

TULLAMORE CENTRAL WEEKLY

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*Tullamore Central School is a
Positive Behaviour for Learning
School. At Tullamore Central
School we are:*

RESPECTFUL
RESPONSIBLE
COOPERATIVE
HONEST



OUR SCHOOL IS AN ALLERGY AWARE COMMUNITY

Congratulations to our Week 3 Award Winners



NAIDOC was an enjoyable, colourful and tasty day!



TUESDAY 5th AUGUST - TERM 3: WEEK 4, 2014

COMING EVENTS

2014

Term 3

Week 4

Wednesday 6th August 'Wear Yellow' for Mr Kidman day

Primary Assembly 2:30pm

Friday 8th/

Saturday 9th August

Tullamore Show

Week 5

Monday 11th August P&C meeting at Tullamore Bowling Club – 7pm

Wednesday 13th August NAIDOC Debating/ Public speaking finals

Friday 15th August District Athletics at Narromine

Week 7

Thursday 28th August 4T's Band day Trundle (tbc)

Week 8

Tuesday 2nd September Year 12 Graduation dinner

Wednesday 3rd September Sec 4T's Gala day Trundle

Week 9

Thursday 11th September School Photos

Friday 12th September WAP Graduation Dubbo

Saturday 13th September Trivia Night

Week 10

Wednesday 17th September School Concert

Friday 19th September Final Day Term 3

Term 4

Week 1

Tuesday 7th October Students return-Term 4

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Yellow Day

Tomorrow, Wednesday 6th August, we are having a Yellow MUFTI Day in support of fundraising efforts for Mr Jason Kidman. Students and staff are invited to wear an item/s of yellow clothing on the day and any gold coin donations that are made would be greatly appreciated.

NAIDOC / Public Education celebrations

Thank you to everyone who contributed to our NAIDOC and Public Education celebrations last week. We had an excellent day featuring some wonderful food, speeches, performances from the Peak Hill dance group, art and dance workshops, and an indigenous-themed movie afternoon.



Charlotte & Sam made an excellent speech



Kylie presenting a certificate to our visiting dancer

Winners are Grinners

Congratulations to our Assembly Award winners for Week 3

Principal's Awards – Back next week

Primary Awards – 'A positive attitude towards learning' – Sabrina Martin, Trevor Martin, Bailee-Jane Merriman

BRATS Awards – Lara Powell, Mikala McLean, Lachlan Curr, Trevor Martin, Zarli McAneney, Ava Curr, Ernie Jones, Jack Darcy, Charlie Harvey

Secondary Awards – English - Mikala McLean, Codie Powell

Trivia Night (Save the date)

On Saturday 13th September 2014 there will be a Trivia Night held at the Bowling Club. Further details will be advised in due course. We would love to see lots of teams entered for what should be an enjoyable evening. All funds raised will go directly to supporting our students.

Bowled Over

Congratulations to our lawn bowlers Jack, Harry and Morgan who were successful in the Central Schools lawn bowls KO at Tullamore Bowling Club last week. The boys now progress to the Regional event at Dubbo soon.



Jack, Harry and Morgan

Quote of the Week

"Most of the successful people I've known are the ones who do more listening than talking." - Bernard Baruch

Peter Nichols
Principal

P&C NEWS

Our P&C Meeting that was planned for last night has been rescheduled to Monday 11th August 2014 at 7:00pm at the Tullamore Bowling Club.

Any apologies to Mel Alvey on 68925562 or jmalvey@bigpond.com. Please also note that we need at least five people in attendance at our meeting for them to be able to run. Of late, we have struggled to reach this number. P&C meetings are a great opportunity to find out what is happening behind the scenes at the school and be involved with decisions that the P&C is making in regards to how to support the school, and children and how best to use our fundraising funds.

Our next fundraiser will be a Trivia Night on Saturday 13th September 2014 at the Tullamore Bowling Club. All money raised on the night will go directly towards reducing the costs of the yearly excursions for families.

