

# Taree West Public School

Teamwork Welfare Performance Scholarship

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Term 3 – Week 2

Tuesday, 21 July 2015

## WHAT'S ON

Tuesday	21 July	Parent/Teacher interviews
Friday	24 July	Soccer Gala Day
Monday	27 July	Yrs 3/4 Rugby League State knockout
Tuesday	28 July	Biripi Dental checks
Thursday	30 July	Open Classrooms 10:40am - 11:10am Picnic Lunch with children 11:10am – 12:00pm Boys & Girls Touch football vs Wingham PS
Friday	31 July	Basketball Knockout
Monday- Friday	27-31 July	Education Week
Thursday	6 August	Spelling Bee finals
Friday	7 August	Zone Athletics Carnival
Saturday	8 August	School Open Day 10am-12pm
Tuesday	11 August	ICAS Maths test
Tuesday	18 August	Hot Dog day
Monday- Friday	24-28 August	Book Week / Book fair

## Principal's Report

Congratulations to our Year 3/4 Boys Rugby League Team on the amazing sportsmanship and skill they displayed in their games last Friday. The boys are undefeated champions of our Zone and will be travelling to Sydney next Monday to compete in the State Knockout. We wish you well and we are so very proud of each one of you! Well done also to Mr Cook!

Congratulations also to our Debating Team who represented our school proudly for the first time in the Premier's Debating Challenge last week. Well done on your high commendation!

## Taree West Public School Open Day

This year for the first time we are having a School Open Day on Saturday 8th August between 10am and 12pm. This provides a wonderful opportunity for new and prospective families to come along and to see the high quality educational programs and extra curricula activities that we provide. If you know of families who are considering enrolling at Taree West Public School please let them know of this opportunity. Current interested parents are also welcome to attend if you would like further information on any of our school programs or initiatives.

## UNSW 2015 International Digital Technologies Competitions

Congratulations to our students who recently participated in the UNSW 2015 International Digital Technologies Competitions. Our students did amazingly well with 2 students awarded a Distinction, 2 students a Credit and 3 students Merit Certificates. Well done!

## Education Week – Open Classrooms Thursday 30 July 2015

Parents, carers and family members are invited to attend our open classrooms from 10:40am to 11:10am on Thursday 30 July and to then to stay for a picnic lunch with your children as part of our Education Week events.

## Enrolments for 2016

2016 Kindergarten and new enrolment packs are now available at the school office. Please come in and enrol for 2016.

### Staff Update

I would like to welcome back Mrs Claire Beer, who will be working 2 days a week doing an RFF role (class teacher weekly release). A welcome also to Mr Jason Taylor who is working on 4/5M with Mrs Muller as a practicum intern for this term and to Mr Matthew Sams who is working on KW to complete his first practicum experience over the next 4 weeks and to Ms Tayler Kurtz who is undertaking a High School work placement program one day a week this term in KG.

**Donna Bensch**  
Principal

### Class Awards

Class	Class Award	Class Award	Class Award	Class Award
2-3S	Dillon J	Max P	Courtney G	Jennah P
3-4B	Tatum M	Charlie K	Jayden R	Tiah H
3-4H	Lydia G	Keea A	Ryan H	Emily N
3-4K	Izaak M	Jordan R	Harry N	Callum I
3-4M	Lilly Mc	Lachlan H	Madison L	Ethan P
4-5-6W	Tyla H	Lauren C	Sophie H	Nakita R
4-5L	Darbee M	Xyrece M	Chloe P	Neevah H
5-6J	Caleb S	Jade W	Chloe N	Samuel G
5-6S	Jasmine J	Charlotte M	Katelyn P	Rakeem K
5-6U	Jaron P	Raechellie T	Taneasha D	Shianne S

### Camp

An instalment for all Yr 3 – 6 campers was due on Friday 17 July. Reminder invoices have been sent home to students who have a payment due.

### Debating

This week our debaters competed in the first round of the Premier's Debating Challenge. This is a state wide and extremely challenging competition in which the students have only one hour to prepare a 4 min speech each, with no assistance from technology or other people!

The girls had never competed in a Premier's debate before and although they came second they did a fantastic job and were highly commended! A massive congratulations to Madeline Prowse, Keira Kelly, Brooke Durbidge and Laurah Powell!!!!

### Rugby League

TWPS Yrs 3/4 Rugby League team are undefeated champions in Taree/Manning NRL All Schools Competition.

The team will now represent TWPS and the Manning Zone at the NSW All Schools finals at St. Marys (Penrith) on 27 July.

This is the first time a TWPS Rugby League team has won a zone final.

Well done boys!



### Woolworths Earn & Learn

Once again we will be participating in the Woolworths Earn and Learn Program.

Each time you spend \$10 at Woolies you will receive a sticker which can be placed on a sticker card or placed in the box in front of the store that has our school's name on it.

Sticker sheets are available from your child's teacher or from Woolworths.

We will be able to get some great new resources for our school through this program.



**PBL News****PBL Focus Rule:**

This week we will be focusing on the rule being in lines on time with the value of responsibility.

**PBL Classes of the Week:**

Well done to **3/4H!** They are this week's Primary PBL Class of the Week.

A big congratulations to **1/2H!** They are this week's Infants PBL Class of the Week.

**Students of the Week:**

Primary Student of the Week: **Ellie McLeay 4/5/6W**



Infants Student of the Week: **Julius Case KW**

Keep earning those eagle tokens Taree West!

Mrs Suters, Miss Budge & Mrs Wallis

PBL Coordinator

**Community Advertisements**

**Taree West Public School Playgroup**

**Wingham Rd, Taree 2430**

**Monday 9.30 – 11.30am**

**in the school hall.**

**For further information please contact Leanne**

**0418 237 775**

**Manning Valley OOSH 2015 @ Taree West Public**

Before School: 6:30am – 9am  
After School: 3pm – 6:30pm  
Vacation Care: 7am – 6pm

Full fee before school – \$10  
Full fee after school – \$17  
Full fee vacation care – \$42

Enrolling is Easy!! Casual and on the day bookings accepted!!

Pay as little as \$0 Before School Care \$2.05 After School Care and \$3.65 Vacation care, with Centrelink percent at 100%

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