



Tamworth South Public School

NEWSLETTER

Respect for self, others and school

Term 1, Week 2

8 February 2019

Calendar

February

Term 1 Begins

Tuesday 11	Primary Swimming Carnival
Thursday 14	Student Leaders Induction 10:30am - 11:10am
Tuesday 19	Whole School Information Night 6:00pm - 7:00pm
Wed 20 - Wed 27	Life Education Van Years K-3
Wednesday 20	Stage3 Off-Site Sport Begins 10:00am - 11:10am <i>Notes and Information to follow</i>
Thu 21- Frid 22	Leadership Camp at Lake Keepit <i>Information to follow</i>

March

Tuesday 12	ES1 Bus Safety 9:10am - 12:00pm
Friday 15	National Day of Action Against Bullies
Friday 22	SRC Harmony Day Fundraiser 9:10am - 3:10pm <i>Information to follow</i>

School Banking

School Banking has commenced
Wednesday of each Week



Life Education Van School Visit

The school has booked the Life Education Van for Term 1 Weeks 4 and 5. It will commence Wednesday 20 February and finish Wednesday 27 February 2019. The program is suitable for students in Kindergarten to Year 3 including our Special Education classes.

The cost will be paid by the school and covers entry to the van and a workbook.

The primary school curriculum based modules focus on issues around food and nutrition, personal safety, physical activity, cyber safety, safe and unsafe environments and how to care for others.

By taking a comprehensive approach to drug and health education the modules help children to develop relationship skills, positive communication (both face-to-face and online), problem solving and decision making skills.

The program provides students with the opportunity to develop strategies and practice the skills required to avoid the harms associated with an unhealthy lifestyle.

Each module presents an issue or issues with memorable and engaging activities. Our specially trained educator ensures that all messages are age-appropriate, relevant, enhance and support the messages taught in Australian schools.

All Kindergarten to Year 3 will be attending a 'Healthy Harold' session.



Leonie Byrne, Principal

Welcome Back

Welcome back to everyone in the Tamworth South Public School community and a particularly warm welcome to those families new to our school. I hope everyone had a relaxing and safe holiday break and are recharged ready for the 2019 school year.

Our staff have been working hard to ensure your children have a settled start to the school year. Kindergarten started their educational journey on Monday with only a few tears from parents and children.

Swimming Carnival

The swimming Carnival for students turning 8+ is set down for Monday 11 February. Permission notes have been distributed already. If your child turns 8 or older they are eligible to attend.

Leaders Induction

Our student Leader's Induction Ceremony will be held on Thursday 14 February 2019 at 10:30am. Parents will receive an invitation if their child will be receiving a badge. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Staffing at Tamworth South Public School for 2019

Tamworth South has a large staff to support student learning. During the holiday break we had a number of new staff take up positions in our school

Mrs Christine Roser-Whitney, Mrs Fiona Tickle, Mrs Jenny Swain, Mrs Tracey Hadden and Mrs Lynette Maio all joined the Tamworth South Public School team.



to our team!

Classes and Staff for 2019

are as follows:

