

TALLIMBA PUBLIC SCHOOL

A little school achieving big things

Term 4 - Week 2

Issue 16

Friday, 24 October 2025

Coming Events:

Week 3

Monday, 27 October

- ITAV Visit

Wednesday, 29 October

- Kindergarten Orientation
9 am to 3 pm

Friday, 31 October

- Library

Week 4

Wednesday, 5 November

- Kindergarten Orientation
9 am to 3 pm
- Primary Excursion - Swan Hill

Thursday, 6 November

- Primary Excursion - Swan Hill

Friday, 7 November

- Primary Excursion - Swan Hill
- Riverina Regional Mobile Library Visit

Week 5

Tuesday, 11 November

- Remembrance Day

Wednesday, 12 November

- Kindergarten Orientation
9 am to 3 pm

Friday, 14 November

- Library

Message from our Principal...

Staff started Term 4 with a productive School Development Day, joined by visiting colleagues. Leanne Cain from the department's wellbeing division presented on trauma informed practice, bringing our team to the completion of four modules. Students have since returned with energy and settled back into their learning routines.

The beginning of this term has also seen our Kindergarten orientation students begin attending full days each week for five weeks, and they are all settling in happily.

We are pleased to welcome Rowena Sutton as relieving SAM for two days per week, on Monday and Tuesday. Michaela Riley has returned in a new role as SLSO for one day per week, and Kim Reid has increased her hours to two full days. For the remainder of 2025, the newsletter will be published every second Friday.

Gus Gordon, an internationally acclaimed illustrator and author, visited Tallimba Public School this week as part of the Bland Shire Library annual author touring event. Thank you to Cathy Lange for coordinating the visit.

Mrs Tyack and Mrs Reid travelled with students to Rankins Springs today for a sports day, with infants in a round robin and primary students competing in netball and soccer games. It is wonderful to see small schools coming together, with both staff and students making the most of these opportunities.

Primary students are looking forward to visiting Swan Hill in Week 4. This excursion will provide a unique, hands-on insight into early settler life in Australia, complementing learning in HSIE.

Ms Sarah Bell

Principal



KEEP
CALM
AND
ENJOY
TERM 4

Respect

Responsibility

Citizenship

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We would like to acknowledge the Wiradjuri People, Traditional Custodians of the land on which we gather and pay our respects to their Elder's past, present and emerging.

PBL Stars of the Fortnight

Week 1 - Maison Turnbull



Week 2 - Hannah Quade



SHOUT-OUTS

Maison gave a shout out to **Miss Riley** for returning to TPS for Term 4.

Hannah gave a shout out to **Isla** for letting everyone play with her tiger puppet.



HATS, HATS, HATS



As the weather starts to warm up, we are reminding students that they need to be wearing a hat in the playground.

Please remember to bring your wide-brimmed hat to school everyday.



Book club catalogs were sent home with students last Monday. Orders are due on the loop app by Wednesday, 29th October 2025.

TALLIMBA
VINTAGE HARVEST DAY

SAVE THE DATE
SATURDAY, 17TH
JANUARY 2026

TRACTOR PULL
STATIC HARVEST DISPLAYS
MARKET STALLS
CANTEEN & BAR
PLUS MORE!

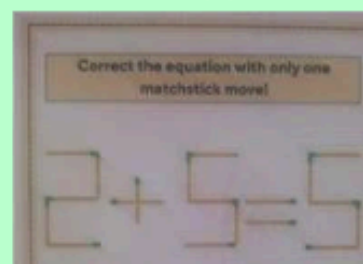
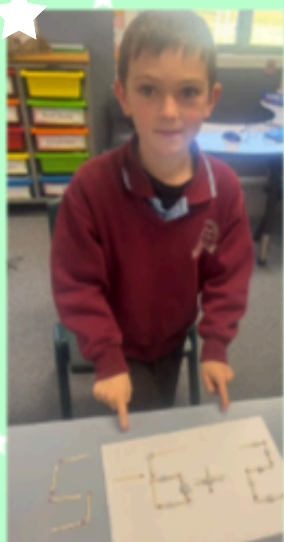
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Last term, we travelled to West Wyalong for the Wyalong Public Schools performance, which was fantastic to watch. After the performance we enjoyed time at the High School watching the aerobics team perform. We were able to join in and learn some new dance routines.



