Participate with Enthusiasm in a Positive and Caring Environment

TUGGERAWONG PUBLIC SCHOOL

21 July 2014

SCHOOL SECURITY – 1300 880 121
**AWARDS**

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**PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE**

21 July 2014

It was a strong, settled start to the term and I enjoyed walking around the rooms seeing children working hard and actively engaged in their own learning.

I have spoken before about the need for our children to build resilience. Part of building resilience is giving children the tools they need to deal with challenging situations. Our teachers will be running sessions on anti-bullying on Tuesdays starting in week 3. These lessons are designed to tackle the problem of bullying by enhancing a student’s ability to feel good about themselves, which facilitates the process of being able to change behaviours that have negative consequences. The lessons assist students to gain an understanding and appreciation of the connections between thoughts, feelings and behaviours. The lessons empower students with ‘awareness’ and ‘social tools’ which provide options / choices and the opportunity to review their behaviour. Each week will have a different focus. Please take the time to check with your children about what they have learnt each week.

If you have not already could all parents please indicate how your children will be travelling to the Athletics Carnival. The day will be inclusive and enjoyable for all of the students. It is a normal school day and children are expected to attend.

Congratulations to Zeke on his offer to attend Gosford Selective High School. Zeke has continued to achieve whilst juggling his leadership responsibilities.

We are currently in a planning phase for 2014. It is important that we know how many kindergarten students will be coming to this great school in 2014. If you have not yet made contact about enrolment for 2014 please do so as soon as possible. If you know of any community members who have children who are due to start next year, please ask them to make contact with Cheryl or Fiona in the front office.

Our P & C is meeting on Tuesday night. Please come down if you have the time and become an active part of our school. I look forward to seeing you there.

Have a great week at TPS.

Owen Dalkeith - Principal
Hi all,

We have had a great start to Term 3. Last week we read a book about grandparents and the children wrote about a special person in their lives. Homework will start again this week. A spelling and maths sheet will be sent home each week this term. The students will have a project to complete later in the term linked to our HSIE unit - Identifying Us.

PARENT HELPERS
We would love to have more parent helpers in our classroom each morning to help with our literacy groups. Our groups are on Monday, Wednesday, Friday 9:10 – 10:30am, Tues 10 - 11am, Thurs 9:10 – 10am. We understand that you may not be able to stay for the whole time groups are on, but even coming in to listen to one small group of students read for 15 mins would be of great assistance. Please feel free to come and chat to us about helping out if you have any questions.

ATHLETICS CARNIVAL
All notes and money were due in today. If your child hasn’t returned their note and money please do ASAP. Last week we started practising for the Athletics carnival. Students were practising how to throw a shot put, how to complete a relay and how to start a sprint race. Everyone was very keen to have a go and live up to the TPS motto ‘Participate with enthusiasm’.

Have a great week!  

Mrs Melvin and Miss O’Connor

Welcome to week 2! What a great start we had to term 3, well done. Mrs Towns will now be teaching 2TD on a Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Mrs Day will be on class Thursday and Friday. The routines will all remain the same.

Notes were sent home last week outlining information for the parent teacher interviews. These are not compulsory but if you would like to see us please return the form as soon as possible so we can organise a suitable time for you.

Don’t forget that next Monday is the athletics carnival at Mingara. We will be practising our athletics skills in PE on Wednesday and sport on Friday. Please make sure your child has suitable footwear ion these days.

Last week we read the book “The Things I love about Grandparents”. 2TD then wrote their own reasons why they love their grandparents. Here are a few….

I love my Pop because he does funny things. By Blake
I love my Grandma because she buys me presents even when it’s not my birthday. By Byron
I love my Oma and Opa because they give me treats like chocolate chips, gummy bears and lolly pops. They also love me and I love them back. They tickle me and they play with me. By Ella
I love my Nanna because she helped with reading groups. By Tayah
I love my grandparents they buy me lots of chocolates. My favourite is a milky way! By Olivia

Have a wonderful week,
Heather Towns and Kate Day
**DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR**

**Tuesday, 22 July**  
- 6.00pm  OOSH MEETING  
- 7.00 pm  P & C MEETING

**Monday, 28 July**  
- Athletics Carnival (K - 6)

**Tuesday, 29 July**  
- ICAS – English Competition

**Tuesday, 12 August**  
- ICAS – Mathematics Competition

**Friday, 19 September**  
- Last Day Term 3

**Thursday, 28 August**  
- Book Fair

**Saturday, 25 October**  
- Trivia Night

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**LIBRARY**

**BOOK FAIR/PARADE CHANGE OF DATE!!!!!!**

Please note that due to the Zone Athletics Carnival taking place on Friday 29th August, Our Book Fair/Parade will now take place on Thursday 28th August.

**Volunteers Needed**

If anyone would like to cover some books for our library, please come and see me. It would be very much appreciated.

