

# Tailem Bend Primary School

## Newsletter

Tuesday 7th November 2023

Issue 17

Dear Parents, Caregivers and Community Members,

It's hard and scary to believe that we are nearly on the home stretch and all systems are go as we prepare for our end of year concert and awards night on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> of December at the **Tailem Bend Town Hall**.

Ticket allocations will be restricted to 300.

**This year we are allocating 3 tickets to each family at no cost.**

Tickets will be available for collection from the front office from Monday 13<sup>th</sup> of November (next week).

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If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the front office.

### **Reception Transition**

Next Tuesday we will be having our first official transition visit from the Kindy children who will be joining us next year.

**I would like to take this opportunity to welcome our new students and their families.**

We are looking forward to you all being a part of our wonderful school community

Have a great week.

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### **Diary Dates**

**6th Nov - 16th Nov**

**Swimming Lessons R-Yr5**

**14th Nov**

**Transition Visit - 9-11am  
(Parent Meeting at 9am)**

**21st Nov**

**Transition visit**

**23rd Nov**

**Yr 3/4 & Yr5/6 Adelaide 500**

**24th Nov**

**Student Free Day**

**28th Nov**

**Transition Day**

**29th Nov**

**Year 6 Aquatics**

**1st Dec**

**Swimming Carnival**

**5th Dec**

**Transition Day**

**13th Dec**

**School Concert**

**14th Dec**

**Year 6 Graduation**

## Wellbeing News

### A Healthy Diet

One of the most important topics to cover for students to have success at school is living a healthy lifestyle which includes a healthy and consistent diet. Drinking lots of water and having a healthy diet has a positive impact on students overall well-being and success at school.

### Why is a Healthy Diet Important?

A healthy diet is the foundation of a vibrant and fulfilling life. It is vital for the following reasons:

**Nutrient Intake:** Consuming a balanced diet provides your children's body with essential vitamins, minerals, and nutrients that promote optimal physical and mental health. These nutrients are crucial for maintaining energy levels, boosting your immune system, and supporting the growth and repair of cells.

**Active Lifestyle:** A healthy diet plays a key role in your children living an active lifestyle and having the energy to participate in physical activity.

**Heart Health:** A diet rich in fruits, vegetables, whole grains, and lean proteins can help lower your risk of heart disease. It helps in reducing high blood pressure and lowering cholesterol levels, protecting your heart.

**Mental Well-being:** Good nutrition isn't just about physical health; it's also essential for mental well-being. A diet rich in brain-boosting nutrients like omega-3 fatty acids, antioxidants, and complex carbohydrates can support cognitive function and mood regulation.

**Longevity:** Research consistently shows that those who follow a balanced and nutritious diet tend to live longer, healthier lives. By reducing the risk of chronic diseases and promoting overall vitality, a healthy diet can contribute to a longer life.

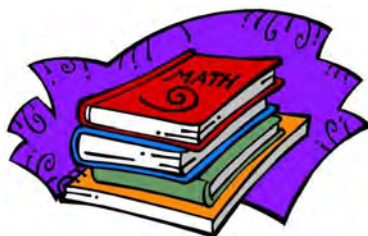


Daniel Bartlett  
Wellbeing Leader

## Administration news

### Year 6 - Year 7 Transition to Murray Bridge High School

Please check the fliers included in this newsletter inviting Year 6 students and their families to “Getting Ready for 2024” and “Uniform Fit Night” , Tuesday 14th November. A hard copy of the notice has previously been sent home with students. All welcome. No booking necessary.



### Pastoral Care Worker - Welcome Charlotte!

Hey There! If we haven't met yet, I'm Charlotte, and I'm the new PCW! I'm so excited to be stepping into this new role as Pastoral Care Worker, and I'm already loving it. Thank you to everyone for being so welcoming, I count it as a privilege to be a part of this community. If you ever need support for anything, or your students are needing a little bit of extra assistance, I'm here to help! Best wishes, Charlotte Bormann



### Headlice

We have recently had Headlice reported within the school. Please check your child's hair and treat accordingly. It is also important to check all members of the household, use an effective headlice treatment, wash bed linen, hats, hair ties brushes etc in hot water. If using a chemical treatment please repeat in 7-10 days according to the manufacturers direction. Thank you.

### Don't Forget!

#### **This week -**

- Swimming Lessons (R-5) - Remember your bathers!
- Reception Transition Visit 1 - Tuesday

#### **Week 6 -**

- Adelaide 500 Excursion - Year 3/4 & 5/6 class - Thursday
- Student Free Day - Friday

#### **Week 7 -**

- Year 6 Aquatics - Wednesday
- Swimming Carnival - Friday



# **El Shaddai Camp**

On Monday the 30th of October; Mrs Schutz's, Ms Reeves', Mrs Richter's and Mrs Schubert's classes went to El Shaddai for a 2 night camp.

Students got to participate in a range of activities, some of which included archery, rock climbing, laser tag, catapults, raft making, canoeing and the giant swing.

While some students found it difficult to be away from home, overall it was a positive experience and it was great to see students putting themselves out of their comfort zone and trying new things.



