

Newsletter

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Term 3 Week 8

Thursday, 13 September 2012

Principal's Report

Last Wednesday I accompanied six of our students, who have been preparing all year with Miss A for the Festival of Instrumental Music, to Sydney and the Opera House. The festival highlights the musical talents and achievements of NSW public school students in the magnificent Concert Hall.

I was delighted by the conduct of our students during travel, rehearsal and of course during the concert and was nearly as excited as they were at the opportunity to perform at the Opera House.

We congratulate them on their dedication to practise and for their outstanding recorder performance. A very big thank you goes to Miss A for all her hard work in preparing these students.



This week is School Administration and Support Staff **RECOGNITION Week**.

These staff, are the backbone of our schools and provide support to the

Principal, staff, parents and students. They play an essential role in the operation of our school and in student learning. It is with my sincerest appreciation I thank Raeleen Murray, Kim Hall and Ron Grainger for the outstanding job they do at Tallong Public School on a daily basis.

S. Matthews
Principal

Upcoming Events

Term 3

Week 8

Thursday 6 th September	Art Club \$2 with Mrs Botticchio 3:15pm - 4:30pm
Friday 7 th September	Final payment for Camp! Tennis lesson \$3
Saturday 8 th September	Bunnings BBQ / Cake Stall Fundraisers

Week 9

Monday 10 th September	Explorer's Club \$2 3:15pm - 4:45pm
Tuesday 11 th September	Active After-school Communities (AASC) 3:15pm - 4:30pm
Wednesday 12 th September	Bake Sale – Tozer Family 50c Playgroup 9:15am – 11:00am Active After-school Communities (AASC) 3:15pm - 4:30pm
Thursday 13 th September	Art Club \$2 with Mrs Botticchio 3:15pm - 4:30pm
Friday 14 th September	Aboriginal Cultural day at Sutton Forest P.S.

Regional Results

We are very proud of Tyson Lewis, Jarrod Field, Finlay Maguire and Kody Tozer who competed on Monday in the Regional Athletics at the AIS in Canberra, representing our school in the PP5 relay event. Our boys came 4th which is a great result considering this high level of competition.

Well done boys!



Father's Day Preparations

The Father's day raffle run by the SRC raised \$42.50.

Congratulations to the winners:

Alex McDonald- prize was a Sidchrome 7 piece spanner set.

Jarrod Field -prize was a 5 piece Stanley screwdriver set.

Ellie Pead- prize was a JBS 14 piece spanner set.

Thanks to *Kelly McKellar* for sourcing the prizes for the SRC raffle.

A big thank you must go to *Chrissy Wursten* who ran Art Club last week and did so much work to ensure every student had a father's day card and 2013 calendar for Dad. Chrissy also did ALL the shopping for the gifts the students were able to "shop" for last Friday so they could take home that specially selected gift for Dad. The gifts purchased were funded by the P&C and we thank them for their continued support.



Happy shoppers all ready for Father's Day

Soccer/Rugby Posts

What talented and hard working parents we have! Thanks Jeremy!

The posts would rival the quality of any posts at any school in the Highlands!!

They are certainly getting a workout from our students! Just a bit worried about my office window!!!



Active After School Activities

Next Wednesday 12th September is the last afternoon of this club for this term. We look forward to running basketball and orienteering next term on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons.

Bake Sale

Thank you to the Steward family for the beautifully decorated cupcakes our students enjoyed last Thursday.

The SRC raised \$20.50.



SRC – Movie /Popcorn Afternoon

The SRC are in preparations to host a **movie /popcorn afternoon** on the last day of this term, **21st September**.

Further news in next week's newsletter.



WOOLWORTHS Vouchers

This year, thanks to the efforts of our school and wider community, we have collected 12,470 stickers. That equates to a lot of shopping and is over 10,000 more than we collected last year. So we can look forward to quite a lot of educational resources in return for our efforts.

Thanks to everyone for your contributions.... I am still finding those little stickers throughout my handbag!

Take a moment to imagine how looonnngg it took Mrs Murray to count them all!!!

Term 3 Sport

Don't forget tennis on Fridays at a cost of \$3 per student per week or \$30 for the Term. Students can bring their own tennis racquets to school if they wish or the school has racquets for any child requiring one.

P & C News

***Bunnings BBQ Fundraiser**

Saturday 8th September, at Mittagong

We are again looking for volunteers to help out for an hour or two on the day, with cooking the BBQ and serving.

Please see Jeremy Porter of Liz McDonald if you are able to assist on the day.

***P&C Election Day Fundraiser**

The P&C will be holding a cake stall on Saturday 8th September at the Memorial Hall on Election Day.

Maybe, if you can't offer your time at Bunnings, you can bake a cake, slice or biscuits for the P&C cake stall.

Please deliver your cakes etc directly to Nina O'Leary at the Hall on Saturday or drop them into the school office on Friday 7th September.

