

Tweed Heads Public School Newsletter

Monday 19 November 2018 - Term 4 Week 6

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Upcoming Events...

Term 4

Week 6

Wed 21 Nov Assembly - 2pm in the hall
(K/1R Feature Class)

Fri 23 Nov Early Birds Program Concert
1:30 - 2:45pm

Week 7

Mon 26 Nov Lego Master Builders Competition K-2

Week 8

Tues 4 Dec Year 6 Tweed River High School
Orientation Day 8:30am - 2:00pm
(students are to make their own way to
and from the High School)

Wed 5 Dec Assembly - 2pm in the hall
Year 5 nomination speeches for 2019
Captains & Vice Captains

Fri 7 Dec Reports home

Week 9

Thurs 13 Dec **Presentation Day at the Civic Centre**
start time - 11:30am

Fri 14 Dec Last day of Canteen
Year 6 Farewell Dinner in the hall
Year 6 5:30 - 8:30pm
Year 5 7:00 - 8:30pm

Week 10

Mon 17 Dec Talent Quest at 1pm in the school hall
Tues 18 Dec S2 & S3 Reward Day - Murwillumbah
Pool (9:15am - 2:45pm)
ES1 & S1 Water Day & Class Party

Wed 19 Dec Last day of Term 4 for students

Thurs 20 Dec Staff Development Day - Staff Only

Fri 21 Dec Staff Development Day - Staff Only

2018

Term 1 Week 1

Tues 29 Jan Staff Development Day - Staff Only

**Wed 30 Jan First day for Years 1 - 6 and new
enrolments students only**

No Canteen today

Uniform Shop open 8:30 - 10:00am

Thurs 31 Jan Uniform Shop open 8:30 - 10:00am

Fri 1 Feb No Canteen today

Uniform Shop open 8:30 - 10:00am

Week 2

Tues 5 Feb First day for Kindergarten

Wed 6 Feb Canteen open

From the Principal



Brendan's happy helpers

Wheelie good sports

Last Thursday 15 November we had a visit from the Wheelchair NSW Sports Roadshow. It was very informative and our students got the opportunity to play some wheelchair basketball. Thank you to Brendan and also to our fabulous students pictured who were great volunteers helping pack up after the event.

Bunnings BBQ

Thank you to all those who volunteered their time and donated items for our P&C Bunnings BBQ. Well in excess of \$2000 was raised. From all reports the onion was carefully placed on the bottom of all the sandwiches.

Voluntary Contributions

Our school Voluntary Contributions for 2019 have been set as follows: \$45 per child, \$80 for 2 children, \$100 for 3 children, additional children no cost. This has not been increased from 2018 and is below the maximum rates allowable. All Voluntary Contributions are greatly appreciated. We will send out a letter with further information in due course.

Early Birds Concert

This Friday 23 November we are holding our Early Birds concert in the hall at 1:30pm, it should be a great event for all to see. Thank you very much to everyone involved in all aspects of our Early Birds program and to all of the parents and carers who have participated.

Ethics meeting

Any parents of students in Years 1-4, 2019 who are interested in Special Ethics Education for 2019 are invited to a presentation from Derek Robertson in the school canteen on Thursday 29 November at 9:15am.

Scripture & Ethics lessons: Thank you

Our final scripture and ethics classes for 2018 will run on Thursday 29 November. I would like to thank all of the volunteers involved in delivering these programs over the year, your time and energy is greatly appreciated.

Running Rugby

Our senior boys rugby union represented their school with distinction at Casuarina last week. Thank you to Mr Regan who coached the team and all of those parents who came along to support. Despite being outsized our boys played with contagious enthusiasm to win 2 games and lose 1, narrowly missing a place in the final.

2019 planning

Next year we welcome back Mr Michael McNamara and Mrs Vanessa Chaffey who both are staff members at our school but have been working at other schools in recent years. We look forward to the contributions they will make to THPS. Currently we are in the process of finalising our staffing and class structures for 2019 and will provide further information to parents as soon as possible. If you know that you will not be attending THPS in 2019, please see the office to let them know.

Peter Nichols - Principal



Tweed Heads Public School

Invites you to attend our

Annual School Presentation Day 2018

Thursday 13th December

at

*Tweed Heads Civic Centre
in Wharf Street*

Starting at 11:30am (NSW time)

All Welcome

Early Birds Concert

Friday 23 November 2018

Everyone is invited to our Annual Early Birds concert in the hall this Friday starting at **1:30pm**. Come along and be entertained with songs, poetry, plays, dances and more.

