



# Tamworth South Public School

## NEWSLETTER

*Respectful, Responsible, Safe, Successful*

Term 3 Week 3

4 August 2023

### Calendar 2023

#### AUGUST

Mon 7-Frid 11	<b>Year 6 Major Excursion (Canberra)</b> <i>Term 3 Week 4</i>
Thursday 10	<b>Regional NSW Premier's Spelling Bee</b>
Friday 11	<b>Zone Athletics Carnival</b> <i>9:10am-2:30pm</i>
Friday 11	<b>Primary Assembly 3-6</b> <i>2:10pm-2:40pm</i> <i>Class Item - 5N-34</i>
Wednesday 16	<b>P&amp;C Meeting</b> <i>4:00pm in the Library</i>
Friday 18	<b>Year 5 Major Excursion (Coffs Harbour)</b> <i>3rd Instalment due - \$100.0</i>
Friday 18	<b>PBL Assembly</b> <i>2:10pm-2:40pm</i>
Mon 21-Wed 23	<b>Year 4 Major Excursion Sydney</b> <i>Term 3 Week 6</i>
Mon 21/Thur 24	<b>Scholastic Book Fair</b> <i>In the library</i>
Mon 21/Fri 25	<b>Book Week</b>
Friday 25	<b>Book Week - Dress up Day</b> <i>Please see flyer on page 17</i>
Friday 25	<b>Primary Assembly 3-6</b> <i>2:10pm-2:40pm</i> <i>Class Item - 5B-06</i>
Friday 25	<b>PBL BBQ</b> <i>11:10am-11:50am</i>
Tue 29-Wed 30	<b>Year 3 Major Excursion Dubbo</b> <i>Term 3 Week 7</i>
Monday 28	<b>Peel School Visit Year 6</b>
Wednesday 30	<b>NW Athletics Carnival</b>

#### SEPTEMBER

**September - Year 5 entry to opportunity classes in 2024**  
(Selection committee meets)

Friday 1	<b>Infants Assembly K-2</b> <i>2:10pm-2:40pm</i> <i>Class Item - KL-18</i>
Friday 8	<b>PBL - Whole School Assembly</b>
Thursday 14	<b>K-2 Athletics Carnival</b> <i>Information to follow</i>

### Introducing the Boy Vice Captain of Tamworth South, Ethan Lancsar

Hello Everyone! This is Ethan Lancsar, the Boy Vice Captain of Tamworth South Public School 2023.

The role of school vice captain is to run assemblies every Monday morning and sometimes PBL assemblies on Fridays, as well as helping the boy School Captain put up the flags.

Ethan has attended Tamworth South for 7 years. In year 5, when he had the opportunity to run for school captain, he knew that it wouldn't just make him proud of himself, but also make his family proud of his success in primary school.

Here are some other things about Ethan that you might want to know:

- His favourite colour is purple
- His favourite food is carbonara
- His favourite place is Canberra

Ethan's hobbies are to play sports such as basketball and soccer. Sometimes, when he has some spare time, he also likes to play video games with friends.

By Remas Ibrahim  
Minister for Communication



## Leonie Byrne Principal



### Education Week – 175 Years of Education

*This week we celebrated Education Week with the theme 175 Years of Education.*

Education Week is an annual celebration of NSW public education and the achievements of our schools, teachers and students. This year marks 175 years since the establishment of public schools in NSW.

On Wednesday, we had open classrooms following a special assembly where we recognised students who have 100% attendance. These students were presented with a commitment to learning award. Obviously, attendance plays a crucial role in the educating of a child. If they aren't at school, we can't teach them.

*more pictures on page 4*

On Thursday, we had the honour of hosting the Peel Network's Education Week Presentation. The following members of our school community were presented with awards for their contribution to our school:

**Sage Chin** – Outstanding student achievement award

**Annette Ward** - Outstanding contribution to the school by a member of the school community award (absent)

**Kerry Cramp** – Outstanding contribution to the school by a member of the school community award

**Vicki Goward** - For her long-term commitment to learning at Tamworth South.

*more pictures on pages 5 & 6*

### Backflips Against Bullying

Last week all children attended the Backflips Against Bullying performance.

The performance takes a 3-pronged approach to bullying and provides students with scenario based problems and ideas on how to deal with bullies.