CLASS	STAGE		TEACHER
K 17	ES1 17	21	Fiona Tickle
K 20	ES1 20	20	Cathy Rankin (M,Tu,Wed, Th)/ Anna (Fri)
K 35	ES1 35	20	Christie Nicholson
K/1 16	ES1/S1 16	20	Dom Inglis (M, Tue, Wed) Robyn Inglis (Th, Fri)
		81	
1 18	S1 18	25	Denise Carwardine
1 19	S1 19	27	Lorelle O'Connor
1 24	S1 24	26	Sue Frost
		78	
1/2 22	S1 22	26	Libby Smith
2 21	S1 21	24	Tori Weeks
2 23	S1 23	24	Kloe Hutchen
		74	
3 08	S2 08	25	Doug Leabon
3 34	S2 34	26	Jillian Nean
3/4 09	S2 09	25	Stacy Jolliffe
		76	
4 05	S2 05	23	Sandy Resch
4 06	S2 06	25	Jess Walmsley
4 07	S2 07	23	Jennifer Porter
		71	
5 01	S3 01	27	Tanya Whittaker
5 02	S3 02	27	Christine Roser-Whitney
5 03	S3 03	26	Belinda Meppem
		80	
6 10	S3 10	20	Rachel Smith
6 11	S3 11	20	Lauren Hempstead
6 12	S3 12	21	Mary Ann Falkenmire
6 36	S3 36	20	Keryn Antzakles
5/6 04	S3 04 (GAT)	22	Chris Jones
		103	
SE 25	SE 25	9	Di Mihell
SE 26	SE 26	7	Keira Duxbury
MC 29	MC 29	7	Kirby Hollis
BD 27	C'CO 27		Kerrie O'Sullivan
EI 28	EI 28		Kim Kirk
		563	
RFF	Library		David Bailey
RFF	Music		Natalie Brown
RFF			
Stage 2 Additional			
Stage 3 Additional			
	Room		Music/Chaplain/Meeting
Instructional Leader Support	Room		Janine Mills
EAFS IL	Room		Leanne Batho/Merydyth Raue
ABS EAFS IL	Room		Amanda Cook
Learning & Support / Welfare	G Block Office		Lynette Maio/Chrissy Kemp
RFF/QTSS	C Block Office		Carmel/Deb v/Jess Birt/Adrianna
Literacy/Numeracy			Anna Manners/Dee Burns
AEO	AEO/AEW Office		Colleen Tighe Johnson
AEW	AEO/AEW Office		Julie Craigie/Sam Taylor
LSO	Jnr IO		Wendy Brown
LSO	Snr IO		Marie Olsen
LSO	MC		Deb Cross
LSO	EI		Jo Collins
LSO	BD		Kim Cryer

Principal's Awards

2018 - Week 10
Amarlia Curry - S3 08
 Caroline's Magic Bedroom
Daniel Crockatt - S2 11
 Reindeer
Anthony Tunbridge - S2 03
 Great colouring
Kane Lucas - S2 03
 Great colouring
Bianca Woods - S3 09
 Baby Tigers

Assembly Awards

Year K-2 Awards
Students of the Week
 Sophie Kohlis, Rylan Coleman,
 Ethan Lanscar, Yzabelle Burgess,
 Fletcher Elsley, Brayth Townsend,
 Kaidence Davis, Harper Edmunds,
 Latrelle Morgan, Lachlan Rickard,
 Huntah Nowland.

Achievement Awards
 Bentley Kemenvary, Brooklyn Dean,
 Tymeeka O'Leary, Remas Ibrahim,
 Chelsea Tobin, Paige Webb, Denika
 Charlesworth, Liam Dunn, Charlette
 McKeon, Chaise McMaster, Bailey
 Rickard, Ruby Wood.

Term 1 Assemblies				
Week	Infants K-2		Primary 3-6	
3	14 February	No Item	15 February	No Item
4	21 February	No Item	22 February	No Item
5	28 February	TBA	1 March	S2 34
6	7 March	TBA	8 March	S3 03

This information is subject to change

Breakfast Club

Without your support the future of the Breakfast Club in 2019 is in jeopardy due to the lack of volunteers.


If you are available to help on any week day from 8:00am-9:30am we would value your contributions. Please contact the school.



Uniform Award
S1 22
Assembly Awards
S1 21

Library Opening Hours

Before School **8:40 - 9:10**
 Lunch **Closed**
 Afternoon Tea **1:20 - 1:50**



No Bag No Borrow

All Students (K-6) require a Library Bag to be able to borrow books from the Library for home or the classroom.

This is to protect the books.

School Uniforms

Students are to wear their school uniform every day except on Sports Days.

Weekly Sports Days are:

Kindergarten and Stage 1	Friday
Stage 2 - (3 & 4)	Tuesday
Stage 3 - (5 & 6)	Wednesday

Please encourage your child to wear the correct uniforms on appropriate days.



School House Colours

Blaxland	(A - D)	Blue
Lawson	(E - L)	Red
Sturt	(M - R)	Yellow
Wentworth	(S - Z)	Green



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This is your opportunity to tour our campus and see what Farrer can offer your son

OPEN DAY 2019

WEDNESDAY 20 FEBRUARY
8.30 – 2.00PM

We are the only boys' agricultural Government selective school in Australia. Farrer has established an enviable reputation as a centre of excellence in academics, agriculture, welfare and sports programs. Catering to the education of both day and boarding students Farrer is set on 191 hectares of prime agricultural land, 10 kilometres from Tamworth, New South Wales.

Register online at **Farrer**
By Tuesday 19th February 2019
6764-8607 - Kerry Hussey - Enrolments Officer
Wear casual clothing & bring a hat.
Refreshments and a light lunch will be served.

