

Talbingo Public School Newsletter

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Week 11

Friday 12 April - Last day of term.

Term 2 - Week 1

Monday 29 April - Staff Development Day

Tuesday 30 April - Students first day back.

Week 2

Thursday/Friday 9/10 April - Khancoban Camp

Congratulations Talbingo P.S

A huge congratulations to Talbingo Public School students and families on your outstanding dedication to coming to school. In Term 1 the attendance average is commendable, with Talbingo Public School achieving 96.25%.

Everyday matters! Consistent attendance improves student outcomes and progress with their learning. Helps develop a sense of belonging, while developing and maintaining friendships.

Thank you to our families for your continued support, what a fantastic way to kick off 2024.

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Why attendance matters

When your child misses school they miss important opportunities to...



Learn



Make friends



Build skills through fun

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NEXT P&C MEETING

TERM 2 - WEEK 5 - 27 MAY 2024

We would love for you to join us.

Mother's Day Raffle

Raffle tickets went home last week, please contact us if you need more tickets. All funds raised will go to the Khancoban Camp in Term 2, to keep the costs to a minimum for our families. The raffle will be drawn on Monday the 6th May. Please get behind this wonderful fundraiser to support our school.



TALBINGO PUBLIC SCHOOL
P&C ASSOCIATION

Mother's Day Raffle

\$2.00 EACH

1st Prize- LOAD OF WOOD.

Kindly donated by Dick Beye & Matt Souter

2nd Prize- Beautiful Mother's Day
Hamper.

Kindly donated by The Bush Chemist Tumut

DRAWN MONDAY 6 MAY 2024



Days missed = years lost

A day here and there doesn't seem like much, but...

When your child misses just... they miss weeks per year and years over their school life

1 day per fortnight = 4 weeks = Over 1 year missed

1 day per week = 8 weeks = Over 2.5 years missed

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Anzac Day

Anzac Day is just around the corner, if any students would like to be part of the dawn service ceremony, please see Ms. Cherry. More information will be provided before the end of term.



Road Safety

With the school holidays approaching, daily routines will soon change. Different play locations and holiday destinations means different traffic environments. Always remember to;

- Hold your child's hand until they are at least 10 years old. Children should be closely supervised by an adult and hold hands when crossing the road.
- Stop, look, listen, think every time you cross the road.
- It's the law that everyone wears a helmet when riding a bike in a public place. It makes sense to wear a helmet when riding scooters and skateboards too!
- Click clack front 'n back, every person for every trip. Everyone in the car must be securely buckled up in the right seatbelt or child restraint.
- Talk to your child about road safety. Talk about how to be safe when near roads. Be a good role model.
- Point out road safety dangers and differences in new environments.
- Talk to your child about being a safe road user. Reinforce safe road behaviour's by being a good role model! Children learn safe road behaviour's from the adults who care for them. Talk about what you are doing to be safe when near roads, in the car and when riding.

This is especially important when on holidays in different surroundings. Roads, footpaths and pedestrian facilities may look different in holiday areas

Talk with your child daily about road safety.

Remind other adults and carers about this too. You can find out more at Transport for NSW. <http://roadsafety.transport.nsw.gov.au/stayingsafe/children/pedestriansafety.html>

Have a safe holiday break!



Swap it

In Term 2 Talbingo Public School will be starting the new and exciting program SWAP IT. A simple and easy program to help parents and students navigate their way around making healthier choices in their everyday lives.

Developed by researchers at the University of Newcastle, in conjunction with dietitians and health promotion experts, SWAP IT is an effective, low cost, evidence-based behavioural change program to improve children's nutrition. SWAP IT supports parents and carers to improve children's eating habits by 'swapping out' sometimes lunchbox foods for everyday alternatives.

Student Chat

Amber-

Yesterday we went to Tumut for Snowy and Seven Cool dudes at the Montreal Theatre. We also went to the library & made butterflies out of coffee filters. We coloured them in with texta and placed them in water so all the colour's mixed.

Ruby-

I liked the wicked queen and how she was tantalizing everyone. The butterflies were fun to make and catching the bus home was great. I got to catch up with students that use to go to Talbingo P.S.

Frankie-

I really liked the evil witch, I screamed so loud to wake up Snow White because there was a tiger, koala and snakes there. I laughed so much when the wicked queen went to the sleepy dude and barked like a dog.

Rory-

We went to Billa Park for recess and Pioneer Park for lunch. I climbed the highest I've ever climbed up the tower. In Snowy & The Seven Cool Dudes it was really funny when a 5year old was picked out of the audience to marry Snow White.