The P&C has also begun plans for the 125 Years of Education at Tullamore celebration that will be held next year. We need volunteers who are willing to be part of the planning committee for this event. This will be a major event and we need as many volunteers as we can get to help pull this day off. If you were involved in the 100 year celebration, we would love to have you involved again. Alternatively if you have any relevant information or ideas for the event then please join one of our monthly P&C meetings or contact Mel Alvey.

Mel Alvey
P&C Secretary

PRIMARY PIECES

ASSEMBLY

Wednesday 6th August 2014
2:30pm in the K/1 room
Host Class: 2/3/4
Chairpersons: Ava Curr and Jeffrey McLean
All Welcome



K/1 news

Homework

A disappointing number of readers are being returned each day – please help your children pack them!

TERM 3 2014 – WEEK 4

Kinder - Sight words and sentence books (dinosaur words).

- Sounds book and blending practice.

Year 1 - Spelling /igh/ list and activities as per homework book.

- Maths Unit 21.

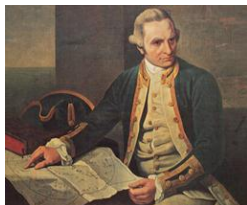
Concert

Our class script is written, music chosen and dance sorted! A concert note regarding costume will be sent home in the next couple of weeks.

Donna-lee Horsburgh
K/1 Teacher

2/3/4 Information

This week, 2/3/4 is hosting the assembly. The students will be showing their Captain Cook interviews, bushranger projects and their tie dyed material. We hope to see you there!



Homework

Yr 2

- Maths homework – Unit 20
- LSCWC and 2 activities
- Home Reader - returned each day

Yr 3 & 4

- Maths homework - Unit 21
- LSCWC and 2 activities
- Read for at least 10 minutes each night

Thank you

Lauren Gaiter
2/3/4 Class Teacher

Year 5/6

Excursion

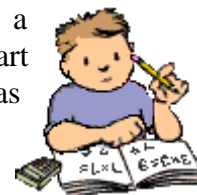
Our excursion is getting closer (Term 4 Week 3). Thank you to those parents who have made regular payments. Please continue to make payments throughout this term. **All payments need to be finalised by Week 8 of this Term.**

A letter will go out next week regarding final excursion cost.

Homework

In order for students to receive a sticker on the homework chart students must complete ALL areas of their homework:

1. LSCWC
2. Reading Log
3. Mathematics (Unit 21)
4. 6 and 8 times tables
5. No Homework sheet this week so students can spend time on their show entries.



Students with speaking parts in our Beauty Sleep play please learn your lines.

We are also asking students to bring any empty tissue boxes or small cardboard boxes, as well as bits of polystyrene to school to use in our CAPA lessons.

Thanks
Carmel Laing and Belinda Lindsay

SECONDARY NEWS

There are a few short reminders that follow in this section for Secondary students and their parents:

Trial HSC Examinations

Year 12 students will commence their Trial HSC Examinations this week. Students will be sitting a range of exams from Standard English and Mathematics through to specialist courses that also involve major practical projects. We wish students all the best for this examination period.

UAC Pins – Year 12

Year 12 students are also advised to look out in the mail for their UAC pin numbers which should be arriving this month. This pin number is sent to students who are eligible for an ATAR and will be required for early entry applications. Once received students need to keep this number in a safe place for use when it is time to submit your applications.

Work Experience – Work Readiness

Students in Year 9/10 were given Application forms for Work Experience which will be held in Term 4. Students should have had their work experience applications in by now.

Students have also been emailed to their @education.nsw.gov.au email addresses a work readiness course package. As part of the new workplace learning legislation ALL students must complete a mandatory work readiness course BEFORE any arrangements are made for work experience.



Students must satisfactorily complete the course and they must also complete the module on WH&S and print their certificate of completion plus return their completed work readiness modules to Miss Shankelton by Friday of Week 6 NO EXCEPTIONS.

This course is to be done at home and parents are encouraged to help their child so that they also understand the requirements of work place learning.