Farrer Memorial Agricultural High School
585 Calala Lane, Tamworth NSW 2340
6764 8600 www.farrer.nsw.edu.au

Healthy Mouths for Kids at School

Dental information for parents & carers

Did you know?
Children with tooth decay can have trouble eating, sleeping and focusing in class.
Avoid tooth decay by brushing teeth twice a day and limiting sugary food and drink.

Drink Well
Make tap water your family's drink.

Clean Well
Brush teeth after breakfast and before bed. Help children brush until they are 8 years old.

Eat Well
Offer healthy snacks like cheese, veggie sticks, fresh fruit & plain yoghurt.

Play Well
A well fitted mouthguard can reduce the risk of injury.

Stay Well
Children should have regular dental checks.




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Office of the Children's eSafety Commissioner

8 tips to keep on top of your child's screen time

- Plan screen-free time, like outdoor play, music and sport.
- Lead by example - reduce your own screen time.
- Agree on daily screen time limits. It's not punishment, it's about keeping a balance.
- Be involved - watch TV and play games together.
- Start with small reductions to help lessen any resistance.
- Use tech tools to manage access, such as parental controls.
- Set tech-free zones and times at home - e.g. all screens off in bedrooms after a specified time.
- Resist giving mobile devices to children when going out - take books or toys instead.

esafety.gov.au/parent

 **PHONE 49246499**

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Go4Fun

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What is Go 4 Fun?
Go 4 Fun is a FREE 10 week healthy lifestyle program for kids aged 7 to 13 years run by qualified health professionals.


What does the program include?

- Nutritional information
- Support and advice
- Personal improvement
- Fun games

Where is the program run?

- Swansea
- Maitland
- Fletcher

When do programs run?
Go 4 Fun runs parallel with school terms and you can register any time. Visit the website for more details:
<https://go4fun.com.au>

 **PHONE 49246499**

Sports News



WANT TO TRY HOCKEY FOR FREE???

Year 3-6 Primary Hockey Experience

Term 1 2019

- ⇒ Tuesday afternoons from 4pm
- ⇒ Start date 26th February 2019
- ⇒ At Hockey Centre
- ⇒ Play with your friends from school
- ⇒ 5 week fun series
- ⇒ Sticks provided (bring shinpads and mouthguard if desired)
- ⇒ Talk to your school sports co-ordinator to join a team
- ⇒ Further information Justin 0431 718 811

Tamworth Hockey will be holding the hugely popular 5 week, free "Primary Hockey series" again in Term 1, 2019, commencing 26th February.

Teams can be mixed, or single gender, and there are two divisions of Year 3&4, Year 5&6, however if only one team can be submitted, we can cater for that as well.

8 players are on the field and no goalkeepers are required.

For information on developing hockey in your school via Sporting Schools funding please contact Greg Doolan, our local Hockey NSW Development Officer

greg.d@hockeynsw.com.au or 0419 258 463

For queries about the free hockey series contact tamworthjuniorboysshockey@gmail.com

Tamworth Junior Touch Football Competition

The 2019 **Primary** (Years 3-6) Touch Competition will be commencing on Monday 25 February 2019 and finishing on Monday 3rd June, 2019.

The Little Nippers (Kindergarten -Year 2) will commence on Monday 4 March 2019 and finish on Monday 20th May, 2019.

There are two time slots played each week.

Kindergarten – Year 4 play at 4:30pm and Years 5 – 6 play at 5:15pm.

Cost: \$40.00 for Little Nippers and \$50.00 for Primary players. Due by Monday 18 March 2019

Please note the Active Kids Voucher can be used to cover the cost of the Semester 1 & 2 Competitions.

Money can be paid to **Miss Jolliffe** at school in **Room 9** or at the **Touch Fields**. Please **do not** send money to the school office.

If you are interested please get a permission note from Miss Jolliffe and return it by **Friday 15 February**.



Games are held at the Gipps Street Playing

TAMWORTH SOUTH NETBALL CLUB AGM

Tamworth South Netball Club would like to welcome all new and returning players. We look forward to another great season in 2019!

We will be holding our AGM on Tuesday 12 February in Room 3 at 5:00pm.

All welcome!

Belinda Meppem & Lauren Hempstead



School Parking Issues

We have been advised that there are parents who are not respecting the rules of the road in and around the school. Parents are parking in the No Parking area just outside the Petra Avenue carpark.

