



PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Dear all,

Change of Date for Crazy Hair Day

We have had to change the date for our Crazy Hair day due to a Stage 3 sporting event being announced for the same day. Crazy Hair Day will now be held next Wednesday 29 March. I'm looking forward to seeing all the colourful creations!

Staff Carpark

We have noticed a number of parents and students are entering or exiting the school through the staff car park, either in cars or on foot. A reminder that students and their families are asked to enter the school through the gate on the Post Office side of the front fence, or through the entry from Church Street towards the back of the school. We ask that parents and students do not enter via the staff car park as this can pose a safety risk with traffic coming and going. Thank you for helping keep our students safe.

Easter Raffle

This year we are holding a giant Easter raffle which will be drawn following our hat parade on Thursday 6 April. We are asking each family to consider contributing to the raffle by donating an Easter egg or chocolate bunny. We have also given each family a book of raffle tickets which they can purchase, sell or return to school unsold. Thank you in anticipation of your support for this eggsciting event!

Kindergarten Enrolments 2018

Yes, believe it or not, we're already making plans for next year! We're asking families to let the wider school community know that we are now taking enrolments for 2018.

If you are seeking enrolment for your child in Kindergarten next year, please make contact with the school so we can add their name to our list.

Please don't hesitate to talk to me directly if you would like to discuss enrolment procedures or your child's school readiness.

Tall Trees Before and After School Care

Our Before and After School Care is continuing to grow and we are asking parents to consider being on our OOSH committee which meets before the P&C Meeting on Mondays of Week 3 and 9 of each term.

Gardening Club

We are also seeking family members or members of the community who would like to take an active role in our school vegie garden. Generally, during lunch time each Friday, students have the option of working in the garden alongside a volunteer. If you know any keen gardeners who would like to be involved in the school vegie garden, please ask them to contact the school.

Have a great week,

Rod White
Principal



This week's value is

Play Fairly

Congratulations to last week's
winners

Tarlia and Micah

SRC NEWS

Crazy Hair Day - Wednesday 29 March

A reminder that next Wednesday 29 March the SRC are holding a CRAZY HAIR and MUTFI DAY fundraiser.

Please come along to school with crazy hair, the crazier the better! You are also welcome to wear mufti clothes if you wish. Please bring a gold coin donation to help support Camp Quality to make a difference to families living with cancer. We look forward to a fun day!

Mrs Darby



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Class Awards

Congratulations to the following students who will receive a Class Award at this Friday's assembly:

KD	- Jeremy and Lailani
1F	- Teddy and Taylah
2M	- Tye and Aliyah
2-3K	- Mia and Bailey
4-5M	- Alyssa and Matilda
5-6N	- Saphira and Caleb
Library	- Myles and Elijah

Achievement Awards

Congratulations to the following students who received an Achievement Award at last week's assembly:

Grey Achievement Awards (Four Tall Trees)

KD - Olla, Myles and Shamar.

1F - Lexy.

2M - Aliyah, Nixi, Serena and Eli.

2-3K - Tia, Riley, Kate, Caleb and Jesse.

5-6N - Katelyn.

SPORTS SHORTS

Wow! There have been a lot of great things happening in sport over the past few weeks. In order to fit it all in, I have attached a one-page 'Shorts Sports' special, so that we can see all the fabulous achievements of our Tomerong students.

Cross Country

A permission note was sent home yesterday regarding the school cross country. This event takes place at 'Timber Hills', Tomerong and includes all students from Kindergarten to Year 6.

Please take note of the change of date. **The school cross country will now be held on Tuesday 4 April (Week 11, Term 1) and the back-up date for this event is Tuesday 2nd May (Week 2, Term 2).**

Additional permission notes for this event are available from the office foyer.

We also invite parents to bake cakes and delicious slices for this event to support the on-site canteen that operates on the day. We are always in need of parent helpers at the canteen or on the course. If you can help, please let me know.

Mr Munn

CANTEEN ROSTER - TERM 1

FRI 24 MAR - Rebecca, Marcy and Bronwyn (baking)

WED 29 MAR - Kylie and Sally

COMING EVENTS - Term 1

WEEK 9

Fri 24 Mar	-School Assembly - 2.40pm
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WEEK 10

Mon 27 Mar	-Library Borrowing - 2-3K
Tue 28 Mar	-Library Borrowing - 1F, 2M and 5-6N

Wed 29 Mar	-SRC - <i>Crazy Hair Day</i> -Library Borrowing - KD and 4-5M -Uniform Pool - 8.50 - 9.10am
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WEEK 11

Tue 4 Apr	-Cross Country - Timber Hills
Thu 6 Apr	-Easter Hat Parade - 1.30pm
Fri 7 Apr	-School Assembly - 2.40pm -Last Day of Term 1

2018 - YEAR 5 OPPORTUNITY CLASS INFORMATION EVENING (for academically gifted children)

Gifted and talented students are given a caring, enriching and exciting academic environment to help them achieve their full potential in this two-year program.

Parents of gifted and talented children currently in Year 4 are invited to attend an information evening at Illaroo Road Public School At 6pm on Tuesday 2 May, 2017.

Applications online 26 April -12 May
(search online for OC Placement NSW).

Contact Bob Lowe, Deputy Principal
on 4421 0422 for more information.

COMMUNITY NEWS

EROWAL BAY TENNIS CLUB

Junior Grading Day

Come along to our grading day on Saturday 8 April at 9am. Have a hit of tennis and see how you go!

All levels of players are welcome. The canteen is open and a free sausage sizzle will be running.

The winter junior competition starts on Saturday 29 April. It is played each Saturday at the Erowal Bay courts from 8 - 10am.

Please text Susan on 0423 843 285 if you are going to attend.

Singing and Piano Lessons

Singing and piano lessons - tuition in classical, music theatre and contemporary styles for all ages. Also offering piano for beginners, AMEB grades and theory. Studio in Vincentia. Contact Olivia Corish - B. Mus (Hons) Grad Dip Ed. on 0400 471 363.



Sports Shorts

Week 8 — Term 1, 2017



District Swimming

Well done to all our students who competed in the P.S.S.A District Swim Carnival a few weeks ago. Our students were amazing ambassadors for our school and several of our students walked away with a number of second and third place ribbons. We are all very proud of your efforts!



Netball

We are also very proud of Liv who was selected at last week's P.S.S.A. trials and will now go on to try out for the South Illawarra Netball Trials at the Shoalhaven Netball Complex in Nowra. Fantastic result!



Rugby League

Congratulations to Caleb for being selected to try out for the Illawarra rugby league trials. We wish him all the best on Monday 27th March. Good luck!

Soccer

Caleb, Tyran, Bree and Olivia recently represented our school at the P.S.S.A. district soccer trials. They were selected to try out for the South Illawarra Team. This is a great achievement. Well done!