Senior Assessment Items

The following Assessment items are due for students in year 11 and 12:

HSC Assessments

Week	Subject	Weighting
TRIAL EXAM WEEKS 4/5	Please check your Exam TT	
6	Community and Family Studies Industrial Technology Standard English Visual Art English Studies Information and Digital Technology	15 30 15 25 45 --
7	Hospitality Photography Visual Design	-- 20 45
8	Photography	10
9	Metal and Engineering	--

Students in Year 12 should have begun to implement a program of study for their HSC trial examinations which commenced this week. They

should also be asking their co-teachers and course coordinators for past papers in preparation for this exam period. Over the school holiday break HSC students should be endeavouring to catch up any work that they have missed and complete any outstanding class work.

Preliminary Assessment Items

Week	Subject	Weighting
4	Ext Mathematics PDHPE	20 20
6	Sport, Lifestyle and Recreation	20
7	Advanced English Agriculture Biology Business studies Community & Family Studies Modern History English Studies Hospitality	20 20 15 30 20 30 25 --
8	Chemistry Physics Senior Science Standard English Visual Art Visual Design Metal & Engineering	20 10 10 20 20 35 --
9/10	Advanced English Agriculture Biology Business studies Chemistry Community & Family Studies Ext Mathematics General Mathematics Industrial Technology* Industrial Technology Mathematics Modern History PDHPE Physics Senior Science Standard English Visual Art English Studies* Construction* Sport, Lifestyle and Recreation	20 30 15 35 20 25 30 30 45 15 40 35 30 40 25 20 20 20 -- 40

Junior Secondary Assessment Items

The following assessments are coming up for students in Years 7 – 10:

Year 7/8

Maths – Week 5

Science – Week 5

PDHPE – Week 5

Year 9/10

Science – Week 5

History – Week 5 (Year 10 Only)

Have a great week!

Natasha Shankelton

Head Teacher Secondary Studies

SPORT

Upcoming Events

Primary

District Athletics - Friday 15th August at Narromine

District Soccer - Friday 5th September at Trangie

Netball NSW visit - Thursday 18th September at School

Secondary

Central Schools Lawn Bowls CHS Finals - Monday 18th August at Dubbo

4T's Gala Day - Wednesday 3rd September at Trundle

Netball NSW visit - Thursday 18th September at School

Please see Miss Richards for more information regarding any of these dates. If you are interested in attending Western Region trials for a specific sport please contact me directly. A calendar of these events is linked below:
<http://www.sports.det.nsw.edu.au/western/calendar/index.htm>

Breaky Bar

Breaky bar opens at 8:15am each morning. It's great to see so many students enjoying the healthy and delicious food available. A huge thank you to everyone who has been donating food.....the students are really loving it!



Great reasons to be active for children and parents

- ☐ boosts confidence
- ☐ improves fitness
- ☐ makes bones and muscles stronger
- ☐ improves posture
- ☐ helps maintain a healthy weight
- ☐ lowers the risk of heart disease
- ☐ reduces stress
- ☐ improves sleep
- ☐ reduces the risk of cancer
- ☐ improves self confidence
- ☐ teaches you new skills
- ☐ develops better motor skills
- ☐ makes a person happier with their body
- ☐ lower risk of disease including heart disease and cancer later in life.

Secondary Lawn Bowls

What an intense day of Lawn Bowls! Yes that's right I said intense! It came down to the last round of pool games to determine the winners. We lost by 1 to Trundle to end up equal 2nd with Tottenham even after a count back on for and against. So we decided to have a 3 end bowl off to see who would progress with Trundle to state finals. We looked beat up until the very last bowl. Trailing by one, Morgan King stepped up and knocked Harry King's bowl closer to the jack to just scrape in with the win. Together with Jack Darcy, the boys will represent the school at the state finals in Dubbo later this term. We wish them the best of luck!



Commonwealth Games

Congratulations to all students who participated in the Commonwealth Games afternoon last Friday. Our overall winners were Sri Lanka, closely followed by Tonga and then Jamaica. Well done

to the 9/10 Physical Activity and Sport Studies elective class who organised and ran the event. It was a great learning experience for these students and they did a fantastic job.



Each week there will be a newsletter article promoting courses run across the Western Access Program. This program is highly successful in delivering a wider curriculum across our schools, maximising student choice and achievement.

