

TULLAMORE CENTRAL WEEKLY

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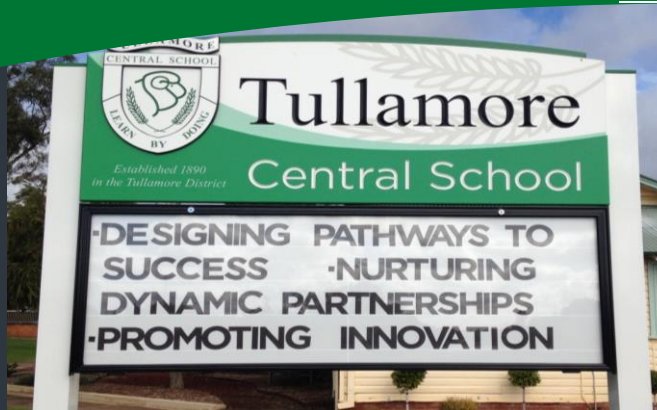
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Tullamore Central School is a Positive Behaviour for Learning School. At Tullamore Central School we are:

RESPECTFUL
RESPONSIBLE
COOPERATIVE
HONEST



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OUR SCHOOL IS AN ALLERGY AWARE COMMUNITY

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR WEEK 6 AWARD WINNERS



K/1/2 LIFE EDUCATION VAN VISIT



TUESDAY 6th MARCH 2018 – TERM 1: WEEK 6 2018

COMING EVENTS 2018

TERM 1

MARCH

- 15 Secondary Western Swimming-Dubbo
- 16 Primary Western Swimming-Dubbo
- 21 Secondary 4T's Gala Day-Trangie
- 23 Primary District Cricket/Softball Gala Day-Peak Hill

APRIL

- 3 Primary Mini Olympics

RELIEVING PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Well we've reached the half way mark already! It's week 6 and the term is quickly passing by.

Thank you to the SRC and Mrs Foley & Mrs Laing for their organisation of the Family Fun Afternoon at the pool last week. Everyone that attended had a very enjoyable afternoon. Thank you to all the students and families for their support and exemplary behaviour.

Last night the P&C held their Annual General Meeting. I would like to thank all outgoing committee members for their dedication to and support of our school in their time as P&C committee members. Congratulations to the following elected members, we look forward to a great partnership.

President: Brendan Williams

Vice President: Di Darcy

Secretary: Unfilled

Treasurer: Unfilled



Life Education Van
How excited were primary students yesterday? Very! Healthy Harold and Emma the Life Education Van educator were here for lessons with each class. Thanks to Mr Matthew Davison and Mr Max Davison for collecting the truck from Narromine.

Leave

Starting the 15th March I will be on leave for 2 weeks. During this time Miss Natasha Shankelton will be relieving Principal and Mrs Courtney Foley

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will be relieving Head Teacher. I will return to school on 3rd April.



Wishing you a week full of love, laughter and happiness.

Donna-lee Horsburgh

Relieving Principal

AWARDS

Congratulations to all our award winners
Primary and Secondary

Term 1

Week 5

- K/1/2 Evie Aveyard
- 3/4 Archie Aveyard
- 5/6 Sophie Laing
- 7/8 James Powell
- 9/10 Charlie Harvey
- 11/12 Mikala McLean

Secondary Awards for History:

James Powell

Zarli McAneney

P&C NEWS

Last night we held our annual general meeting thank you to all the parents and teachers who were able to come along.

The new P&C committee is:

President- Brendan Williams

Vice President- Di Darcy

Secretary- Vacant

Treasurer- Vacant

Catering Co Ordinator- Vacant

Welcome to our new committee and thank you to our outgoing Secretary Sherryn Perks and Treasurer Alarna Zammit.

Special thanks to our outgoing president PJ Edwards for your many years involved with the P&C.

