



TUGGERAWONG TATTLER



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TUGGERAWONG PUBLIC SCHOOL

1 September 2014

SCHOOL SECURITY – 1300 880 121

AWARDS

Assembly Awards

KH	Benjamin Georgopoulos	Jye Galea
KG	Caiden Mortimer	Eva O'Brien
1G	Emmalee Lobb	Daniel Hooke
1/2O	Natasha MacNamara	Sammie Harms
2T/D	Lachlan Simpson	
3/4H	Brandon Golt	Keira Neave
3/4D	Lachlan Melinz	Hayden Palesy
4/5C	Lily Sulfaro	Kaitlyn Godfrey
6M	Kobe Russ	Jorja Russ

Student of the Week

Ethan Evans
Olivia Caldwell
Luke Bowden
Jaxon Williams
Anthony King
Kynan Reeves
Tianna-Isabella Withyman
Callum Skeem
Baili Walker

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

1 September 2014

What a great day it was at the Wadalba Zone Athletics Carnival. I always enjoy watching the joy on our student's faces as they get to compete on a larger scale and realise that they are capable of anything. Congratulations to Rochelle Beamish and Zeke Hayes on their selection to represent Wadalba Zone at the regional carnival.

I had heard of the great Tuggerawong PS Book Parade and seen the pictures but this year was the first time that I was able to be part of the experience. Congratulations to everyone involved especially Mrs Shaw who coordinated the event. What a great day! The colour, the excitement and all for the love of reading.

One of my first experiences as a student was to attend Taronga Park Zoo and I remember the excitement to this day. Our Stage 1 children will get to share in the wonders of the animal kingdom this Thursday and I know they will enjoy the experience. Thanks again to all of our parents who will be coming to give us a hand.

We wish our Stage 3 students well on their Canberra Camp. All extra-curricular activities provide experience that we cannot replicate in a classroom setting and this trip is full of life memories.

We are currently evaluating our current school plan in preparation for the development of our 2015-2017 school plan. At the core of this process is the development of our school purpose. We will be collaboratively developing the plan, which will involve our whole community, but we first must establish our purpose. I would like you to have a look at the purpose developed by our teachers and please let me know your thoughts.

Our Tuggerawong Public School Purpose is:

'To create, support and maintain a broad and challenging 21st Century learning environment, encompassing innovative techniques and modern technologies. To encourage student confidence and well-being through social, emotional, academic and physical development.'

You can respond by email to the school account or on our Facebook page.

With so many of our senior students involved in the camp we will not be holding our normal assembly this Friday.

Have a great week at TPS.

Owen Dalkeith - Principal

AROUND THE CLASSROOMS

1/20

Fantastic effort in dressing up for the book parade, 1/20M! You all looked amazing!

ZOO EXCURSION - Thursday 4th September - All students need to be at school by **7:45am**. Remember full school uniform with comfortable shoes for walking, hat, raincoat or poncho (if it looks like rain) and a small backpack with a drink, lunch and recess. We won't be returning to school until **4pm**. Let's all have our fingers crossed we have a beautiful sunny day and no rain!

LICENCE CARDS - It was great to see so many students in 1/20M achieve their Silver Licence in the shortest amount of time earlier in the term. Just a reminder that licence cards should be handed in **weekly** for the teacher to tick and sign. This is one way we use to communicate with parents on a regular basis. If your child has lost their licence card we will reissue them with a new one if you send in a note letting us know.

A reminder the 'Identifying Us' research project is due next week (8th -12th September). We can't wait to see the wonderful presentations you have all come up with.

Have a great week!

Mrs Melvin and Miss O'Connor

2TD

Welcome to week 8! We have another busy week ahead. Great effort for dressing up for the book parade last week, well done!

Zoo Excursion - Students need to arrive at school by 7:45am for a 8:00am departure. On arrival, students are to go to the Library Cola. Please note we will not return to school until 4pm. Remember full school uniform with comfortable shoes for walking, hat, raincoat or poncho (if it looks like rain) and a small backpack with a drink, lunch and recess. If your child has asthma, please ensure they bring their puffer. We are looking forward to a great day out.