TEXTILES & DESIGN – LYNETTE JARVIS - TOTTENHAM

The Textiles and Design course is designed to enable students to understand and appreciate the significance of textiles in our society and to develop skills in the selection, design and manufacture of textile items.

The course provides pathways into further education and training or employment in textile related fields.

Practical experiences are integrated throughout the content areas and includes experimental and project work. HSC students are very busy putting the finishing touches to their Major Textiles Projects, along with the supporting documentation, ready to submit to the Board of Studies for marking.



Hard at work with Textiles & Design

4T's Gala Day @ Trundle

Please note the date for this gala day has moved to Wednesday 3rd September 2014.

Cassie Richards
Sports Coordinator

POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING

Our school hold many different assemblies, this week staff and students will be reviewing expectations while at these assemblies.



COMMUNITY NEWS

TULLAMORE TALES – YOUR COMMUNITY NEWSPAPER

Submissions for the September Edition of Tullamore Tales are due by 20th August 2014. If you have a news story, special announcement, sporting results or some photographs of a recent event, please email them by this date to tullamoretales@gmail.com

BRING JASON HOME APPEAL

Thanks to everyone who came out and supported the “Bring Jason Home Appeal” on Saturday. It was great to see the culmination of a lot of hard work from the Heywood-Kidman family’s friends, family and colleagues. Thanks to everyone who also donated prizes and goods to help pull the day off. We truly hope that enough money has been raised to get Jason back home to his family.

TULLAMORE AMATEUR SWIMMING CLUB (TASC)

The Tullamore Amateur Swimming Club has been given the opportunity to fundraise through selling Joker Draw tickets at the Tullamore Hotel on Thursday nights. For the month of August we require two volunteers each Thursday night from 6.30pm to help sell the tickets in the Joker Draw. Every week there are 5 meat trays and 2 fruit and vegie boxes up for offer as well as the opportunity to try and pick the joker on the board for \$3500. If you are available to help out with selling tickets at the joker draw then please contact Mel Alvey on 68925562 or jmalvey@bigpond.com

Tullamore Amateur Swimming Club will hold their AGM on Wednesday 13th August from 7:00pm at the Tullamore Hotel, hope to see you all there. All positions will be declared vacant and will need to be filled in order for the Club to continue to run. All apologies to Mel Alvey.

**JELLY BABY MONTH
IMPROVING LIVES
CURING TYPE 1 DIABETES**

We have a range of merchandise including pens, key rings, lip balms, notepads and pins priced from \$3-00 to \$6-00 at the office.

The funds raised will go towards supporting medical research to cure, treat and prevent Type 1 Diabetes

**TULLAMORE HEALTH SERVICE
APPOINTMENTS
Phone 6892 5003**

Physiotherapy

Every Thursday, phone for appointments.

Wellness Checks

Drop in on to see the Community Health Nurse, for a Blood Pressure, Blood Sugar check, weight or chat. Appointments can also be made for visiting specialists at this time All free and confidential.

Crops Playgroup

This playgroup is now weekly at the Tullamore CWA rooms on Tuesdays Phone 6862 1872 for more information.

Baby/ Early Childhood Clinic

Phone the Health Service to arrange an appointment.

Women’s Health Nurse

Phone to make an appointment at the Tullamore Health Service on 6892 5003.

Dietician

Next clinic is Thursday 7th August, 2014. Phone the Health Service to make an appointment with Shanti.

Podiatrist - Ring Sam on 6863 4171 for appointments.

Youth Mental Health Services visit Tullamore. For more information, please phone 6360 8000.

A Diabetic Educator - visits are Tuesday 30th September 2014 and 25th November 2014 at Dr Newton’s surgery. Phone the Dr’s surgery on 6892 5285.

Sexual Assault Counselling Service - Now visiting the Tullamore area on a fortnightly basis, this is free of charge and is strictly confidential phone 6861 2500 for an appointment.

The School Dental Service conducts clinics at Trundle and Tottenham regularly. For an appointment phone 1300 552 626.

Australian Hearing will be at the Tullamore MPHS on Wednesday 17th September for free a 15 minute hearing screening, phone the MPHS for an appointment.

