



Tinonee Public School Times

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Principal – Karen Austin

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Term 1 Week 8

Editorial

What an amazing week it has been!

It all started last Friday with the Cross Country followed by the Colour Explosion. The students and staff all had a wonderful time and it was great to see so many parents able to attend and show their support. Thank you to Mr Saville for the organisation that took place for these events to occur and for all staff supporting on the day. One thing I have discovered...PINK is very difficult to get out of hair!

Tuesday saw the first school disco for 2019 being held in the school hall. I would like to thank the staff for attending and making the evening such a success and I'm sure the children had a great time. Thank you to Mrs Elliott for organising the event.

While the Disco was being held we also had our Annual General Meeting of our P &C. I would like to firstly thank the outgoing committee for the years of service they have given to Tinonee Public School and I know that the school has benefited greatly over the years from the wonderful support from Tammie Tang, our outgoing President and Donna Stirrup, the outgoing Treasurer. Both of these are big shoes to fill but I am confident that Kellie Coe our new President and Kirstie Willmot our new Treasurer will do an admirable job. I would also like to welcome some new committee members in Kelly Zammit and Liz Bonanno.

A 'Tell Them From Me' survey is currently underway for all our students. This is a survey to help plan for our school. The students have a first hand opportunity to say how they feel about certain aspects of school life and what we can improve on. A survey for parents will come out as the year progresses and staff will also complete a survey.

Something to ask your child at the end of their day...
'What questions did you ask in class today?'
'Who inspired you today?'

Have a great week.
Karen Austin
Principal

What's On?

22nd Mar KR Assembly 12.15pm

22nd Mar PSSA Cricket

12th Apr Easter Hat Parade

Colour Explosion

The Colour explosion was held last Friday 15th March. It was a huge success. Could students please return sponsorship forms to the school by Friday 29th March so prizes and money can be processed.

Regards
Mr Saville

Purple Day Tuesday 26th March

Purple day is a global initiative dedicated to raising epilepsy awareness. Purple is the internationally recognised colour for epilepsy, lavender. **Students are encouraged to wear purple for a gold coin donation.** Students will be talking with their class about Epilepsy and how it can affect their family and friends who are living with the condition. For more information

<https://www.epilepsy.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2017/12/Fact-Sheet-Epilepsy-and-Education.pdf>



We are still missing a large amount of orange school sports shirts. Can you please check and make sure you don't have any at home.
Thank you

BBCWEC Program

On Wednesday 27th March, K-2 students will be participating in the blow, breathe, cough, exercise, wash and chew program. This program involves helping children become aware of self-care and hygiene in the upcoming cold and flu season but aiming to establish a regular routine where children use the BBCWC programme on a daily basis. Mrs Robyn Herps, Itinerant Hearing Teacher will be working with teachers and students during these lessons.

Tinonee vs. Barrington Round 1 State PSSA Tennis knockout

The Tinonee tennis team consisting of Brock, Alex, Tyrease, Charlotte, Jessica and Claire played against Barrington Public School in the first round of State PSSA Tennis knockout held at Gloucester tennis courts on Monday 18th March, 2019.

Alex played well and won his singles 6 games to 0. Brock played well and narrowly lost his singles match 6 games to 3. Charlotte won her singles match and played very well. She defeated her Barrington opponent 6 games to 1. Jessica played some good tennis but went down in her singles match 6 games to 3. Alex and Brock teamed up well in the boys doubles, winning 6 games to 2. Jessica and Charlotte teamed up in the girl's doubles, playing a tight match, losing 6 games to 3. Alex and Charlotte teamed up the mixed doubles, playing some good volleys and serving well to win 6 games to 3. Tyrease and Claire teamed up in the other mixed doubles. They played some good tennis and went down 6 games to 1. It was 4 sets all, but Tinonee won overall as we won 35 games to 30 games. Tinonee now take on Booral Public School in round 2 of the PSSA Tennis knockout and it will be a Tinonee home game. Well done team Tinonee!

Thanks to Christie, Amy and Peter for transporting the students. Good luck Tinonee in our next match against Booral PS.

**NATIONAL YOUNG LEADERS DAY**

On Sunday morning 20 captains from all around the Manning Valley travelled 4 hours in a minibus to Sydney, for the National Young Leaders Day.

When we arrived we quickly found our rooms, grabbed our wallets and set off towards Darling Harbour. That afternoon we explored Darling Harbour. Everyone enjoyed watching the buskers; another favourite was the British Lolly Shop. Many people bought the second sourest lollies in the world. At around 7:00pm we started walking towards Chinatown. As we arrived we walked towards an amazing food court with all Chinese food. Everybody from our school ate traditional Chinese food. After we ate dinner we walked back to our motel rooms. When we got back to our motel we had our showers and we relaxed in the TV room. At 9:00pm we got told to go to bed so we brushed our teeth and then went to bed. The next morning we got on the bus and set off for the ICC Theatre. We arrived to see lots of people there almost 6,000! On the inside of the building we were sent to door four. The hosts were Liv from the ABS and DJ Raf. The speakers were Tim Diamond who spoke about his Cotton On Foundations and how they are hoping to stop poverty in Uganda. Tamzan spoke next and she is an author. She talked about her books and her action packed life. We had a short lunch break, and then returned to the theatre for the next speaker, Cate Campbell. She was definitely our favourite, inspiring and amazing. Holly Ferling the Australian cricketer spoke about having a positive attitude event though injury was a big problem. After all the amazing speakers, we took our belongings back to the mini bus and set off back to Taree. In conclusion we all enjoyed this amazing opportunity and we all agree that we learnt a lot.