Reading Groups - Thank you to all the parents who continue to assist with reading groups. If you are able to help at any time please do not hesitate to come along. Groups start at 9:10 Monday, Tuesday and Thursday and at 10:10 on Tuesday.

Project - Students projects are due next week. Projects can be handed in at any time next week. If your child has completed the project electronically they may email the project to us or bring it in on a USB or disk. We have been hearing all about the fantastic projects students are working on and we can't wait to see the results. If you require another information sheet please let us know.

Have a wonderful week and please do not hesitate to come and see us if you have any questions,

Mrs Towns and Mrs Day

STAGE 2

Most of Stage 2 went to camp last week and they had an absolute blast! The weather wasn't ideal, however, it did not stop them from having fun and participating in the exciting activities that the camp had planned. The camp instructors Beau and Corey were excellent at keeping the students engaged and by the end of camp had struck up a strong bond with the students. Some of the activities included canoeing, archery, rock climbing, orienteering, flying fox and of course the giant swing. Night time activities both nights kept the students very busy.

The first night was a games night and students split up into teams to compete against each other to win the most points. For each round, students had to pick two members from their team to complete the different challenges. Students played many games including limbo, cup challenge where students had to balance a cup of water on their forehead and one game made Ms Debono's stomach churn as students had to twist themselves around a pole without letting go of the pole!

The second night was the county fair and students were organised into groups and left in charge of looking after different activities. Members of each group would have to take turns looking after their activity while the other half of the group roamed around the other activities. Activities included face painting, selling milkshakes, donut stall, the bungy run and the fairy floss stall. The students had so much fun. It was interesting to see how hard some students worked to sell their product.

All and all it was a very fun and memorable time away at camp this year. The weather didn't stop the students having an awesome time. Some students said they wanted to stay longer! Unfortunately, they will have to wait until next year 😊

Ms Debono & Mrs Ruskin

DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

Friday, 5 September

Thursday, 4 September

Friday, 19 September

- Father's Day Stall (2)

- Zoo excursion - Stage 1

- Last Day Term 3

TERM 4

Tuesday, 7 October

- STUDENTS/STAFF FIRST DAY TERM 4

Saturday, 25 October

- Trivia Night

WEDNESDAY, 17 DECEMBER

- LAST DAY OF TERM - STUDENTS

Thursday, 18 December

- Staff Development Day

Friday, 19 December

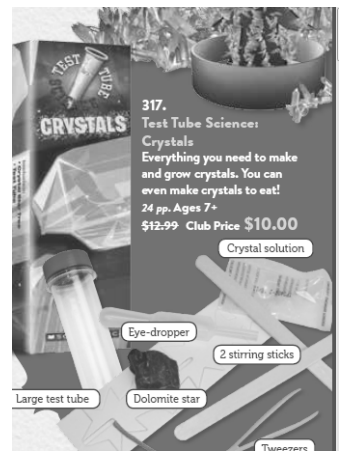
- Staff Development Day

LOST POINTER

One of our students lost her pointer that she purchased from the book fair. It fell out of her bag on her way home from school. If anyone has found one, could you please bring in into me.

UNCLAIMED BOOKCLUB ORDER

I have an order in the library from the last book club. The order came in without a name on it. If you purchased a 'Test Tube Science Crystals' and haven't received it, please come and see me. Thank you
Michelle Shaw



Library

Another successful Book Fair and Parade! Thank you! Thank You! Thank you! Because of the ongoing support that the community gives our school, we had a very successful book week and book fair. This has allowed our library to purchase some great new resources for the children to borrow.

The parade was such a success and thank you to all of the people that helped make this day just that. Thank you to the teachers, students and families for all of their help and the effort put into the costumes. It was awesome to see parents get involved. Thank you to our wonderful library prefects, Emma, Baili, Valeria, Tamika, Kayley, Lillyan and Imogen. Thank you to all of the staff that helped out in the morning and a big thank you to Vicki Vos for your help selling books at the book fair. Have a great week! Michelle Shaw





PREMIERS SPELLING BEE

Congratulations to all the students who represented their class at the school stage finals. The winners of the competitions were

Stage 2 - Abbey Gallagher and Lachlan Melinz

Stage 3 - Nicholas Wilson and Shannon Liddle

These students will represent our school at the regional finals on Thursday, September 18 at Wadalba Community School. Further information will be sent home this week. We wish them the best of luck. Heather Towns - Organising Teacher

P & C

FUNDRAISING BBQ - WYONGAH NEWSAGENT

WHEN: Saturday, 13 September 2014

TIME: 7.00am - 1.00pm

The Fundraising Committee will be running a BBQ at our local newsagent at Wyongah. All money raised will be coming back to our school community.



