



# NEWSLETTER



## Central Tilba Public School

Term 3, Week 10  
**MONDAY**  
September 14th, 2015

### REMINDERS

- ⇒ PAY VOLUNTARY SCHOOL CONTRIBUTIONS STUDENT INSURANCE & P&C M/SHIP
- ⇒ **PRIMARY CLASS - START PAYING FOR THE END OF YEAR EXCURSION NOW. VOLUNTEER AS FEMALE PARENT FOR EXCURSION**
- ⇒ MAKE SURE YOUR CHILD HAS THEIR SCHOOL HAT AT SCHOOL EVERY DAY

Dear Parents and Students,

Welcome to Cathy Stark tomorrow, who is filling in for Linda on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday this week, while Linda is at the Strategic Financial Management Course in Narooma tomorrow and on leave for the remainder of the week. This is also the reason why the newsletter has been sent home today (Monday), instead of our usual day (Wednesday).

Thank you to all the parents who came and assisted at last Thursday night's School Disco and especially to Kylea for her organisation of the barbeque and food. It was a wonderful evening for all and I'm sure the children enjoyed themselves.

At last Friday's Whole School Assembly, the Tilba Anzac Committee, represented by Sue Munroe and Norm Hoyer, presented a cheque to the school for \$138.00 to use on learning programs within the school. The generosity of the Committee is very much appreciated. Norm, who enrolled in our school back in 1939, told the children some stories of what it was like back then.

Good luck on Wednesday to Archie, Angela and Layla who will be competing in the District Finals of the Premier's Spelling Bee at Sunshine Bay Public School. They have been working all term on their spelling lists and I am sure they will represent their school well.

Thank you to Mrs Hillier who has been working as a student teacher with the Primary Class and who finishes her last day tomorrow. Mrs Hillier has fitted into our school very well and I appreciate the work she has done with the children. I wish her all the best in her future teaching career.

I would like to thank Kathryn Garrad for her work this year as Coordinator for our Multilit program. Kathryn has done a wonderful job and has helped to grow the number of tutors now working in our school. Her place will be taken by Kathi Wirth, a local community member, who has been working with the children as a tutor.

This Friday is the last day of Term Three. Thank you once again to all who have contributed this term to the education of the students at Central Tilba Public School. School resumes for both students and teachers on Tuesday, October. 6th

Have a nice break! John Carter, Principal

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**THIS FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18TH  
IS THE LAST DAY OF THE SCHOOL FOR THIS TERM.  
TERM 4 COMMENCES ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6TH,  
FOR BOTH STUDENTS AND STAFF.**

# CONGRATULATIONS

*To The following Students Who Received Awards At Last Friday's  
Whole School Assembly*

Kinder	Jessica	For Being A Terrific Reader
	Zac	Welcome To Central Tilba School
	Bob	For Great Counting Skills
	Camryn	For Beautiful Art Work
Year 1	Riley A.	For Excellent Computer Skills
	Kruz	For Beautiful Behaviour
	Anwen	For An Inquiring Attitude In Science
	Cerys	For Great Work In Writing
Year 2	Phoebe	For A Great Attitude In Music
	Samuel	Welcome To Central Tilba School
	Max	For Improved Reading
	Milo	For Being A Fantastic Speller
Year 3	Jordy	For Great Work In Spelling
	Elias	For Consistency In Multilit
	Noah	For Consistency In Completing Homework
	Felix	For Reading Fluently
	Kai	For A Very Well Created Slideshow On 'Medicines'
	Luke	For Consistently Great Work In Music
Year 4	Thomas	For Excellent Reading Eggspress Results
	Dakini	For Showing Great Improvement In Times Tables
Year 5	Zayd	For High Quality Writing
Year 6	Billy	For Excellent Efforts At Representing The School





Last Friday's Whole School Assembly and the Infants and Primary Class Merit Awards.  
Top right - Representatives of the Tilba Anzac Committee, Mr Norm Hoyer and Ms Sue Munro, present Principal, John Carter, with a donation for school resources.

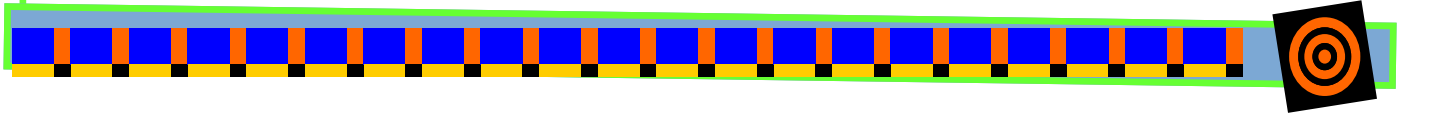
Bottom - P&C President, Megan, presents our Small Schools Relay Team with cheques from the P&C for \$100 each to help with expenses involved in getting to the State Championships in Homebush early next term.