1. Build then strong- Teaching resilience and practical tools to help victims
2. Social Influence – bystander behaviour and influence
3. Lessons for classroom teachers to consolidate ideas and strategies.

Unfortunately, bullying exists in all areas of society, and we are always looking at ways to irradicate it and to build the resilience of students to manage and seek help when needed if it happens to them.

Backflips Against Bullying is just one activity we deliver each year and is part of our anti bullying plan.





## Leonie Byrne Principal - *continued*

### Support Unit Safety Fence

During the school holidays we have installed a safety fence near our support unit to put a barrier between the bus, taxis and other vehicles that have permission to pick up from our support unit.

This will keep everyone safe during the busy drop off and pick up times. We are also in the planning stages of extending the Petra Avenue carpark so all staff can park inside the school freeing up parking for our families.

### PBL Signage

The PBL Committee have installed signs in the playground outlining expectations of behaviour in various areas. The signs support staff to support consistency of expectations in the playground.

There is also a new sign on our BBQ area promoting our PBL mantra 'Respectful, Responsible, Safe to be Successful' and a new welcome sign on our Petra Avenue gate.



### Athletics Carnival

The Athletics carnival was a great success. The weather was wonderful and the team spirit demonstrated by the students was a credit to the school and our families.

A big thank you to Mrs Antzakles and the staff who helped put the day together.

Thank you also to the P&C who provided food and drinks for the day.

### Exercise Equipment

Our new exercise equipment is now open for students to use.

Primary classes have spent time learning the correct way to use the equipment and it is proving to be very popular.



### Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation

Last Friday Year 6 participated in CPR lessons. This is such a valuable skill to possess, a skill we hope they will never need.

This week and next week all staff at our school will be completing CPR training.

Annual training in CPR, by most staff, is a requirement set by the Department of Education.



What you can do  
Talk about the importance  
of being at school everyday.  
Make attendance at school  
an expectation!





## EDUCATION WEEK 2023



### Education Week Awards 2023

**Nash Townsend - KH-18**  
Commitment to learning

**Lucy Cox - KH-18**  
Commitment to learning

**Holly Elliott-Crowley - 2D-21**  
Commitment to learning

**Lucy Cox - KH-18**  
Commitment to learning

**Nylah Thomas - 3P-10**  
Commitment to learning

**Deegan Sadler - 2W-24**  
Commitment to learning

**Rhyan Barber - 4L-04**  
Commitment to learning

**Rinchen Lama - 3/4M-12**  
Commitment to learning

**Lexie Ross - 4L-04**  
Commitment to learning

**Brayth Townsend - 3/4M-12**  
Commitment to learning

**Naomi Sykes - 4G-05**  
Commitment to learning



## EDUCATION WEEK 2023





## Peel Principals Network Education Week 2023 Awards Ceremony

The theme for 2023 is **'175 years of public education in NSW'**.

This theme celebrates learning from our past, celebrating our achievements and embracing the future with confidence. We are energized by the ways our education system is preparing us to be agile thinkers and lifelong learners from the first days in early childhood education to post-school pathways.

This year marks 175 years since the establishment of Public schools in NSW. Founded in 1848, the board of National Education was formed and tasked with establishing a public education system in NSW. Prior to 1848, schools operated under the denomination system and were the responsibility of churches.

We celebrated together and acknowledged the importance of public education and the achievements of those in our school communities.

The awards presented represent achievements of nominated individuals in the following categories from each school:

- Outstanding student achievement
- Outstanding contribution to the school by a staff member
- Outstanding contribution to a school member of the school community.



### Attunga Public School Awards Presented by Miss Patricia Sharp



### Dungowan Public School Awards Presented by Mr Ian Reeves



### Bullimbal School Awards Presented by Mrs Alex Jarrett



### Farrer High Awards Presented by Mr Clint Gallagher





**Nemingha Public School Awards  
Presented by  
Mrs Leanne Kemp**



**Oxley Vale Public School Awards Presented by  
Mrs Jodie Bishop**



**Oxley High School Awards  
Presented by  
Mrs Natalie Hill**



**Parry School Awards  
Presented by  
Mrs Tina White**



**Peel High School Awards  
Presented by  
Mrs Erica Burge**



**Tamworth Public School Awards  
Presented by  
Mr Kevin Squires**



**Tamworth South Public School Awards Presented by  
Mrs Leonie Byrne**



**Westdale Public School Awards  
Presented by  
Mrs Neshelle Battle**



**Tamworth West Public School Awards Presented by  
Ms Sarah Spinks**



**Woolomin Public School Awards  
Presented by  
Mr Ian Reeves**



***We would like to acknowledge all our special guests:***

Mr Tom Flanders, Tamworth Local AECG President. (Apologies)

Mr Ian Reeves, Relieving, Director Educational Leadership.

