

Tambar Springs Public School Newsletter



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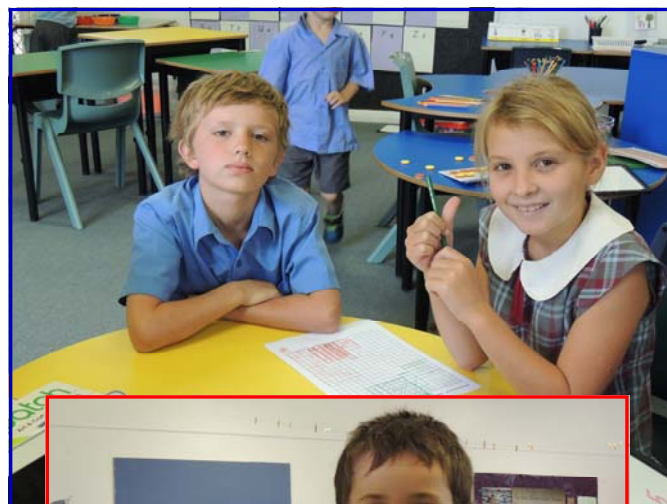
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For your Diary:

Fri 13th May	To Gunnedah for Athletics
Mon 16th May	Cross Country & Sausage Sizzle
Fri 20th May	Zone Cross Country—Mullaley
Wed 25th May	Luscious Lunches
Tue 7th Jun	School Photos—Winter Uniform
Thu 30th Jun	Small Schools Athletics Carnival
	Wolesley Park, Gunnedah

Attachments: *GP Clinic Premer
Luscious Lunches Menu
Athletics Coaching Permission Note*



School Photos

A Reminder to parents that our school photos are on Tuesday 7th June from 9.00am. Students are to be in full winter uniform.

NAPLAN

Today was the final NAPLAN test for our year 5 student, Boe. Well done Boe for trying your hardest and being positive about NAPLAN this year. A massive sigh of relief was heard at the completion of the maths test this morning!

Red Cross ANZAC Presentation

Ruth Strang presented the school with two books on behalf of the Red Cross on Monday. Thank you so much for your generous presentation.



Occupational Therapist

We are employing an occupational therapist Mrs Jillian Thompson to work with all of our students, and develop programs where required for them. Should you wish for your child/children not to take part, please contact the school.

Friday Athletics Coaching - Gunnedah

We are travelling to Gunnedah every Friday morning this term for sport. We have employed an accredited Athletics Coach, Mr Andrew Frend to work on our skills, fitness and technique. A permission note went home a couple of weeks ago, however there are some still outstanding. Please return the note attached by tomorrow morning. Students are to wear full sports uniform, and take a packed recess with them. We will be leaving school at 9.15am, and return by 12.30pm approximately. There is no cost to the students, as this is part of a sporting grant we have received.

Cross Country Athletics Carnival—Tambar

A reminder that our school cross country athletics carnival will be on Monday 16th April, starting at 12.15pm All parents and families are invited to come along to cheer on their children, or help as supervision at checkpoints along the route. We will be holding a sausage sizzle at the conclusion of the carnival for lunch. Please let the school know by tomorrow, how many will be coming along for catering purposes. Looking forward to seeing you then.

Zone Cross Country Carnival—Mullaley

The Zone Cross Country Carnival will be held on Friday 20th April at Mullaley. All students who qualify at our carnival will be eligible to participate. Parents will be required to take their children to and from the carnival at Mullaley.

Luscious Lunches

Our first Luscious Lunches for this term is on Wednesday 25th May. The menu is attached, for an entrée we will be making creamy zucchini soup, and this will be followed by salmon quiche with steamed vegetables. We will have a small school presentation at the conclusion of the meal, so we look forward to as many guests as possible. Please RSVP by Monday 23rd May.

GRIP Leadership Course—Tamworth

Boe and Lucas attended the GRIP leadership course held in Tamworth on Monday 2nd May. They both put together a little piece for your information about what the day meant to them.

At the GRIP leadership conference it was fun and we played games. We did green and orange traffic lights activities, and some work in our workbooks. I think a good leader helps others with maths and reading in the classroom and when outside, they help others when they are hurt. I also think a good leader shows little people what to do by being a good role model.

By Lucas Selmon

At the GRIP leadership conference we met lots of other kids from different schools. We played games and had a book to work in. We learnt not to pick on other kids. This is called bullying. Someone who helps other kids and who wants to earn is a good leader.

By Boe Lewis