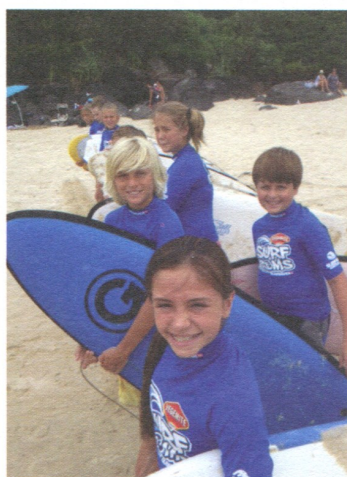


# Tweed Heads Public School Newsletter



**Monday 26 May 2014 - Term 2 Week 5**

## *Upcoming Events...*

Tues 27 May	PSSA Rugby League Knockout
Tues 3 June	FNC Dance Festival
Wed 4 June	UNSW Science Competition
	Next School Assembly at 2pm
Thurs 5 June	Netball Gala Day
Sat 7 June	'Cooly Rocks On' - Car Parking/BBQ
Sun 8 June	'Cooly Rocks On' - Car Parking/BBQ
Mon 9 June	Queen's Birthday Public Holiday
Mon 16 June	UNSW Writing Competition
Tues 17 June	UNSW Spelling Competition
Wed 18 June	Last School Assembly for Term 2 - 2pm
Mon 23 June	P&C Meeting at 6pm in the library
Tues 24 June	School Photos
Wed 25 June	THPS Athletics Carnival
Fri 27 June	NAIDOC Day
	Last Day of Term 2

## *What's happening in our school community...*

Another very busy week for students and staff of Tweed Heads Public School! Some of the activities our students have been involved in this week include:

- Tweed River High School Science Day (selected Year 5/6 students)
- Australia's Biggest Morning Tea (All Students)
- Local Area Walk - visiting Jack Evans Boat Harbour (Kinder and Year 1)
- Far North Coast Cross Country (5 students)
- Croquet at Tweed Croquet Club (Year 4, 5 & 6 students)
- Circus Fun Day (KM and K/1F)
- Big5Sports - soccer and gymnastics (after school on Tues and Thurs)

Our students certainly have the opportunity to be involved in many other aspects of school life as well as regular classroom lessons.

### Semester 2 Reports

All students will receive a half yearly report at the end of Week 8. Along with this report will be an interview slip for those parents who may have missed an interview at the end of Term 1.

### Upcoming Events

Over the next 5 weeks of Term 2 THPS has a number of exciting events happening. Please check the upcoming events calendar in each week's newsletter and remember to return any permission notes that your child brings home.

Have a good week.

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*Relieving Principal*

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School P&C Association meets monthly.  
Please refer to our school calendar.



**Good True Beautiful**



## Far North Coast Cross Country

On Friday 23 May, five students from THPS participated in the FNC Cross Country in Bangalow. The weather was really hot and we had to run through cow paddocks and a river, fortunately the river wasn't very high but it didn't make the run any easier. Four of us ran 3km and the other student ran 2km. Unfortunately no students made it through to the next level but overall it was a good experience for us all.

*Written by Holly & Hirina*



## Jamie Oliver's 'Food Revolution Day'

On Friday 16 May 3S and 6/5R participated in the Jamie Oliver's 'Food Revolution Day'. In this lesson we learnt about making our very own Rainbow Salad Wrap. We helped Mr O's big wish of getting as many children, families and grown ups to cook all around the world. By doing this activity we have learnt about where food comes from, how to cook it and how it affects your body. We have learned some skills needed to live a longer and healthier life.



## Australia's Biggest Morning Tea

On **Thursday 22 May** during recess we sold some delicious goodies that filled all the hungry tummies in the school, including staff. The SRC would like to thank everyone for making the Australia's Biggest Morning Tea such a success. We raised **\$346** which is being donated to the Cancer Council.

THPS would like to congratulate the SRC for their time and great work selling and organising the morning tea.



**Well done!**

## Live Life Well @ School

Live Life Well at @ School is about promoting good health through nutrition and physical activity. There are a few new and exciting developments happening in this area. We are currently organising nude food days, cooking sessions for each class to promote healthy eating, and all families are receiving a colourful fridge magnet to keep with this newsletter. This magnet will serve as a reminder that packing a great, healthy lunchbox is best for your child and is as easy as 1, 2, 3 + water.