Miss Ruythe Duffy, substantive Director, Educational Leadership.

We would like to thank you all for joining us.





## Principal's Ribbons

### Connor Deakin - 2R-22

For always helping and looking out for new students

### Angel Kember - 2R-22

For coming out of her comfort zone and trying hard during assembly practice

### Clancy Thompson - 1J-16

For quick thinking skills in Mathematics and sharing his understanding with the class

### Lucy Cox - KH-19

For always trying her best and helping her peers

### Kaiden Marquett - 2D-21

For great explanation of his Mathematical thinking

### Cooper-George Sutton - KT-20

For always completing learning tasks to a high standard

### Brooklyn Sutton - 2W-24

For her amazing attitude to learning

### Fayth McKenzie - 3B-11

For encouraging her house mates at a time of need - she was cheering on younger competitors at the athletics carnival reassuring to all

### Ashton Withers - 3/4M-12

Helpful and positive role model

### Aline Ibrahim - 3/4M-12

Helpful and positive role model

### Sophie Wood - 3/4M-12

Helpful and positive role model

### Mia Hames - 4G-05

For Improved application to her learning



## Assembly Roster Term 3

2:10pm Friday afternoon (Hall)

Week	Date	Class Item	Assembly
4	11 August	5N-34	Primary 3-6
5	18 August	PBL- Whole school Assembly (K-2 COLA)	
6	25 August	5B-06	Primary 3-6
7	1 September	KL-18	Infants K-2
8	8 September	PBL- Whole school Assembly (K-2 COLA)	
9	15 September	KT-20	Infants K-2
10	22 September	5/6J 36	Primary 3-6
Monday morning - K-6 assembly (K-2 COLA)			

## Assembly Merit Awards

### K-2

Izach McKinnon - 1W-15

Adam Daley - 1J-16

Layla Raymond - 1O-17

Heidi Karg - KL-18

Aaliyah Northam - KH-19

Ella Ramsey - KT-20

Rebekah Sykes - 2D-21

Stacy Taylor - 2R-22

Holly Richmond - 2C-2

Summer Zammit - 2W-24



## Assembly Student of the Week Awards

### K-2

Amelia Stevens - 1W-15

Tyra Welch - 1J-16

Zahli Yorkshire - 1O-17

Henrik Duggal - KL-18

Rhiarn Knox - KH-19

Nathaniel Simmonds - KT-20

Kye Robinson - 2D-21

Logan Hoad - 2R-22

Emily Adeeb - 2C-23



## 2023 Premier's Spelling Bee Certificate of Participation

Emily Hammond - 4G-05

Sage Chin - 5/6J-36

Congratulations!



### Term 3 Assembly Merit Awards

#### 3-6

**Mason Miller** - 3P-10  
**Harrison Godfrey** - 3B-11  
**Seth McKenzie** - 3/4M-12  
**Addison Dwyer** - 4L-04  
**Keon Cronin** - 4G-05  
**Ethan Brandt** - 5N-34  
**Charli-Rose Stacy** - 5B-06  
**Hollie Marshall** - 5B-06  
**Victor Richards** - 5O-07  
**Clayton Ford** - 6A-09  
**Daniel Rigoli** - 5/6J-36  
**Curtis Hassall** - 26C  
**Isla Evans** - 25M

**Jordy Leskiewicz** - 3P-10  
**Brooklyn McMaster** - 3B-11  
**Gungal Duggal** - 3/4M-12  
**Darcy Morgan** - 4L-04  
**Shiloh Whitby** - 4G-05  
**Isaiah Lace** - 6N-08  
**Tahj Waters-Cain** - 5B-06  
**Ricky Sutherland** - 25M  
**Elie-Mae Price** - 5O-07  
**Fayth McKenzie** - 6A-09  
**Abigail Flores** - 5/6J-36  
**Deakon Bailey** - 27I



