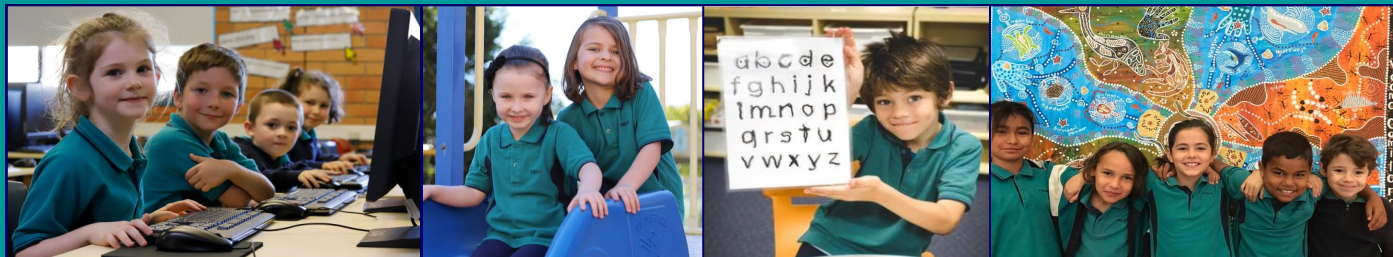


Tyalla Public School Newsletter



WE ACKNOWLEDGE THE GUMBAYNGGIRR PEOPLES AS THE TRADITIONAL CUSTODIANS OF OUR SCHOOL LANDS 24/07/2023

From the Relieving Principal's Desk...

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to Week 2.

We have had a fantastic start to the term with our learning and activities in full swing already!

This Wednesday is the District Athletics Carnival. We wish our Tyalla students all the best for a great day. Our students are excited to participate and we are proud of them in their achievement to represent our school.

We are currently focusing on all students wearing their Tyalla school hats when they are out in the sun. If students are playing they need to be wearing their hats and play in a shady area if they don't have them. Hats can be purchased from Team Spirit (Slick Sportswear & Uniforms). See the flyer in today's newsletter about ordering your uniforms online.

This week we are having our Tyalla assembly at 2:15pm in the school hall. A reminder that everyone is welcome to attend assemblies which are held even weeks on Tuesday afternoons.

This week we are conducting a Waterwise audit and lessons in our school. It will be interesting to learn the results.

NAPLAN results were sent home with Years 3 and 5 students last week. Please contact the school if you wish to discuss your child's results or if your child's results did not come home.

Have a brilliant week and a great start to the term!

Brooke Deacon
Relieving Principal

School Attendance ...

Every day COUNTS!

NSW Department of Education

Why attendance matters

When your child misses school they miss important opportunities to:

- Learn
- Build friendships
- Develop life skills

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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 M T W T F M T W T F M T W T F M T W T F	= 4 weeks	= Over 1 year missed
1 day per week M T W T F M T W T F M T W T F M T W T F	= 8 weeks	= Over 2.5 years missed

WHOLE SCHOOL ASSEMBLY - TUESDAY (EVEN WEEKS) AT 2:15PM IN THE SCHOOL HALL ... ALL WELCOME



26th July Wednesday	Coffs Harbour District PSSA Athletics Carnival (good luck)
28th July Friday	100 Days of Kindergarten! (congratulations)
4th August Friday	Education Week Celebrations (open classrooms/assembly)
8th August Tuesday	Musica Viva (‘Wyniss’ virtual performance - \$2 to your teacher on the day)
Week 6	Book Week (information to follow)
Term 3	Stage 2 Camp - Coffs Coast Adventure Centre
Term 4	Stage 3 Camp - Cascade Environmental Education Centre

**Ed2023
Week**
31 July – 4 August

EDUCATION WEEK 2023

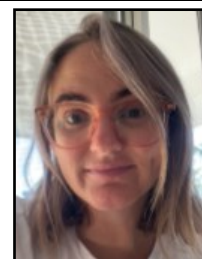
In Week 3 Tyalla will be celebrating Education Week. This year’s theme is ‘Celebrating 175 Years of Education’. On Friday 4th August we will be holding open classrooms from 9:00am to 9:30am for parents/carers to visit.

Open classrooms will be followed by an assembly commencing at 9:30am. We look forward to having you celebrate Education Week with us and your child/ren.

175
YEARS

Public Education
in NSW

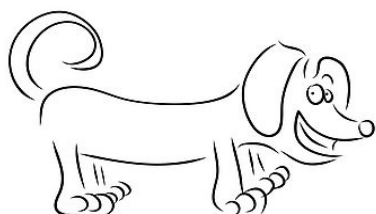
In the Spotlight



Mrs Jessica Morrison - Assistant Principal (Curriculum & Instruction)

Hi, my name is Jessica Morrison and I am currently the Assistant Principal Curriculum and Instruction for K-6 (APC&I) at Tyalla Public School. This is my second year at Tyalla. I love coming to school every day and working with our wonderful staff and students.