If you are interested in taking on any of the vacant committee roles please contact Sherryn Perks on 0411782933 or tullamorecentralschool@pandcaffiliate.org.au

UNSW ICAS COMPETITIONS

Students have the opportunity to enter the UNSW ICAS competitions in Digital Technology (Term 2, Week 2), Science (Term 2, Week 5), Spelling (Term 2, Week 7), Writing (Term 2, Week 7), English (Term 3, Week 2) and Mathematics (Term 3, Week 4).

Parents will need to pay the associated cost directly to the school if they wish to enter their child.

Included at the end of this newsletter is a nomination form. If you wish your child to enter in any or all of the above competitions please complete the nomination form and return it to the school office with the relevant payment before 8th March 2018. Year 2 children can enter the English, Mathematics, Science and Spelling competitions ONLY.

Payments can be made online using Reference number: 287609.

PRIMARY PIECES

Religious Education Permission Notes

If you have not returned your child/ren's religious education permission note please do so as soon as possible.

K/1/2

We've had another great week in the K/1/2 classroom with lots of learning happening.

Please remember to hand in homework on Fridays:

- LSCWC.
- 2 x spelling activities from the homework grid

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Home readers are to be returned each day! Thank you again for your support with this. Kindergarten students are to return their sound book to school each day as well.

A reminder that borrowing books from the library for K/1/2 is on Mondays, and PE is on Tuesdays.

Breanna Horsburgh and Jo Radford
K/1/2 Teachers

3/4 News

Homework

Maths – Unit 4

Spelling – Look, Say, Cover, Write, Check

MPHS Visit

Next Thursday, 15th March, Year 3/4 will be visiting the MPHS residents for their poetry/book week. We will leave at 9:15am and return by 10:15am.

Mitchell and Lauren Flavel
Year 3/4 Teachers

5/6 News

Next week Year 5/6 students will be visiting the MPS to read our narratives and perform our dance. Please make sure you have returned your local area permission note to the office.

Students will find their weekly homework on Edmodo.

Carmel Laing
Year 5/6 Teacher

SECONDARY NEWS

Some reminders for secondary students this week:

Don't forget - Senior Study Centre

For students in Year 11 – 12 there will be an additional session on Wednesday afternoons from 3:15 – 4:30pm every Week A for senior study time with Miss Shankelton if students need assistance with assessments or work in general. The sessions are held in the library. If seniors could please advise Miss Shankelton if they are attending prior to each session.

Assessments Due this Term (7-10)

Please refer to your assessment booklets for exact dates!

| Week of Term | Task |
|--------------|---|
| 6 | No Tasks Due |
| 7 | Stage 4 HSIE AT 2 Stage 5 Art AT 1 Stage 5 HSIE AT 2 |
| 8 | Stage 4 Art AT 1 Stage 5 PDHPE AT 1 |
| 9 | 7 LOTE AT 1 Stage 4 PDHPE AT 1 |
| 10 | Stage 4 Maths AT 1 Stage 5 English AT 1 Stage 5 Maths AT1 Stage 5 PASS AT1 |
| 11 | Stage 4 Music AT 1 Stage 4 Science TT 1 Stage 5 Science TT 1 Stage 5 HSIE AT 3 Stage 5 Agriculture AT 1 |

Secondary Interim Reports

Interim reports will be posted home at the end of week 8. This will give parents and care providers some feedback on how their students are progressing during the first term. The date for parent teacher interviews will be confirmed in next week's newsletter.

Mudgee Show Success!

Our Cattle Show Team group were out at Mudgee Show, representing Tullamore Central School, exhibiting our school heifers. We had some excellent comments from the judge who also was impressed by the attitude and behaviour of our students. Tullamore also exhibited animals from Little Milky Way Stud and assisted with the cow and calf classes for Buyuma Dexter Stud. Results were as follows:

1st Junior Heifer 12 – 16 months – TCS Noir Nell (Nellie)

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3rd Junior Heifer 12 – 16 months – LMW Shallimah (Shally) – Exhibited by TCS for Little Milky Way Dexters

2nd Senior Cow 24 – 30 months – Paradgim Karan (Klover)

1st Senior Cow 30+ Months – Emiance T Kandy (Kandy)

3rd Junior Paraders 12 – 18 Years – Charlie Harvey



Show Team Practice Notes

Students that have expressed interest in either joining or continuing with show team received notes last week for after school practice sessions. Students need to ensure that their notes are in before Friday this week or they will not be able to attend practice.

