

# TALBINGO PUBLIC SCHOOL

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## Bluearth is Coming to Town

### - Parents invited to take part.

On Wednesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> March, the Bluearth Foundation is bringing a special program to our school for students, staff and community members to enjoy.

The ALPSS Network has joined together to bring the Active School's Program to our area. The Bluearth Foundation will run 4 full day programs at various ALPSS network locations this year and we are excited about the benefits it will bring to us all.

The program activities enhance and develop students' physical abilities, support social and emotional growth and enhance left/right brain development; which assist with learning.

Including professional development for teachers and sessions for community members, the program aims to build both the school's and community's capacity to develop lifelong habits which will improve student and family wellbeing.

The first day will be held at Talbingo Public School. Students and staff will be involved in various sessions throughout the day and parents and community members are encouraged to come along at 2.30pm for a special "Community" session to join in some activities and learn more about the program and how it can benefit you and your family.

## Easter Hat Parade

Parents and community members are invited to attend an Easter Hat Parade here at school at 9.10am on Thursday, 24<sup>th</sup> March.

Our students are making their special hats at home and are looking forward to modelling them for the parade. This year's parade is a student council activity to raise money for the Westmead Children's Hospital. Students and guests are asked to give a 'gold coin donation' to support this worthy cause.

Following the unveiling of the hats at school, students will continue their parade up to the local supermarket – we hope you will all come and support their efforts.

## Head Lice

Headlice remains an ongoing issue in our town with more cases reported recently to teaching staff.

Once again, we ask that all families are vigilant in monitoring their children and treating if lice are found.

Ongoing checking and retreatment may be necessary over several weeks to eradicate them completely.

## Diary Dates

Week 11 – Beginning Monday 4 April	
Wednesday	Focus on Reading Training - Mrs Levey
Friday 1st April - Last Day of Term	
Week 10 – Beginning Monday 28 March	
Monday	Easter Monday
Tuesday	Students return to school
Week 11 – Beginning Monday 4 April	
Friday	Last Day for Term 1

## P&C Activities

### Easter Saturday Stall

The P&C is conducting its annual Easter raffle which will be drawn at their Easter Cake stall on Saturday, 26<sup>th</sup> March at the local supermarket.

The P&C is seeking donations of cakes, preserves, pickles and other saleable goods for the stall. Donations can be delivered to the stall on the day or left at the supermarket or caravan park. Donations of easter goodies for the raffle can be dropped off to the school or caravan park.

### Muscle Car – Morning Tea

On Easter Sunday, the P&C will be providing morning tea at the Talbingo markets coinciding with the visit of the muscle cars to our town.

As well as helpers for the day, donations of cakes, slices and biscuits are needed. Please contact Sara Doidge for more information.

## Growing & Change Update

Our cute critters have begun to sprout 'hair' and are each showing their own special look and style.





# Getting Active at Talbingo P.S.

## Tennis



## and Rugby League

