Hi everyone,

It was great to see so many families at the Anzac service on Saturday. It was a lovely service and our students did a fantastic job accompanying Alison and Kelly. If you happen to have a clear photo of the children singing please email it to us so I can put it on the website.

On Friday we gave each child a commemorative penny (War Declared) as a keepsake for the 100 years centenary. When we ordered the pennies we accidentally lodged an order for extra pennies (Signing on). If you would like to purchase one of the signing on pennies please send $2 to school. They will be sold on first come, first serve basis and we only have 60 available.

Our cross country is coming up on Wednesday the 6th of May. A note will go home tomorrow.

On Friday we drew out the names of children for the Somer's camp in June. The two boys who were lucky enough to be drawn first were Beau and Ben and the first girl drawn was Shania. As Mr H expressed to the class - we wish that we could send everyone who wanted to go but schools are given limited places as the camp is such a valued opportunity across the state.

Have a lovely week!

Cheers

“Cultivate the habit of being grateful.”

Ralph Waldo Emerson
MUSICIAN OF THE WEEK

The Musician of the Week in Week 2 is Tahlia Bartlett. Tahlia was a great role model in class. She demonstrated excellent listening skills. She also completed the difficult task of writing her own composition quickly. Well done Tahlia.

Bank Days for Term 2: Wednesday 29th April; Wednesday 13th May; Wednesday 27th May; Wednesday 10th June; Wednesday 24th June.

The bank books were not collected last week because of a mix up with the dates. Banking days for Term 2 are listed above.

Mobile Library Days for Term 2: Thursday 7th May; Thursday 4th June

At school council we approved our remaining curriculum days which are:

😊 Friday 29th May - Ross, Kristen, Bert and I will travel to Melbourne to take part in a one day professional learning with Wilson McCaskill (whose work we are using to underpin our teaching of emotional intelligence focus.)

😊 Thursday 4th June: Report writing

😊 Thursday 10th December for 2016 planning (this is likely to change as swimming is in this week.)

Our old fridge has been moved to outside the art room and is free to a good home. We are not sure what is wrong with it but if you would like to take it and have it repaired please feel free to do so.

• Work has begun at the Berringa centre to modify part of the building to develop a long day centre. This service will then go to tender. Whilst a before/after school care service is not yet guaranteed we need to express our desire for such a service to be included for our current families but especially for future families and enrolments. In order to do this, I really need evidence that such a service will be used. If you know of families who would attend Bethanga Primary but are put off by no before/after school care please come and see me. Please also consider future families that you may know and also ask them to ring me to express their desire for the service.

• Achievement Program—next meets from 5.30-6.30pm at the Berringa Kinder.

PLEASE DON’T FORGET THAT OUR SCHOOL IS NUT FREE!

A reminder to all children to please wash your hands after breakfast to prevent the chance of nut residue coming to school or getting on bus rails/seats. We greatly appreciate your assistance with this!
Information Evening for prospective 2016 Year 7 parents and students

Monday 4th May, 2015
6 – 7pm
Performing Arts Centre
Felltimber Campus

Tours available at both Huon and Felltimber campuses
4.30 – 5.30pm

For more information contact Marg Leddin or Will Pleydon – Assistant Principals ph 60579000

Parent Information Evening for prospective 2016 Year 7 students
Tallangatta Secondary College
Wednesday 6th May 2015
6pm – 7.30pm
For more information please phone Miss Haylee Penny
Year 7 Coordinator on 0260715000
### Coming up at Bethanga.......

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Cross Country |
| Thursday 7th May | MOBILE LIBRARY VAN VISIT | Return and borrow books |
| **Wk 5** | Tuesday 12th—Thurs. 14th May | NAPLAN FOR YRS 3 AND 5 |
| **Wk 6** | Wednesday 20th May | SCHOOL BANKING |
| **Wk 8** | Wednesday 3rd June  
Thursday 4th June | SCHOOL BANKING  
MOBILE LIBRARY VAN VISIT | Return and borrow books |
| **Wk 10** | Wednesday 17th June | SCHOOL BANKING |
| **Wk 11** | Friday 26th June | Last day Term 2  
2.30pm dismissal |
| **Term 3** | Friday 14th August | School Photos |
| **Term 4** | Tuesday 6th to Friday 9th October | Canberra Excursion for years 5/6 | This is the proposed date and more information re costing (anticipated $370) and itinerary will be sent home soon. |
| **Wk 3** | Tuesday October 20th to Friday 23rd | Year 3/4 Camp to 15 Mile Creek | Dates are definite. More information later this term. |
| **Wk 9** | Thursday 3rd December  
Monday 7th, Wednesday 9th, Thursday 10th, Friday 11th | Year 6 Graduation at Café Borellas  
Swimming at Gould Swim Centre | There will be a change to the proposed pupil free day for 10th due to swimming. More details to come. |
| **Wk 10** |  |  |  |
A huge thank you to Streets for kindly donating two boxes of ice creams to the school. The children certainly enjoyed the special treat.

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