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Tanja Public School

NEWSLETTER

Week 1 Term 2

May 3rd 2019

What's happening?

2nd May

Music program begins

3rd May

Waterbug Survey

10th May

PSSA Cross Country

14th May

NAPLAN Yrs 3 & 5 -
Language Conventions &
Writing

Artisan program begins

15th May

NAPLAN Yrs 3 & 5 -
Reading

16th May

NAPLAN Yrs 3 & 5 -
Numeracy

Principal's Calendar

10th May

Film by SCLC Training -
Bega Valley PS

16th May

L3 Training - Bega
Valley PS

Welcome back

The first term break was reportedly enjoyed by all with the beginning of our break starting with our Tanja Market Day. Thank you parents and community for such a fabulous day!

We were all deeply saddened to hear of the passing our valued and loved teacher, colleague and friend, Janette Crowe. Staff and community were able to join in the celebration of Janette's life last week, our thoughts are with her family and friends.

We are very excited to welcome Loki back to our school, and parents Julie and Guy. We also have two new students joining us on Monday, Seth and Sherlock. It is lovely to see our school community growing!



Holiday grounds work

During the break the crew from McKill's Tree Service removed limbs and trees, ensuring our grounds are safe. We now have a lovely pile of mulch ready to be spread throughout the school. If you have some spare time please drop by and see Sue for a shovel, wheel barrow and directions on where to place the woodchips.

Work has also begun to renew the garden in front of the classroom, with a variety of plants and a bird bath. The plan is to continue to encourage wildlife, such as birds, lizards and butterflies into the garden.



Student of the Week



This week's student of the week is **Oskar**! Oskar has begun the school term helping others, each day packing up the classroom, helping younger students and including everyone in games during break time.

Thanks Oskar, enjoy your holiday!

NAPLAN

NAPLAN assesses literacy and numeracy – important skills that each child needs to succeed in school and life. The NAPLAN tests are designed to help us make sure students are on track with their literacy and numeracy development. Students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 participate in NAPLAN tests for reading, writing, conventions of language (spelling, grammar and punctuation) and numeracy.

Between 14th May and 16th May, our school will participate in NAPLAN Online. Students do not need to be computer experts to take the NAPLAN test online. Making sure students have computer skills is part of our school curriculum, and our teachers will ensure your child is familiar with the online format. To see the types of questions and interactive features of NAPLAN Online, visit [the public demonstration site](#).

If you have any questions about NAPLAN Online, please contact your child's teacher.

For more info:

- [How to support your child during NAPLAN](#)
- [information for parents and carers](#)
- [Watch a video that explains NAPLAN Online](#)
- [Subscribe to ACARA's monthly parent newsletter, Parent Update](#)

Happy Market Day