Thank You - Fundraising Team



Tuggerawong Public School Trivia Night

WHEN: 25/10/14

WHERE: Wyong Golf Club

TIME: 7.00 pm start

COST: \$15.00 per person

Time to organise your table of 8! Don't have a table organised.. That's ok, we can allocate a table for you where you will feel comfortable.

To purchase your tickets please contact Kylie Ford on 0447698243, or leave your contact details at the front office and we will be in contact.

Donations for goods or services, for prizes on the night would be greatly appreciated.

It is going to be a great night, and too make it a little bit more interesting it is Halloween theme... So be a little daring and dress up... Prize for the best dressed .

TUCKERBOX NEWS

2014 - TERM 3 - CANTEEN ROSTER

<i>Monday</i> <i>1/9/14</i>	<i>Tuesday</i> <i>2/9/14</i>	<i>Wednesday</i> <i>3/9/14</i>	<i>Thursday</i> <i>4/9/14</i>	<i>Friday</i> <i>5/9/14</i>
Natalie Williams	Marg Simpson Fred Simpson	Marg Simpson Fred Simpson	Natalie Williams	Kristy Nichols
<i>Monday</i> <i>8/9/14</i>	<i>Tuesday</i> <i>9/9/14</i>	<i>Wednesday</i> <i>10/9/14</i>	<i>Thursday</i> <i>11/9/14</i>	<i>Friday</i> <i>12/9/14</i>
Natalie Williams	Marg Simpson Fred Simpson	Marg Simpson Fred Simpson	Natalie Williams	Kristy Nichols
<i>Monday</i> <i>15/9/14</i>	<i>Tuesday</i> <i>16/9/14</i>	<i>Wednesday</i> <i>17/9/14</i>	<i>Thursday</i> <i>18/9/14</i>	<i>Friday</i> <i>19/9/14</i>
Natalie Williams	Marg Simpson Fred Simpson	Marg Simpson Fred Simpson	Natalie Williams	Kristy Nichols LAST DAY OF TERM

2014 - TERM 4 - CANTEEN ROSTER

<i>Monday</i> <i>6/10/14</i>	<i>Tuesday</i> <i>7/10/14</i>	<i>Wednesday</i> <i>8/10/14</i>	<i>Thursday</i> <i>9/10/14</i>	<i>Friday</i> <i>10/10/14</i>
HOLIDAY	Marg Simpson Fred Simpson	Marg Simpson Fred Simpson		
<i>Monday</i> <i>13/10/14</i>	<i>Tuesday</i> <i>14/10/14</i>	<i>Wednesday</i> <i>15/10/14</i>	<i>Thursday</i> <i>16/10/14</i>	<i>Friday</i> <i>17/10/14</i>
Marg Simpson Fred Simpson	Marg Simpson Fred Simpson	Marg Simpson Fred Simpson	Marg Simpson Fred Simpson	Kristy Nichols Jodie Sutherland

CANTEEN - FRUIT AND VEGIES PROMOTION

The competition closes Friday, 19 September. Major prize draw is on Monday, 20 October. Our school will be notified if anyone from school has won. A variety of fresh fruit and veg are available.
Heidi O'Neill - Canteen Manager

TUGGERAWONG PUBLIC SCHOOL OOSH NEWS!!

We are eagerly awaiting our assessment results, we will keep you updated with this, so we can begin to organise our afternoon tea with the wonderful families at OOSH.



Vacation care booking forms and itinerary are out! These forms are located at the OOSH room as well as the office, try and get these forms in ASAP as spots are already filling for the upcoming holidays.