Join us as we celebrate the graduation of our Early Birds and welcome them and their families to Tweed Heads Public School.

Hope to see you there.



Spare uniforms needed

We are in desperate need of any spare clothing for the pool in the office. We are mainly looking for sizes from size 4 to size 14. If you have any second hand, clean, in good condition school shirts, shorts or skorts please send them into the office. If your child comes home wearing a borrowed item of clothing please wash and return it to the office as soon as possible. *Thank you.*

P&C News

Bunnings BBQ - "A Success"

We had a beautiful sunny day for the BBQ last Saturday 16 November. 'No onion incidences'. We raised over \$2200, which is a fantastic result. A big thank you to the Tweed Heads Bowls Club for donating the food and together with the help of all the volunteers who made this fundraiser such a great success.

Thank you to our volunteers:

Shae Thomson	Rebecca Nyburg	Katie Tonkin
Melissa Morgan	Ruth Wright	Yvonne Stephen
Tracy Brown	Darren Preston	Sarah Lowrie
Natalie Yates	Rene Heap	Zoe Immisch
Ron Folkers	Sharna Hargraves	Tanya Rudolph
Izzy Vellere		

Canteen News

Last day of Canteen will be Friday 14 December 2018.

Thank you to our Coordinator Robyn Kuhr and everyone who has volunteered throughout the year to keep the canteen running smoothly.

2019 Canteen News

The canteen will not open until Term 1 Week 2, Wednesday 6 February 2019.

Orientation Day Tweed River High School

WHEN: Tuesday 4th December 2018

WHERE: Tweed River High School
(Sport & Entertainment Centre)

TIME: 8.35am - 2.00 pm

WHO: Year 6 students: all day
Parents: 8.35 – 10.00am

Please feel free to contact TRHS for further information

Mr Luke Buchanan
2019 Year 7 Year Adviser

Ms Bronwyn Mackney
HT Welfare

Uniform Shop News

The last day for uniform purchases will be Friday 14 December 2018.

2019 Uniform Shop News

The Uniform Shop will open Term 1 Week 1 on Wednesday 30, Thursday 31 January and Friday 1 February from 8:30 - 10:00am for your convenience.



Attention all K-2 Lego Fans



Tweed Heads Public School will be hosting a Lego
"Master Builders Competition" in our school Library on
Monday 26 November at lunch.

K- 2 Students only

There are great prizes to be won!

There is an entry fee of \$1 to be paid to the office by
Thursday 22 November

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Term 4 Week 4

Weekly Student Blue Awards

KM	Savannah, Lexi, Kirra
KS	Zar, Kaleb, Kaiden
K/1R	Jaxon, Sienna, Mia
1/2C	Harper, Talechie-Jade, Quinn, Maximus
1/2R	Saskia, Nyeemah, Soraya
1/2W	Malibu, Charlise, Shay, Kaya
3B	Penny, Lillian, James, Ella
3/4K	Anngie, Jayla, Kalani
4/5W	Noah, Matthew, Rhianna, Shelby
5/6C	Tekeyah, Skylar, Aria, Nardia
5/6R	Rebekah, Sienna

Bronze Rippa Awards

3B	Jett, Britney, Tyrese, James
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Silver Rippa Awards

1/2R	Oliver, Zachariah, Ohara
3B	Sophie, Starbella, Penny, Chelsea, Kobie, Shayla, Tanner, Josh
4/5W	Riley
5/6C	Manoah
5/6R	Sienna

Gold Rippa Awards

1/2W	Shay, Malibu, Xavier, Cerah, Marshall, Kaya
	Neve, Lexi
3B	Ella
4/5W	Sophia, Shelby
5/6R	Hayleah

2nd Bronze Rippa Awards

3B	Amarli
4/5W	Samirra

Welcome to Tweed Heads Public School

1/2R Constance

Piano Award

3B Starbella



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Dr Scott McNab BDSc (Qld), MDSc (Ortho) (Qld), Dento-maxillofacial Radiography (Qld)
Dr Nida Khan BDSc (Hons) (Qld), DClinDent (Ortho) (Adel)

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