Talbingo Champion School at the ALPSS Sports Camp

This week our students travelled to Rosewood Public School to take part in the annual ALPSS Athletics and Cross Country Carnivals. After 2 days of fantastic competition Talbingo was named Champion School for the Athletics component of the camp.

There were lots of wonderful athletics performances and all students are to be congratulated for their enthusiastic participation and good sportsmanship, which definitely helped us to earn the championship trophy. The wet weather during the day failed to dampen our enthusiasm and our students entered every race and event possible bringing home a swag of ribbons between them.

K-2 students took part in egg and spoon races, sack races and vortex throwing and enjoyed watching the older students in the more traditional carnival events.

On Tuesday morning the weather looked threatening and the Cross Country Carnival seemed to be in jeopardy. However, the sun came out and the event was able to proceed as planned. Again many of our students did exceptionally well with Phoenix, Danielle, Teagan, Trinity and Quaid each taking out 1st place in their respective age groups.

Whilst the primary students were at the cross country the K-2 students enjoyed a variety of activities including creative dancing, story writing and lego building.

The students enjoyed meeting up with their peers from Humula, Rosewood, Khancoban and Cabramurra Public Schools and all the fun that camps deliver.

Students and staff camped in the classrooms and the Rosewood Public School P&C Association did a wonderful job catering for everyone.

Thank you to all families for transporting the children to Rosewood so that they could take part. Thanks also to Wendy, who was a terrific help during the camp with catering and a host of other little jobs.

Life Education Van

Cabramurra Public School students will come to Talbingo for our annual Life Education Van visit. A permission note is attached to this newsletter.

If you have any questions about the program, please see Mrs Levey.

New part-time student

We will be welcoming Connor Radecic to our school each Wednesday during Term 2. Connor attends Gadara School in Tumut and his visits to our school will help to broaden his educational experience and social skills.

Parents are invited to an information meeting which will be conducted by Mrs Moira Kingwill, Principal of Gadara School at 2.30pm on Wednesday, 30th April. Mrs Kingwill will also be speaking to our students, about how they can assist Connor to have a positive experience at our school.

ANZAC DAY

Once again ANZAC Day falls during the school holidays this year and preparations for the community ceremony are underway. Our school has been invited to take part and I encourage all students to support this important community event.

The Anzac service will be at 6.30am on Friday, 25th April at the Talbingo Anzac memorial in Miles Franklin Cenotaph. In keeping with tradition, our students will have important roles during the service, including the laying of a wreath, raising the flag, giving a speech and providing a small choir. A practice with Mrs Byatt will be held at 4.30pm on Thursday, 24th April at the Miles Franklin Cenotaph.

Please return the slip below to indicate your child’s involvement.

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ANZAC Day

My child/children ____________________________ will / will not be attending the practice at 4.30pm on Thursday, 24th April 2014.

My child/children ____________________________ will/ will not be attending the ceremony at 6.40 on Friday, 25th April 2014.