



# NEWSLETTER



## Central Tilba Public School

Term 4, Week 9  
WEDNESDAY  
December 6th 2017

Dear Parents, Carers and Students,

The end of term is close and we have been enjoying wrapping up our learning activities and beginning the end of year clean-up. Important to note that reports will be going home this Friday and our Presentation Night will be on Thursday next week (14<sup>th</sup> December). Plans for the last day of school this term will be a Mufti Day (no uniform), craft and movie day, staff would like to end the year with a relaxing day that everyone can enjoy. In the evening the P&C are having a fundraiser at the Narooma Kinema with the showing of the latest Star Wars movie.

Last week was a very busy week for me, Wednesday I met with Lara Crew from Four Winds to discuss potential educational opportunities for our students in 2018. Four Winds have been developing educational programs that involve visiting Four Winds to experience performances, students then work with local artists or artists in residence at Four Winds to reflect and respond to the musical experience. I will be looking forward to building a connection with Four Winds and to finding out about specific dates and performance information for next year.

Thank you to Liane who represented the P&C and accompanied me on a visit to Bemboka PS last Wednesday where we had the opportunity to see their Kitchen Garden Program in action. The program has been running at Bemboka for about four years and was very impressive, I am sure there will be some discussion about the program at the P&C meeting on Friday.

Thursday I spent the day with Kim at Bodalla PS, we participated in a budgeting workshop which was interesting and exciting as it will play a big part in not only our plans for 2018 but also for our three year plan. Friday I was at Bermagui PS for the final Primary Principals Association (PPA) meeting. Again these are meetings that I do need to attend as it is important that I stay up to date with policy and procedures and maintain professional relationships with other principals in our area, as we work together to provide educational opportunities for our students. This week Year 6 have had their final orientation day at Narooma High School and although the thought for some children going off to high school may seem daunting, I urge parents to keep up a positive dialogue around high school and if you have any concerns contact Narooma High.

Thursday Years 3-6 will be travelling to Narooma HS with myself to do a robotics workshop, another great opportunity to engage students with the high school and to demonstrate our robotics skills. We will have an early recess and catch the bus at 10:40 am, returning at 1.30pm. Sophia and Phil have been amazing this term and all of the staff and students at Central Tilba thank you. Sophia for your music lessons which have allowed our students to further develop their music skills and Phil for the repairs and maintenance of our keyboards allowing more students to access keyboard lessons with Sophia.

A reminder was emailed to principals this week regarding this time of the year usually seeing an increase in injuries as we all rush around. I ask that we all make this final week safe and calm.

Regards, Danielle McGrath, Relieving Principal

### REMINDERS

- ⇒ RETURN ALL LIBRARY BOOKS
- ⇒ **PRESENTATION NIGHT THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14TH 6PM**
- ⇒ YEARS 3/4/5/6 ROBOTICS AT NHS THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7TH
- ⇒ **P&C MEETING - FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8TH . 1.45 PM**
- ⇒ PLEASE FINALISE BERRY CAMP PAYMENTS AND ALL OTHER OUTSTANDING PAYMENTS BEFORE END OF YEAR
- ⇒ **RAFFLE TICKET BOOKS AND MONEY TO BE RETURNED**
- ⇒ LAST DAY FOR LUNCH ORDERS FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8TH
- ⇒ **MUFTI DAY— FRIDAY, LAST DAY OF TERM**

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Find our full colour  
newsletter here!

