



The Magpie



Term 2 Week 6

Weekly Newsletter of Tamworth Public School

1 June 2023

SCHOOL CALENDAR 2023

TERM 2

JUNE

THURS 8 Primary Disco
Years 3-4 from 5:00-6:00pm
Years 5-6 from 6:30-7:30pm

FRI 9 Year 2 Capitol Theatre
Mr Stink

THURS 22 Stage 2 Athletics Day

THURS 29 NAIDOC Assembly
11:45am

FRI 30 Last day of Term 2



FOR OUR ELDERS

JULY

TUES 18 Students Start Term 3

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK NERAM Art Finalists

Every year Tamworth Public School take part in the University of New England School Acquisitive Art Prize (NERAM). There were more than 500 art entries this year, from 50 schools. Congratulations to Lachlan and Sunny who are amongst a group of 60 finalists. Thanks to Mrs Burrows for organising and Mrs Taylor for getting the entries ready.



National Reconciliation Week

This week Tamworth Public School is commemorating National Reconciliation Week. National Reconciliation Week is a time for all Australians to learn about our shared histories, cultures, achievements and to explore how each of us can contribute to achieving reconciliation in Australia. Throughout the week students will be taking part in activities and education around Reconciliation Australia's theme for 2023, "Be a Voice for Generations."

Primary Disco

On Thursday 8 June we will be hosting two Primary Discos. **Years 3 and 4 will be from 5pm-6pm and Years 5 and 6 will be from 6:30pm-7:30pm.** DJ's and PJ's is the theme for the night. Thanks to Miss Mack for organising and staff for volunteering to run the disco.

Player Medals for North West Touch Football

Last week TPS students Kade, Sophie and Dakota attended the NSW PSSA Touch Football Carnival in St Mary's, Sydney. At the end of each carnival a player is chosen for the North West Medal. Congratulations to Kade and Dakota who both received this medal, voted on by their peers.



Clothing Pool Donations

With the cold weather there is a rising need for secondhand winter clothing. If you have any good quality second hand uniforms that you could donate to the clothing pool it would be appreciated. Please remember to re-label items bought from the clothing pool as they often still have the previous owner's name labelled on them.

Kevin Squires

Principal (Relieving)

SPECIAL AWARDS

Blair Bartlett

Leo Cannon

Hallie Green

Adonica Harvey

Piper Kelly

Thomas Lee

Indianna Malley

Indiana-Rose Philp

Charlotte Ross

Tilly Ryan

Isabella Wellings

Tahlia Berthaly

Oliver Fisher

Maisy Hall

Violet Hofman

Dusty Johnson

David Nnorom

Riley Old

William Richardson

Isabella Ross

Georgie Treloar

Sandy Wiggan

Charlotte Birt

Riley Grace

Bella Harris

Theo Jones

Charlie Lawson

Grace Norrie

Chelsea Outerbridge

Bernie Ronczka

Eliza Scott

Parker Vanderwerf

PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS

Caitlin Eastman

Isobel McCoy

Mehtab Bhullar

Ethan Jackson

PRINCIPAL AWARD OF EXCELLENCE

Alice Ryan

2F Maths Group Exploring Data

This week students have been learning that data can be recorded in many ways and using comparative language to describe the results. First, they created a model with superpowers out of 40 pieces of lego. Next, much to their disappointment they dismantled it and graphed their bricks by colour and number of dots. The overall finding was the most popular colour brick was blue and the most commonly used brick had 4 dots.



TPS Students at the Rugby League Gala Day



4F Artwork - Why We Love Australia



K/6M Puppet Making

K/6M students have had a lot of fun this week creating these beautiful Puppets.

This week I made a puppet named Wolfie in class. I made my puppet out of material that our teacher bought. I had a lot of fun making them, but I still need to put his eyes and ears on.

By Triston.

I made a red puppet and I've named him Elmo. Elmo is a character from Sesame Street and he's my favourite because he is the main character and super funny. My puppet can't see or hear yet because I still haven't put on the nose or eye's yet.

I've made my Elmo out of red shaggy material and he is sooo cuddly.

By Jasper



TPS Students Representing at PSSA State Hockey



2M Class Highlight

2M have been very busy creating artworks, using technology for research and practising their public speaking skills by leading our Stage Assembly. Mrs Mutton and Mrs Anderson are enjoying the 2M students' enthusiasm for learning.



Mount Fuji Art and Japanese Haiku Poems by 3/4W



Art by : Chayse

Mount Fuji

Shines like a diamond
Looming threat of eruption
Shimmers like a gem
Written by Jedd

Mt Fuji

Everlasting life
Shape against the horizon
Against a blue sky
Written by Edith

Mount Fuji

Majestic summit
A beautiful sight to see
Peak bathed in sunlight
Multiple changing forms
Enormous threat of eruption
A very showy peak
Blue Sky surrounding
Near the Pacific Ocean
A glimmering sight
Written by Bazy

Class Art From 5D and 5/6H



Name : Leanne Reading

Position : SLSO

How long have you been a part of TPS : 15 wonderful years

Favourite Colour : Red

Favourite food : Roast dinner

Favourite TV Show : Yellow Stone

What is great about TPS : Fabulous staff and students

Funny Story about TPS : I once wore my pink fluffy slippers to school by mistake. Lucky for me, Mrs Jones had a spare pair of shoes in her classroom that I could borrow for the day. Oops.

Interviewed by : Adrianna and Marlie - Jai

COVID Smart Measures for Schools

Winter has well and truly hit and with it comes the increase of coughs, colds and flu. There is also an increase of COVID in the community. A reminder that if your child is unwell, please keep them at home. Attached is the latest COVID smart measures for schools.

We will be providing Rapid Antigen Tests (RATs) for all students and staff. These will be sent home with students over the next few days.

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/content/dam/main-education/going-to-a-public-school/media/documents/translated-documents/covid-smart-measures-in-schools/english-COVID-19-advice.pdf>

Good for kids
good for life



Active travel to and from school

Encouraging kids to be active can have a positive impact on their physical, mental, and social growth.

Walking, or, riding your bike or scooter to school is a great way to start the day. Here are some of the benefits you can enjoy when actively travelling to school:

- Improved concentration and alertness
- Reduced air and noise pollution
- Reduced traffic congestion
- Increased time to socialise with family members and friends
- It creates a space in your day for mindful exercise, ready to start the school day with a clear mind



Source: Children's active travel - Healthy lifestyle programs for primary schools (nsw.gov.au)



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Tamworth Public School DiSCO

Theme:
DJ'S and PJ'S
(wear your pyjamas)

Date
Thursday 8th June

Time
Years 3-4 will be 5-6pm
Yr5-6 will be 6:30-7:30pm

Cost: \$2
Drinks only, will be provided.



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