Greetings,

CANTEEN
Our school canteen will cease operation for the year on Friday of this week. Special thanks to Brett and Pam, who have overseen the canteen for the last few weeks. Your help and support is most appreciated and we thank you most sincerely for this. The Canteen Manager’s position for 2016 is currently being advertised.

ORARA HIGH SCHOOL FIRE
Last Saturday, the Industrial Arts area of Orara High School was very badly damaged in a tragic fire which destroyed a lot of school property, resources and student projects. The Police are now investigating. If any community members know or hear of anything that may have contributed to this terrible event, please contact the police and pass on that information. Thank you.

2016 STUDENT LEADERS
Last week our Year 5 students presented their speeches to the school outlining why they should be chosen to be part of the 2016 School Leadership Team of Tyalla Primary School. The children must be congratulated for their dedication and enthusiasm. Each candidate spoke with pride and can in turn, be proud of who they are and what they have achieved. Well done everyone. The successful students will be announced at next week’s Presentation Day assembly.

Have a great week.

Stewart Copeland
Principal
IMPORTANT DATES/REMINDERS

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FRIDAY, 4TH DECEMBER

FINAL DAY OF CANTEEN FOR 2015

A reminder that this Friday, 4th December is the final day of canteen for 2015. Thank you for supporting the canteen this year and thank you to Brett, Pam and all our helpers for all their hard work. We look forward to some exciting changes in 2016.

P&C NEWS

Dear Parents & Carers,

The P&C are a very dedicated group of individuals who care deeply about the school experience for the children. It has been a great pleasure to work with each and every person who has been a part of the P&C this year. With the end of the year just around the corner, I wanted to share some of the ways in which the P&C, along with our community, have supported Tyalla this year.

- Recycling program up and running
- Giant Easter raffle with lots of winners
- Mothers & Fathers day stalls
- Changes in the canteen to promote healthy eating
- Outsourced uniforms to allow for one stop shopping
- Show & Shine subsidising the swimming program
- Day for Daniel
- Mega Christmas raffle with prizes galore
- Purchasing chess sets for next year’s chess club

I look forward to our final get together this year ... see you at Tyalla Carols.

In Kindness

Tina Di Sisto
(P&C President)

Heartfelt
THANKS
TO OUR VOLUNTEERS!
Tawny Frogmouth

DID YOU KNOW?

Tawny Frogmouths are not owls. Although they look similar, Frogmouths are more closely related to Nightjars, which are nocturnal birds known for having long wings and short beaks. Tawny Frogmouths emit a soft “oom-oom-oom” two to three times in a row. There are about 40-45 different species of Tawny Frogmouths.

By Seth ... Environment Captain

COFFS COAST COMMUNITY CIRCUS

Come along to our end of year show and see Tyalla’s very own hoop troupe perform alongside an international aerial artist. There will be trapeze, silks, clowns, magicians and much, much more.

Tickets and further information available by calling Danielle on 0413 604 759. Tyalla families get $1 off each ticket purchased.

TYALLA CAROLS

Bring along your picnic rug and some supper to enjoy at this year’s Tyalla Carols on Tuesday, 15th December. Gates open at 5.30pm for a 6.00pm start and as in past years, this promises to be a fantastic evening. What a lovely way to come together to finish the school year!

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

Thank you to those families who have already returned their Christmas raffle tickets. If you still have tickets, please ensure they are returned to school, sold or unsold, no later than Friday, 11th December. There are loads of great prizes to be won!

HEALTHY AFTER SCHOOL SNACK

For a deliciously cool, healthy after school snack cut up your favourite fruit and place it in an ice block mould then fill with coconut water and freeze.

JUNIOR RUGBY LEAGUE SKILLS CLINIC

WITH THE MANLY SEA EAGLES

5-14 YEAR OLDS INVITED TO APPLY

ONLY THE 1ST 100 CHILDREN TO REGISTER WILL ATTEND

DATE:     Monday, 14th December
TIME:     4.00pm to 5.30pm
VENUE:    Novotel Coffs Harbour Pacific Bay Resort
          Elite Training Centre

REGISTER AT:
https://reg.sportingpulse.com/v6/regoform.cgi?formId=49770&programId=2793

For further information contact Jessie Reeves (Games Development Officer - Northern NSW) on 0402 892 474.

HAVE YOU ENROLLED YOUR CHILD FOR KINDERGARTEN NEXT YEAR?

NOTE: Birth Certificate, Immunisation Certificate and Proof of Address must accompany your application.
SCHOOL DATES

2015
Final Day for all Students - Wednesday, 16th December

2016
Staff Return - Wednesday, 27th January
Year 1 to Year 6 Students Return - Thursday, 28th January
Kindergarten Best Start Appointments (approximately 20-30 minutes)
Thursday, 28th & Friday, 29th January

IF YOU HAVE NOT MADE A BEST START APPOINTMENT FOR YOUR KINDERGARTEN CHILD PLEASE CONTACT THE SCHOOL ON 6652 4488

Kindergarten Students Start School
Monday to Friday, 1st to 5th February (HALF DAYS: 9.10AM TO 1.00PM)
Kindergarten Students Full Time From Monday, 8th February
9.10am to 3.10pm