Practice sessions run from 3:30 – 5:00pm on Friday afternoons. Other grooming and maintenance activities will be conducted by the stage 5 Agriculture class, who is currently studying a unit on beef cattle production.

Upcoming Shows Late Term 1 and Term 2

The following shows will be upcoming at the end of this term and very early next term:

- Bathurst Royal – Experienced group only – Notes will be issued to students later this week.
- Yeoval Show – Beginners and Inexperienced group – Notes will be issued later in the term as this is first day back of term 2
- Wellington Show – Experienced and Beginner groups - Notes will be issued later in the term as this is first weekend of term 2

Work Health & Safety – Shoes for Practical Subjects

Students need to ensure that they have their hats and boots for practical agriculture, along with boots for any other practical subjects such as food tech and industrial tech. They are also required for practical science where chemicals and sharps are in use. Please ensure that students have their enclosed leather shoes either on their feet or stored at the student pigeon holes so that students have them when required.

Have a great week!

Miss Natasha Shankelton
Head Teacher Secondary Studies



NEWS

The 2018 NSW Premier's Reading Challenge has started. We are hoping to have more students participate this year!

K/1/2 have PRC books they listen to during class time added to their reading log by library staff.

All other students will



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complete their own reading log. Older students are welcome to enter their books online - we have printed instructions in the library showing the steps and library computers are available during lunchtime for them to enter their books.

The Premier's Reading Challenge website <https://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc/home.html> includes information and an extensive book list which could include books students read at home. These can be added to their reading log. All students in Years 3 – 6 have reading logs in their classrooms along with a selection of books. Spare reading logs are available from the library.

A few reminders

- * The library is open at lunch on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.
- * The Wish List is on the notice board for students to add books that they would like to have in the library.
- * The Library is a drink and food free zone.

Have a lovely week ☺
Belinda Lindsay and Julie Porter

YOUNG ENDEAVOUR YOUTH SCHEME

The Young Endeavour Youth Scheme applications are open to young Australians aged 16-23 years.

Applications are open at:

www.youngendeavour.gov.au

Further information available from the school front office or phone 02 6892 5005.



JOB VACANCY

Tullamore MultiPurpose Health Service is currently advertising for a Cook (Grade B). Search the NSW Health website for further information on the position and how to apply using this link.

<http://e.rfer.us/HEALTHNSWGOV3Mo2DI>

Applications close 15th March.

Tullamore Health Service

Appointments 2018 –

Phone 6891 3100 (Please note change of phone number)

Australian Hearing – phone Tullamore MPHS on 6891 3100 for an appointment for a **Free 15 minute hearing test.**

Physiotherapy – Every Thursday at the Tullamore Health Service, **phone 6891 3100** for an appointment.

CROPS PLAYGROUP PLEASE NOTE - There are no playgroup sessions in Tullamore until further notice, for more information contact 6862 1872.

Family and Childcare CLINIC - Phone Julie Strudwick (HSM) at the Tullamore Health Service on 6891 3100 for information on the clinic.

Women's Health Nurse - Phone 6891 3100 to make an appointment. This clinic runs 2nd monthly.

Dietitian - The clinic is on **6th April 2018** at the Tullamore MPS. Phone 6891 3100 to make an appointment.

Podiatrist – Sam (Podiatrist) visits the Tullamore surgery phone 6892 5285 or 6863 4171 to make an appointment.

Youth Mental Health Services - for more information phone 6863 7404.