# NOTES FROM P&C MEETING HELD LAST FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11TH, 2015

Present: John Carter, Megan, Christina, Jo, Kathryn, Shelley, Linda L

Apologies: Linda A, Kylea, Nadine, Sandy, Liane

## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

### *Since our last meeting:*

- Laura and I attended a Technology Conference in Broulee entitled 'Building Digital Schools', from which we are now going to plan a program for our school;
- A SEMP meeting was held to confirm our environmental school plan and create a timeline of implementation;
- A working bee was held at the school;
- The school was visited by the Bournda Zoomobile and Life Education Van;
- At the Regional Athletics Championships in Canberra our small schools relay team of Billy, Zayd, Chase and Jack finished second and qualified for the State finals in Sydney;
- The school held a Mufti Day to raise money for the purchase of fruit trees;
- The Primary Class has hosted Ms Kirrily Hillier as a student teacher for four weeks, finishing at the end of this term;
- Billy was awarded a Leadership Certificate at the annual Eurobodalla Learning Community Awards Dinner. Louise Hankinson was awarded a Public Education Ambassador's Award;
- The school and P&C held a disco for the children;
- The children attended a concert at Narooma Public School called 'Sing A Rainbow'.

### *In upcoming events:*

- At our Assembly this afternoon the Tilba Anzac Committee will present the school with a cheque;
- Linda and I will be attending a Strategic Financial Management course in Narooma on Tuesday, September 15th;
- Angela, Archie and Layla will compete in the district finals of the Premier's Spelling Bee at Sunshine Bay PS on September 16th;
- Last day of school for Term 3 is next Friday, September 18th;
- School resumes for students and teachers on Tuesday, October 6th;
- The Primary Class will host Ms Natalie Percer, a student teacher from Wollongong, for the first three weeks of Term Four;
- From Week One, students will be involved in Dance Fever, a weekly dance lesson being delivered by a private company each Thursday morning at a cost of \$2 per child per week. A grant has been applied for through 'Sporting Schools';
- Ten day Swimming School begins on Monday, October 12th (second week of Term Four) and runs for two weeks;
- State Athletics in Sydney October 14th and 15th (Week 2).

**THANK YOU TO THE P&C FOR ALL  
YOUR WORK AND SUPPORT SO FAR  
THIS YEAR**

## GENERAL BUSINESS

**Disco** - A great success and fun night. Thanks to John and Louise for organising the dancing. BIG thanks also to Kylea, Joel and crew for the BBQ and Adele for great balloon decorations.

**Working Bee** - Sunday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>. Great turnout - thanks everyone. Managed to put in a watering system and do some mulching of environment trail. Thanks to Christina for spraying. For future working bees we will need to use sign in sheets for insurance requirements.

**SLD** - Thanks to Liane, Kathy and Linda A for recent SLD. Shelley and Christina are volunteers on a Wednesday early next term.

**Grants** - Christina has written and submitted an application for a grant of \$5000 to help with biodiversity projects and completion of the environment trail. Jo will submit an application for a grant by October 31st for \$4000 to hopefully assist with funds for the play.

**Bunnings donation of materials for a stage outside the library** - Adele has been liaising with Bunnings on this. John has mentioned this to Tim Hawken in regards to assistance with drawing up of plans. May look at replanting grassed area or incorporate tiered seating.

**Camping** - Would be OK to have at Mystery Bay yoga retreat next term. Christina to check on dates.

**Christmas Cards** - Peter Markham has lots of photos of children's artwork. Linda L will create a template where we can scan artwork and copy onto cards at school. Committee so far includes Megan, Jo and Linda L to help with this. Need to decide on a message inside and on back of card. Will be in batches of 5 and/or 10.

**Cows for Careers** - Robyn Lucas has asked if the students would like to come to her farm to be involved in Cows for Careers. Laura is keen to take her class. Not sure of dates yet.

**Swimming School** - General cost is approximately \$80/child for pool entrance and bus transport. Last year payment by parents was \$30/child as P&C subsidised bus travel. Parents' contribution covered the \$3 pool admission each day (10 day program). Pool admittance is now \$3.50/day. The P&C once again decided to subsidise the bus costs.

**Narooma Pool** - Some parents have been meeting on a Thursday after school and swimming with their children at about 4.00pm. Come along and join in. Parents must stay and supervise their own children!

**Special School Community Funding** - The school has received \$2500 funding over 3 years to use for community events. Some of this was used today to cover the bus transport cost to Narooma School's performance.

**Mulch** - Shelley will call Narooma Tree Lopping to find out about additional mulch for the trail.

**Down Syndrome Awareness** - Is March next year. Shelley would like to be involved with this.

**Fruit trees** - School disco raised \$68 for 2 apple trees. Shelley has a contact at the markets in Bermagui which are on at the end of the month and will purchase the trees then.