1. Pack a sandwich, roll or wrap
  2. Add 2 vegetable or fruit snacks
  3. Pick 2-3 more healthy snacks
- + bottle of water

## School Banking

**If any student would like to start banking, please call into the front office for more information.**

### SCHOOL BANKING COMPETITION

This year the Commonwealth Bank has introduced the students to the Lost City of Savings. Dollarmites have found sunken treasure in the underwater city and they want to share it with the students in the form of amazing prizes. To be in the running, students simply need to make three or more School Banking deposits during Term 2, regardless of the value. They will then be automatically be entered into the competition to win some fantastic prizes.

## Canteen News

We have had a few more volunteers to help in our canteen and we are happy to announce that from Monday 2 June the canteen will be opening every Monday. If it wasn't for the help we get from volunteers we wouldn't be able to open.

Thank you for the support THPS.

## P&C News

### P&C MEETING

Thank you to those who attended the P&C Meeting last Monday 19 May. The next meeting is going to be held on Monday 23 June at 6pm in the library, everyone is welcome to come along.

### SUGGESTION BOX IN SCHOOL OFFICE

The P&C are going to be putting a suggestion box into the School Office. If you have any suggestions or questions please put them into the box, please include your name and/or your child's name if you require a response.

## Term 2 Week 4 Awards

### **Weekly Student Blue Awards**

KM	Jimara, Kalani
K/1F	Azahlia, Anna-Lea
1M	Mitchell, Cody
	Ariah, Calais
2C	Jayden, Lilian
3/2F	Kohan, Paikea, Reuben
3S	Lachlan, Angelina, Wade
4M	Matthew, Rory, Jacinta
6/5C	Katie, Ruby, Zach
6/5R	Michaela, Dayne

### **Bookwork Awards**

KM	Zahlia
K/1F	Lachlan
1M	Mitchell
2C	Anna
3/2F	Tiala
3S	Jalamari
4M	Mary-Jane
6/5C	Zetah
6/5R	Mika, Emily

### **Bronze Ripa Awards**

KM	Pharai, Haillie, Tre, Riley, James, Chanel
K/1F	Cooper, Khan, Lachlan
1M	Sienna, Sara, Neekah, Keziah, Madison, Perle, Hailey
2C	Charlee, Sienna, Chloe, Alyssa, Skyla, Kona, Floyd
3S	Lachlan, Jack, Shelly
4M	Chloe, Chelsea, Jacinta, Jade
6/5C	Thomas, Lachlan
6/5R	Michaela, Lachlan

### **Silver Ripa Awards**

6/5R	Emily Mika Holly Chloe
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### **Welcome to Tweed Heads Public School**

K/1F	Kai, Levi
3S	Samuel

#### 'COOLY ROCKS ON' – Car Parking at School

Tweed Heads Public School is providing car parking for 'Cooly Rocks On' which is held over the June long weekend, therefore we are looking for volunteers to help.

We will be providing car parking on **Saturday 7<sup>th</sup>** and **Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> June** and need volunteers to help for 2 hour time slots from 8am to 4pm. Students received a note home last week regarding these times and days. Please return the note to the office as soon as possible so we can ensure all the necessary spots are filled.

#### 'COOLY ROCKS ON' – Fundraising BBQ

With the car parking we are also going to have a BBQ. If you can volunteer please see Ruth in the canteen on a Wednesday or Friday for more details.

### **Enrolment changes in 2014**

If for any reason there may be a change in family circumstances and/or your child's enrolment here at Tweed Heads Public School in 2014, could you please advise the school office. Your assistance with this is greatly appreciated.

### **Absences**

When a child is absent from school, the school needs notifica-

tion by phone, a written note or you can come into the school to notify the office staff.

### **More School Photos**

To see more of our fabulous students participating in school activities visit the school website and click on gallery.

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### **Insert - Emotion or Mood & To Get Your Kids Loving Fruit & Vegetables**

We have included an insert with the newsletter this week on Emotion or Mood & To Get Your Kids Loving Fruit & Vegetables for any interested parents. Nutrition Snippets from Eat It To Beat It.

Website: [eatittobeatit.com.au](http://eatittobeatit.com.au)

### **'Smoothie Club'**

**Next week's flavour:**

**Mixed Berry**

# See you next Thursday morning

