



Tingha Public School Tinny's News

'Learning from the past - Valuing the present - Creating the future'

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Totally Proud & Strong

Week 10 Term 2

21st June 2021

Every minute of every day counts

Calendar of Upcoming Events

25/6 - Bacon & Egg Breakfast

25/6 - Last day of Term

Term 3

12/7 - Staff Development Day

13/7 - Students return

Visitors to the school

All visitors to the school must present to the front office and follow the protocols displayed including scanning QR Code. This process will continue until further notice.

Updating contacts

If your details have changed eg: phone number, address or emergency contacts. Please ring the office to update on 67 233 437. Thank you



PBL Award Recipients



Merit Award Recipients



Student of the Week and PBL Bear Recipients

Principal's Report

Student reports and parent/ teacher interviews

Student reports were issued today as part of parent teacher interviews. These interviews were a great opportunity to discuss your child's progress with their class teacher. If you were unable to attend the interviews, your child's report will be posted in the mail.

Athletics

This year we will be joining with the Sapphire Small Schools for our annual school athletics carnival. This will be held early next term at the Inverell Sporting Complex. Notes will be sent home in the first week of next term.

NAIDOC Week

Tingha Public School will celebrate NAIDOC Week next term when the weather warms up. It is hoped that other Sapphire Small Schools will join us to celebrate this very important week.

AEO position

It is with a heavy heart that I inform you that Preston will be leaving us at the end of the term for 18 months. He will be filling the Relieving Aboriginal Community Liaison Officer (ACLO) position based in Moree. Early next term an Expression of Interest for the AEO position at Tingha Public School will be circulated.

It is hard to believe that this is the last week for Term 2. I would like to thank all the staff and students for their commitment to learning this term. I would also like to thank all the parents, caregivers and community members who continue to support the endeavours of the school. As I say "it takes a community to raise a child" and we all need to be in it together.

I would like to wish everyone a lovely winter break and I look forward to welcoming all students back on Tuesday 13th July.

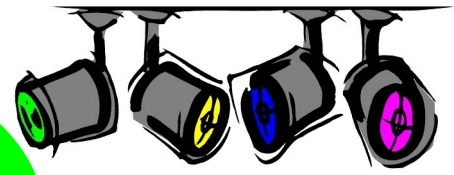
Melinda Partridge
Principal

NAIDOC Week Art Competition Award Recipients





SPOTLIGHT ON 4/5/6



A quick snapshot of some of the learning that is happening with Year 4/5/6.



The Year 6 students competently draw on their knowledge and skills to help peer tutor the younger students in reading and comprehension tasks.



Everyday the students read a variety of books or reading cards and answer questions to demonstrate their understanding of texts.



As part of our science unit 'Earth and Space' the students have been investigating the planets. We wanted to see the affect the Sun has on Earth. So we decided to build our own Solar ovens. A lot of fun was had by all in building these ovens.



We learned about variables (things that could effect our experiment). We discovered that testing our solar ovens in winter, especially in the week of snow, didn't give us enough strong sunlight to heat the ovens properly. The ovens melted the margarine but we opted to eat the marshmallows instead. We have kept a few boxes so we can repeat the experiment in the summer. Thanks to those who kindly brought in the pizza boxes.



Netball Clinic



This term our students have been involved in netball clinics delivered by Netball NSW. Students have learned how to defend, block and shoot for goals. Not running with the ball has been a new learning experience for our students who love their basketball. We would like to thank Haylee for coaching all our students.





HOW MUCH SLEEP SHOULD CHILDREN GET?



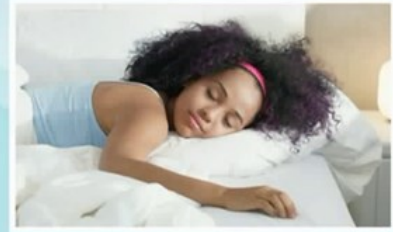
Preschool
(ages 3 to 5)

10-13 hours



Elementary School
(ages 6 to 13)

9-11 hours



High School
(ages 14 to 17)

8-10 hours



EVERY DAY COUNTS...

A day here or there doesn't seem like much, but...

When your child misses just...	that equals...	which is...	and therefore, from Kindy to Year 12, that is...	This means that the best your child can achieve is...
1 day each fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 ½ years of school	Equal to finishing Year 11
1 day a week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	Over 2 ½ years of school	Equal to finishing Year 10
2 days a week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	Over 5 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 7
3 days a week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly 8 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 4

Give your child every chance to succeed...