### Weekly Skill Focus

## Dealing with Disagreements



# Congratulations!



To the following students who  
received Awards at last Friday's  
Whole School Assembly

Kinder	Leroy	For great improvement in Handwriting
	Jack	For fabulous work in spelling
Year 1	George	For determination to read with appropriate expression
Year 2	Cody	For planning and structuring his written work
	Bob	For solving problems in mathematics
Year 3	Riley A	For identifying rich uses of language in texts we read
	Anwen	For reading a phenomenal number of books this year
	Levi	For great progress and application in mathematics
	Sophie	For skills, participation and enthusiasm for P.E.
Year 4	Harmony	For always positively contributing to class discussions
	Riley P	For creativity in science, completing the camouflage challenge
	Max	For the ability to plan a scientific STEM challenge successfully
Year 5	Joey	For your dance moves on camp that brought joy to all
	Elias	For demonstrating a positive attitude and understanding in maths
	Isiah	For growth and enthusiasm in writing, particularly in 100 word challenge
	Noah	For demonstration of grammar and punctuation skills that enhance 100 word challenge
	Annabel	For commitment and dedication to her learning
	Kai	For the caring and kindness he demonstrates to everyone
Year 6	Archie	For the ability to work independently and challenge himself to improve
	Angela	For willingness and ability to resolve conflict
	Jack de	For the ability to tell a good yarn



# Students of the Week

## Year K-1-2-3 Class



### MOLLY

Molly is 6 years old. She likes the colour pink, nachos and horses.

Molly lives in Narooma and she was born in September. When Molly grows up she wants to be a lawyer.

She likes riding her bike on the weekend and her favourite number is 3.

### LEROY

Leroy is in Kindergarten. He was born in August and lives in Tilba.

Leroy likes monkeys, penguins and the colour pink. He wants to be a scientist when he grows up.

Leroy's favourite number is 1000 and he likes playing with his friends on the weekend.



*Please ensure all Library books are returned before the end of the year. Library books are of great value to the school and if they are not returned other students may miss out. If a book has been damaged beyond repair or is lost, the value of the book must be repaid to the school.*





**Term 4 Week 9**

**What can get in the way of making good decisions**

Having the skills for thinking through decisions makes a good decision more likely, but it doesn't guarantee one. Other things can get in the way. For example, strong feelings can cloud clear thinking. So when a child is frightened, angry or overwhelmed by strong feelings the chances of making a good decision are reduced. Having skills for managing feelings can help children to calm down and make better decisions.

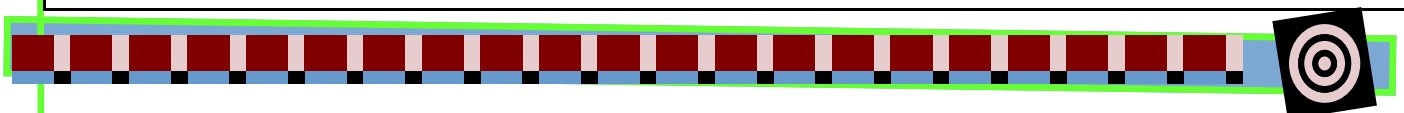
Some children have impulsive temperaments and find learning to think through their behaviour a particular challenge. These children especially benefit from learning skills that help them to think before they act. Certain kinds of thinking can also interfere with good judgment. It is not uncommon in younger children in particular to be over-confident about their abilities and this can contribute to poor decisions at times. Being competitive can mean children want to prove themselves in front of others and so lead them to make rash decisions. Prejudice or hostility towards particular individuals and poor social skills also contribute to poor social decision-making.

**Learning Continuum – Statistics and Probability (Numeracy)**

Please note that the information presented in this Newsletter is of a general nature. For specific information related to your child, it is recommended you speak with your child's teacher.

By the end of Year Six, a child should be able to:

- \* Interpret and create 2 way tables
- \* Interpret side by side column graphs
- \* Compare a range of data displays to determine the most appropriate displays for particular sets of data
- \* Interpret and critically evaluate data presented in digital media and elsewhere
- \* Compare observed frequencies in chance experiments with expected frequencies
- \* Represent probabilities using fractions, decimals and percentages
- \* Conduct chance experiments with both small and large numbers of trials





## Years 4/5/6 Class This Week

### 100 Word Challenge

If you are interested in reading more great stories from 4/5/6 or giving feedback, go to:  
<https://kidblog.org/class/central-tilba-ps/posts>

## The Escape

By **Elias** on Dec 5, 2017

"Slash," we hacked into the jungle of Africa. Me and my group are starving. We keep hacking through; suddenly we hack into a ravine. There is a log across the ravine and on the other side of the ravine is a banana tree and some dead deer. It looks fresh.

