

Temora West

Public School

THE SCRIBBLY GUM



Term 1 Week 6 2020

Principal's Report

PSSA TENNIS

We congratulate Sienna for her success in being selected for the Riverina Tennis Team at the trials held Thursday 27 February in Griffith. She played exceptional tennis on the day. She will compete in Newcastle early next term over a 3 day event. We wish her luck in preparation for the competition.

TTFM

Included is a Tell Them From Me Survey Information letter about students from Years 4,5 and 6 participating in the Tell Them From Survey. This survey gives the school valuable feedback on what our students think about school life, how engaged they are with school and the different ways that teachers interact with them.

MUSIC

This year we have approximately 30 drummers, 20 recorder players, 20 band members and 25 students in the choir. The school funds this music program because we believe in the benefits music brings to all areas of learning, such as:

1. **Musical training** helps develop language and reasoning: Students who have early musical training will develop the areas of the brain related to language and reasoning.
2. **Increased coordination**: Students who practice with musical instruments can improve their hand-eye coordination. Just like playing sports, children can develop motor skills when playing music.
3. **A sense of achievement**: Learning to play pieces of music on a new instrument can be a challenging, but achievable goal.
4. **Kids stay engaged in school**: An enjoyable subject like music can keep kids interested and engaged in school.
5. **Students learn pattern recognition**: Children can develop their math and pattern-recognition skills with the help of musical education. Playing music offers repetition in A FUN FORMAT.

Toni



SIENNA MAKES RIVERINA TENNIS TEAM

'When my very first game was called out I felt a little nervous, but when I was playing I felt better. After 4 games with 3 wins and a loss I felt good.

Afterwards we had to play 6 super tiebreakers. When they announced who was going to Newcastle I felt so nervous and a little bit scared. When they said my name I excitedly jumped up. Lastly I tried on Riverina clothes and left with Mum. I felt very happy to make it to Newcastle.'

By Sienna E

Congratulations to Sienna on making the Riverina Tennis Team! She will play in Newcastle early in May. This is a wonderful achievement Sienna, we are very proud of you and we wish you well!!

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CALENDAR

WEEK 7

Mon	9th Mar	AFL talk in School Hall
Tues	10th Mar	Swimming for Sport (3-6) last week!
Wed	11th Mar	School Council AGM 6pm in Staff Room
Wed	11th Mar	P & C AGM 7pm in Staff Room - all welcome
Fri	13th Mar	Boy's Cricket against Young @ Soccer Ground 10am
Fri	13th Mar	Assembly PLB

UPCOMING EVENTS - Week 8

Wed	18th Mar	Book Club Orders Due
Wed	18th Mar	Final day for ordering School Photos online
Fri	20th Mar	Casual Clothes Day- Fete Donations for chocolate wheel

SCHOOL COUNCIL / P & C AGM

A final reminder about the School Council AGM and the P & C AGM next Wednesday 11th March. School Council AGM will be held at 6pm in the Staff Room. If anyone is interested in nominating for a position on the school council please call the school office for a nomination form. The P & C AGM is at 7pm in the Staff Room. All parents/carers are welcome and encouraged to attend.

NOTES/MONEY

A reminder that all notes and money must be handed to the class teacher 2 days prior to an event. If they are not returned in that timeframe your child will not be able to attend the event. No exceptions will be made so please be mindful of the cut off day on the notes because we do not want the students to miss events.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

Shoot Keys for online ordering were sent home with students on Monday. If you wish to purchase school photos they need to be ordered by Wednesday 18th March to avoid the late postage/processing fee of \$12.95. Once ordered online, they will be sent to the school for the children to bring home. If you have any questions please direct them to the photography business Creative School Portraits as requested on the flyer sent home.

FETE

Our annual school fete is nearly upon us and we are all very excitedly preparing. We are still in desperate need of some helpers and co-ordinators however. We know everyone is busy but if you could spare just a small amount of time to ensure these stalls go ahead we would be so appreciative. The following areas need help.

***Photo Booth Co-ordinator-** if we are unable to secure someone for his stall by the end of this week, we may have to look at putting it away for this year.

*** Hot Chips/Dagwood Dog Cook**

*** Donations of baked goods for the Afternoon Tea Stall.** If you would like to bake for this stall, you can bring your goods whole and we have someone available to cut everything up to the correct size.

*** Thomas Train Drivers**

*** Raffle Ticket Sellers -** on Fete day and in the lead up to the fete down the street. This is a great way to assist if you have prior commitments on fete day.