### Assembly Student of the Week Awards

#### 3-6

**Amelia Langenbaker** - 3P-10  
**Tattum Charlesworth** - 3B-11  
**Cohen Darlington** - 3/4M-12  
**Ashlyn Berryman** - 4L-04  
**Yzabelle Burgess** - 4G-05  
**Ryan Carter** - 6N-08  
**Hollie Marshall** - 5N-34  
**Shana Ancheta** - 5B-06  
**Kaylee Visocchi** - 5/6J-36  
**Gracie Sutton** - 6A-09



### Sports Awards TSPS Sporting Stars

#### Harper Edmunds - 5N-34

For trying your best and showing sportsmanship

#### Ricky Sutherland- 25M

For trying your best and showing sportsmanship

#### April Miller - 4G-05

For trying your best and showing sportsmanship

#### Braxton Davis - 4L-04

For trying your best and showing sportsmanship

#### Imogen Langford - 4G-05

For trying your best and showing sportsmanship

#### Amaia Berryman - 4G-05

For trying your best and showing sportsmanship

#### Skylah Burgess - 3P-10

For trying your best and showing sportsmanship

#### Jakyian Croaker-Winters - 1J-16

For trying your best and showing sportsmanship

#### Sargun Kaur - 5B-06

For trying your best and showing sportsmanship





### Tamworth South Athletics Carnival 2023

Event	Entry	Name	
8 Years Girls 100m	1	Brooklyn-Sage Sutton	20.29
	2	Taylanah Slater	20.44
	3	Rebekah Sykes	20.65
8 Years Boys 100m	1	Jahkaelen Croaker-Winters	18.12
	2	Chayse Reedy	18.22
	3	Deegan Sadler	18.34
9 Years Girls 100m	1	Tilly Shipley	17.83
	2	Madison Apps	18.56
	3	Tigal Henwood-Kaputin	18.72
9 Years Boys 100m	1	Noah Munro-Adams	16.84
	2	Kylan Cathro-Nean	17.04
	3	Oliver Apps	17.14
10 Years Girls 100m	1	Ameliah Cathro-Nean	16.80
	2	Ellexiis Gibbs-Dick	16.81
	3	Addison Dwyer	16.84
10 Years Boys 100m	1	Brayth Townsend	16.37
	2	Bentley Kemenyvary	17.72
	3	Manyok Chol	17.87
11 Years Girls 100m	1	Addison Lockyer	15.73
	2	Elie-Mae Price	16.44
	3	Mia Stevens	17.47
11 Years Boys 100m	1	Becket Gibbs-Dick	16.28
	2	Caydan Jeffriess-Tapper	16.88
	3	Kallyne McCluand	16.91
12 years Girls 100m	1	Taylah Townsend	15.25
	2	Nyteeka O'Leary	15.47
	3	Fayth McKenzie	15.89
12 Years Boys 100m	1	Ben Knight	15.63
	2	Kiarn Simpson	15.72
	3	Clayton Ford	16.71
13 Years Girls 100m	1	Haylee	19.07
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13 Years Boys 100m	1	Ethan Lancsar	15.80
	2	Bryan Doran-Dargin	23.46
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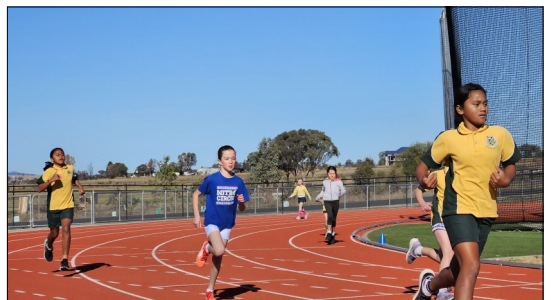


