



Thursday , 29th August 2019

# Tambar Springs

Public School



## Newsletter

Term 3 Week 6 2019

### Principal's Message

#### Tambar Springs School News

Often we think of schools with the teachers providing the education and care for the students.

However there are other important staff that are the backbone of all schools. They are our School administration and support staff. Also referred to as SASS. These dedicated workers include office workers, school administration managers, general assistants, school learning support officers and cleaners. Without them the school would not run efficiently.

So a big shout out for all those staff in schools. We had special morning teas through the week. The students and staff made personalised cards for Radha Theresa, Debbie Martin, Vanessa Voyez and Ian Fouracre.

As part of SASS recognition week thank you for every day you work at making the school environment a better place for our students and staff.

The popular golf day sponsored by Agracom and Pursehouse Rural was held for the community and proceeds from the day were distributed to local schools.

Tim and Rob stopped by the school to present a cheque to boost our funds. Thank you for providing opportunities to improve the education of our students at Tambar Springs. We plan to purchase additional class readers, maths resources and fund out upcoming excursion with your generous donation.

**Main photo:** Tim from Agracom and Rob from Pursehouse Rural Mullaaley presented our school with a generous donation of one thousand dollars!

#### DATES TO REMEMBER—

**Monday, September 2nd—**  
Fruit and Veg Month commences (more information in this newsletter).

**Sunday, September 8th—**  
Father's Day.

**Monday, September 9th—**  
Spring into Kindy - 11am  
information session with our  
Instructional Leader, Emma.

**Thursday, September 12th—**  
School Photo Shoot—  
students to wear full winter  
school uniform.

**Thursday, September 26th  
and Friday, September  
27th—** Warrumbungle  
Excursion!!



# SCHOOL COOKING FOR LUNCH— CHICKEN ENCHILADAS



## Fruit and Veg Month and Fresh For Kids campaign

In coordination with Fruit and Veg Month and the Fresh for Kids campaign, there will be a focus on learning about the importance of fresh fruit and vegetables. Students will receive stickers and prizes for bringing in fruit and vegetables for fruit break each day.

# SASS Recognition Week

## Student Work



Miss Vanessa

School Learning Support Officer

You are good at doing art

*from Andrea*

We love you here. You have a good imagination. Thank you for covering our beautiful books. Thank you for being here for us.

*From Amarni*



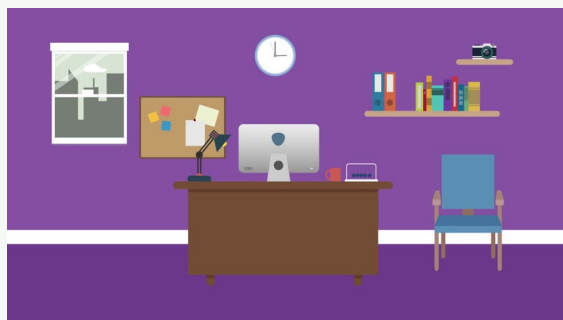
Ms Radha

School Administration Manager

Ms Radha works works and works. She is good at the computer.

She is very good at tying shoelaces.

*From Zac*



Debbie

General Assistant

Thank you for planting all the corn, cabbages and parsley.

*From Matthew*



Ian

School Cleaner

You work hard and are always here. You deserve a break.

*From Millie*





Get ready to **SPRING** into  
Kindy.

**Tambar Springs Springers is  
starting soon.**



*Zac and Andrea; former springers who have sprung into Kindy.*

Parents with children enrolling in  
Kindergarten at Tambar Springs school 2020.

You are all invited for morning tea at 11:00am on  
Monday 9<sup>th</sup> September. This will be followed by a  
valuable information session about starting school  
with Instructional Leader; Emma Hoade.

Free enrolment and special resource pack for all  
enrolments.

Contact School for more information and book your seat for a meet, greet  
and eat. Ph 67 442343 or email [tambarspr-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:tambarspr-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au)

RAIL IN  
GUNNEDAH

*Celebrating 140 years*

9.00AM–2.00PM

SATURDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER, 2019  
GUNNEDAH RAILWAY STATION

MEET LOCAL RAIL SERVICES & FIND OUT HOW  
THEY HAVE CONTRIBUTED TO RAIL IN GUNNEDAH  
– VINTAGE TRAIN RIDES – VINTAGE MACHINERY –  
– HISTORICAL DISPLAYS & INFORMATION –  
– PRIZE FOR BEST PERIOD COSTUME –  
– FOODS STALLS – LIVE MUSIC –

– VINTAGE TRAIN RIDES –  
PRICES RANGE FROM \$10 (CHILD) TO \$20 (ADULT)  
TICKETS ON CASH – ONLY SALE AT GUNNEDAH RAILWAY STATION  
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ALL ARE WELCOME COME ALONG TO SHARE STORIES  
& BE PART OF GUNNEDAH'S HISTORY!



## PUBLIC HEALTH ADVICE

# Meningococcal Disease

**Meningococcal disease can develop within  
hours of the first symptoms appearing and  
can be fatal.**

Winter and early spring is the peak time for meningococcal  
disease. Be on the lookout for symptoms and seek treatment  
immediately if they occur. Vaccines are effective, but do not  
protect against all strains of the disease.

### Symptoms may include:

- ▶ sudden onset of fever
- ▶ cold hands and feet
- ▶ limb/joint pain
- ▶ nausea and vomiting
- ▶ headache
- ▶ neck stiffness
- ▶ dislike of bright lights
- ▶ pin-prick rash changing  
to large red-purple blotches

### Babies and very young children may also:

- ▶ be irritable
- ▶ have difficulty waking
- ▶ have rapid or  
laboured breathing
- ▶ have diarrhoea
- ▶ have a high-pitched cry
- ▶ refuse to eat

Symptoms early in the illness are common to many  
mild viral illnesses, so it can be difficult for doctors to  
diagnose the disease in the early stages.

### Remember these 3 key messages:

- 1 Anyone with symptoms  
of meningococcal  
disease should seek  
immediate medical care.
- 2 A rash does not always  
appear, and not all  
of the symptoms of  
meningococcal disease  
may be present at once.
- 3 Seek medical care again  
if the illness gets worse,  
even if this is shortly  
after the previous visit.



Health

For more information on meningococcal disease go to [www.health.nsw.gov.au](http://www.health.nsw.gov.au)  
or phone your local Public Health Unit on **1300 066 055**