



Coming Events

Fri 27 Sep

Last day Term 3

Term 4

Mon 14 Oct

Students & staff return

Thurs 17 Oct

Cake raffle

Thurs 17 Oct

We will rock you

21-25 Oct

Swimming lessons

Tues 29 Nov

Taronga Zoomobile

Wed 30 Oct

Year 6 UOW Bega

Thurs 31 Oct

Cake raffle

Kindy Orientation #1

TUES 5 NOV

P&C Meeting

Thurs 7 Nov

Cake raffle

Kindy Orientation #2

13-15 Nov

Canberra Excursion St3

Thurs 14 Nov

Kindy Orientation #3

Assembly

It was great to see so many people here for our End of Term assembly yesterday. It's always an enjoyable reflection back on all the events we have enjoyed during the term. Well done to all the students earning nests this term.

Congratulations to this term's winners of the Jumbo Wild Cards.

- K12: Oscar - for being a reflective learner
- 3-6: Chloe - for improved confidence and growth as a learner

Performances

It's been a busy but fun week, with students enjoying the Wolumla PS performance of Moana on Monday, and the older students travelling to see Runt at the cinema the following day. I'm sure everyone will enjoy a bit of downtime in the holidays!

Parent feedback on student reports

The survey was sent out earlier this week as a link on the School Bytes Parent Portal. Thank you to those parents taking the time to do this quick survey so promptly. Your feedback is invaluable.

Young and Deadly Mob

It is very exciting to share the good news that Jere will be part of the Aurora College's Aboriginal High Potential and Gifted Students program, the Young and Deadly Mob next year. What these means for Jere is that he will have a shared enrolment next year, with all Mathematics and Science and Technology content delivered by the Aurora program, via online learning.

Stage 3 Cake Raffles

Congratulations to Luke & Hannah's grandmother Michelle for winning today's cake supplied by Zee's family. Raffles will resume next term, but skipping Week 2 due to swimming. There are three more chances for you to win a cake at school.

Term 4 dates

We look forward to welcoming back all students on **Monday 14 October**. There is no student free day at the start of the last term.

We Will Rock You performance

Thurs 17 October

First up in the term, and before the first newsletter goes home, is another performance excursion. All students will be travelling by bus to Lumen Christi at Pambula Beach to enjoy their performance of We Will Rock You.

Swimming Lessons

Week 2 next term

Students will need to come to school with their swimmers underneath their uniform. This makes changing super quick. All students



Reminders



Attached:

- Holiday program info
- Yellow envelope

will be given a swimming bag in Week 1 next term, and this will be a great bag to pop in your gear for swimming.

Hair should be tied back or a swimming cap worn for lessons. Students are all assessed on Day 1 and then sorted into groups for individualised lessons.

Please make sure you have packed:

- swimmers (worn under school uniform for a quick change)
- goggles, swimming cap if needed
- 2 towels (1 for pool deck, one for drying when changing)
- underclothes to put on after lessons
- something warm to wear if cool or windy

Don't forget the bus is returning late all week. The bus will be back at school at around 3:20pm with drop offs along the way as previously arranged:

Approx 2:50pm Burragate bus stop
 Approx 3pm Pota's stop
 Approx 3:10pm Otilie's stop
 Approx 3:20pm Towamba School

Kindergarten 2025

We look forward to some extra students joining us next term as part of Kindergarten Orientation in Weeks 3, 4 and 5.

- Thursday 31 October
- Thursday 7 November
- Thursday 14 November all day.

Year 6 Uni Discovery Day

Year 6 students are travelling to the University of Wollongong Bega campus to enjoy a taste of the tertiary programs offered by both UOW and University of Canberra. Ms Barrow will accompany the students and transport them by car. Check the Reminders Box to see if we are waiting on your consent.

Wednesday 30 October



STAGE 3 CAKE RAFFLES
 Results and fundraising tally

This week's cake was by Zee and was **won by:** **MICHELLE STEVENSON**

Funds raised: \$191
 Running total: \$ 448



Canberra Excursion

Week 5

Students in Year 5 and Year 6 have the Combined Small Schools Excursion to Canberra coming up next term in Week 5. An info pack is being put together and will be sent home at the start of next term. The camp costs \$515 per student but has been subsidised down to \$150 thanks to the P&C, school funding, anticipated raffle proceeds and the Federal Government's PACER Program.

If you wanted to start making smaller payments before the notes go home then the School Bytes Parent Portal allows you to add credit towards future activities- see the button on the right hand side of the Payments page.

High School Preparation

Next term Year 6 will begin their transition to high school with a visit at Towamba from Ms Kylie Gibson, the 2025 Year 7 Year Advisor. There will also be some transition days and the Orientation Day. More details next term.

Holidays

Tomorrow is the last day of term. We wish you a relaxing and restful holiday break- a reprieve from the business of the final week of term, and a chance to recharge before the always busy Term 4 and end of the school year. Enjoy living where we do.

STAGE 3
CAKE
RAFFLES

Next term:
Thurs 17 Oct
Thurs 31 Oct
Thurs 7 Nov

Luke
Lane
Sam

Tickets
\$2 each
3 for \$5
7 for \$10

P&C News



FRIDAY Lunches

Plain meat pie	\$4.00
Gluten Free pie	\$4.50
Cheese/Bacon	\$4.50
Chicken/mushrm	\$4.50
Special pie	\$4.50
Vege pastie	\$4.00
Sausage Roll	\$3.50
GF Sausage Roll	\$3.50
Mini Pizza	\$2.50

Ham & Pineapple/Ham & Cheese

Juice or Flav Milk	\$1.50
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- Write your order on a paper bag
- Mark your payment total and payment method on the bag
- Correct money appreciated

Friday lunch orders

Ham and cheese pizzas are back in stock!