I am lucky enough to be one of the few teachers who get to work with all students in the school, from learning sounds and letters in Kindergarten to strong persuasive writing in Year 6. It is so uplifting to come to school and see students grow in their own learning.



This is a very exciting year for me as I will be having my first baby and I am eagerly awaiting their arrival in December.

My husband and I, with our two dachshunds, enjoy being outdoors camping and exploring new places.

Hockey Coffs Coast ...

During the holidays Alice, Callum and Bailey travelled to Tamworth to represent Hockey Coffs Coast in the York Cup and Kim Small Shield Hockey Carnival. They showed great sportsmanship and resilience during the quick-paced games against teams from across the state.

The students all played wonderfully, with Alice and Bailey both receiving 'Most Improved' for their teams. We are all so proud of these students and they should be super proud of themselves.



MUSICA VIVA - WYNISS

Students will attend a virtual performance on Tuesday 8th August. This is a one hour performance which relates to our learning in Creative Arts.

On the surface, childhood games seem like pure fun - but they are also an important record of who we are and where we come from. From spinning tops to string figures, this wildly entertaining and colourfully costumed ensemble show how culture and history are passed on through singing and dancing.

GUITAR LESSONS

Would you like your child to learn guitar during school hours?

We have a highly experienced guitar teacher from the Coffs Harbour Regional Conservatorium who comes to Tyalla Public School every Monday to teach individual or group guitar lessons.

We have some spots available on the schedule. If you would like to take advantage of this opportunity, please collect an enrolment form from the school office. Once completed, please return to the office.

KINDNESS

is a gift
everyone can
afford to give.



Tyalla Uniforms ... to make things easier for parents/carers, school uniforms can now be ordered online. Simply scan the barcode below, or visit the website (using the username and password provided below) to place your order.

ONLINE SHOP NOW OPEN!



Username : tyallaps
Password : uniform17

www.teamspiritsports.com.au/club-shop/



 **SCAN ME**

Tyalla Support Dog

Tyalla Public School is very excited to announce a trial program with a support dog. Bo is a 2 year old black Labrador from Guide Dogs Australia Therapy Dog Program. Her training to familiarise her with her new working environment is being supervised by Avery Keller, an experienced dog trainer from APEX Canine. While at school Bo will be directly monitored by Margaret O'Brien, teacher and dog handler/owner.

School support dogs (or therapy dogs) are becoming more common in Australian school settings. Evidence indicates that benefits include:

- **Cognitive** - companionship with a dog stimulates memory, problem-solving and game-playing.
- **Social** - a dog provides a positive mutual topic for discussion, encourages responsibility, wellbeing and focused interaction with others.
- **Emotional** - a school dog improves self-esteem, acceptance from others and lifts mood, often provoking laughter and fun. Dogs can also teach compassion and respect for other living things as well as relieving anxiety.
- **Physical** - interaction with a furry friend reduces blood pressure, provides tactile stimulation, assists with pain management, gives motivation to move, walk and stimulates the senses.
- **Environmental** - a dog in a school increases the sense of a family environment, with all of the above benefits continuing long after the school day is over.
- **Reading** - reading to dogs has been proven to help children develop literacy skills and build confidence, both through the calming effect the dog's presence has on children as well as the fact that a dog will listen to children read without being judgemental or critical. This comforting environment helps to nurture a child's enthusiasm for reading and provides them with the confidence to read aloud.

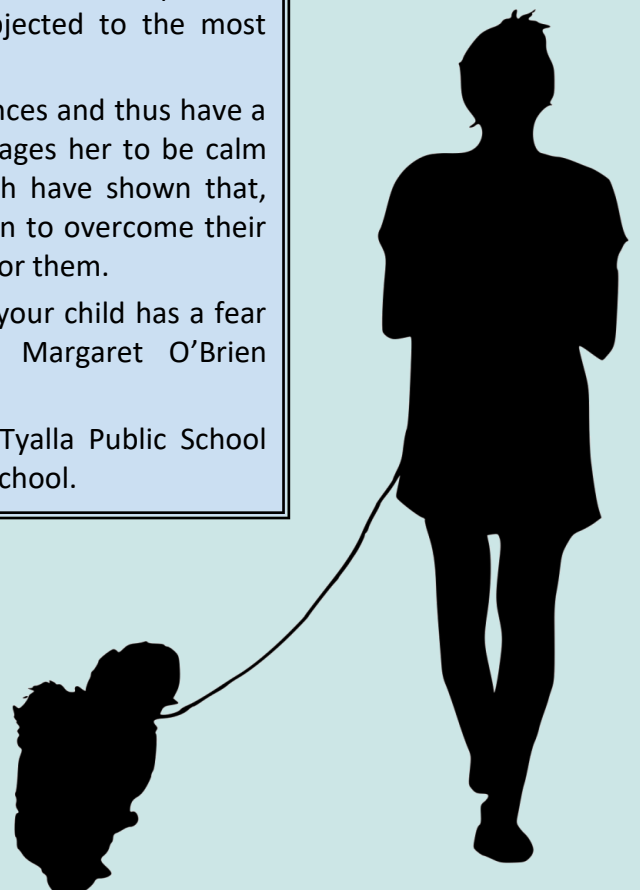
It is understandable that some people may be concerned about possible allergic reactions to a support dog. Bo will be subjected to the most thorough cleanliness and grooming regime.