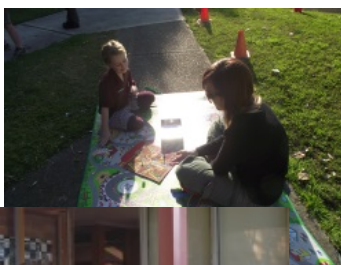
Just a friendly reminder to the families that are coming to vacation care, as its getting warmer we would like all children to come to vacation care with appropriate sun safe clothing

and a sun safe hat, we will have sun screen available for children to apply when they have arrived at the centre.

We have changed our menu this week as its coming up to our spring/summer months. The menu has a variety of healthy options for the children to enjoy for afternoon tea, some of the delicious items are; zucchini slice, homemade pizza, blue berry muffins, salad boxes and a cheese and crackers platter just to name a few. This menu is located on our fridge.

Ash and Rhiannon have joined the Tuggerawong Mummies Relay for Life Team, there is a donation box on our sign in table, we would kindly appreciate and kind of donation as its going to a wonderful cause. We are both very excited for this event.

We celebrated Thomas birthday this week, with the children again engaging in a cooking experience, and then enjoyed a delicious afternoon tea.



TUGGERAWONG PUBLIC SCHOOL OOSH VACATION CARE TERM 3 Monday, 22 September - Friday, 3 October

Monday 22nd Sept Bike and Scooter day at OOSH	Tuesday 23rd Sept Excursion to Burritz Gymnastics at Erina	Wednesday 24th Sept Console Gaming Day at OOSH	Thursday 25th Sept Excursion to Maitland Gaol	Friday 26th Sept Cartooning at OOSH – Mike the Cartoonist is coming..
Monday 29th Sept Excursion to Movies at Tuggerah – Box Trolls	Tuesday 30th Sept Scavenger Hunt around Tuggerawong Walking excursion	Wednesday 1st October Excursion to Speers Point Park	Thursday 2nd October Reptile Show at OOSH	Friday 3rd October Party and Disco day at OOSH

Booking forms are available at OOSH Room Now. Please return by Friday 5th September to ensure your place. Any enquiries please call Rhiannon or Ashley – 0402799490 or come and see us ☺

Tuggerawong Public School P&C

Minutes P&C Meeting 26th August 2014

Meeting Opened: 7:04pm

In Attendance: Kerry Wood, Kate Simpson, Attila Palfi, Bronwyn Quinlan, Kylie Ford, Jodie Eastwood, Kevin Dumpleton, Karen Melinz, Pam Hemmers, Heidi O'Neill, Marg Simpson

Apologies: Marg Dumpleton, Owen Dalkeith, Katheryn King

Minutes from Previous meeting: A grant has been applied for with regards to possibly moving the canteen closer to the hall. Mr Dalkeith encourages parents/ Guardians to get involved with class groups to assist parents in learning the skills to help their children at home. The school will be looking at holding workshops for both reading programs, as well as a Cyber bullying for parents workshop. A "5-step Resilience Program" which is aimed at teaching the victims of bullying techniques to deal with situations will be implemented this term. Parent/ teacher interviews were held, also a reminder that parents/ carers can speak with teachers anytime, and suggests making an appt. It has come to notice that 1G's classroom has an 'unidentifiable' smell. Mr Dalkeith has had the roof inspected, the carpet tested, and treated with an anti-mould. All these tests have come back clear, so the situation at this stage is being monitored. OOSH did well during vacation care with waiting lists on some days. Casual numbers are the majority of our numbers, as their permanent numbers fill up closer to next year these casual positions *may* cease or incur an added fee. OOSH is sponsoring a child so look out for more details on this. Sydney markets Sticker promotion for eating fruit/ vegies is currently running in the Canteen, which the kids are enjoying their prizes. The canteen will also be running a "Healthy Bones" promo in Term 4 with some fantastic prizes for the students, which have been kindly donated by Heidi and her family. Samples of a Maroon Sports shirt is currently being looked at for our students, which is lighter weight material. Fundraising are requesting donations for Father's Day stall – SO HURRY to get your donations in. Trivia night tables are filling up fast, so see the front office for your tickets.