As we are about to cross a giant tiger jumped in our way he roared his giant roar.

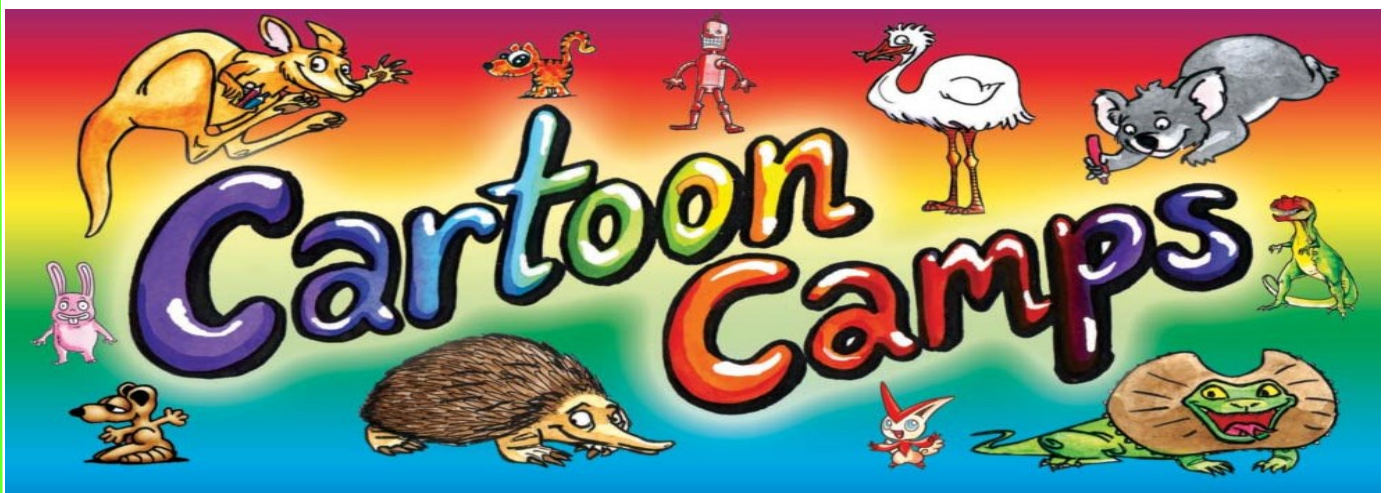
Two people ran for their lives and would probably starve to death. The tiger was blocking our escape of living. I ran to find some stones or sticks.

The tiger pounced.

## THE EYES

By **Kai** on Dec 4, 2017

Right don't make a sound just be very very still, I thought to myself. OK the bushes started to rustle then there was faint growling sound gggrrrrr. Shh, what was that? Oona (who is an elephant) was right next to me huffing and puffing, like he was ready to pounce on its prey. The thing, it was behind a tree, it was staring at me and Oona with those blood shot flaming eyes. It pounced out with one big spring. Oona roared with pride and the tiger stopped about 7m away from me. It started to circle us. The tiger was blocking our escape I looked at Oona, RUUUUUNNNNNN! Oona grabbed me with her trunk and dropped me on her back and I grabbed on for my life.



