



Tingha Public School Tinny's News

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

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Week 8 Term 4

27th November 2023

Every minute of every day counts

Calendar of Upcoming Events

Wed 29/11 - Christmas scripture concert
Thursday 30/11 - Yr 5 Captains Speeches and voting

Fri 1/12 - Swim school starts

Mon 4/12 - Celebration Assembly

Tue 5/12 - Swim School continues

Friday 8/12 - Last day of swim school

Fri 8/12 - Reports sent home

Tues 12/12 - Year 6 Farewell

Wed 13/12 - Cultural excursion

Thur 14/12 - P&C Colour Run

Fri 15/12 - Last day of term for students

Mon 18/12 - Last day of term for staff

2024

Tue 30/1/2024 - Staff return

Thur 1/2/2024 - Students return

Visitors to the school

All visitors to the school must present to the front office and sign in using the school check-in.

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.

With the changing of the seasons, it is important that you monitor your child for any health conditions eg: headlice, ringworms, school sores, worms, colds & flus and provide adequate treatment to ensure they maintain their health as well as the health of fellow students and staff.



PBL Award recipient

Principal's Award & PBL Bear Recipients



Principal's Report

Dr Kate Bricknell

This week we welcome Dr. Kate Bricknell back to our school. Kate has been working closely with the staff over the last 18 months to provide high-impact professional learning for the new English syllabus documents. For this visit, she will be working in the classrooms to deliver some demonstration lessons. We all love when Kate comes to visit!!!!

Christmas Concert

This Wednesday, our students will participate in an end-of-year Christmas Concert hosted by our scripture teachers. A big thank you to our scripture teachers for organising this fun event and for their continued support of our school.

Year 5 Captains Speeches

This Thursday, our Year 5 students will deliver their 2024 School Captain's Speech. I always look forward to listening to these as the students outline their strengths and expand on the reasons, they would make a great leader of our school. Voting will also occur on Thursday with the 2024 Captains announced at our Celebration Assembly.

Swim School

Starting this Friday, students will participate in a five-day intensive swimming program. This will involve two lessons each day at the Guyra Pool due to the Inverell Pool upgrade. It is wonderful that we can offer this program as it provides essential water safety and swimming skills under the guidance of swim instructors and staff.

P&C Raffle

Thank you to everyone who has already bought tickets in our P&C Christmas Raffle. Tickets are still on sale and will be available for purchase at Celebration Assembly next Monday. The raffle will be drawn at the conclusion of the assembly.

Celebration Assembly

I am really looking forward to our annual Celebration Assembly to be held next Monday the 4th December. This is a very prestigious day on the school calendar. This is our opportunity to recognise our student's achievements and progress this year. I hope to see many parents, grandparents and community members support our students and school by attending this event.

Semester Two Student Reports

Semester Two student reports will be issued at the end of next week.

Margaret Kaden

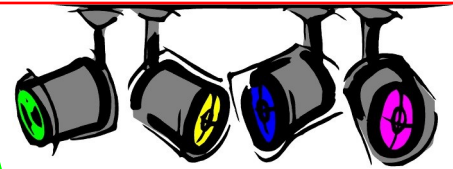
I would like to recognise the selflessness of Margaret Kaden. As you would be aware Marg volunteers her time to organise weekly raffles with the proceeds going to the school. Her major raffle will occur on Saturday 9th December. As a school, we appreciate all of Marg's efforts (over many years) and those within the community who support her raffles.

Last weeks of the term

Over the last three weeks of this term, there are a number of events planned. Please take the time to read the upcoming date's column. Also be on the lookout for permission notes in your child's bag.

I look forward to another very busy but enjoyable fortnight at Tingha Public School.

Melinda Partridge
Principal



SPOTLIGHT ON 3/4/5

Monster Chef writing

Monster Chef

Chef Marcel is sad when he doesn't scare kids.

Marcel is happy when he makes monster food that is slimy.

By Richard Blair

Monster chef

Marcel is sad when he couldn't scare the kids.

Marcel is happy when he is cooking monster food.



Izealiah Jerrard

Monster Chef

Marcel the Monster is sad because he could not scare kids.

He made dinner and put it in his red lunchbox, it scared all the kids. He was a happy monster.

