



## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

### Peer Support

Our senior students are very fortunate to be given a wide range of leadership opportunities throughout the year. As a part of our student leadership development, Miss Doumbos, Mr Bradley, Mrs Raymer and I attended Peer Support training last term, and we're excited about introducing the program next term when our Year 5 students will be delivering sessions to their peers.

Peer support has operated in schools for a number of years and aims to foster leadership skills amongst students. The program also develops valuable skills such as teamwork, collaboration, reasoning and critical thinking amongst the younger students who are participating in the sessions. Year 5 will lead a group of students from Kindergarten to Year 4 through 8 sessions next term. During this time Year 6 students will participate in high school readiness lessons.

Next Wednesday and Thursday our Year 5 students will be participating in training to equip them as leaders of the program. Training will be held at Shoalhaven Entertainment Centre. Each Year 5 student received a permission note today.

I look forward to working closely with our wonderful Year 5 students as they develop their leadership capacity.

### School Reports and Parent Teacher Interviews

Students will be receiving their Semester 1 school reports on Wednesday 27 June and we will be holding parent-teacher interviews during Week 10 of this term. Attached to this bulletin you will find a sheet outlining times available to meet with your child's teacher. Please choose a suitable timeslot and return the sheet at your earliest convenience. Your child's teacher will then confirm your time or suggest another time if necessary. We will do our very best to accommodate your request.

I strongly encourage all parents and carers to make a time to talk to their child's teacher about how their child is progressing.

### Working Bee

A reminder that our P&C have organised a working bee for Sunday 24 June, commencing at 9.30am. We will be creating an outdoor learning area for the 5/6 students and developing a garden in front of the Year 1 classroom. Please bring along any gardening tools including shovels, rakes and garden gloves! I hope to see you there!

### Glass Jars Needed

A reminder also that we are asking for donations of glass jars for our lanterns, which students will be able to take along to the Winter Community Gathering on Friday 22 June at Tomorong Hall between 5 - 8pm.

Have a great week!

Rod White  
Principal



## COMING EVENTS - TERM 2 - 2018

### WEEK 7

Thu 14 Jun -Library Borrowing - 3-4B

### WEEK 8

Mon 18 Jun -Library Borrowing - 2-3K and 5-6B

Tue 19 Jun -Year 6 Taco Tuesday  
-Shoalhaven Library Bookmobile  
-Library Borrowing - KD, 2M and 4-5D

Wed 20 Jun -Library Borrowing - 1F  
-Uniform Pool - 8.50 - 9.10am

Fri 22 Jun -School Assembly - 2-3K Item - 2.40pm

Sun 24 Jun -Working Bee - 9.30am

### WEEK 9

Tue 26 Jun -AFL K-2 Skills Day

Thu 28 Jun -Trivia Night - Husky Pub

## YEAR 6 FUNDRAISER

### Taco Tuesday

Year 6 will be holding their next fundraiser on Tuesday 19 June to raise funds for their Year 6 gift to the school.

Year 6 will be selling lunch combos for \$5, consisting of a taco and a juice.

Please support Year 6's efforts and enjoy a delicious taco.

Please return the order slip on the next page of the 'Bulletin' by Monday 18 June.

Mr Bradley



This week's value is

# Be Resilient

Congratulations to last week's winners

Mariah and Jeremy

## Achievement Awards

*Congratulations to the following students who have earned an Achievement Award:*

### TERM 2

#### Grey Achievement Awards (Four Tall Trees)

- KD - Kyara, Matilda, Kenzie, Celina, Charlie, Sam, Jerran, Lachlan, Sebastian and Arabella.  
 1F - Shamar and Max.  
 2-3K - Isaiah and Chris.  
 3-4B - William.  
 4-5D - Banjo.

#### Maroon Achievement Awards (Eight Tall Trees)

- KD - Rusty.  
 1F - Allira, Olla, Jeremy and Lailani.  
 2M - Chloe, Jasmine, Scarlett and William.  
 2-3K - Mia.  
 3-4B - Riley and Kayne.  
 4-5D - Emily, Adam, Jesse, Tarlia, Sarah, Jett, Isabelle, Noah, Tyson, Ella and Bodie.  
 5-6B - Liv, Ethan, Caleb, Katie H, Rhys and Couper.

### CANBERRA EXCURSION 2018

In the next few weeks, Year 5 and 6 students will be receiving a permission note in regards to their overnight excursion to Canberra from Thursday 25 October to Friday 26 October.

Students will be visiting Parliament House, Australian War Memorial, Telstra Tower, the Electoral Education Centre and Questacon.

The cost of this excursion is approximately \$235. Final costing will be outlined on the note.

If you have any concerns, please do not hesitate to see Miss Doumbos, Mr White or myself.

**Mr Bradley**

### COMMUNITY NEWS

#### Community Winter Gathering

On Friday 22 June at Tomerong Hall from 5 - 8pm, there will be a get together with music, bonfires, food, sparklers and a lantern parade. You will also have the opportunity to view the night sky through two big telescopes thanks to Shoalhaven Astronomers. Don't forget to bring along a gold coin donation if you would like to stay for food.

### SRC FUNDRAISER

#### Pirate Day Friday

A big thank you to Tomerong SRC for once again organising a very successful fundraiser!

Last Friday, students took part in 'Pirate Day Friday' and dressed up as pirates. Students made eye patches and completed some activities in class.

Our school raised over \$170 towards childhood brain cancer. Congratulations Tomerong!

Pirate Day Friday is an annual national event created to generate awareness and much needed funds for children's brain cancer. All funds raised are allocated to research projects across Australia through The Adventurers and The Kids' Cancer Project.

This nation wide fundraiser is to help support research and eliminate childhood brain cancer.

Thank you for supporting this worthy cause.

**Mrs Darby**

### P&C NEWS

#### Sunglasses for Students

After our P&C President did some research, we learnt from a guest speaker at one of our P&C meetings about the importance of wearing sunglasses as part of being SunSmart. Pterygiums were a thing I thought, that were only relevant for people living in Far North Queensland where I had first encountered this medical condition in a colleague.

We are probably all familiar with the old 'slip, slop, slap' sun safety campaign but we may not have been all that aware of the new one:

"The health campaign was extended in later years by SunSmart to encourage the use of shade and sunglasses. That is, Slip on a shirt, Slop on the 50+ sunscreen, Slap on a hat, Seek shade or shelter, Slide on some glasses used to block out sun. 'Slip, Slop, Slap, Seek, Slide'.

To help protect our students the P&C voted to purchase sunglasses for all students to wear. The P&C wanted to make the sunglasses available with no financial burden to families as a one off gesture. Families will be responsible for purchasing replacements if the sunglasses become lost or damaged. The sunglasses will be labelled by the P&C with the children's names to help try and avoid loss. The sunglasses will also be included in Kindergarten 2019 welcome packs.

We thank you for your support with this initiative!

**Melinda - P&C Vice President**



### CANTEEN ROSTER - TERM 2 - 2018

**Fri 15 Jun - Emma**

**Wed 20 Jun - Von**

### TACO TUESDAY ORDER FORM (Tuesday 19 June)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Tacos: \_\_\_\_\_

Lettuce ☐

Cheese ☐

Sour Cream ☐



**Please return your order with payment by Monday 18 June.  
Only a limited number of Tacos will be available to purchase on the day.**





**SRC Fundraiser for the research into  
the prevention and cure of childhood brain tumours!**  
**Friday 8 June, 2018**





# PIRATE DAY 2018