Carer's Group - Phone Margaret McAneney on 6892 5246 or Vicki on 6861 2555 for more information.

Continence Advisor - Louise (Nurse Practitioner for Continence) is available for an appointment via teleconference at the Tullamore Health Service on. Phone 6891 3100 to make an appointment

Sexual assault counsellor - is available for appointments. Phone 6861 2400 for more information or for an appointment.

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2018 MEETING DATES AND LOCATIONS:



The Tullamore PA & H Association meets the 4th Tuesday of every month, alternating between the Tullamore Bowling Club and the Tullamore Hotel. All are welcome to attend.

Our meetings dates and locations for 2018 are:

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|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 27 th March – | Tullamore Hotel – 7:30pm |
| 24 th April – | Tullamore Bowling Club – 7:00pm |
| 22 nd May – | Tullamore Hotel – 7:00pm |
| 26 th June – | Tullamore Bowling Club – 7:00pm |
| 24 th July – | Tullamore Hotel – 7:00pm |
| 28 th August – | Tullamore Bowling Club – 7:00pm |
| 25 th September – | Tullamore Hotel – 7:00pm |
| 23 rd October – | Tullamore Bowling Club – 7:30pm |
| (Annual General Meeting) | |

For further details please contact the secretary, Melissa Hughes 0487 893 100.

Regards,
Melissa Hughes

P&C IRISH FESTIVAL BBQ AND CAN DRINK DONATIONS

The P&C will be providing the BBQ at the Irish Festival to raise monies to be utilised back into our school. We require some BBQ cooks and servers on the Saturday of the Irish festival so if you can lend a hand for an hour it would be much appreciated. We are also selling cans of drinks on the day so if you wish to donate a carton/s of soft drink please drop them into the school office.

With thanks! Emma Williams 0400947720



\$100 VOUCHER FOR CHILDREN'S SPORT AND RECREATION FEES

Parents in NSW are now able to start claiming \$100 towards extra-curricular sport and other physical activity fees thanks to the NSW Government's new Active Kids program.

Active Kids will provide a \$100 voucher for parents to put towards sporting fees and registration costs for every school-aged child in NSW.

The health of our children is a priority for me and every parent. I hope this makes a difference in enabling you to enrol your child in the sport or physical activity of your choice.

Families will be able to use the voucher for registration and membership costs, as well as fees for physical activities such as swimming, dance lessons and athletics.

The annual voucher will not be means tested because the NSW Government wants every child from every family to get active and involved in community sport and fitness.

Parents are able to use their voucher to claim up to \$100 per school age child, per calendar year to reduce the cost of sport registration or membership of approved active recreation activities.

More details about the program and eligible sports is available at <https://sport.nsw.gov.au/sectordevelopment/activekids> or by phoning Active Kids enquiry line on 13 77 88.

IRISH FESTIVAL EASTER WEEKEND



Club opens **11:00am daily** over the weekend.

Live Entertainment:

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Good Friday: Steve Passfield 8:00pm-12:00pm

Easter Saturday: Hand Picked 8:00pm-12:00pm

Easter Sunday: Irish Hooley 2:00pm.
Pete Riley, Mick Green and
Brett Graham 5:00pm

BISTRO HOURS

Good Friday: Lunch: 12:00-2:00pm
Dinner: 6:00pm-9:00pm

Easter Saturday: Lunch: 12:00-2:00pm
Dinner: 6:00pm-9:00pm

Easter Sunday: Lunch: 12:00-2:00pm
Dinner: 6:00pm-8:00pm

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ICAS COMPETITIONS

My child.....of Year
..... wishes to participate in the following ICAS
competitions:

- ☐ Digital Technology – Term 2, Week 2 \$9.90 (Year 3 to Year 10)
- ☐ Science – Term 2, Week 5 \$9.90 (Year 2 to Year 12)
- ☐ Spelling - Term 2, Week 7 \$13.20 (Year 2 to Year 7)
- ☐ Writing – Term 2, Week 7 \$19.80 (Year 3 to Year 12)
- ☐ English – Term 3, Week 2 \$9.90 (Year 2 to Year 12)
- ☐ Mathematics – Term 3, Week 4 \$9.90 (Year 2 to Year 12)

Please return the above note by Thursday 8th March 2018

Payments can be made online.