**Bunnings BBQ Fundraiser** - Jo to write a letter requesting an opportunity to have BBQ fundraiser at the new Batemans Bay store. We could use this funding for our play if we are unsuccessful with grants that have been applied for.

**Kinema Fundraiser** - Megan has booked a 'Bond' night at the Narooma Kinema when the new James Bond movie is showing. \$10 from each ticket purchased goes to the school. November 17th is the planned but still to be confirmed.

**Next Meeting** - Friday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>. Wear GREEN to show support for Gonski Week.

# Community Notice Board

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## Spring School Holiday Fun @ your Libraries

### Dr Graham's Excellent Experiments

What are your favourite scientific phenomena? Is it boiling nitrogen, forces or even explosions? From marshmallow bazookas to liquid nitrogen powered rocket cars and cannons that fire teddy bears, this interactive show is jammed with new science stuff from Dr Graham's garage-lab along with some classic experiments for a super special south coast science experience... guaranteed to make your cranium curious and your laughs loud! Supported by the ANU Research School of Chemistry

Batemans Bay Library 10.00am – 10.45am Monday 21 September 4472 5850

Moruya Library 12.30pm – 1.15pm Monday 21 September 4474 1333

Narooma Library 3.30pm – 4.15pm Monday 21 September 4476 1164

COST: \$10.00 bookings essential.



**'REBOOT BERMAGUI' WEEKEND** – September 26-27th, 2015. On the middle weekend of the holidays 'ReBoot Bermagui' will be held, a weekend devoted to fitness, fun and well-being. There are lots of activities to be involved in so check out their website or Facebook page and if you're interested, get involved. Last year several parents and I went in the 5km Fun Run. I intend to compete again this year so if you want to join me, please let me know. I'm not the greatest runner, but I do believe in trying to stay fit! - John Carter.

### **TAILWAGGER'S WALK**

10am Sunday, September 20th, NATA Oval. Registration from 9am - \$5/dog.

☺ Demonstrations and competitions including Canine X-Factor and Best Fancy Dress (\$3/dog/event).

☺ Great prizes.

☺ Refreshments available.

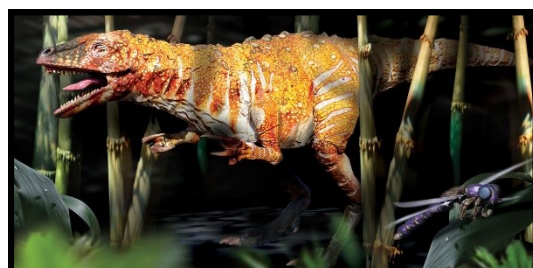
☺ Don't forget the dog lead and plastic bags.

☺ Do the photo caption competition and return it to school asap. Caption entry forms available from the school office.

Call Daiva on 4476 5547 for more info.

### **SEPTEMBER SCHOOL HOLIDAYS - DINOSAURS ARE BACK!!**

South East Arts presents Erth's Dinosaur Zoo



these school holidays. Bega - Thurs, Sept 24th and Moruya - Fri, Sept 25th. The show takes audiences into a new dimension of theatre where you will meet awesome prehistoric creatures, from cute baby dinos to some of the largest carnivores and herbivores that have ever walked the planet. Most suitable for 5yrs+, 55 min long. More info and tickets at [www.southeastarts.eventbrite.com](http://www.southeastarts.eventbrite.com).

### **ART EXHIBITION BY THE CHILDREN FROM COBARGO PRE-SCHOOL**

The Cobargo Creators are privileged to host Joy and Abandon, a celebration of process and possibilities featuring works by the children from Cobargo Pre-School. This will be a fundraiser for the pre-school and a fantastic opportunity for the communities in and around Cobargo to support our future creators. The exhibition opens on the afternoon of Friday Sept 12, 2.30pm and closes on Friday Oct 2, 4pm. The works will be on display in the Cobargo Creators Centre, 60 Princes Highway, Cobargo - a showcase space for beautiful things.



## SPRING HOLIDAY CAMPS DON'T MISS OUT

- ✓ New friendships
- ✓ Great value
- ✓ Fun
- ✓ Safe

Our popular Spring Kids' and Family Holiday Camps are filling fast. Find out what's on including our popular Cooking 4 Kids, Adventurer, Kids' Club and Duke of Edinburgh camps plus lots more.

Led by qualified instructors, you can rest easy knowing your kids are in safe hands. Our Kids' Camps are suitable for kids aged 7 and over and range from 1 to 5 days.



Residential Kids' Camps include:

- 24 hour supervision
- Instructor led activities
- Accommodation
- Meals
- Supervised transport

Family Camps include:

- Instructor led activities
- Meals
- Accommodation
- Use of all facilities i.e. BBQ area, pool, tennis courts etc.

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