Wollongong: December 27th - 29th 2017 & Central Coast: January 3rd - 5th 2018

Summer Camps 2017 / 2018 Registration: Book & pay online: [www.illustrating-man.com.au](http://www.illustrating-man.com.au)





## DATES TO REMEMBER

Thu, Dec 7th	Years 3/4/5/6 Robotics at NHS
Fri, Dec 8th	P&C Meeting 1.45 pm
Fri, Dec 8th	End Of Year Reports Go Home
Fri, Dec 8th	Last Lunch Order Day
Thu, Dec 14th	Presentation Night Rehearsal and Presentation Night 5.45pm for 6pm start.
Fri, Dec 15th	Last Day Of School For Students
Tue, Dec 19th	Last Day Of School For Staff
Mon, Jan 29th	Staff Development Day
Tues, Jan 30th	Students First Day Back at School

### A Christmas Crackle Variety Concert.

Please come and have some fun on this Thursday night 7th December at 7pm. Exciting comedy and music including a lip synch battle, the wonderful Narooma Public School Rhythm Hunters and Narooma's very own Elvis impersonator, Mr Vuko with his band

The Vukinators. - Thursday 7th December 7pm to 9pm - Narooma High School Hall  
\$10 family, \$5 adults, \$2 concessions — Free tea, hot chocolate and coffee and biscuits.

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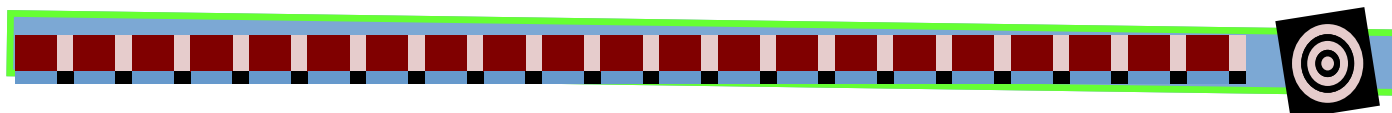
## PERMISSION NOTE

### WALK TO CENTRAL TILBA HALL — PRESENTATION NIGHT REHEARSAL

I give permission for my child(ren) ..... to :

Walk to Central Tilba Hall for Presentation Night rehearsal on Thursday, December 14th.

Signed Parent/Carer ..... Date .....





## Bermagui Seaside Fair events 10<sup>th</sup> March 2018

**Postcards art exhibition** - Theme "Down by the sea-side". Using any medium, create your art on the board supplied and it will be exhibited over the week-end of the fair. People's choice awards with great prizes for Primary school, Secondary School and Open categories. Boards available at Frame and Brush, Bermagui / or by special arrangement. \$8 entry includes the board - Artists nominate selling price - less 10% retained by S.S Fair.

**Battle of the bands** - for young performers - Great prizes for best Primary School and best High School band / musical performance. - Free entry - Main stage from 11am to 4pm

**Street Parade** - Theme "Down by the seaside". Designed to showcase the fun of a day beside the sea, use your imagination and come join the parade. Free entry with prize's for Best junior group - Best on foot, Best on wheel and Best overall entries.

Contact details and Entry forms available on the Seaside Fair website



**TILBA P&C FUNDRAISER**  
FRIDAY 15TH DEC - 6.30PM FOR 7PM  
SCREENING. ALL TIX \$20. NIBBLES PROVIDED (GOLD COIN DONATION)

SCREENING STAR WARS: THE LAST JEDI AT NAROOMA KINEMA  
BOOK THROUGH 4476 2352

## Wallaga Christmas Party

**When: Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December**

**Time : 5 till 7pm**

**What : BBQ and games , with visit from Santa**

Who will be running what :

**Scott Baker** - is going to be our music man for the arvo

**Greg Curry** - bringing along some skateboards and sports games for the kids

Peter cross coming along to help out as well as well as possible Elias from Narooma high

We will be there from 3:30pm on the day so if you have things to set up then can turn up any time after that

We have a jumping castle as well and Red cross will be organising food for the arvo

If you haven't yet got back to me and would like to come along help out etc. please just let me know

Thank you all for getting back to me and we welcome all to come along and celebrate with the young people and Wallaga Lake community

**Ally McQueen**

Youth and Community Development Worker

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**SUMMER SCHOOL HOLIDAY TENNIS CLINIC**  
Multi-Sport Games - Fitness Drills & Match Play - All Abilities Welcome

**MORUYA TENNIS CLUB**  
December 18, 19, 20.  
& January 8, 9, 10, 11  
9am to 2pm.

**NAROOMA TENNIS CLUB**  
December 21 and 22  
& January 12th  
9am to 2pm

**Final Day BBQ**

Prizes and Certificates for every participant - Fully Qualified Coaches & Personal Trainer - Learn From National Winning Athletes

CALL Richard 0414 753 941 OR Geordie 0402 218 184  
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## Are you ready to be part of the revolution?