Reference number: 287609

Payment Details

- ☐ I have enclosed \$
- ☐ I have made an online payment using the
reference 287609. My receipt number is

Parent/Carer:.....

Date:.....



Application for Friends of the Festival 2018

The Tullamore Irish Festival committee invites you to become a friend of the Tullamore Irish Music Festival.

The Friends of the Festival is a program offering all local Tullamore people and volunteer workers entry to the Festival at the reduced cost of \$40 (Full price - \$60). Friends of the Festival can attend the Friday evening and Saturday afternoon concerts at the showground. (Supplementary event Maria Forde concert on Friday is not included.)

To be eligible:

- all applicants must reside in the areas covered by the Tullamore school bus runs **or**
- be a member of a volunteer organisation which is providing a stall at the Festival **or**
- be a member of the Festival Committee **and**
- assist in one of the areas of the Festival.

Applications for Friends of the Festival will be assessed by the Festival Committee and their decision will be final.

To be eligible you need to nominate an area in which you are willing to assist – even a few hours would be appreciated. Areas requiring assistance are:

1. Ground Work (Phill McCosker and Paul Stanbrook) which includes working bees, helping to set up (during the week prior to Easter) and packing up (on Tuesday following the Festival).
2. Bar (Alana Zammitt) which includes voluntary as well as paid assistance (with current RSA).
3. Catering (Natasha Shankelton) which includes food preparation as well as assisting in the kitchen on the Friday evening. The Festival committee are not catering on the Saturday .
4. Art Show (Julie Strudwick) including assisting with setting up and packing up.
5. Rubbish collection (Paul Stanbrook)
6. Green Art (Donna-lee Horsburgh) including setting up, packing up and judging
7. Merchandise (Kate Maloney) including setting up and working on the stall.
8. Front Gate (Phill McCosker) which includes selling tickets for Friday night and for Saturday
9. In the office (Ros Bell) help needed over the week prior to the Festival.
10. Maintenance at the Festival (David Bell) for jobs which come up during the days of the Festival.
11. Camping (Dahna Bingham) assisting during the week prior as well as during the Festival.
12. Mowing and watering (Paul Stanbrook), someone living in town would be really useful.
13. Street Parade (Courtney Williams) assistance needed on the morning of the parade.

Exceptions: If you would like to be a Friend of the Festival and are *unable* to meet any eligibility requirements (eg for health reasons), please still nominate and indicate your reason for not meeting requirements in the last column, and your application will be favourably considered.



Please complete the following table including each family member who is applying to be a Friend of the Festival.

Family Name: _____

| <i>Name of each applicant</i> | <i>Email address for each applicant (or mobile number)</i> | <i>Area in which you are volunteering your time</i> | <i>Name of the coordinator responsible</i> | <i>Any special request or comment</i> |
|-------------------------------|--|---|--|---------------------------------------|
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You will be notified as to the success of your application prior to the Festival (by email preferably), and your name(s) will be provided to the coordinator you have nominated so that they can contact you to arrange details of your assistance.

Payment may be made

- online (our preferred method). If paying online, please include your name as reference, **and** email the treasurer indicating that you've paid. Or
- you may hand in your application **plus payment** at Casho's Café in a sealed envelope with your name clearly indicated on the outside.

Online banking details are:

BSB: 012 800

Account Name: Tullamore Inc Festival

Account Number: 108118924

Please include your initial and surname in the reference section when making a deposit online.

Treasurer's email: td.r.bell@iinet.net.au

Please return your application form (with or without payment) to Casho's café.