

Taree West Public School

Teamwork Welfare Performance Scholarship

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Term 1 - Week 9

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PRINCIPALS REPORT

I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate our student leaders for 2011. Last week our Student Representative Council (SRC) met for the first time with the aim of mapping out their 2011 school year. These captains and class representatives play an important role as advocates for their peers. All signs are that this is going to be a productive year for the SRC.

The school endeavours to provide a range of opportunities for student ownership, student voice and decision making. Great effort girls and boys.

WHAT'S ON?

Saturday	26 March	Election Day Cake Stall
Thursday	31 March	Entries Close for International Comps Year 3 to Year 6 only
Monday	4 April	Sea Acres Rainforest Excursion – 6C, 6F, 6J & 4F
Tuesday	5 April	Sea Acres Rainforest Excursion – 5E, 5C, 5S, & 5F
Tuesday	5 April	Easter Scripture Service School Hall – 12.15pm
Friday	8 April	Anzac Service – School School Hall – 2.10pm
Friday	8 April	2 nd Payment due for Camps
Friday	8 April	Last Day Term 1
Monday	25 April	Anzac Day Service Full summer uniform Assemble Corner Pulteney & Victoria St At 10.00am
Tuesday	26 April	PUBLIC HOLIDAY
Wednesday	27 April	Staff Development Day
Thursday	28 April	Students return Term 2

AWARD WINNERS

Class	Class Award	Class Award	Maths Awards
K/1J	Ashleigh B	Bailey T	Jacob W
KB	Lillianah W	Chloe W	Jake H
KC	Chyna J	Lydia G	Dominic W
KF	Chelsey D	Liam B	Seth A
KG	Ebony B	Joshua G	Baden F
1-2C	William B	Miranda F	Shianne S
1D	Samual G	Taneasha D	Shannia Y
1K	Jesse H	Tyler O	Rosalie W
2B	Brianna W	Holly M	Chloe N
2M	Mackenzie R	Lillian M	Dyson L
2S			
3/4B			
3B	Jaxon C	Aleah C	Courtney M
3M	Liam D	Caitlan F	Max H
4/5/6F	Jessica M	Sarah H	Amy H
4/5S	Taheed K	Clayton S	Joshua M
4M	Jayson B	Jack S	Brittany G
5C	Tahj F	Eamon S	
5E	Megan S	Griffin M Tahlea E	Alesha L
6C			
6J	Olivia M	Crystal N	Austin F

CLASSROOM SUPPLIES

There are still a large number of students lacking the equipment needed for everyday classroom activities. Please ensure your child has the following equipment each day.

Year 1 & Year 2

1 glue stick, 1 set coloured pencils, paint shirt (an old T-shirt would be suitable), library bag, 1 box of tissues, 1 display folder (A4), 1 whiteboard marker (non permanent).

Year 3 & Year 4

HB Lead Pencils, 1 set coloured pencils, eraser, red pen, black/blue pen, 30cm ruler (not metal or floppy), glue stick, scissors, 1 display folder (A4), 1 box of tissues, 1 whiteboard marker (non permanent).

Year 5 & Year 6

HB Lead Pencils, 1 set coloured pencils, eraser, red pen, black/blue pen, 30 cm ruler (not metal or floppy), glue stick, scissors, 1 display folder (A4), 1 box of tissues, 1 whiteboard marker (non permanent). Please do not send students to school with excessive equipment as things can be misplaced.

PRIMARY CAMPS

If you wish for your child to attend the following camps/excursions please send the permission note and deposit to the school office as soon as possible. Seats are limited.

Year 3 – Aussie Bush Camp

Year 4 – Aussie Bush Camp

Year 5 – Broken Bay

Year 6 – Canberra

SEA ACRES RAINFOREST EXCURSION

Students in classes 6C, 6J, 4/5/6F Year 6 students and Year 4 students from 4/5/6F will be attending an excursion to Sea Acres at Port Macquarie as part of their HSIE study of "Global Environments". Students will travel by bus on Monday 4 April leaving the school at 8.00am sharp. Cost for this day will be \$21.00 payable to the classroom teacher.

Students in classes 5E, 5C, 5S and Year 5 students from 4/5/6F will be attending an excursion to Sea Acres at Port Macquarie as part of their HSIE study of "Global Environments". Students will travel by bus on Tuesday 5 April leaving the school at 8.00am sharp. Cost for this day will be \$21.00 payable to the classroom teacher.

INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIONS – Closing 31 March

These competitions are open to all students in Year 3 to Year 6. If you would like your child to participate in one or all of the competitions please fill out the entry form and return with payment by Thursday 31 March 2011. Please note that no late entries will be accepted.

PSSA Cricket Knockout

Last Friday the Taree West School Cricket Team played Wingham Brush Public School on the Town Green at Wingham. Wingham batted first and had three excellent top-order batsmen that our bowling attack couldn't penetrate. They scored 1 for 146 after the allotted 25 overs. They had two batsmen retire. Our highlight was an amazing runout from a side-on throw by Rory Mitchell. Our batting started shakily but regained composure through strong boundary hitting by Samuel Ferraro-Worth, Tyler Brooks and Lukis B. Unfortunately our school was dismissed for 83. We wish Wingham Brush PS all the best for their draw while we are now knocked out of the competition.

Taree West Public School cricket team members were Samuel Ferraro-Worth, Callum Wesley, Damon Curtis, Lukis B, Tyler Brooks, Brock Saxby, Lane Everingham, Oliver Bolte, Tahj Wood, Rory Mitchell, Ryan Thompson, Kai Williams and Mathew McIntosh.

Thank you to all the parental support for the day.

P & C NEWS

Cake Stall Election Day

To all those wonderful people who have said they will supply cakes, slices etc for our stall on Election Day, Saturday 26th March 2011, could you please deliver your goods to the canteen on Friday 25 March between 9.00am and 11.30am.



For the sick kids at Ronald McDonald House
Westmead

Saturday 26th March at
"The Waterfront Room"
6.30 p.m.

Admission: \$10.00
Tickets: Saxbys Pharmacy,
J. & S. Brown Electrical and at the door.
(Kids under ten free)

Monster auction of
memorabilia on the night,
also souvenir items
courtesy of



Also appearing: Kumari Lamotte

Of "Starstruck" fame.



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Greater Taree City Libraries are running a number of fun filled activities this April school holidays including free movie screenings (Diary of a Wimpy Kid, Shrek the Third & Despicable Me), Indigenous art workshops, Easter craft, Tai Chi, gardening workshop, bingo, music writing workshop and loads more. Most activities are free or incur a small fee. Bookings are essential, but be quick as activities full up fast! For more information contact your library or phone 6592 5290.