**PREMIERS READING CHALLENGE**

It’s fantastic to see lots of students participating in the Premiers Reading Challenge. HUGE congratulations to the following students who have already finished:


**Year 1**: Sophia T, Olivia L, Jake M, Ellie R, Alexander W, Riley F

**Year 2**: Joshua P, Ria V, Zara P, Brock D, Blake F, Joshua H, Monique Q, Isabelle W

**Year 3**: Zali S, Ella H, Chelsea M

**Year 4**: Monique B, Raj V, Keira N

**Year 5**: Daniel F

**Year 6**: Tamika F, Lillyan L, Emma R

Remember to keep reading every night!!!! Students have until the 31st August to finish the Premiers Reading Challenge.

Reading with your child is one of the most important factors in developing lifelong learners and lovers of reading. There is a vital link to between reading ability and the success of
students. The example you set, the priority you place on the importance of reading and the bond you create lasts a lifetime. Mem Fox says “When we take the time to read aloud to the children in our lives, we bond them close in a secret society associated with the books we’ve shared.” She even suggests that “if every parent – and every adult caring for a child – read aloud a minimum of three stories a day to the children in their lives, we could probably wipe out illiteracy in one generation!”

**BOOKCLUB**

Bookclub brochures were handed out last week. If you would like to order anything, please have all orders in by Friday, 1 August.

Have a great week, Michelle Shaw

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**UNIFORM SHOP NOTICE – CHANGE OF DAY**

TUESDAYS– 8.45 AM – 9.15 AM

**STOCK HAS ARRIVED!!!**

*Surf Hats, Size 8 Maroon Polo’s and Fleecy Zip Jackets are now available.*

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**P & C**

**P & C MEETING NOTICE**

Tuesday, 22 July - 6.00pm - OOSH Meeting
Tuesday, 22 July - 7.00pm - P&C Meeting

All are welcome.

**TRIVIA NIGHT**

**WHEN:** 25/10/14  **WHERE:** Wyong Golf Club

**TIME:** 7.00 pm start  **COST:** $15.00 each (tables of 8)

Get your teams together for a fun night.

Tickets will be available for purchase via the school beginning of Term 3

*If you dare to be daring... dress up in your scariest Halloween costume and the best dressed will win a prize.*

It is going to be a great night out... So get in quick to purchase your tickets and support our amazing little school.

Fundraising Committee
TUGGERAWONG PUBLIC SCHOOL OOSH NEWS!
Hello from Oosh and welcome to term three. We hope you all have a wonderful holiday. We are looking forward to this term; Rhiannon and Ash have some awesome experiences set out. We will be continuing on our sustainability project, getting our worm farm and garden up and running, we have purchased some bins for our room to encourage the children to separate their rubbish into food and vegetable scraps, recyclable materials and normal every day rubbish. When our garden and worm farm are completed we will be using our food scraps as a compose for our garden.
This week has been another wonderful week, with some new enrolments to Oosh. We would like to give a warm welcome to Natasha and Nicholas who have enrolled this week. We look forward in meeting some new friends and families from the school this term. We still have vacancies for before and after school care, if u have any inquiries don’t hesitate to give us a call.
Vacation care was a huge hit, we had a jam packed two weeks here at Oosh with the children participating in a variety of activities and excursions such as P.j’s, Pizzas and movie day, Sports day, Kids on congas, Reptile park, Art barn, Science day, art and messy day, movies, amazement, bike and scooter day and laser tag in a box. These holidays were extremely successful, the children and the staff had an absolute ball. Rhiannon and Ash have already thought of new and exciting excursions for the next holidays.
Check out and like our Facebook page here you will see hundreds of photos from vacation care: also you will be kept updated with what’s happening at Oosh. You will be able to see photos of our projects and our experiences and will be able to give us feedback on our achievements.
Dear Parents / Guardians,

We are conducting our annual whole school athletics carnival. Details for the carnival are as follows:

**Date of the carnival:** Monday, 28 July 2014.

**Venue:** Mingara Regional Athletics Centre

**Transport:** Students may travel privately or by bus. The bus will depart the school at 9am and will return before 3pm. The cost of the return bus is $8 per student.

**Time:** Buses depart school at 9am (students must be at school no later than 8:40am). Students travelling privately must be at the centre by 9:20am. Carnival commences 9:30am.

**Athletics Centre admission:** All students $4 – this must be paid to your child’s teacher. Spectators do not need to pay for admission to the ground.

**Parent Helpers:** We require many parents and members of our school community to assist us in running a successful carnival. We require age managers and volunteers to assist with each event (such as time keepers). We will contact you before the carnival to let you know your job on the day. There is no experience necessary!

**Uniform:** Students may wear house colours to the carnival. Otherwise, school sports uniform is required. All students must wear a hat and sunscreen.

**Canteen:** A canteen will operate on the day.

**Supervision at School:** As this is a whole school excursion, all students are expected to attend. There will be no supervision for students at the school.

If you have any enquiries about the carnival, please do not hesitate in addressing them to us.

Mr Gaul    Mr Dalkeith
Co-ordinating Teacher    Principal
I hereby give consent for _______________________ in class _____ to attend the Tuggerawong Public School Athletics Carnival at Mingara Regional Athletics Centre on Monday, 28 July, 2014.

Please tick ONE of the following:

☐ My child _______________________ in class _____ will be attending the Tuggerawong Public School Athletics Carnival by bus. $12 is enclosed to cover the bus and admission.

