



Tumbarumba Public School

*Nurturing Tomorrow's
Citizens Today*

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GRAPEVINE

The GRAPEVINE can be accessed through the school website: www.tumbarumba-chools.nsw.edu.au OR on the Skool Loop app. Visit and join our Facebook Group Tumbarumba Public School.



Principal's Message

We are now in the end weeks of our school year with our final activities and events being held once again under Level 3 restrictions.

Presentation Day. The 2021 Presentation Ceremony on the 8th of December at 1pm will be held outdoors under the COLA with students seated in class groups. Fully vaccinated guest presenters and parents in a role as a presenter have been formally invited to attend in line with DoE restrictions. We will be sharing the event with ZOOM which might present some challenges being outdoors, but we will do our best to enable parents and families to share by streaming the event live. Details and the link will be sent out next Tuesday.

Students are asked to wear full school summer uniform so time to polish your shoes and iron your shirts and dresses!

Year 6 Farewell is proceeding in the school hall this year on Thursday 9th December, in alignment with DoE restrictions.



Year 6 parents are receiving letters today with information about both the presentation day and farewell. Please return relevant slips as soon as possible.

Calendar of Events

Fri 3 Dec	Water Safety Program concludes
Tue 7 Dec	2/3PR & 3/4M Games Day
Wed 8 Dec	Presentation Ceremony, 1pm
Thu 9 Dec	2/3PR & 3/4M Activity Day Year 6 Farewell, 6pm
Fri 10 Dec	Stage 2 excursion Laurel Hill
Tue 14 Dec	Mini fete
Wed 15 Dec	Class parties
Thu 16 Dec	PBL reward day including pool parties - mufti dress Last day of term and school year

**PBL Focus for the fortnight:
At Tumbarumba Public School we keep our hands and feet to ourselves
and solve problems the right way.**

Tumbarumba Primary School Community acknowledges the Ngarigo people as the first caretakers of this land and respectfully recognises their continuing connection to the land, mountains, waters and community.

RESPECT

RESILIENCE

RESPONSIBILITY

Stage 2 teachers have organised three days of activities as students were unable to attend their 2022 Borambola excursion in Week 1 due to restrictions. Year 2 students in 2/3PR will not be attending the day trip to Laurel Hill, however will join with their class in other activities. A note has been sent home with information, payment request for Laurel Hill and permission slips. Thank you to their teachers and the office for organising these fun activities. Thanks also to the P&C who assist in paying for the costs of excursions for all students every year.

Swimming lessons are proceeding successfully in beautiful sunny weather after the wet days last Thursday and Friday. Our thanks again to our wonderful swimming team Mrs Bradley and Mrs Brennan.

Our annual Mini Fete organised by Stage 2 will be held on Tuesday 14th of December. This wonderful day is run by the students for the students and is always one of my favourite days of the year. Parents will be unable to attend but are asked to send money with their children to purchase items. Funds go towards assisting in supporting costs for our school excursions.

End of year class parties will be held on Wednesday 15th of December.

Our PBL celebration day will be held on the last day for students - Thursday 16th December.

Last day for staff will be 17th December.

Classes for 2022 are presently being organised with high consideration to individual student needs. We are welcoming Mrs Towse to a new role, Assistant Principal Curriculum and Instruction. In this role she will be collaborating and supporting teachers daily in their classrooms. She will be a strong presence in the new kindergarten classes to support our teachers and students. Our congratulations to Mr Jason Paull who has been appointed to a permanent position at Narrabri PS. He has filled many roles over the years and will be sadly missed but we wish him the very best in his new school. We do not announce new classes or teachers until the new year as adjustments often need to be made due to unknown numbers of students enrolling at the beginning of the year.

2022 School dates:

- Staff development Days Friday 28/01/2022 and Monday 31/01/2022
- Years 1-6 begin Tuesday 1/02/2022
- Kindergarten: Best Start interviews: 1st and 2nd of February (letters with times coming home soon)
- The school office will be open for uniform purchases on Monday 31/02/22 from 2-3pm.
- TPS swimming carnival will be on Friday 11th of February for students 8 yrs and over who can swim a lap of the Tumbarumba pool and 5-7 years from lunch time for lunch and games

Jenny Lumsden
Principal

JANUARY INTENSE SWIMMING PROGRAM

If you are interested in your children participating in January swimming lessons please call down to the pool and or phone the pool on 6941 465 to register.
Lessons run from the 10-21 January. \$55 per week. Children can do one week or both weeks.

COMMUNITY NEWS

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All community news needs to be sent to school on alternative Mondays (odd weeks). Notices can be emailed to: tumbarumba-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au (please phone to confirm you have done this).

A REMINDER TO PLEASE KEEP THEM AS SHORT AS POSSIBLE.