As this term comes to a close we would like to thank all the volunteers who assist with Friday lunches. Your time is appreciated by many! Next term we will be looking for volunteers on every Friday except swimming week.

Contact Lindy lunch co-ordinator on 0415 964 144.

Term 4 P&C Meeting

Mark your calendars for our Term 4 P&C Meeting on **Tuesday 5 November** (week 4) at 3:15pm in the MPR. Keep a look out next term for more details.

Some of the items on the agenda at this stage will include

- Coast2Kosci Planning 22 Nov
- Christmas raffle hamper
- preparation for school concert/presentation evening 17 Dec

VOLUNTEER ROSTER

tomorrow: Karen-



TERM 3 special pies still available \$4.50

- BBQ Rump pie
- Cauliflower & Blue Cheese pie

P&C Meeting

Tues 5 November
3:15pm in the MPR
All welcome

Towamba P&C Account details

BSB: 062 647 Account number: 0090 0797
Towamba P&C Association

Contact the school once paid and the items can be sent home with your child.

P&C School uniform sales



SCHOOL HOODIES
some sizes \$30
or new ones
\$37.50



SCHOOL SHIRTS
\$10

Community News

Southern Valley Folk Club Presents
Towamba Bush Dance with Kameruka Bush Orchestra



Sat 28th September 2024
at Towamba Hall
Contact Ray Gardaya for info: 0447 455 695

Tickets:
Individual: \$12
Family: \$25
Dinner available from 6 - 7pm
Band/Dancing from 6:30 - 9pm

BUSH DANCE

THIS SATURDAY!

Towamba Community and Southern Valley Folk Club are excited to announce, Kameruka Bush Orchestra are coming to town!

Get your dancing shoes ready as we enjoy a family bush dance together! All welcome. All tickets at the door. Dinner available to purchase from 6pm.



TAI CHI

MONDAYS 4:30-5:30pm
Towamba Hall
\$15 per session

Wear comfortable clothes & flat shoes
Bring a water bottle

*Tai Chi is suitable for all ages and offers many health benefits, both physically and mentally.
Children under 15 must be accompanied by an adult.*

ENQUIRIES CONTACT STEVE 0405 464 069

PRESENTS :
MIKE MARTIN AND THE
KAMERUKA ORCHESTRA



FAMILY BUSH DANCE

SAT 30TH NOV

KIAH HALL

ENTRY - \$15
12 YEARS & UNDER FREE
13-18 YEARS 1/2 PRICE
CASH OR EFTPOS
AVAILABLE AT DOOR
DOORS OPEN 6:00 PM
STARTS 7:00PM

FOOD AVAILABLE
6-7PM BEFORE THE SHOW \$10 & DURING THE BREAK LIGHT SUPPER \$5
ALL TICKETS AT DOOR
BYO DRINKS

INFO & BOOKINGS CONTACT
RAY 0447455695 OR
KIAHHALLBOOKINGS@GMAIL.COM

LET'S BREAK IN THE NEW
KIAH COMMUNITY HALL
WITH A HOOT !!!!
HOPE TO SEE YOU'LL THERE !!!



EDEN WHALE FESTIVAL

18-20TH OCTOBER

Street Parade
Sand sculptures
Kite Flying
Biggest Tosser
Art & Photography
Food and market stalls

<https://www.facebook.com/EdenWhaleFestival/>



Logos: iQIYI, Campbell page, headspace, NSW GOVERNMENT, SPORTSPOWER

Ages 10-24yrs


VIDEO GAME NIGHT

Please Scan For Entry Fee + Raffle Tickets

WYNDHAM HALL
FRI 27TH SEPT
5PM - 8PM

Free Pizza, Tournaments & Prizes!
All Skill Levels Welcome!!!

Any enquiries: edengamedevelopmentcentre@gmail.com



FIRE PERMITS NOW DONE ONLINE

1. Plan the burn ahead of time
2. Use QR or rfs.nsw.gov.au to apply for a permit to burn.
3. Submitted application is received by the volunteer permit officer who may wish to view before approving
4. You will be notified and sent a permit via email.
5. Go to the website again and submit a notification to burn. You will have to put in your fire permit (FP) number, (red font top RHS)
6. Notify your neighbours 24hrs prior to burning.



WASTE WISE at LIONS CAROLS 2024

Bring your reusable water bottle & coffee cup

Safe battery operated candles, merchandise & food on sale

An Alcohol & Smoke Free Event
No Pets Allowed

SAVE THE DATE



LIONS CAROLS IS COMING
FRIDAY 13 DECEMBER

A FREE ENTRY EVENT
BERRAMBOOL OVAL - MERIMBULA
STARTS @ 6PM - SANTA ARRIVES @ 6.30 PM

Logos: berrago valley council, ClubGRANTS, Club Sapphire MERIMBULA RSL CLUB

This event has been assisted by Berrago Valley Shire Council's Community Grants Program and ClubGRANTS




Rocky Hall Preschool

Fee Free for 3-5 year old children
Preschool hours are 9am til 3pm every Wednesday, Friday, alt Tuesdays.
Half day sessions are also available.
Enquiries phone 6494 2095 or rhaps1325@gmail.com



NSW RFS



Towamba Church service
Sundays at 4pm
All welcome

Little Red in The Hood



Little Red in the Hood