Actions:

Who	What	Progress	Results
Mr Dalkeith	40km zone	40km zone to be increased past Koala Preschool.	Enquires being made
Mr Dalkeith	Possible lighting issues for OOSH during winter	Mark to fix sensor light	Completed
Mr Dalkeith & Kylie Ford	Autism resources	Speak to teachers for individual requests	Purchased and in the classroom.
Kate	OOSH – Child Sponsorship	OOSH girls to organise sponsor	Waiting for account
Katheryn	Sports T-shirt	Get samples of Lighter fabric options for next meeting	Waiting for teacher response
Kevin	Update OOSH Website	Prior to Term 4 holidays	
Kate	Concrete pathway for OOSH	Principal agreed. Get costs	

Actions/ Business Arising: On the left of the hall there are electrical and plumbing provisions already installed for the purpose of a canteen in future.

Correspondence in: Gallipoli ribbons for 2015. Healthy kids insurance info.

Correspondence out: Workers comp insurance.

Presidents Report: Code of Conduct handed to attending members and discussion held on with members outlining the responsibilities.

Principals Report: Thanks to all parents/ families and teachers who have actively been involved in our events, without your help many of these events just would not be possible. Parents are strongly encouraged to dress up for book week on Thursday, 28th August. Zone Athletics permission forms need to be returned ASAP. Children will travel down by bus to encourage team atmosphere. We have a very large team and hopefully children will enjoy the experience. Stage 3 camp is on 2-5th September. There were an excessive amount of parent helpers for the Stage 1 Excursion to the zoo, so unfortunately a draw will be done to select parents. Fathers Day stall is on Monday and Friday of week 8. The school plan is under evaluation for the development for 2015-2017. We will collaboratively developing a school plan which will involve our whole community. The teachers have developed a purpose plan;

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The DEC has separated the permission to publish and online service sections of our enrolment meaning that to be current our school will need to update the online services permission. Notes will come home next week.

Treasurer's Report: Canteen making a loss of \$2800. Not much wastage from canteen. Uniforms making a profit of \$3000, OOSH making profit of \$2300, Fund \$3200, Overall \$6110 in the account. \$19500 in OOSH.

OOSH Report: Vacation care is filling up fast, so Parents need to get in fast to secure the dates you want.

Canteen Report: Healthy veggie Promotion is going well, more prizes being delivered this week. Price list to be reviewed for 2015.

Uniform report: Old socks have been donated to fundraising for Father's Day stall.

Fundraising Report: Tickets for Trivia night are selling well, ticket books can be collected from the front office. The OOSH girls will be having their own fun on the night in the school hall for those parents attending the Trivia night. Outside families can also utilise this service if there are attending the trivia night.

General Business: NIL

Meeting Closed: 8:18pm

Next Meeting: Tuesday, 14 October in the Community room
6:00pm OOSH meeting
7:00pm General P&C meeting