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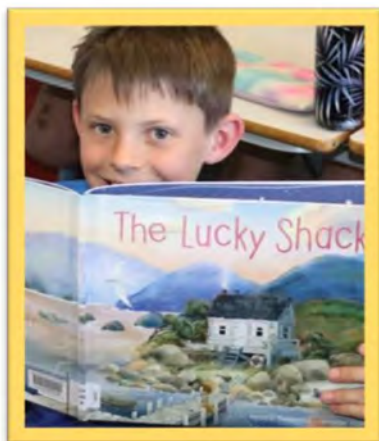


# **El Shaddai Camp**



Library News

# New books in the Library





## Week 2 Class Awards

### Year 5/6 Mrs Schubert

**Ashlynn**

Respect for Teaching & Learning: Working hard all week in class to share ideas and complete work to a high standard.

### Year 4/5 Mrs Richter & Mrs Hughes

**Bella D**

For always offering her services with class responsibilities when extra people are needed!

### Year 3/4 Miss Reeves

**Joey**

Teaching & Learning: Working independently in all areas of the curriculum. Demonstrating excellent organisational skills and for being a positive role model.

### Year 2/3 Mrs Schutz

**Jayden**

For being confident in reading the time on an analogue clock.

### Year 1/2 Miss Trembath

**Mitch**

For challenging himself and putting himself in the learning pit during our maths lessons this week. Well done!

### Year 1 Mrs Kluske & Mrs Bruce

**Kayla**

For showing a huge improvement in the completion of her homework. Keep up the great work Kayla!

### Reception Mrs Paech

**Alaina**

For demonstrating excellent Maths skills this week - skip counting by 2 and accurate tally mark recording.

## Week 3 Class Awards

### Year 5/6 Mrs Schubert

**Summer**

For demonstrating a positive attitude and fantastic resilience in coming to school after camp, even with having a sore arm!  
Fantastic leadership!

### Year 4/5 Mrs Richter & Mrs Hughes

**Tillie**

For showing resilience and grit when trying new activities at camp!

### Year 3/4 Miss Reeves

**The Year 3/4 Class**

Teaching & Learning: For accepting new challenges, taking risks, stepping outside your comfort zones, being brave, trying new foods, learning new skills and for making Ms R very proud while attending the UP/MP camp at El Shaddai.

### Year 2/3 Mrs Schutz

**The Rainbow Class**

For attempting new challenges with positive attitudes and enthusiasm while on camp. Also for supporting each other and working as a team.

### Year 1/2 Miss Trembath

**Tanaeyah**

For working hard to understand multiplication by sharing and making equal groups. Well done Tanaeyah!

### Year 1 Mrs Kluske & Mrs Bruce

**Octavia**

For showing increased confidence during maths lessons and confidently recognising tens and ones in two digit numbers.

### Reception Mrs Paech

**Xavier**

For taking time to produce some beautiful colouring in his artwork this week.



7<sup>th</sup> November, 2023

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

## You are invited to our School Concert and Award Presentations

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December 2023  
in the Tailem Bend Town Hall

6.30pm doors open for 7.00pm start

Due to seating capacity ticket allocations are restricted to 300.

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Regards,



Travis Schenke  
Principal





MURRAY BRIDGE  
HIGH SCHOOL

Invites Year 6 Students  
and Families to

# GETTING READY FOR 2024

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# UNIFORM FIT NIGHT

**Tuesday 14th November**

Free BBQ 4:45-5:45pm

Ready for 2024 Presentation  
5:45-6:15pm

**Join us @ MBHS in the new  
Sturt Building**

Uniform fitting in Resource  
Centre 3:30-7:00pm

Important Note:

- No booking required





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# EXCLUSIVE

## UNIFORM FIT NIGHT

Nov  
**14**

Tuesday 14th November  
3:30 pm to 7:00 pm  
MBHS Resource Centre

Please attend the Fitting Night to order or purchase uniform ready for 2024.

Payment in full for orders and purchases is expected, ZipPay is available for buy now, pay later. Register prior to attending <https://zippay.com.au/>

To help speed up our service, online orders can be placed ahead of time so we can have your items ready to try on when you arrive. <https://onlinestore.devonclothing.com.au/shop-by-school/murray-bridge-high-school/>

If your child outgrows their uniform before they have a chance to wear it, we'll happily exchange it for you. However, goods must be returned in their original packaging with tags attached and in brand new condition. Refunds do not apply for a change of mind.



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(COVID-19)

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## Community News

TAILEM BEND CHRISTMAS PARADE COMMITTEE PRESENTS THE ANNUAL



# CHRISTMAS PARADE 2023

FESTIVITIES START AT 4:30PM  
WILLOW STREET


**9TH DEC** STALLS, FOOD GALORE & ENTERTAINMENT FOR ALL AGES!

**MEET & GREET WITH SANTA!**  
Register your Float or Stall and get involved with the Festive Season at:  
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Tailem Bend School/Community Library  
invites you to join **STIG WEMYSS**  
All welcome



MONDAY 27TH NOVEMBER  
@ 11.30 in the School Gym

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Terry Denton

PLANNED ABSENCE NOTIFICATION TO TALEM BEND PRIMARY SCHOOL

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TEACHER NAME:- \_\_\_\_\_

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Reason:- \_\_\_\_\_

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