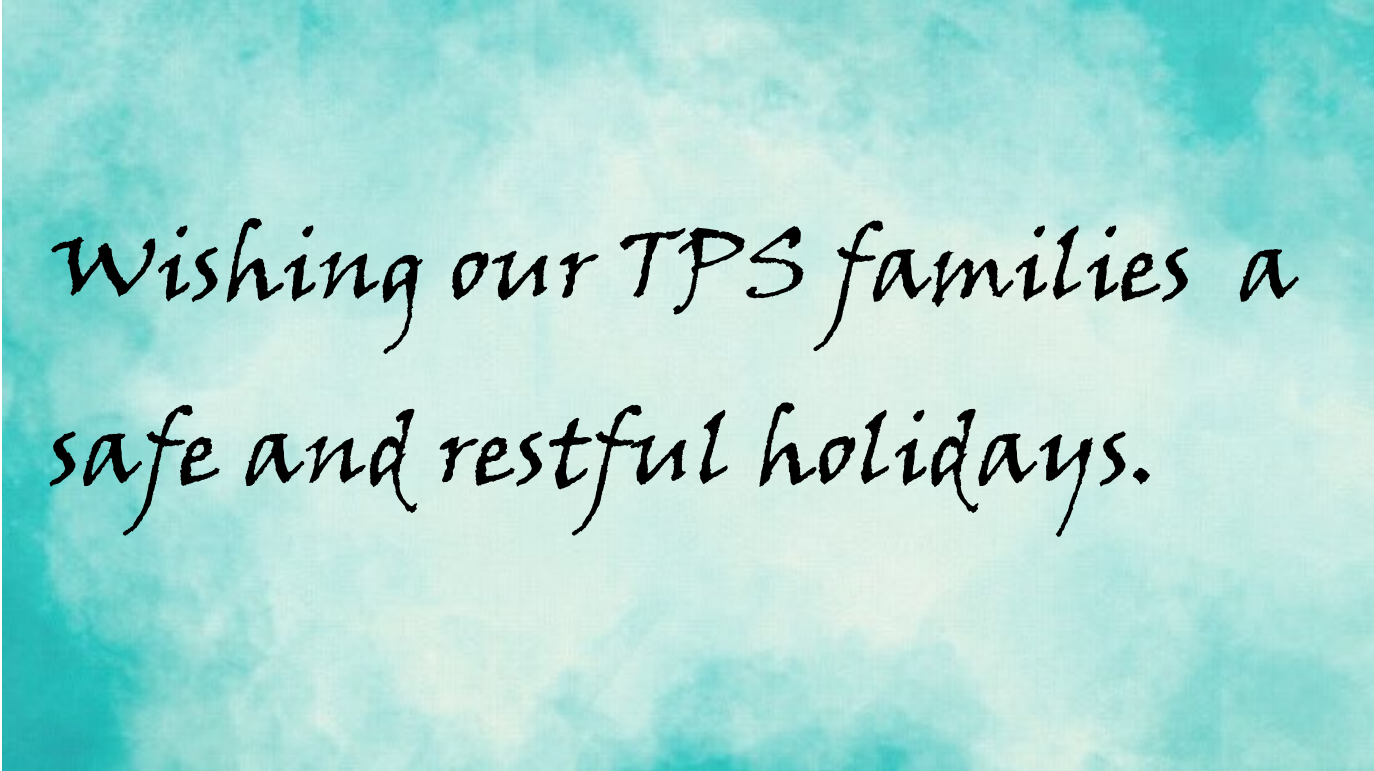


Canteen News

Thank you to the families that are supporting the Canteen by ordering lunches every week. If you are interested in volunteering one day a month (depending on numbers), please phone and speak with Mrs Partridge. A Volunteers Working with Children Check is required, this is a free check. If you need help obtaining one please let us know as we may be able to help. Your cooperation in filling the bags out that are sent home for your child/children before they attend the Canteen is appreciated. If you do not have the exact money for the order, any change can be added to the Canteen book beside your child's name to be used at a later date.

A reminder that a **NO BOOKING UP** policy is in place for all.

Parents if you are wanting to come to the canteen to order lunches please be advised you are to sign in at the office with a QR Code and sign the visitor register before visiting the canteen.



*Wishing our TPS families a
safe and restful holidays.*