This is very dangerous specially when reversing back without being aware of children in the vicinity.

Parking in No Parking Areas or in the middle of the road places lives at risk and will lead to police intervention.

We appreciate the community taking care of all children's safety seriously



OVAFC REGISTRATION/ COME AND TRY DAY

Viaduct Park 9am - 1pm 23 Feb

- Coaches will be on hand to conduct drills and games for kids to try out the world game.
- BBQ and drinks will be available on the day.



Registration Info - Season Kicks off 6 April

- Registration for the 2019 Season opens on 1 February.
- All registrations will be done online at www.playfootball.com.au.
- Active Kids Vouchers are accepted and will need to be gained prior to registering.
- Former players will be emailed links to the new registration portal.
- Registrations fees will need to be paid prior to the player being placed in a side and eligible to play.

Registration Fees

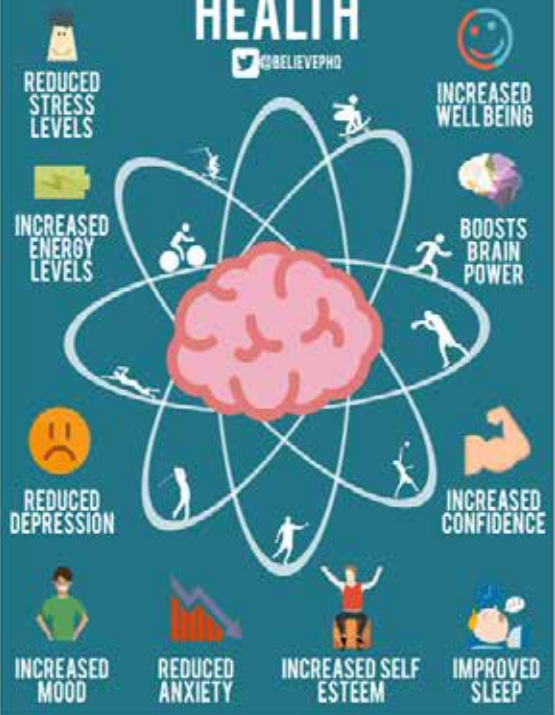
- 5-7yrs - \$130
- 8-11yrs - \$160
- 12-18yrs - \$190
- 12-18 who also plays Seniors \$250
- Local Seniors - \$300
- PL Seniors - \$320

Additional season updates can be found on our Facebook Group "Oxley Vale Attunga Football Club" or on www.ovafc.com.

For more information regarding registration please connect with our Club Registrar Fiona Diebold on 0431 069 622.

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THE BENEFITS OF EXERCISE ON MENTAL HEALTH



Source: BelievePerform



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Canteen News

Late lunch orders

Due to large numbers of late lunch orders and emergency lunches, the Canteen Committee has decided that any orders after 9:30am will be sandwiches ONLY.

NO exceptions.

Wednesday 20 March 2019 at 2:00pm in the canteen.

The school canteen runs on volunteers and we are in need of some more volunteers ready for immediate start.

Canteen Roster

11 February - 15 February

Monday	Kerry Cramp, Annette Ward,
Tuesday	Annette Ward
Wednesday	Julie Davis, Paula Zammit, Anne Maria Mitchell
Thursday	Annette Ward
Friday	Michelle Weber, Kerry Roberts, Amanda Claudel

18 February - 22 February

Monday	Kerry Cramp, Annette Ward
Tuesday	Annette Ward
Wednesday	Julie Davis, Anne Maria Mitchell
Thursday	Annette Ward
Friday	Michelle Weber, Kerry Roberts Amanda Claudel

P & C

Parents and Citizens

Our P&C meetings are to be held in the staffroom on the third Wednesday of the month at 2:00pm.

Next P&C Meeting will be held

Wednesday 20 February

All Parents, Grandparents and Guardians are welcome to attend.

Clothing Pool

Our Clothing Pool is open five days per week

Monday to Friday

8:40am to 9:10am

If you have any queries please email us on

tspspandc@gmail.com

or you can leave a message at the office and it will be passed on to the Clothing Pool.



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New Skorts

The clothing pool is now stocking the new bottle green skorts, and new white shirts for girls to wear as an alternative to the summer tunic. To be paired with short white socks or long bottle green socks.

The school will still require girls to wear the original summer tunic for all formal occasions within the school.

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