<b>Junior Girls 200m</b>	<b>1</b>	Amelia Cathro-Nean	<b>36.00</b>
	<b>2</b>	Ashlyn Berryman	<b>36.47</b>
	<b>3</b>	Amaia Berryman	<b>37.10</b>
<b>Junior Boys 200m</b>	<b>1</b>	Brayth Townsend	<b>33.29</b>
	<b>2</b>	Kylan Cathro-Nean	<b>37.19</b>
	<b>3</b>	Cohen Darlington	<b>37.51</b>
<b>11 Years Girls 200m</b>	<b>1</b>	Addison Lockyer	<b>33.69</b>
	<b>2</b>	Elie-Mae Price	<b>36.94</b>
	<b>3</b>	Mia Stevens	<b>37.55</b>
<b>11 Years Boys 200m</b>	<b>1</b>	Caydan Jeffriess-Tapper	<b>35.87</b>
	<b>2</b>	Kallyne McCluand	<b>36.94</b>
	<b>3</b>	Jaxon Craig	<b>37.55</b>
<b>12/13 Yr Girls 200m</b>	<b>1</b>	Taylah Townsend	<b>32.28</b>
	<b>2</b>	Nyteeka O'Leary	<b>34.48</b>
	<b>3</b>	Fayth McKenzie	<b>35.72</b>
<b>12/13 Yr Boys 200m</b>	<b>1</b>	Ben Knight	<b>34.00</b>
	<b>2</b>	Ethan Lancsar	<b>34.20</b>
	<b>3</b>	Timothy Sykes	<b>35.18</b>
<b>Junior Girls 800m</b>	<b>1</b>	Naomi Sykes	<b>3.13.25</b>
	<b>2</b>	Tilly Shipley	<b>3.44.09</b>
	<b>3</b>	Amaia Berryman	<b>3.46.02</b>
<b>Junior Boys 800m</b>	<b>1</b>	Brayth Townsend	<b>3.07.94</b>
	<b>2</b>	Nathaniel Goulding	<b>3.17.66</b>
	<b>3</b>	Kylan Cathro-Nean	<b>3.18.67</b>
<b>11 Years Girls 800m</b>	<b>1</b>	Addison Lockyer	<b>3.04.73</b>
	<b>2</b>	Mia Stevens	<b>3.43.03</b>
	<b>3</b>	Pippa Cozens	<b>4.16.99</b>
<b>11 Years Boys 800m</b>	<b>1</b>	Caydan Jeffriess-Tapper	<b>3.28.18</b>
	<b>2</b>	Becket Gibbs-Dick	<b>3.54.76</b>
	<b>3</b>	Kallyne McCluand	<b>4.27.31</b>
<b>12/13 Yr Girls 800m</b>	<b>1</b>	Harmony Walsh	<b>3.15.74</b>
	<b>2</b>	Taylah Townsend	<b>3.17.32</b>
	<b>3</b>	Charlotte Goulding	<b>3.20.05</b>
<b>12/13 Yr Boys 800m</b>	<b>1</b>	Timothy Sykes	<b>2.59.19</b>
	<b>2</b>		
	<b>3</b>		

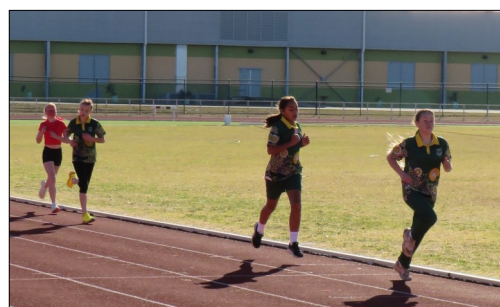
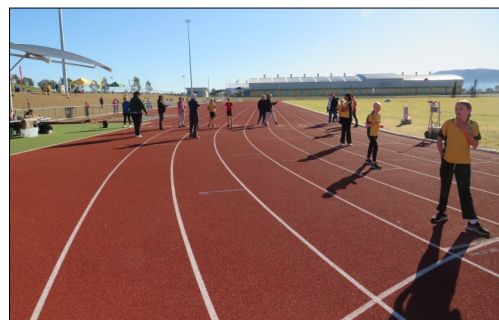




Event	Entry	Name	
Junior Girls High Jump	1	Naomi Sykes	1.00
Q 0.90m	2	Ameliah Cathro-Nean	0.96
Junior Boys High Jump	1	Brayth Townsend	1.05
Q 1.00m	2	Levi Welch	0.98
11 Years Girls High Jump	1	Addison Lockyer	1.08
Q 1.00m	2	Elie-Mae Price	1.02
11 Years Boys High jump	1	Jaxon Craig	1.00
Q 1.05m			
12/13 Yr Girls High Jump	1	Taylah Townsend	1.15
Q 1.05m	3	Nyteeka O'Leary	1.10
12/13 Yr Boys High Jump	1	Ben Knight	1.20
Q 1.10m	2	Timothy Sykes	1.12
Junior Girls Long Jump	1	Tymeeka O'Leary	2.72
Q 2.40m	2	Naomi Sykes	2.43
Junior Boys Long Jump	1	Brayth Townsend	3.11
Q 2.70m	2	Oliver Apps	2.90
11 Yr Girls Long Jump	1	Addison Lockyer	2.87
Q 2.70m	2	Hollie Marshall	2.85
11 Yr Boys Long Jump	1	Caydan Jeffriess-Tapper	3.16
Q 3.00m	2	Tyson Gibbs	3.00
12/13 Yr Girls Long Jump	1	Nyteeka O'Leary	3.28
Q 2.90m	2	Taylah Townsend	3.06
12/13 Yr Boys Long Jump	1	Ethan Lancsar	3.31
Q 3.10m	2	Timothy Sykes	3.29



