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Tanja Public School

NEWSLETTER

Week 2, Term 1

February 3rd 2020

What's happening?

Wednesday 5th February
Cooking with Liz Wheeler

Thursday 6th February
Library Borrowing

Thursday 6th February
Music with Deb Weeden
10:15-12:15 am

Friday 7th February
Spanish with Maria 9:00-
10:30 am

Friday 7th February
P&C Meeting 9:00-10:30 am

Thursday 13th February
Small Schools Swimming
Carnival – Candelo
Swimming Pool

Principal's Calendar

Tuesday 25th February
Meeting with Greg McDonald

2020 New School Year

We are all very excited to start school for 2020, easing into the new year, recognising that there is fatigue following an exhausting summer break with multiple evacuations and the need for ongoing vigilance. It's not over yet but we will continue to provide a positive and safe place for all of our students. Thank you to all of our families, your support is greatly appreciated.



Welcome to New Faces

We welcome two families to our school community this year, parents Ethan and Jenna Dack and their children Lincoln, Matilda, Charlotte and Jasper, and Hannah and Andy Pickard with their child Angus. It is wonderful to have you join us and we look forward to much learning.

We are also incredibly fortunate to have two new teachers with us this year, Miss Lauren Spindler teaching 3-6 on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday and Mrs Nel Reeve teaching K-6 on Fridays.

2020 Kindergarten Students



Introducing our new kinder students; Jasper, Gus and Zelda.

Small Schools Swimming Carnival

This year we have decided to send students who are at competing age to the swimming carnival as it can be a long and unproductive day for our younger students. Students turning eight this year can compete in the swimming carnival or go to cheer everyone along. Parents will be needed to transport, supervise and support students as our teacher, Lauren Spindler will be required to do a duty throughout the day. K-2 students who are not old enough to participate will come to school as normal.



Tanja School Bus

During the school holidays I received correspondence from The Hon Paul Toole MP, regarding my request for a Tanja PS bus service. The Minister has found that the South Coast Transit bus company which transports Tathra PS children to and from school would be able to accommodate our students and extend their route to include Tanja PS. Initial assessment of the current bus stop infrastructure has found that there is insufficient signage, bus zone area and bus turn around area. The infrastructure issues need to be addressed by the Bega Valley Shire Council (BVSC). Both my correspondence and the Ministers response have been forwarded to the BVSC for review and consideration.



Library Borrowing



Children borrowed their first books from the library last week, please have a look around at home and return any from last year as those children with outstanding loans will not be able to borrow until they have been returned or resolved. Books borrowed are the responsibility of the student and they are encouraged to use a book bag to carry library books home and to protect and look after our library books so that everyone can continue to enjoy them.