



NEWSLETTER

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Welcome back to school.

Welcome Kindergarten Students

ASSEMBLY:
Friday, 6-2-2015

DATES TO REMEMBER

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WEEK 1 TERM 1

29th January, 2015

Principal's Message



Dear Parents,

Welcome to our families of this fantastic school for 2015. The students are our priority and we look forward to educating them in partnership with you.

Our dedicated P & C meets on the 2nd Wednesday of each month and everybody is welcome to attend. Our first meeting will be held on Wednesday, 11th February. Ms Carolynne Merchant, Acting Director Public Schools NSW Southern Tablelands will be attending. Membership is \$2.00 per person. Thank you to all those who assisted at the Taralga Rodeo. The Association makes a generous donation to our P & C to assist our students.

Mrs Michelle Marshall is on sick leave at present, on her return she will be teaching K-1-2. Ms Martha Grahame is on K-1-2 with Ms Chris Alderton on RFF. The students transition to school is paramount to all involved. Kindergarten Best Start Testing begins next week.

Ms Grahame is happy to chat/discuss to /with parents before and after school as I am. If you have any concerns please do not hesitate to contact us.

Fruit break occurs at 10:00 am each day with a water/toilet break. Please provide fruit that is easy to eat in 10 minutes - this is where fresh fruit or vegetables are cut onto bite size pieces as a quick energy boost for kids, eg: apple, rockmelon, kiwi fruit, carrot, celery, blueberries, strawberries etc.

Assemblies will commence on Friday, 6th February at 9:00 a.m. - all welcome.

All students will need a book pack, school will provide these essentials, this includes Mathletics, work books, pencils, exercise books all for the cost of \$60.00 per student.

Please help us with some “housekeeping” - PLEASE

- ◆ Return notes/money to school promptly;
- ◆ Label school jumpers, hats, lunchboxes & drink bottles clearly as this helps us return property;
- ◆ Make sure your contact details are up to date plus emergency contacts;
- ◆ Newsletters will go home each Thursday, please check your oldest child's bag or ask for it;
- ◆ Ring school before 2:45 pm (if at all possible) to notify of changes to home time routine, otherwise students will follow their regular home time routine;
- ◆ Student banking will be on Monday;
- ◆ Assembly will start on Friday, 6th February at 9:00 a.m. All welcome to attend;
- ◆ Please send an old shirt with your child for art (to protect their uniform).

Together we are a great school. Enjoy the school year.

Kind Regards,

Liza Duncan
Principal 😊

Nash & Tom, settling into the school routine.



Celebrating Success



POSITIVE SIDE OF THE LEVEL SHEET -

Kinder:

Watch this space

Year 1:

Year 2:

Year 3:

Year 4:

Year 5:

Year 6:



YEAR 6 - OUR SCHOOL LEADERS - TOM, CHLOE AND BLAKE - WE WISH YOU ALL A SUCCESSFUL YEAR AS YOU LEAD OUR SCHOOL THROUGH ANOTHER GREAT YEAR.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY.....To those students & staff celebrating their birthday in January:

2nd - Javana

2nd - Chloe

9th - Hunter



Oliver, Callum and Tom with some baby chicks.



P & C NEWS

Hello everyone and a very warm welcome to our new families and little kindy's. We hope you enjoy our little school.

The first P&C meeting of the year is Wednesday, 11th February at 6.30. These meetings are held each month on the second Wednesday at 6.30pm. All parents are welcome to attend even if you only come occasionally. It is a good opportunity as a parent to hear directly from Liza Duncan our Principal and other people who attend. Our first meeting will host Ms Carolynne Merchant, Acting Director Public Schools NSW Southern Tablelands Network, as a special guest. This is a great opportunity to meet the person Ms Duncan works in conjunction with from an Education Departments perspective.

I would like to thank the parents and friends who very generously donated their time and volunteered at the rodeo on the weekend to assist in the BBQ shed. Because of this each year the rodeo committee has donated \$1000 to the P&C to go towards initiatives for our school. We hope we a lucky again this year. Thank you everyone. Great organising Stuart Keith.

The Creative Room, our newest project, is still under construction. We've had some fun with a leaky roof over the holidays. Our trusty Project Management team Kathryne and Adam Moloney have been under pressure!!! The room is due for delivery (for Blockheads) and launch this term so the teachers can get cooking, science, art and crafts lessons underway. It's all systems go!!

One of our major fund raisers for the year is coming up this term. 'Cuppa on the Hill'. This is our country kitchen/cafe we have at the Taralga Show. It will be our third year. Last year we raised over \$1000 and would like to do so again. We will be asking for volunteers over the show weekend and also for some goodies to sell over the weekend. It's a fun time meeting and greeting and working with the community of Taralga.

Well let's get this year started!

Your P&C Committee

Fiona Young, Stuart Keith, Glenn Hall, Sylvia Martin and last but not least Kathryne Moloney.

THE OFFICE CORNER:

For the safety of all our families, we request that parents and students do not enter the school grounds via the staff car park. Any of the gates north of the big pine tree are safe entry points to the school. Thank you.

Scripture will commence on 4th March. It is expected that Kid's Club will also commence in March - this to be confirmed.

NEW LUNCH ORDER PRICE LISTS ATTACHED TO THIS NEWSLETTER.

Our School in Photos



28-1-2015 -- YEARS 1 -6 VERY HAPPY TO BE BACK AT SCHOOL!!!



Kurt, Harry, Jake + are happy working on computers.



Ben, Meg and Sarah working with patterns.



Toby, Katelyn, Jessica and Gus - computer time.



Chloe and Tommy working hard on their animal facts.