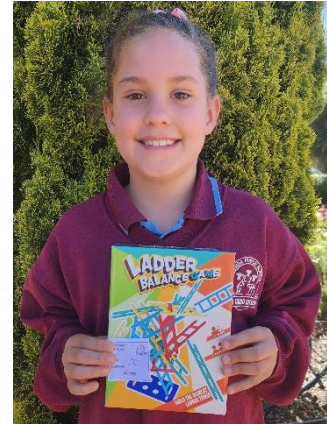
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We would like to acknowledge the Wiradjuri People, Traditional Custodians of the land on which we gather and pay our respects to their Elder's past, present and emerging.

PBL Stars of the Week



Mary Quade



Anita Oxenbridge



School Swimming and Water Safety Program



Tallimba Public School students will be participating in the School Swimming and Water Safety Program commencing on Monday 27th of November (Week 8) until Friday 8th December (Week 9).

Students will need: Swimmers, a rash shirt, towel, sunscreen, goggles, hat, warm clothes if a cold day, water bottle, plastic or reusable bag for wet items.

Thongs can be worn to, from and while at the pool. Enclosed shoes must be worn to school.

Permission notes were sent home with students today.

SAVE THE DATE

Tomorrow, 17th November (Week 6)
Mid-Term 4 Assembly 2 pm
We invite everyone to attend!



**Parents and
Community Members**

You're invited

to attend our

Presentation Evening

Monday, 11th December 2023

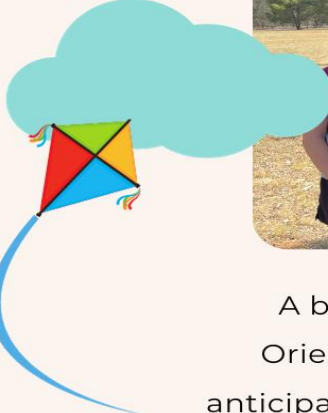
6:30pm

at Tallimba Public School

*The P&C will provide a light supper at the
conclusion of the presentation.*




KINDERGARTEN ORIENTATION



A big welcome to Oliver who began Kindergarten Orientation this term! It was wonderful to see much anticipation and excitement surrounding orientation by all involved. In the Infants classroom, children had fun getting to know each other and engage in some fun learning.



Orientation is a fundamental step in familiarising new students with their new school environment and routine. It allows them to work and play within our Infant classroom and experience a typical school day and lesson routines.





K-2

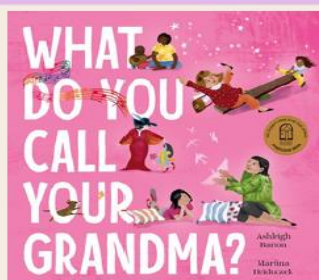


Class News

Writing

In Writing, students have been focusing on context, where they are learning to construct sentences that relate to their own experiences.

As part of the unit topic, we read the text 'What Do You Call Your Grandma?'



Geography

K-2 continue to explore the concept of maps, looking beyond the types of maps and their purpose. As a class we searched our location on Google Earth and identified the areas within the school including the playground, classrooms, and shed. Students were then tasked to create their own map of the school.



Science

Over the past couple of weeks, students were able to experiment with a new 'Spike Essential' stem kit. A hands on LEGO classroom resource designed to engage students, and develop efficient problem-solving and coding skills.



Math

K-2 have been investigating situations that involve elements of chance and anticipating possible outcomes. Students were posed a series of questions to make predictions about familiar events being certain or not certain to happen.



Health

Students continue to explore sun safe strategies.

Most recently K-2 looked at the importance of wearing an appropriate hat. During this lesson we discussed the following questions:

1. What makes a hat SunSmart?
2. Why do we need to wear a hat?
3. Why is important to wear sunscreen as well as a hat?





RIEN Spelling Bee



Congratulations to our Primary students, Mary, Clare, Teleah, Isla and Nicholas who all participated in the RIEN Spelling Bee competition yesterday against five other schools.

The morning started with the 5/6 group and gee, was there some tricky words that needed to be spelt. Clare was up first and luckily spelt her word correctly to progress to the next level. Unfortunately, Mary received a tricky word and was eliminated on the first round. Congratulations to both girls who tried their best.

After a short 10-minute break the 3/4 group started. It wasn't long before it was Tallimba's turn. Teleah started first but unfortunately got a tricky word and was eliminated, Isla and Nicholas followed next and passed the first level. Isla and Nicholas continued to the second round receiving hard words and unfortunately got eliminated. Well done to these students on giving it their best.



Library News

Tomorrow is the last day to borrow from the library for 2023. Next week, we will only be accepting returns. Students will need to return any outstanding loans they have as well as any classroom readers.



End of Year Concert

We are currently planning a concert to be held on Presentation night. We are looking for a few items needed for the costumes. If you have any of the items below that you would be willing to lend us for the concert please send them into school as soon as possible.

COSTUME ITEMS NEEDED:

- Light blue dress size 10-12
- Red tutu
- Rabbit ears
- Cat whiskers x 2
- Cat ears
- Croquet stick



School Calendar

Term 4

	13 November	14 November	15 November	16 November	17 November
6			RIEN Spelling Bee	Kindergarten Orientation 9am – 3 pm	P&C Meeting 1 pm Mid-Term Assembly 2 pm Meal Deal – Spaghetti Bolognese
	20 November	21 November	22 November	23 November	24 November
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	27 November	28 November	29 November	30 November	1 December
8	Intensive Swimming	Intensive Swimming	Intensive Swimming	Intensive Swimming	Intensive Swimming
	4 December	5 December	6 December	7 December	8 December
9	Intensive Swimming	Intensive Swimming	Intensive Swimming	Intensive Swimming	Intensive Swimming
	11 December	12 December	13 December	14 December	15 December
10	Presentation Evening 6:30 pm				Last day of school for students PBL Wrap Up Day at Ardlethan Pool

Dive into reading! **BLAND SHIRE LIBRARY**

Join in the fun this summer!
Be rewarded for reading!
Loads of activities & prizes!
Free for school students 5 - 16 years.



SUMMER READING CLUB

40-DAY CHALLENGE

Launch Party & Registration

Wednesday 22nd November 2023

from 3.30pm - 5pm

RSVP by Monday
20th November
Ph. 69790272



Thank You



Bland Shire Library

2023

CHRISTMAS

FOOD & GIFTS APPEAL

NOW OPEN

Donations will be taken up until
5pm Friday 15th December 2023

Please support Bland Shire Library in supporting the local
St Vincent de Paul Society's 2023 Christmas Appeal.

- Donate non-perishable in-date FOOD items
- Donate GIFTS (unwrapped) for children up to 10 years

Visit the library, place your items under the Christmas tree & help make this
Christmas a little brighter for those in need.





THE TALLIMBA SPORTS CLUB INC

PRESENTS

TALLIMBA

VINTAGE HARVESTER & GRAIN HANDLING DAY



20TH JANUARY 2024

**Tallimba Rec Grounds
from 9am**

Entry \$20 • Family \$50 • Under 16's Free

BBQ & BAR

Camping & Caravans Welcome

***Tractor Pull under NHMA Guidelines
Stationary engines
Vintage Tractors, Trucks & Machinery displays***