Event	Entry	Name	
Junior Girls Discus (500g)	1	Amaia Berryman	15.12
Q 12.80m	2	Ashlyn Berryman	13.32
Junior Boys Discus (500g)	1	Brayth Townsend	18.50
Q 15.20m	2	Samuel Thurston-Ward	17.55
11 Yrs Girls Discus (750g)	1	Eli-Mae Price	14.41
Q 13.50m	2	Isabel Simmonds	14.20
11 Yrs Boys Discus (750g)	1	Jaxon Craig	15.18
Q 16.00m	2	Tyson Gibbs	14.72
12/13 Yr Girls Discus (750g)	1	Nyteeka O'Leary	16.90
Q 15.70m	2	Makenzie Hocquard	13.18
12/13 Yr Boys Discus (750g)	1	Jaiden Godley	21.60
Q 18.00m	2	Kiam Simpson	20.30
Junior Girls Shotput (2kg)	1	Ashlyn Berryman	5.57
Q 4.80m	2	Amaia Berryman	5.50
Junior Boys Shotput (2kg)	1	Brayth Townsend	5.56
Q 5.30m	2	Bentley Kemenyvary	4.15
11 Yr Girls Shotput (2kg)	1	Ruby Wood	6.35
Q 5.20m	2	Elie-Mae Price	5.92
11 Yr Boys Shotput (2kg)	1	Jaxon Craig	6.90
Q 6.30m	2	Kallyne McCluand	6.18
12/13 Yr Girls Shotput (3kg)	1	Nyteeka O'Leary	5.09
Q 5.20m	2	Bellah Brandt	4.85
12/13 yr Boys Shotput (3kg)	1	Levi Edmunds	7.80
Q 6.40m	2	Jaiden Godley	6.25





**Junior Girls Champions:**

Ashlyn Berryman, Amaia Berryman,  
Naomi Sykes and Ameliah  
Cathro-Neen

**Junior Girls Runner up:**

Tilly Shipley

**Senior Boys Champion:**

Ben Knight

**Senior Boys Runner up:**

Timothy Sykes and Ethan Lancsar

**Junior Boys Champion:**

Brayth Townsend

**Junior Boys Runner up:**

Kylan Cathro-Neen

**Senior Girls Champion:**

Nyteeka O'Leary

**Senior Girls Runner up:**

Taylah Townsend

**11 Year Girls Champion:**

Addison Lockyer

**11 Year Girls Runner up:**

Elie-Mae Price

**11 Year Boys Champions:**

Jaxon Craig and Caydan  
Jeffriess-Tapper

**11 Year Boys Runner up:**

Kallyne McCluand

**Champion House:**

Lawson

**Novelties Champion House:**

Blaxland



**Congratulations** to all students who attended the athletics carnival. It was great to see so many participating.

Well done to those students who placed in their events, our champions and runners up.

**The Tamworth Zone Carnival will be held Friday 11 August.**

Please be aware that there are qualifying times, distances and heights for each event therefore even if a child has placed it does not guarantee entry into the zone carnival.



## REV UP READING CLASS AWARDS CONGRATULATIONS



### CONGRATULATIONS

#### Classes

ES1 - KH-19

Stage 1 - 1J-16  
- 2W-24

Stage 2 - 4G-05  
- 4L-04

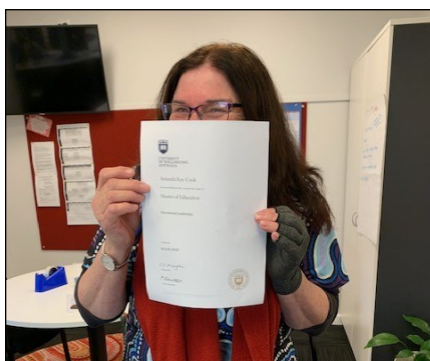
Stage 3 - 6A-09

Support - 26C  
- 25M



## Education - A Lifelong Experience

Congratulations to Ms Cook who has studied, through the University of Wollongong, to receive her Masters of Education - Educational Leadership.