By

Brock, Lily, Hayden, Matilda





Cross Country

2019 Tinonee Cross Country

Event	Girls	Boys
5 years	1. Halle 2. Isabella	1. Darcy 2. Riley
6 years	1. Charlotte 2. Felicity 3. Lilly 4. Willow 5. Scarlett 6. Tylissa	1. Brodie 2. Noah 3. Declan 4. Liam 5. Preston 6. Koen
7 years	1. Marlie 2. Gabby 3. Jade 4. Lara 5. Bella 6. Aeralou	1. Noah 2. James 3. Campbell 4. Daniel 5. Ennis 6. Teil
8/9 years	1. Jhardeah 2. Maggie 3. Isabella 4. Nahlah 5. Aria 6. Zoe	1. Luca 2. Gabe 3. Kobi 4. Kade 5. Taze 6. Riley
10 years	1. Tahlia 2. Lily 3. Brianna 4. Abbie 5. Madalyn 6. Jacinta	1. Mason 2. Oliver 3. Chase 4. Nate 5. Sean 6. Zayne
11 years	1. Lily 2. Elise 3. Lucy 4. Lily 5. Abigail 6. Leah	1. Lleyton 2. Kody 3. Tristan 4. Jarrah 5. Tyler 6. Charlie
12/13 years	1. Claire 2. Jessica 3. Brynalee 4. Matilda	1. Hayden 2. Ryan 3. Brock 4. Tyrease 5. Spencer 6. Jai

Please note: Top 4 placegetters in 8/9 years to 12/13 years automatically qualify for the Zone Cross country held early in term 2.



The **P&C AGM** was held on Tuesday night. I would like to thank everyone who attended.

We have formed a new committee for 2019. I would like to thank the outgoing committee for all their support and assistance throughout 2018 and congratulate the newly formed committee on their new roles for 2019.

The New Committee is as follows:

President: Kellee Coe

Vice President 1: Jason Ryan

Vice President 2: Liz Bonanno

Secretary: Kelly Zammit

Treasurer: Kirstie Wilmot

Fundraising: Ellie Day

Uniform Shop: Amy Anderson and Kirstie Wilmot

Canteen Supervisor: Michelle Swannack

The P&C also set the Voluntary Contributions for 2019 at

\$25 per student

\$50 per family

These funds are used to purchase books and equipment for the school library.

Please support your new P&C Committee throughout 2019.

FUNDRAISING

Thank you to the students that attended the Disco on Tuesday night. They all had an amazing time.

Thank you to the Staff Jo, Belinda, and Chelsea, who supervised the event.

EASTER RAFFLE

Raffle tickets have been sent out with this newsletter.

Tickets will be \$1 and drawn at the Easter Hat Parade.

Our Hot X Bun order forms have been sent out in the previous newsletter, please fill in and return by Thursday 4th April with payment.

We are seeking donations for our Easter Raffle. All donations can be left at the front office ready for putting the raffle together.

This is a very popular fundraising event and we would like to thank our parent body for your continued support of all our fundraising efforts. As you are aware all funds are used by all students at Tinonee School.

With the Funds raised from the Easter Raffle we will be purchasing a new set of Sand Toys for the Sand Pit.

Our **Sushi Lunch** on Tuesday was a great success with some children trying Sushi for the first time! When I walked around to see what the kids thought I was given lots of thumbs up, so looks like we will definitely be doing Sushi again. My special thanks to Amanda Cross, Kelly Smith, Elizabeth Walker and Liz Halfacre for taking on the challenge of helping role all the Sushi. Well done ladies!!



Vegetable week! 1st – 5th April

Only 5% of NSW children are eating enough vegetables? In order to work towards improving this percentage, we need to increase children's knowledge, exposure and positive attitudes towards vegetables.

As part of the NSW primary schools promotion, our Canteen will be offering special meals made using vegetables during that week. Meal ideas include Vegetable Lasagna, Pumpkin scones, Spinach & cheese scrolls...watch for more detail!



Michelle Swannack
Canteen Manager

Canteen Volunteer Roster for next week

Friday 22 nd	Michelle, Judy, Vicki & Jodi
Monday	Kelly & Elizabeth
Tuesday	Amanda & Lauren
Wednesday	Liz & Kerryanne
Thursday	Michelle & Judy Wasley
Friday 29 th	Michelle, Judy, Vicki & Bronwyn

Tinonee venue begins on Tuesday the 26th of March



Day: Tuesday

Location: Tinonee Memorial Hall & School of Arts
Manchester Street, Tinonee 2430

Times: 9.00am to 3.00pm

Fees: \$11.00 to \$16.00 per day.

Flying Fox Mobile Preschool provides an educational Preschool Program for three to five year old children.

Educators hold either a degree in Education (Early Childhood) or a Diploma in Children's Services.

Telephone: 0428 534884 or Wingham Preschool: 65534884

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