★ Students are really enjoying the 'Figure it Out Friday' activities. These tasks help to develop essential skills like problem-solving and perseverance. See if you can crack this one! ★



What's happening this term...

WEEK	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI
2	20 October	21 October	22 October Kindergarten Orientation 9 am - 3 pm	23 October Author Visit 9 am AECG Meeting at Wyalong Public School 2 pm	24 October Rankins Spring Round Robin
3	27 October ITAV Visit	28 October	29 October Kindergarten Orientation 9 am - 3 pm	30 October	31 October
4	3 November	4 November	5 November Kindergarten Orientation 9 am - 3 pm Primary Swan Hill Excursion	6 November Primary Swan Hill Excursion	7 November Primary Swan Hill Excursion Riverina Regional Mobile Library Visit
5	10 November	11 November Remembrance Day	12 November Kindergarten Orientation 9 am - 3 pm	13 November	14 November
6	17 November	18 November	19 November	20 November	21 November
7	24 November Intensive Swimming ITAV Visit	25 November Intensive Swimming	26 November Intensive Swimming	27 November Intensive Swimming	28 November Intensive Swimming
8	1 December Intensive Swimming Morning Melodies	2 December Intensive Swimming	3 December Intensive Swimming	4 December Intensive Swimming Year 6 transition to WWHS	5 December Intensive Swimming Year 6 transition to WWHS
9	8 December Year 6 transition to WWHS	9 December Year 6 transition to WWHS	10 December Year 6 transition to WWHS	11 December	12 December
10	15 December	16 December	17 December	18 December	19 December

A busy term ahead!

Community News

RIVERINA DEVELOPMENT ACADEMY



AFL

The Riverina Development Academy is a program providing selected highly talented Junior Australian Rules players from all over the Riverina the opportunity to develop their football skills, training ethics and increasing their football knowledge through game sense training and improving their match day capability.

Under 15s (born 2010 + 2011)
Under 17s (born 2008 + 2009)

BARELLAN SPORTSGROUND
SATURDAY 9.15am-11am
OCTOBER 25th
NOVEMBER 1st, 8th

Cost \$75 and must be AFL registered

For more information contact
Peter Green 0488 738 767

You will be contacted if you are a successful applicant

RIVERINA DEVELOPMENT ACADEMY



NETBALL

Welcoming girls from all areas and abilities, turning 9, 10 or 11 this year. The Riverina Development Academy is a program providing highly qualified coaching, for Junior Netballers from all over the Riverina the opportunity to develop basic skills and match play strategies.

BARELLAN SPORTSGROUND
SATURDAY 9.30am-10.45am
OCTOBER 25th
NOVEMBER 1st, 8th

Cost \$75 if registered with Netball NSW

For more information contact
Jodie Landy 0429 639 116
or Carolyn Burgess 0466 555 820

limited spots, first in to guarantee a spot



Suitable for all ages and swimming strengths
with tadpoles starting at just 12 meters.
Join us 6pm Tuesday's at Holland Park Pool

REGISTER ONLINE THROUGH
SWIM CENTRAL



SWIM
CENTRAL

October
21st -
March



westwyalongasc@hotmail.com



BLAND SHIRE LIBRARY



AUTHOR EVENT

Join us for a chat with award winning author

SUSAN MACKIE

Discover the story behind the pages!

WEDNESDAY 19 NOVEMBER
10:30AM



A morning of
words, inspiration
& connection awaits
followed by morning tea!
REGISTER ONLINE NOW!



Community News



BLAND SHIRE COUNCIL
west wyalong

TALLIMBA COMMUNITY FORUM

Monday 27 October
from 6.30pm at Tallimba Hall

Bland Shire Council would like to invite the Tallimba Community to an upcoming community forum.