Starlena Paxton



Copeton Dam

Last weekend me Zahkyrus and Gerald went to Copeton Dam. We went to Inverell side that has the water park. We went in the canoes.

By Izeakel Washington






MONSTER SHOP

STARTERS

WORM SALAD
LITTLE WORMS WITH LETTUCE
AND GROSS EGGS

FISH SCALE FRIED BREAD


MAIN MEAL

COW POO RISsoles
WITH EARWAX
COVERED BROCCOLI.

DESSERT.

CAT HAIR BALLS
WITH MOULDY
APPLE PIE



RICHARD'S HOMEMADE DELIGHTS

NASTY NIBBLES

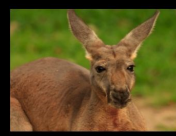

Starters
Roadkill Kangaroo Soup and mouldy

DINNER OF THE DEAD

Rat Burger with mouldy cheese

WITCH SWEETS

Rat cake with spider web ice cream.




The Gross Restaurant

Starters

Rat soup
Big juicy rats with bunny ears and sour milk
Cockroach salad
Cockroach cow poo balls with broccoli



Main meal

Worm eggs
Salty rotten eggs with
worm spaghetti

Dessert

Dead frog cupcake
with stewed bug
sauce.
Octopus pie with sou
pepper milkshake.



BOO!

3/4/5's
Menus for the
Monster Chef

Writing poems that include our senses.

The Puddle

He felt happy
He smelt the rain
Watching droplets fall
He heard the puddles splashing
Tasting the muddy puddles
Izealiah

The Puddle

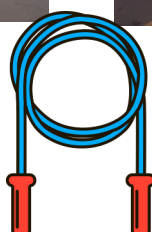
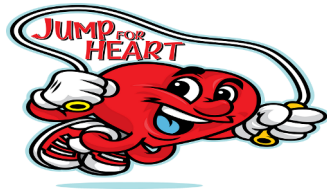
He felt happy
And he smelt the mud
Watching the droplets fall
He heard the water falling down
Tasting the next big puddle.
Starlena

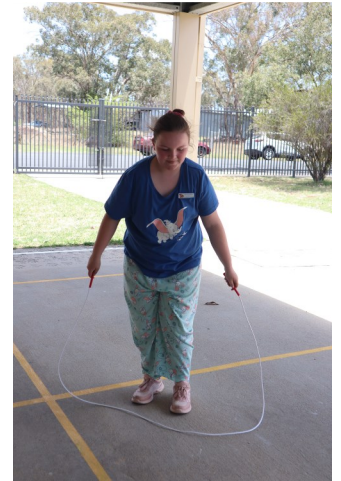
The Puddle

He felt happy
And he smelt the rain
Watching the droplets
He heard his gumboots splashing
the water
Now tasting his new adventure.
Richard



Jump Rope for Heart & Pyjama Day





Canteen News

The Canteen will be operating again this year on Wednesdays. There may be the occasion when the canteen will be closed due to volunteer commitments. If there are any parents/caregivers who would be able to help in the canteen for a few hours (8.30am to 12noon), please contact the school and speak with Mrs Partridge or Dawn Pottie our P&C President.

A reminder that we do not sell hot food at recess as the canteen is closed at that time. Lunch bags are sent home every Tuesday when the canteen is operating. Please have lunch orders and money in by no later than 9.30am to ensure lunches are cooked properly.

There is a NO booking up policy in the canteen. All orders need to be paid for Wednesday mornings before 10am.

P&C News

The P&C are holding a Mega Christmas Raffle. Tickets are \$2 each or 3 for \$5. Tickets are available for purchase at the Red Rose Café, Metro Petroleum Tingha and School. Raffle drawn 4th December.

