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Tanja Public School

NEWSLETTER

Week 3 Term 1

February 15th 2019

What's happening?

15th February

Bega Show Opening
7pm

18th February

Lyndall Schuchmann -
classroom observation

21st February

*Zone Swimming Carnival -
Candelo

*Working Bee - 3:15 pm

1st March

'On the Perch' program
begins
Schools Clean-up Australia
Day

Principal's Calendar

15th February

Principal Network
Meeting - Bega

22nd February

Fair Ed Meeting -
Candelo

8th March

SCLC Leaders Meeting
- Pambula

Small Schools Swimming Carnival

Congratulations to all our students for participating in the Small Schools swimming carnival yesterday. Our children overcame their nerves and swam like champions. Mr B commenting that it was a great day and swimming experience with children cheering and supporting one another.

Canterbury Bulldogs

The Canterbury Bulldogs will be in Tathra at the Country Club training (Captain's Run - which is a game of footy used as a training session) on Friday 22 Feb from 10am - 12pm. They have invited schools or interested kids to attend. After the run they will meet students and sign posters that they will supply. If your child would be interested please contact Rosemary in the office and we can discuss arrangements.



Classroom Programs

This term in English, students will rotate around a number of activities which will include explicit reading and writing lessons, activities using the Magic 100 Words program and opportunities to work in small groups or independently to build and work on skills. A similar approach will be taken in Mathematics this term with a focus on number sense, addition and subtraction, place value, multiplication and division and fractions.

In Science this term we will explore a unit called, 'Among the Gumtrees' where students will learn about Eucalyptus trees as they are an important feature of Australian life, with over 900 species. Through hands-on investigations, students will explore the fruit and flowers of eucalypts, how different living things interact with the trees, and plan and conduct an investigation of how eucalyptus oil may inhibit the growth of plants beneath its canopy or microorganisms in its leaves. This unit will be integrated with our Geography, we will investigate our place and learn about map reading and creating.

Following our theme of nature we will delve into discussions around a shared reading of 'The Wild Robot' by Peter Brown.





What a great team these guys are!!!

Due to their participation Tanja has the small schools swimming shield for 2019 - excellent result with awesome support and encouragement for each other, we are all very proud of you 😊