Minutes By - Kerry Wood - P&C Secretary



The Tuggerawong Tucker Box

2014 Winter Canteen Menu



Canteen Supervisor – Heidi O'Neill

<i>SANDWICHES-WRAPS-ROLLS</i>		<i>HOT FOOD</i>	
Vegemite	\$1.60	Chicken Goujons (Max of 8)	\$0.50 each
Cheese - sliced	\$1.80	Corn on the Cob	\$0.80
Egg	\$2.00	Cheese & Bacon bun	\$1.50
Egg & Lettuce	\$2.50	Junior Meat Pies (low fat) spoon included	\$1.50
Ham	\$2.50	Sausage Rolls (low fat)	\$2.00
Chicken shredded	\$2.50	Party Potato & Beef Pies spoon included	2 for \$2.50
Tuna	\$3.00	Hot Dogs (with sauce)	\$2.50
Salad (lettuce, tomato, carrot, cucumber,beetroot)	\$3.00	Pizza -Hawaiian or Cheese & bacon	\$2.50
		Hot Chicken Rolls -chicken & mayo	\$3.00
<i>ALL EXTRAS</i>		Chicken Burgers Crumbed breast, pattie,lettuce,mayo	\$3.00
Salad – lettuce, tomato, carrot, beetroot, cucumber, pineapple, cheese	\$0.40	Hamburgers - Beef pattie,tomato, lettuce, beetroot, & bbq sauce	\$3.00
Ham , Chicken or Tuna	\$1.00	Cheese Burger - Beef Pattie ,Cheese, tomato or BBQ sauce	\$3.00
<i>SNACKS</i>		Chicken Wraps chicken goujons , lettuce,& mayo	\$3.00
Choc Chip muffin l/fat or Apple & Cinnamon muffin l/fat	\$1.50 \$1.50	Vegie Burgers -vegie pattie , lettuce, tomato,beetroot BBQ or s/chilli	\$3.00
Teddy Snacks	\$0.10	Potato bake cutlery included	\$3.00
Mamee Noodle Snack	\$0.80	Lasagne cutlery included	\$3.00
Popcorn various flavours	\$1.00		
Chicken or BBQ Jumpies	\$1.00	<i>EXTRAS</i>	
Honey Soy Chips	\$1.20	Sauce Tubs (Tomato,BBQ or,Mayo)	\$0.30
Sea Salt Chips	\$1.20	<i>Lunch Bags</i>	\$0.05
<i>DRINKS</i>		<i>Plastic Cutlery</i>	\$0.05
Spring Water 355ml	\$1.00	<i>COLD/ FROZEN TREATS</i>	
Popper Juices 200ml Apple or Orange	\$1.30	Fresh Fruit Pieces – Seasonal	\$0.50
Chocolate, Strawberry, Banana Milk	\$1.40	Frozen Fruit – from	\$0.20
Quench Mineral Water(app/rasp or b/ heaven,)	\$1.50	Frozen Animal Pops	\$0.30
Glee (app/s/berry , app/bcurrant)	\$2.00	Yogo Snaps (various flavours)	\$0.50
Focus Sports Water (r/berry ,f/tingle , lemonade)	\$2.00	Quelch Juice Cups Apple/bcurrant	\$0.60
<i>BREAKFAST SPECIAL</i>		Large snappies	\$0.80
Warm milo + 2 slices of toast	\$2.50	Ice Mony (various flavours)	\$0.80
Up & Go choc ice or vanilla ice	\$2.00	Moosies (choc, bubble gum, banana)	\$1.00
Warm Milo breakfast & recess only	\$1.30	Paddle Pop Icy Twists -lemonade	\$1.00
		Juicie Tubes Various flavours	\$1.00
<i>No SLUSHIES during Terms 2 & 3</i>		Vanilla Ice Cream Cups (low fat)	\$1.00
<i>*New items are in Bold</i>		Paddle Pops (choc, rainbow)	\$1.40

The school canteen is run by Tuggerawong Public School P&C

All profits are used to support the school to help provide resources for all of our students.

If you have some spare time please come along and help out ☺

Prices Effective 1st June 2014

TUGGERAWONG PUBLIC SCHOOL
FAMILY CONTACT DETAILS UPDATE FORM

STUDENTS NAME/S:

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FAMILY CONTACT DETAILS

RMB/PO Box:.....

Street No/Property Name:

Street Name:

Suburb/Town: Post Code:

Home Telephone Number:

Mother/Guardian Name:

Mobile Number:

Work Number:

Father/Guardian Name:

Mobile Number:

Work Number:

EMERGENCY CONTACT DETAILS

Name: Relationship to Student:

Home Telephone Number:..... Mobile Number:

Name: Relationship to Student:

Home Telephone Number: Mobile Number:

CONTACT DETAILS FOR PARENT NOT RESIDING WITH STUDENT

Parent/Guardian Name:

Relationship to Student:

Home Address:

Home Telephone Number: Mobile Number:

My child of class

Was absent from school on for the following reason:

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Parent Name: Date:

Signature:

SCHOOL HOURS:

School starts 9.00 am (supervision is available at 8.45 am)

Lunch 11.00 am to 11.55 am (children eat in a supervised area for 10 minutes)

Recess: 1.55 pm to 2.15 pm

School Finishes: 3.00 pm

On occasions children may need to be brought to school before 8.45am. Between 8.30am and 8.45am there is minimal supervision available. Students should not be at school before 8.30am as there is no supervision available.

TERM DATES 2014

Term 1 Tuesday, 28 January - Friday, 11 April

Term 2 Monday, 28 April - Friday, 27 June

Term 3 Monday, 14 July - Friday, 19 September

Term 4 Tuesday, 7 October - Friday, 19 December

Staff Development Days: 28 January

28 April

14 July

18/19 December