We are now taking camper applications for the first ever Girls Rock! Sydney school holiday program!

If you identify as female, trans or non-binary, are aged 10 - 17 years old and love music, we would love to hear from you!

At Girls Rock! Sydney, we aim to champion diversity, so we encourage youth of all backgrounds to apply, particularly those from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds, the LGBTQIA community, and those with differing abilities.

Places are limited, so get your applications in at [girlsrocksydney.org](http://girlsrocksydney.org)

Applications close 31 December 2017.

## ABOUT GIRLS ROCK! SYDNEY

Girls Rock! Sydney (GRIS) is a week-long school holiday program aimed at inspiring female, trans and non-binary youth, amplifying their voices through music education and performance. The first ever GRIS camp will be held at Factory Theatre, Marrickville on 15 - 20 January 2018, and will join a national network of Australian rock camps, along with the wider global Girls Rock! community. GRIS will include lessons from experienced musicians, structured workshops, and live performances, as well as the fostering of

## ONLINE PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL NOW AVAILABLE

**Parent Online Payment (POP)** is now available on our school's website

<http://www.centrtilba-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/> (just Google 'Central Tilba Public School') and click on the '\$

Make a payment' icon at the top of the page and fill in all details. This system can be used for ALL payment to the SCHOOL, including excursions, voluntary school contributions, etc.

It is NOT for any payment to the P&C.

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# VOLUNTARY SCHOOL CONTRIBUTIONS

***PLEASE RETURN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AND CIRCLE 'POP'***

***IF THAT IS YOUR PAYMENT METHOD***

**VOLUNTARY SCHOOL CONTRIBUTIONS (SCHOOL FEES)** – \$40/student or \$70/family for the year. This is extremely low compared to other local primary schools. We ask that all parents consider paying this small cost towards their child's education if they can. Please send in your cash or cheque contribution with the form below or go the school's website for online payments..

**CHEQUES PAYABLE TO CENTRAL TILBA PUBLIC SCHOOL**

**PARENT ONLINE PAYMENT (POP) ON THE SCHOOL'S WEBSITE**

Family Name ..... Date .....

**PARENTS - PLEASE KEEP THE FRIDAY 'CANTEEN' ORDER/\$**

**COMPLETELY SEPARATE FROM ANY OTHER SCHOOL OR P&C NOTES/\$**

**CANTEEN MENU BY 'NECK OF THE WOOD' Café, Central Tilba**

Return a separate paper bag with each order (see below) by Friday, 9.30AM

On the paper bag please write your child's name, lunch order and amount of \$ in bag.

Lunch orders will be delivered for lunch on Friday. **PLEASE NOTE : Pricing is for school canteen only**

*If your child requires cutlery, please send these items to school with your child. The school does NOT supply cutlery.*

ITEM	COST	ITEM	COST
Sausage Roll & Sauce	\$2.50	Vegemite, peanut butter, jam or cheese rolls	\$3.50
Salad Roll	\$4.50	Pumpkin & Feta Frittata	\$3.50
Salad Roll + Ham or Salami	\$5.00	Pumpkin & Feta Frittata with Salad	\$5.00
Lasagne	\$3.50	Mixed plate of carrot, cherry tomatoes, celery, cucumber, cheese & hummus	\$4.00
Fried Rice	\$3.50	Raspberry & White Chocolate Muffin	\$2.50
Fruit Salad & Coconut Yoghurt	\$3.00		
Frozen Slushy (fresh berry, watermelon & apple juices)	\$3.00		