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NEiTA INSPIRATIONAL TEACHING AWARD

I would like to thank the Parents in the P&C that took the time and effort to write submissions nominating me for the NEiTA Inspirational Teaching Awards. I feel honoured that my efforts teaching your children are recognised by you and I appreciate the thought that you feel I deserve this recognition.

I received the Nomination Award certificate last week, and will make every effort to complete my side of the nomination so that it may progress to the next level. I will keep you all informed on the progress of the nomination throughout the year.

Once again thank you for your support and appreciation of my work; I will continue to give your children, my students, the best teaching and learning experiences possible.

Science demonstration at Khancoban Camp →



BOOK WEEK

Come to the Library on Tuesday, 23rd Aug 2011 at 11.00am and be entertained by the Talbingo School Students performing Readers Theatre.

They will be reading two short stories for your delight; 'A Sausage went for a Walk' and 'There's a Possum in the School'. The reading will be followed by a morning tea. Come along, have some fun and help us celebrate Book Week.

SASS STAFF: STEPPING UP TO THE CHALLENGE!



This week is National Recognition Week of all School SASS staff: the non-teaching adults working in our schools.

Mrs Kristen Germantse and Mrs Marilyn Rohloff play a vital role in your students learning by assisting teachers with implementing educational programs, maintaining records and assisting in producing newsletters, and maintaining

the grounds to keep our school safe.

This week the Student Council presented a small plant to both Kristen and Marilyn to say thank you for all their hard work.

The students would also like to say a special thank you to Jane Sheardown who went to Tumut to purchase the plants for them.

DIARY DATES

Week 4 – Beginning Monday, 8th August

Friday Mufti "Phone" Day

Week 5 – Beginning Monday, 15th August

Monday Virtual Excursion

Week 6 – Beginning Monday, 22nd August

Book Week

Tuesday Readers Theatre

Wednesday P&C Meeting 5.00pm

Thursday Father's Day Stall

Week 7 – Beginning Monday, 29th August

Wednesday Radio segment 2.30pm

Week 8 – Beginning Monday, 5th September

Tuesday Mufti "Disco" Day

WOW!! Look at us in our new aprons and all our new cooking equipment which we have been able to purchase thanks to a donation from the P&C.



We are looking forward to trying everything out. Thank you.



MUFTI "PHONE" DAY - Friday 12th August

Students are encouraged to bring any old and unused mobile phones to donate to the P&C's Collection box.

Khancoban Camp

We had a great time and all the activities were fantastic!



Tumut High School
Working Together – Achieving Together



BUSHDANCE

Band: Tin Shed Rattler's

Where: FD Purcell MPC
(Tumut High School Hall)

When: Friday 5 August 2011

Time: 6.00pm to 10.00pm

Tickets: \$10 per family

Bring a plate

Refreshments will be provided

**Come and join in the fun as we
celebrate Education Week and
50 Years of Tumut High School**

This will be a great fun night out for the family and everyone is invited to attend.

At only **\$10.00** per family, it is great value too!

Healthy Kids

August is Oral Health Awareness Month.

Here are some facts about keeping your whole mouth healthy!

- Baby's teeth are at risk of decay as soon as they appear in the mouth; clean baby's teeth with water only
- Brush children's teeth twice a day, with a soft bristled tooth brush and low fluoride toothpaste from around 18 months of age.
- Help your child clean their teeth and gums until they are 8 years old.
- 'Brush, Spit and Do Not Rinse' to maximise benefits of fluoride in toothpaste for the whole family.
- It's not only the amount of sugary foods you eat that leads to decay, it is the frequency of sugar that leads to rapid tooth decay. Decay causing bacteria use the sugars from **ALL** the food and drinks we consume to form acid, which, if left in the mouth will result in tooth decay.
- To minimise the risk of tooth decay we should drink only water between meals and choose tooth friendly snacks such as cheese, yoghurt, and (plain) milk.
- Parents need to look in their children's mouths regularly to check for any changes