



# Taralga Public School

## NEWSLETTER

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### HIGHLIGHTS OF OUR WEEK:

UKULELE LESSONS  
WITH KEVA

TENNIS

COOKING WITH MS  
DUNCAN

### NEXT ASSEMBLY

**MONDAY**  
**27.6.2016**  
**9:00 am**

### DATES TO REMEMBER

Each Mon	Student Banking
Each Wed	LIBRARY
Wed 29-6	Years 3-6 Spotted Quoll Expo Crookwell High School
Thur 30-6	Reports home
Fri 1-7	Last day of Term 2
Mon 18-7	STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY
Tues 19-7	Students return for Term 3

WEEK 9 TERM 2

23rd June, 2016

## Principal's Message



Dear Parents & Families,

The students did cooking today with Ms Duncan. We made mini meatloaves, baked potato & pumpkin, gravy and apple turnovers and cream for dessert. The students enjoyed the meal.

The Spotted Quoll Project Expo Day is on Wednesday, 29th June, with parents being able to see the presentations from 10:00 am in the Crookwell High School Hall. The bus will leave Taralga Public School at 8:30 am on Wednesday, 29th June and be back for the school's afternoon session.

Please remember our Positive Behaviour for Learning Expectations are:

1. Be a Learner
2. Be Respectful
3. Be Safe

Reports will be sent home with next week's Newsletter, depending on all going well with our photocopier. *Students receiving a 'C' means Sound Achievement - they are achieving at their appropriate grade level. It is the expected level of achievement according to the child's grade.*

Speech and Drama payments are due and payable at the office - \$20.00 per student participating. Thank you to those parents who have paid. If these payments are not made, your child will be withdrawn from these activities.

Regards,

Liza Duncan  
Principal 😊

**Cooper and Lilly received  
Progress Awards at  
Monday's Assembly.**



**Year 6 - Angus, Ray, Evelyn, Mikayla and Jessica received their Grip Leadership Certificates.**

# Celebrating Success



## POSITIVE SIDE OF THE LEVEL SHEET - Week 8 Term 2

**Kinder:** Maggie Chalker, Cooper Tickell

**Year 1:** Lilly Bell, Taylah Sheridan

**Year 2:**

**Year 3:** Lukey McLeod

**Year 4:** Oliver Brown, Tom Sheridan, Jordon Frew x 2

**Year 5:**

**Year 6:** Mikayla Barber



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

**Tom Sheridan - 10th**

**Regan - 18th**

**Lilly - 22nd**



**Regan, Mikayla, Oliver, Ray and Jordon all received Progress Awards at Assembly.**

## K-1-2 KIRRALONG CLASS ROOM

- We have been reading a lot of interesting and entertaining books as part of the Premier's Reading Challenge. One class favourite is 'Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus' by Mo Willems, where a cheeky pigeon tries many different tactics to persuade the reader to let him drive the bus. Students practiced their powers of persuasion by trying to convince a "pigeon" to let them into class. Their different approaches ranged from begging to be let inside because of the cold, to enticing offers of parties (Axel), friendship (Marshall), and 1000 ice creams! (Lilly).
- On Tuesday, we made the most of the stormy weather by having reading by torchlight in a darkened classroom. Our pretend campfire, night time bush sounds and marshmallows added to the atmosphere and it was wonderful to see the students so engaged in their reading.
- We have started a book which we're hoping will become part of our school's history - "The Taralga Public School Book of Remarkable Records"! All students can suggest and attempt records for the book, which is to celebrate not only our significant sporting abilities, but other kinds of achievements, from building the tallest "uniblock" tower to hopping on one leg for over 3 minutes. Students, think about a record that you would like to set in our records book. Make sure it's measurable and be creative!

**Last day of term, not sports uniform, sports CLOTHES day - gold coin donation!!!!**



## P & C NEWS

- **Election Day Raffle, Food and Craft Stall:** We will be cooking a BBQ with bacon & egg rolls in the morning, followed by sausage sandwiches, alongside a cake stall (all donations of cakes, slices etc. will be greatly appreciated), at the Memorial Hall - voting is hard work after all. We also plan to sell some craft and bric-a-brac items. We are looking for volunteers to help on either stand for a short shift on Saturday, 2nd July. Please complete the slip below and return to school.

### Your P & C

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### Election Day Roster - Saturday, 2nd July, 2016

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

I can help out between: 9 - 10 am      11 - 12 pm      12 - 1 pm      1 - 2 pm (please circle your choice)

Please return this slip to the office so we can put together a roster of helpers!!

### THE SPOTTED QUOLL EXPO - Crookwell High School - Years 3-6 - Wednesday, 29th June, 2016

Is a showcase of all the interesting campaigns the students of Crookwell High School and the local small schools have been devising to raise awareness of the Spotted Quoll.

It will be a great morning - 9am - 12 noon, Wednesday, 29th June, 2016, where the schools will show off their work. Students will need to pack all food for the day and a drink. We expect to return to school by 1:00 pm where the students will eat their lunch.

Our students - Years 3-6 need to be at Crookwell High School by 9:00 am, so **we will need to leave Taralga Public School by 8:30 am.** Please be at school by 8:20 am ready to go. Travel is with Pitt's Bus Service - the cost per student is \$10.00 to cover bus fair.

**Please complete the permission slip below and return to school by Monday, 27th June with payment, thank you.**

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### SPOTTED QUOLL EXPO - Crookwell High School

I hereby give my child/ren ..... permission to attend the Spotted Quoll Expo at Crookwell High School on Wednesday, 29th June, 2016. I understand travel is with Pitt's Bus Service.  
I enclose \$...... (\$10.00 per student)

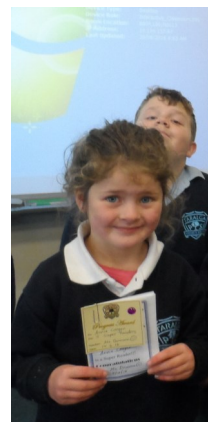
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**Tyler, Nash and Breannah  
received Progress Awards**

**As did Annie,**



### THE OFFICE CORNER:

**We have just been advised that the technician who was coming to fix our phone, cannot come until Tuesday. Until further advised, if no one is able to take your call, please phone Ms Duncan's mobile - 0427 356 114 - where she will either answer or you can leave a message. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.**

**BUT ON MONDAY - Ms Duncan is not at school - please use 0418 253 337**



# OUR SCHOOL IN PHOTOS



**FROM top left -**

**Regan & Cameron received  
Mathletics Certificates**

**Tom is grating carrot**

**Breannah with the mixture ready  
for stirring**

**Angus peeling a potato**

**Tommy & Ben ready to cook**

**Ben thinking about the yummy  
food**

**Our students working quietly  
together to make this wonderful  
lunch - how lucky are they???**