### Aboriginal Education Awards

Riley O'Connor - 2R-22

Chevy Porter-Flett - 1W-15

Elliana Thomas - 2R-22

Ethan Lancsar - 6N-08

Fletcher Elsely - 5B-06

Jay Tobin - 5B-06

Kyran Gibbs - 5B-06

Lyndon Saunders - 5B-06

Sofiyah Iskafi - 6A-09

Luke Seville - KT-20

Amharliah-Ane Price - 1J-16

Kylen McKenzie - KT-20

Mari Duffy-Hill - 1J-16

Keanan Cochrane - 1W-15

Huntah Young - 2D-21

Hannah Andrews - 2R-22

Jameliah Slater - 2D-21







### UNE DISCOVERY TEAM VISIT

On Tuesday 25 July, Kindergarten were lucky enough to have the UNE Discovery team visit.

They participated in various activities such as how little creatures poop and pollenate.

The planets and how they orbit around space. The students also learnt about elephants toothpaste in a Science experiment.

Josh Clayton



### Tamworth Regional Art Gallery.

On Wednesday 2 August 2023 5/6J went on an excursion to the Tamworth Regional Art Gallery. We learnt how to do stitching with local Aboriginal artist, Sophie Honess and with the help of Penne Fraser and Tania Hartigan. First of all we looked and traced the nature she had gathered from outside. Then we sowed along the outlines. Our work will be displayed in the Tamworth Regional Gallery as part of the Walaaybaa (Home) Project art exhibition.

Next we went to the room which had the NAIDOC week art exhibition. Where we saw Lenny and Mr Atkins. Lenny told us a story about a big guya (fish). Then Mr Atkins played the story about the big guya (fish) on the didgeridoo. Before we left we had a look at the Aboriginal art in the gallery.

By Bridget-Lee Ferris, Matayia-Jane Mood and Kaylee Visocchi





**PBL****We understand others through their emotions  
Term 3 Week 5****Mirii****At Tamworth South Public School***We understand others through their emotions***Week 5 PBL Focus is...***At Tamworth South Public School - We understand others through their emotions***What it looks like.....**

- ✓ Recognising different feelings
- ✓ Recognising how my body feels when I experience those different emotions

**PBL****We use strategies to keep our cool  
Term 3 Week 6****Mirii****At Tamworth South Public School***We use strategies to keep our cool***Week 6 PBL Focus is...***At Tamworth South Public School - We use strategies to keep our cool***What it looks like.....**

- ✓ Positive talk
- ✓ Supportive friends
- ✓ Recognising your own feelings
- ✓ Taking actions to self-calm when needed





Congratulations to the PBL "I've been caught making good choices" winners all received \$5.00 canteen coupons at Monday's assembly.

### PBL Term 2

Louis Daley - KL-18  
Lila White - KH-19  
Willow Turner - KT-20  
Nixon Keech - 2D-21  
Aiya McCahon - 2W-24  
Imogen Shelley - 2W-24

Jarli Thorne - 3/4M-12  
Tymeeka O'Leary - 3/4M-12  
Bentley Kemenyvary - 4G-05  
Nevaeh Cubis - 4G-05  
Baylon White - 4G-05  
Pippa Cozens - 5B-06

Jacob Reinikka - 26C  
Lachlan Rickard - 26C  
Chelsea Heywood - 25M  
Isla Evans - 25M



### Super Star Awards

Nyteeka O'Leary - 6N-08  
Arthur Robinson - 2R-22  
Connor Rippin - 3P-10  
Charlotte Jameson - 1O-17  
Kaidence Davis - 4G-05  
Anita Dunn - KL-18  
Sage Chin - 5/6J-36  
Curtis Hassall - 26C





# 2023



## Children's Book Week




To help us celebrate Book Week come to school dressed as a favourite book character on

## Friday 25<sup>th</sup> August

We can't wait to see your costumes!