Tingha Public School P&C Association

MEGA Christmas Raffle



- 1st Prize:** Microwave valued at \$400 donated by Harvey Norman
- 2nd Prize:** Welding Helmet valued at \$150 donated by Sapphire City Steel
- 3rd Prize:** Gift Pack valued at \$100 donated by Campbell & Freebairn
- 4th Prize:** \$100 Voucher donated by Inverell Bearing Centre
- 5th Prize:** Hair Care Pack valued at \$60 donated by Babs Lorraine
- 6th Prize:** Picnic Blanket Valued at \$100 donated by Magnolia Home & Gifts
- 7th Prize:** Massage Voucher valued at \$50 donated by Massage with Sharni
- 8th Prize:** Voucher valued at \$50 and Hat donated by Inverell H Hardware
- 9th Prize:** Voucher valued at \$50 & Heart Freckle donated by Freckles
- 10th Prize:** Scented Candle valued at \$50 donated by D&G Jewellers
- 11th Prize:** 4 Person Day Pass valued at \$60 donated by Green Valley Farm
- 12th Prize:** Ladies Hair Voucher valued up to \$55 donated by Tempest Hair Design
- 13th Prize:** Voucher valued at \$50 donated by Vince Strang Motorcycles
- 14th Prize:** Voucher valued at \$50 donated by Hey Joe's
- 15th Prize:** Fuel Voucher valued at \$50 donated by Metro Petroleum Tingha
- 16th Prize:** Voucher valued at \$50 donated by Sportspower Inverell
- 17th Prize:** Screwdriver set valued at \$50 donated by North West Fencing
- 18th Prize:** Lures valued at \$50 donated by Posties Outdoor & Caravans
- 19th Prize:** Mermaid Hair Voucher valued at \$40 donated by Yuka at Y8
- 20th Prize:** Glowing skin care pack valued at \$40 donated by Dittons Pharmacy
- 21st Prize:** Pot Person Cow valued at \$40 donated by P&C member
- 22nd Prize:** \$25 Meat Voucher donated by No Bull Butchery & Xmas Fairy valued at \$15 donated by Designed by Durand
- 23rd Prize:** Mermaid Hair Voucher valued at \$40 donated by Yuka Y8
- 24th Prize:** Plier set valued at \$32 donated by Arlingtons
- 25th Prize:** Toolkit valued at \$30 donated by Supercheap Inverell
- 26th Prize:** Mermaid Hair Voucher valued at \$40 donated by Yuka Y8
- 27th Prize:** Voucher valued at \$25 donated by Sunderlands
- 28th Prize:** Voucher valued at \$25 donated by Bridge Coffee Lounge
- 29th Prize:** Meat Voucher valued at \$25 donated by No Bull Butchery
- 30th Prize:** Voucher valued at \$25 donated by Complete Angler
- 31st Prize:** Voucher valued at \$25 donated by Sunderlands
- 32nd Prize:** Voucher valued at \$25 donated by Bridge Coffee Lounge
- 33rd Prize:** Meat Voucher valued at \$25 donated by No Bull Butchery
- 34th Prize:** Voucher valued at \$20 donated by Complete Angler
- 35th Prize:** Meat Voucher valued at \$25 donated by No Bull Butchery
- 36th Prize:** Voucher valued at \$30 donated by Red Rose Café Tingha
- 37th Prize:** Rocky Road Wreath valued at \$28 donated by Made by Candy
- 38th Prize:** CD donated by Murrigeejar Mob

Saturday Meat raffles

Over numerous years Margaret Kaden has organised the Saturday meat raffles at the Royal Hotel Tingha with all the proceeds being donated to the school. Margaret has again this year run these raffles, with **Saturday 9th December** being the last one for the year. On this day after the meat raffles all tickets from throughout the year are combined and a draw will take place with numerous prizes to be won for those who have supported Margaret and the school every Saturday. We wish to thank Margaret for her dedication to TPS.

Margaret with the donation from the Saturday meat raffles in 2021.






Regular school attendance

Regular school attendance, including coming on time, is essential for school learning success. Regular night time and morning routines, such as bedtimes and meal times, assist students to be ready to learn when they step into the classroom. It also ensures they can maximise their time in the classroom for educational benefit.

Sleep

For children to learn and grow at their best they need a night time routine to ensure they get enough sleep so they can concentrate on their learning in class and make good decisions with their behaviour. Teachers have noticed that a number of students have been coming to school extremely tired, even to the point of needing a sleep during the day. It is important that you support your child/children in getting enough sleep every night.

HOW MUCH SLEEP SHOULD CHILDREN GET?

		
Preschool (ages 3 to 5)	Elementary School (ages 6 to 13)	High School (ages 14 to 17)
10-13 hours	9-11 hours	8-10 hours