Also, some children may have had upsetting experiences and thus have a fear of dogs (or other animals). Bo's training encourages her to be calm and gentle around children. Experience and research have shown that, with proper guidance and handling, children can learn to overcome their fear of animals and grow in respect and appreciation for them.

If you have a concern regarding allergic reactions or your child has a fear of dogs, please contact your class teacher or Margaret O'Brien (margaret.m.obrien@det.nsw.edu.au).

We hope you will join us in welcoming Bo to the Tyalla Public School community and embrace all that she has to offer the school.

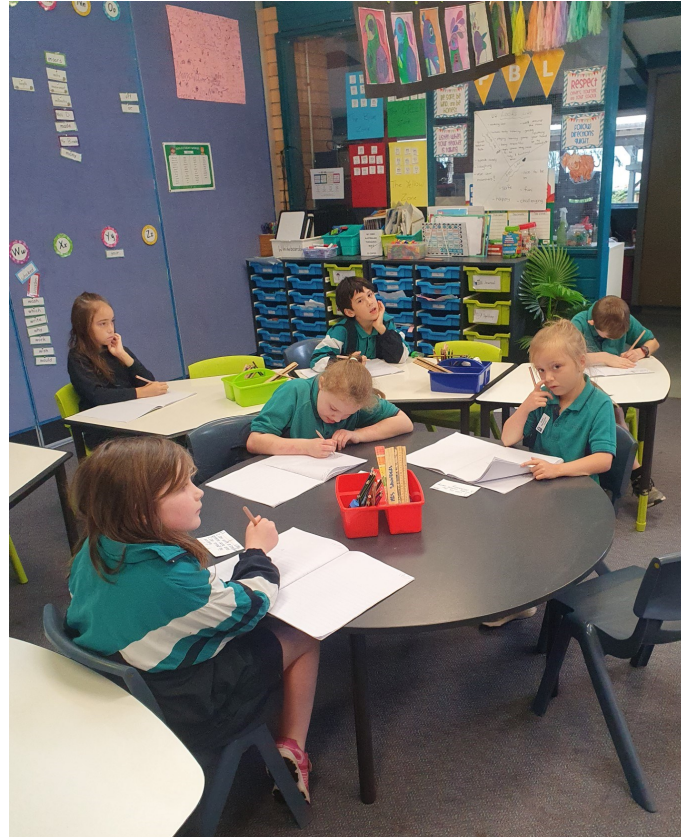
Supporting our Students



welcome to my CLASSROOM

i am so excited to show you around!

2 RED (Miss DeWith)



2 Red have been hard at work developing our knowledge of the different features of persuasive texts.

We have learnt about high modality words and how to use them to help make our arguments stronger. We are also learning how to plan, draft, and edit our writing ready to publish using digital technologies.

It's been a little tricky but we're persevering and challenging ourselves!

Community Notices & Information



COFFS HARBOUR

FUTSAL SCHOOL

BOYS & GIRLS

FUTSAL TERM 3



LITTLE FEET
KICK OFF MONDAY 24TH JULY
3.30PM - 4.15PM
AGE 3 - 5 YEAR OLDS



FUTSAL SCHOOL
KICK OFF MONDAY 24TH JULY
4.30PM - 5.30PM
AGE 6 - 12 YEAR OLDS

COST - 8 WEEK TERM
\$120 PER PLAYER

VENUE SPORTZ CENTRAL
74 A BRAY STREET COFFS HARBOUR



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NORTHERN NEW SOUTH WALES
FUTSAL

THERE WILL BE OBSTACLES.
THERE WILL BE DOUBTERS.
THERE WILL BE MISTAKES.
BUT WITH HARD WORK,
THERE ARE NO LIMITS.