These forums are an opportunity for the community to provide feedback, express concerns and have face-to-face communication with Councillors and senior Council staff around issues that impact them

Agenda items for the Community Forum are to be notified to Council by 22 October 2025 in writing or via email: council@blandshire.nsw.gov.au

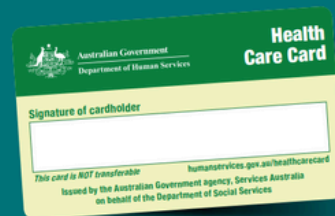
Further information in relation to the Community Forums is available by contacting Council on 6972 2266 or emailing council@blandshire.nsw.gov.au



The Wyalong Museum Markets



Saturday, 25th October
10 am to 1 pm



Do you have a health care card? You could be eligible for Saver Plus.

For every dollar you save, you'll get a dollar from ANZ to spend on educational costs, up to \$500.

To join, you need to meet all of these requirements:

- ✓ Be 18 years or older
- ✓ Have a current Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card
- ✓ Have a child in school, starting school next year, or be studying yourself
- ✓ Get a regular income (can be you or your partner)
- ✓ Agree to join in free online financial education workshops

saverplus

1300 610 355 saverplus.org.au



BLAND SHIRE COUNCIL
west wyalong

GONE FISHING DAY

SUNDAY 26 OCTOBER
UNGARIE & WEST WYALONG

10AM-2PM AT NAVI DAM UNGARIE AND WEST WYALONG WETLANDS
FOR SCHOOL AGE CHILDREN AND PARENTS
~SAUSAGE SIZZLE ~ DRINKS ~ GIVEAWAYS
NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY - FISHING EQUIPMENT, TACKLE & BAIT CAN BE PROVIDED
FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT BLAND SHIRE COUNCIL 6972 2266



Community News

Child & Family Services



Royal Far West
Children's health country-wide

NDIS Services



At Royal Far West we are dedicated to supporting children in rural and remote locations to access the health and developmental care they need.

We are a non-government provider of developmental health, early intervention, education and therapy services for children and their families. We work collaboratively with you, your family and the professionals who support you.

Our NDIS services offer therapeutic interventions for children aged 2-12 years who have an NDIS plan.

RFW NDIS Services are suitable for children with mild to moderate disability who live in rural and remote areas. The program supports Early Childhood Approach (ECA – previously ECEI) and the National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) Participants.

Our Services

Speech Pathology

- Learning to speak more clearly
- Understanding and using words and language to communicate
- Reading and writing skills
- Social communication skills to build and support friendships and relationships
- Play skills
- Key word sign and visuals to support communication

Occupational Therapy

- Building gross and fine motor skills
- Play skills
- Self-care skills to increase independence
- Sharing ideas to children who react differently to certain sensations
- Building skills and sharing ideas to support regulation, learning and friendships at school and home

Psychology

- Behaviour and/or emotional difficulties
- Mental health concerns (anxiety, low mood, poor self esteem, poor sleep)
- Social skills
- Parenting support
- Understanding diagnosis
- Adjustment difficulties e.g. transitioning to school

Special Education

- Early literacy
- Functional academics
- Visual systems and signs

Social Work

- Connection to services in your community
- Practical advice and help with benefits, entitlements and finances
- Support with managing family difficulties and crises
- Supporting you to advocate for child's needs

- Eligibility Criteria**
- Child is aged 2-12yrs
 - Child has a current NDIS plan
 - Level of disability is mild to moderate
 - Child lives in a regional, rural or remote location (outside of a capital city)

RFW NDIS services are flexible and offer a range of delivery methods.

- **Telehealth** brings services via technology to your home, pre-school or school, or
- **A week of multidisciplinary face to face therapy** at RFW in Manly, Sydney.

Partnership

We work in partnership with families to develop integrated, high quality therapeutic solutions that meet the needs and goals of the child.

Flexible & Innovative

We are flexible and innovative and will utilise technology where appropriate.

Responsive to family and child's needs

We are responsive, open and easy to interact with – we use our specialist knowledge and skills to work with the family to achieve your child's goals.

Inclusive and Respectful

We believe in mutual respect and promote an inclusive environment that values everyone, no matter where they live and the services they need.



How to get started:

Call us on 1800 500 061

Email us at windmill@royalfarwest.org.au

Go to <https://royalfarwest.org.au/disability-support-services/>