



# TUGGERAWONG TATTLER



*Participate with Enthusiasm in a Positive and Caring Environment*

**TUGGERAWONG PUBLIC SCHOOL**



**Term 4 Week 8**  
**30 November 2020**

*From the Principal*

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

I can't believe it is Week 8 of Term 4 already! The calendar is full with many events taking place over the next few weeks. Please check your child's bag for notes and always feel welcome to contact the office if you have any questions about upcoming events.

This week we have some of our teachers continuing to participate in Quality Teaching Rounds Professional Learning where they will be observing each other teach and giving feedback on each other's lessons. It is also the time of the year with changes to the class timetables due to orientation days, excursions etc. There will be some visiting teachers in our school during this time, however the class teachers will leave lessons for continuity of learning and will be at school to check on their classes throughout the day.

**Stage 3 Movie Night**

Stage 3 students and teachers had a terrific night last Thursday evening at school watching Aladdin on the big screen. The students were very comfortable with their camping chairs, blankets and even inflatable mattresses! We were all well fed with a sausage sizzle and, in true movie spirit, choc tops and popcorn. A huge thank you to Mrs Kay for organising the night and to Mr McNally, Miss Caban, Mrs Cashin and Mrs Elliot for joining in the fun and supervising on the night. Stage 3's behaviour was outstanding and it was lovely to hear them going out of their way to thank their teachers for organising such a fun night.



**New AquaBubblers**

We are so excited that we have had our new aquaBubblers installed at TPS! The bubbler function has been switched off for now, but the drink filling part is fully functional and ready to use. They are placed outside the Kinder rooms, near the hall and outside the Year 6 rooms for OOSH to use also. A huge thank you to our P&C fundraising team for organising the purchase, the P&C for funding it and the student leaders for choosing the colours! I'm sure you would agree they look fantastic and I know the kids are excited to be able to fill up their water bottles with fresh water easily throughout the day.



**Christmas Mufti Day**

A big thank you to all families that supported our Christmas Mufti Day. We had 10 baskets jam packed full of goodies donated. These items will be raffled off on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> December. If you require additional tickets, please see Mrs Pollock or Mrs Hickson at the front office.

**Enrolment in 2021**

Teachers will soon begin the process of class formation for 2021. If your child will not be attending Tuggerawong PS in 2021 please let us know as soon as possible.

**Quality Workers**

Students	Class	Work Sample
Holly Ava Scarlet Cooper	3/4P	Letter to The Twits
Devante Harry Alice	3/4P	Column Graphs



Tracey Ellen  
 Principal

## ASSEMBLY AWARDS

	Toto	Merit
<b>KSF</b>	Elijah P	Everdean P Jaxon D
<b>1B</b>	Peni-Kali H	Alexis G Siena W
<b>1/2T</b>	Amber H	Tyleese S Layla R
<b>2A</b>	Tully W	Thomas M Jordan C
<b>3/4P</b>	Izak C	Evie P Olivia O
<b>4/5C</b>	Alissa M	Emily S Jye C
<b>5/6K</b>	Caiden M	Lily G Mason M
<b>5/6M</b>	Maximilian W	Rebekah R Kallan A

## SALVATION ARMY CHRISTMAS APPEAL



At Tuggerawong Public School it has been a tradition to invite the Salvation Army representative in our area to come to our Presentation Day to accept gifts brought in by our families for other children who are less fortunate. In previous years Tuggerawong families have been extremely generous supporting this cause. There will be a box in each classroom to deposit these gifts. They should not be wrapped up, as the organisers would rather see for whom the present is suitable.

Your generosity with this appeal would be greatly appreciated by those families in our community who need some extra Christmas cheer in 2020. Please send in a gift for a child up to the age of 13 years, no matter how small, so that your child can feel they have done something kind for someone less fortunate at Christmas. All gifts need to be in by the morning of Presentation Day **Thursday, 10 December 2020.**

## SCHOOL BANKING

School Banking Day is on Friday.  
The last day for banking will be this Friday  
4 December 2020



## UNIFORM SHOP

Uniform orders are able to be **made over FLEXISHOOLS**. Orders will be sent to your child's class when ready. Please be aware that uniform orders may take up to a week to be filled

Please make sure to clearly label uniform items with your child's name so that they may be returned to their owner if lost.

## CANTEEN

0419 733 292

Canteen is now open all week, Monday - Friday for **over the counter sales at recess and lunch as well as FLEXISCHOOLS lunch orders.**

**PLEASE ORDER BY 9.15AM DAILY VIA FLEXISCHOOLS.** Orders can be made up to ONE

**If your child is unwell and attending school and you have placed a lunch order, it will need to be cancelled by a parent/carer before 9.30am sharp otherwise you will incur the cost of the order. Please contact the canteen on 0419 733 292**

week in advance.

Many Thanks

Bron Quinlan-Canteen Supervisor

## Christmas Raffle

- ❖ Tickets have been sent home for our HUGE Christmas Raffle.
- ❖ Tickets are \$0.50c each.
- ❖ Due to the current restrictions, the raffle will be drawn differently this year, therefore please ensure your tickets have full name and child's class, and/or a mobile number on your tickets.
- ❖ Raffle will be drawn on **Monday 14<sup>th</sup> December.**
- ❖ Please see the office for more raffle books.
- ❖ Tickets can be purchased up until the morning of 14<sup>th</sup> December.



**OVER 60  
PRIZES TO BE  
WON!!**

## Holiday chess comp 6 to 17 years

Minimum ability: Know how to move the pieces and complete games largely unassisted

**Tuesday 12 January**

**Enter by Sunday 10 January**

**Where:** Mingara Recreation Club  
Mingara Dve, Tumbi Umbi

**When:** Tues 12 January, 9.30am-4pm

**Trophies:** 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> plus age medals

**Entry:** Enter by 10 January (limit 50 players, book early).  
Entry fee \$10, cash on the day

**Lunch:** Mingara Rec Club, which is very good to us, has several food outlets and a “no outside food” policy.  
Players may bring water and snacks, eg fresh fruit.



## Puzzle competition

Find the best moves and win prizes. Easier puzzles for U10.

Practice puzzles will be emailed to you on entry.

## The virus

Covid rules at the time will be enthusiastically observed.

## Must pre-enter

Enter by Sunday 10 January

## Rated by JCL

New players to competition will earn a NSW Junior Chess League rating

## Limit 50 players

Please book early

## Non-profit event

Run by volunteers and with the generosity of Mingara Recreation Club. All entry fees less minimal expenses will be returned as prizes.