A casual clothes day will be held on Friday 21st march. Instead of the usual gold coin donation we ask students to bring in your chocolate wheel donations for fete day instead.

MC + KINDER/1 - Anything Chocolate for example choc bars, drinking chocolate, biscuits, milo, lollies, Easter Eggs, cake or pudding mix.

YEAR 1/2B, 2/3T & 3/4M- Non perishable grocery items

YEAR 5/6G + 5/6R - Gardening Supplies to add to wheelbarrow for Monster Raffle Prize

Wristbands can be pre-purchased now.

Thank you to everyone who has stepped up to manage stalls and offered to work so far. If you think there is something you would like to do on the day and you haven't had a chance to contact the co-ordinators yet, please give them a quick call/message or contact the school office. If you have prior commitments on fete day there is still plenty of ways in which you can assist. Selling Raffle Tickets down the street, baking for the afternoon tea stall, helping in the days leading up with kids competition stall and assisting with hanging the class artworks in the fsu. If you require any help don't hesitate to ask as we are only too willing to assist you.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Time for Healthy Habits



Enrolments
Closing
Soon

Do you have a child between the ages of 2-6 years and live in NSW? Do you wonder if they are eating enough of the right foods, being active enough or getting enough sleep?

We are offering a free program to help parents give their young children the healthiest start to life.

For more information and to register please visit www.timeforhealthyhabitsnsw.com/ or contact time-healthyhabits@uow.edu.au

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Cancer Council HealthyLunchBox Nutrition Snippet

The simplest way

... to wash away germs.

Washing hands before eating is important.

1. Wet hands with warm water
2. Apply soap
3. Lather & Scrub for 20 seconds
4. Rinse hands with warm water for 20 seconds
5. Turn off tap
6. Dry hands thoroughly

healthy lunchbox.com.au

Cancer Council HealthyLunchBox Nutrition Snippet

The simplest way

... to use Autumn fruit and veg.

Apples, bananas, pears, and cucumbers are in season and usually cheapest in Autumn.

Try these snack ideas:

- Sliced apples and satsumas
- Banana bread
- Cucumber and cream cheese sandwiches
- Sliced pear drizzled with lemon juice

For these recipes and more visit healthy lunchbox.com.au

STUDENT OF THE FORTNIGHT Year 2/3T



Rhiley M

We are privileged to have welcomed Rhiley into our class and school this year. He has the kindest soul and always ensures that his new classmates feel comfortable in his presence. Rhiley upholds the values of honesty, integrity and courage each and every school day. He recognises the importance of education, has an expansive general knowledge and frequently shares his 'Fun Facts with Rhiley', delighting his classmates. We are so lucky that you chose our school, Rhiley. Congratulations!

ASSEMBLY AWARDS - 21.02.2020

HONOUR AWARDS

Isaac G	1 HONOUR AWARD
Corey R	1 HONOUR AWARD
Sienna E	1 HONOUR AWARD
Lachlan R	1 HONOUR AWARD

GOLDEN MOUSE AWARD -YR 1/2 B



Isaac G

CLASS OF THE FORTNIGHT



Year 1/2B

PSSA SOCCER TRIALS

Several students are trialling for the Zone Soccer teams tomorrow at Cootmaundra. Good luck to Hayley McK, Kate P, Pypah A, Rachael D and Skye W in the girls trials. Braydon S, Matthew K and Seth B will trial for the boys team.

Best of luck to you all, we hope the weather holds out and you can give it your best!

CDPSSA SWIMMING

Our small team of 9 swimmers are to be congratulated on their efforts last Friday at Cootmundra Zone Swimming Carnival. It was great to see so many of our students making this representative team for the first time and thoroughly enjoying the experience. Thank you must go to Danielle McKinnon who volunteered to time keep for our school, we appreciate this very much Danielle.

We had some fantastic results on the day with Mackenzie B placing 4th in her age 50m Freestyle and Zavier K 3rd in his 50m Freestyle. Logan McK and Clancy M have been successful in making the CDPSSA team to compete at Riverina each placing 1st in their events. Logan is unable to attend this event but we wish Clancy all the best when he travels to Albury next Wednesday 11th March.



CRICKET

Temora West boy's cricket team will play Young Public School next Friday in the school cricket knockout. Mr Roddy will be accompanying the team to the Temora Soccer grounds where they will play for a chance to progress to the next round. The boys have been training at lunch times in preparation for the game.

Good luck boys!!

Simply featuring the faces of Year 2/3 T - Miss T