## READ GROW Inspire



## SPORTS NEWS

### CROSS COUNTRY

*On Friday 21 July, Addison Lockyer was at Eastern Creek representing Tamworth South Public School and the North West region in the state cross country carnival.*

The course is a tough one, with runners having to run across a variety of terrains including pebbles, sand and grass. After stopping to help a fellow competitor Addison placed a very respectable 71<sup>st</sup> in the 11 year division against the states top cross country runners.

Running is more than just about keeping fit and competing for Addison but also a way to make friends. While representing the North West region she made two friends, one from Quirindi and the other from Moree.

Congratulations Addison, what an outstanding achievement!

Keryn Antzakles



### BACKFLIPS AGAINST BULLYING

ES1,S1 Support Unit



## Update on Uniform Shop Hours

**Uniform Shop will be open between**

**8:40am - 9:10am each day**

**12:30pm - 1:30pm each day**

***Eftpos and cash will be accepted.***

Parents/Carers can come to the canteen between the above times as we are unable to sell uniform shop stock in the mornings, due to no volunteers at this stage.

Parents/Carers can phone the school and be put through to order and the stock will be sent to the child in the lunch baskets.

Flexi Schools is still the most preferred option as it is easy for all. Any orders placed before 5:00pm should be sent to the student the next school day, however, sometimes there can be delays but all stock should be provided within 3 days of order.

If a student is away when order gets sent to their classroom, the class teacher will hold it for them for the next time they are in.

P & C

## Tamworth South Public School P&C

### May P&C Meeting

Our next P&C meeting will be held on **Wednesday 16 August 2023** at 4:00pm in the school library.

A gold coin donation is all that is required to become a member. It is a great way to meet new people and become involved at your child's school.

We do not require a full time commitment - all the P&C would ask is if you could spare a couple hours each month. If you would like to offer your some of your time, or get some information, please speak to Louisa Devine who can be found in the Canteen most mornings.

***We would love to see you at there!!!***

P & C Association



tspspandc@gmail.com

**P & C**



## Canteen News

Orders after the **9:30am** morning bell will only be able to be sandwiches.

We are now able to have volunteers back, however some days will still only have one staff member on site, so we appreciate your patience and understanding.

We encourage all to utilize the Flexi School App, it is very easy to use and convenient.

If you need to cancel a Flexi-School order, please do so before 9:00am, go into your order and press cancel, you will be refunded through Flexi themselves back into your account, we are not able to cancel the order ourselves as this is your individual account.

Please be aware that once an order is cooked, we are not able to refund if the child is not at school or leaves early, so we need to know as soon as possible, if your child has a sibling, we will offer it to them so it does not go to waste if they wish to have it.

We can hold some food over for the next day once the student is back at school and we will work with you as much as we can, however we cannot do this for anything hot as this would violate health and safety regulations.

We would like to thank you all for your patience and understanding and we appreciate your continued support of our canteen.

P & C

## Uniform Shop through Flexischools

*If you are placing an order through Flexischools you will need to place the order by 5:00pm the day before.*

You will need to open your App

- Choose "shop"
- Click green order button
- Choose your delivery date
- Click through the categories to find what you need
- Confirm your order
- Choose your payment type

Your order with your invoice will be sent to your child's classroom to take home.

Please phone 6765 8426 with any queries. Please leave a message at the office and I will get in contact with you as soon as I can.

If you require an exchange of sizes please keep all tags on the items if you wish to exchange.

**Please note :-That cash is being accepted at the Canteen.**

Thank you

Michelle Weber  
Canteen Manager





**Year 7, 2024**

**Spaces are filling fast! Don't miss your spot!**

To secure placement for 2024 please return your enrolment forms ASAP!

In order to confirm your enrolment we need to receive the following:

- Enrolment form
- Birth certificate
- 100 points of residential address proof
- Mobile Phone policy form
- White contact information card
- Scripture participation note

**If you have not received your confirmation letter with orientation details, we are missing one or more of the above.**



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**Open between 7am-8:40am and 3:10pm-6pm**

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**Kindergarten 2024 Information Night**  
Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> August  
5:30pm BBQ for the family  
6:00pm Start  
Kindergarten Classrooms  
Entry via WOODWARD Avenue

To RSVP before Monday 28 August or for more information, please contact the school office on 67658426



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**REGISTRATIONS NOW OPEN**

SEASON 2023 - 24

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- Improve your physical fitness and mental wellbeing.
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