TPS Disclaimer

Articles included in the Community News are accepted in good faith by TPS and published as a community service. No responsibility will be taken by TPS for any inaccuracies included. Readers will be responsible for making their own assessment of the information provided.

COOKBOOK \$25 – will make a great Christmas gift! *TPS P&C thank the following for their sponsorship:*

Ray White, Tumba Hotel, Brennan's Log Contract, PRD, Hammonds Hardware, Bendigo Community Bank, HB Accounting, Naturally Bec - Rebecca Clarke, Bush Chemist, Tumbarumba Post Office, Jarvis Family & an anonymous donation. Their donation to help cover the cost of printing is greatly appreciated.

CHRISTMAS P&C RAFFLE

There is still time to send in your Christmas themed item for the Christmas Raffle.

Don't forget to return tickets and money to go in the draw of the raffle. Extra tickets available from the front office.

Tickets and item donation to be in by Monday 6th December.

Tickets: \$2 ea or 3 for \$5

Tumbarumba Public School P&C CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

Tickets \$2 each or 3 for \$5

Please return tickets with correct money back to school in an envelope clearly labelled P&C Christmas Raffle by Monday 6th December.

Raffle drawn at the school fete on Tuesday 14th December

Each child is asked to donate a CHRISTMAS THEMED item towards the hampers

Donation Example - Chocolates, art & craft items, Christmas decorations, books, toys, games, pre-packed foods etc



COOKBOOK PRE-ORDERS & PAYMENT

NAME : _____

STUDENT NAME: _____

STUDENT CLASS: _____ QTY of BOOKS: _____

PLEASE NOTE: PAYMENT AT SCHOOL IS CASH ONLY SO PLEASE SEND IN THE CORRECT MONEY IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO THE P&C. DIRECT DEPOSIT AVAILABLE

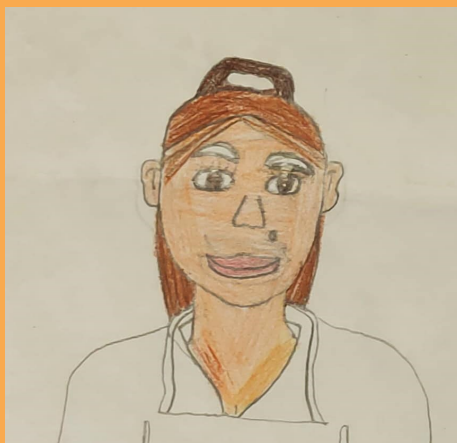
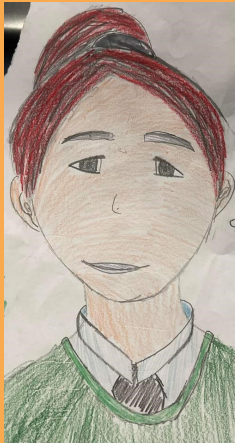
REGARDS, TPS P&C

5/6 Rosewood Mock Court Case - Identity Theft

During term 4, there was a request from students to hold a court case regarding the identity theft of another student on one of the learning platforms on the computers.



Students worked very hard on their arguments and questioning. We also came up with a list of roles needed in a court room, such as lawyers, jury, sketch artists and clerks.



Students took their roles very seriously including being sworn in to enter information and referring to the judge at all times by starting with "Your Honour".



It was a great event for our classroom to undertake and the roles and procedures of a formal event occurring. I was very proud of the way all students conducted themselves in acting as though it was a real court case. Well done 5/6R.
Mr Paull



Tumbarumba Little Athletics

Important Season Dates for 2021/2022 Season

1. Street Stall – TBA
2. Inter Club Basic Skills Information / Refresher for Parents - TBA
3. Registration Pack collection – 7th December 2021
4. First Day of Club Season – 7th December 2021
5. Break for Christmas Holidays - 14th Dec 2021
6. Return for 2nd half of season – 18th January 2022
7. Last Day of Competition – 29th March 2022
8. TLAC Fun Night & Presentation – 5th April 2022
9. Inter Club Multi Event – TBA

CLUB NIGHTS:

Every Tuesday at 4:45pm for sign in & warmup
Competition begins at 5pm and finishes approximately
6:30pm

FREE TRIAL WITH TLAC: 2 consecutive weeks ONLY
7th & 14th December ONLY.

TLAC IS AVAILABLE FOR CHILDREN, AGES 3 - 17

**For further details, contact Registrar Gemma Bremner
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2021/2022 SEASON FEES Registration

**Tiny Tots
(Age 3-5)
\$80**

**General
U6 - U17 \$90**

**CLUB
UNIFORM
SINGLET
\$35**

**ACTIVE KIDS
VOUCHERS
ACCEPTED**