Note: If parents wish to take their children home from the carnival, they must notify each child’s class teacher before leaving.

☐ My child _______________________ in class _____ will be attending the Tuggerawong Public School Athletics Carnival in private transport. $4 is enclosed to cover the admission.

_________________________                    _________________________  Parent/Guardian
                        (please print)                         Signed

Date: …………………………………………

Please indicate if your child has a medical condition (e.g. asthma) of which staff need to be made aware of:

Condition: _______________________ Medication: _______________________

I am able to assist at the carnival.

Name: _______________________ Child’s name and class _________________________

Please tick your preferred allocation:

☐ 5/6 Boys Age Manager
☐ 5/6 Girls Age Manager
☐ 7 Boys Age Manager
☐ 7 Girls Age Manager
☐ 8 Boys Age Manager
☐ 8 Girls Age Manager
☐ 9 Boys Age Manager
☐ 9 Girls Age Manager
☐ 10 Boys Age Manager
☐ 10 Girls Age Manager
☐ 11 Boys Age Manager
☐ 11 Girls Age Manager
☐ 12/13 Boys Age Manager
☐ 12/13 Girls Age Manager
☐ Time Keeper
☐ Place Judge

☐ Please tick here if you have had experience with Little Athletics NSW or a similar organisation.
Details: _________________________________________________________________________
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<td>Corn on the Cob</td>
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<td>Egg</td>
<td>Cheese &amp; Bacon bun</td>
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<td>Egg &amp; Lettuce</td>
<td>Junior Meat Pies (low fat)</td>
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<td>Ham</td>
<td>Sausage Rolls (low fat)</td>
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<td>Chicken shredded</td>
<td>Party Potato &amp; Beef Pies</td>
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<td>spoon included</td>
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<td>Tuna</td>
<td>Hot Dogs (with sauce)</td>
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<td>Salad (lettuce, tomato, carrot, cucumber, beetroot)</td>
<td>Pizza - Hawaiian or Cheese &amp; bacon</td>
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<td>Hot Chicken Rolls - chicken &amp; mayo</td>
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**ALL EXTRAS**

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<td>Salad – lettuce, tomato, carrot, beetroot, cucumber, pineapple, cheese</td>
<td>$0.40</td>
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<td>Ham, Chicken or Tuna</td>
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**SNACKS**

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<td>Choc Chip muffin l/fat or Apple &amp; Cinnamon muffin l/fat</td>
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<td>Teddie Snacks</td>
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<td>Mamee Noodle Snack</td>
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**DRINKS**

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<td>Popper Juices 200ml Apple or Orange</td>
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<td>Chocolate, Strawberry, Banana Milk</td>
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<td>Quench Mineral Water</td>
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<td>Glee (app/s/berry, app/beurrant)</td>
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<td>Focus Sports Water (r/berry, ftingle, lemonade)</td>
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**BREAKFAST SPECIAL**

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<td>Warm milo + 2 slices of toast</td>
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<td>Up &amp; Go choc ice or vanilla ice</td>
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<td>Warm Milo breakfast &amp; recess only</td>
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**COLD/ FROZEN TREATS**

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<td>Frozen Fruit - from</td>
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<td>Frozen Animal Pops</td>
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<td>Yogo Snaps (various flavours)</td>
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<td>Quelch Juice Cups Apple/beurrant</td>
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<td>Large snappies</td>
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<td>Ice Mony (various flavours)</td>
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<td>Moosies (choc, bubble gum, banana)</td>
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<td>Paddle Pop Icy Twists - lemonade</td>
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<td>Juicie Tubes Various flavours</td>
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<td>Vanilla Ice Cream Cups (low fat)</td>
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<td>Paddle Pops (choc, rainbow)</td>
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*New items are in Bold*

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The school canteen is run by Tuggerawong Public School P&C
All profits are used to support the school to help provide resources for all of our students.
If you have some spare time please come along and help out 😊
Prices Effective 1st June 2014
TUGGERAWONG PUBLIC SCHOOL
FAMILY CONTACT DETAILS UPDATE FORM

STUDENTS NAME/S: ...........................................................................................................
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FAMILY CONTACT DETAILS

RMB/PO Box:...............                  Street No/Property Name: .......................
Street Name: ..........................................................................................................................
Suburb/Town: ................................................................. Post Code: ..............................
Home Telephone Number: .................................
Mother/Guardian Name: ........................................................................................................
Mobile Number: ........................................................
Work Number: ........................................................
Father/Guardian Name: ........................................................................................................
Mobile Number: ........................................................
Work Number: ........................................................

EMERGENCY CONTACT DETAILS

Name: ......................................................... Relationship to Student: .................
Home Telephone Number: ............... Mobile Number: ............................
Name: ......................................................... Relationship to Student: .................
Home Telephone Number: ............... Mobile Number: ............................

CONTACT DETAILS FOR PARENT NOT RESIDING WITH STUDENT

Parent/Guardian Name: .............................................................
Relationship to Student: ..........................................................
Home Address: ..............................................................................................
Home Telephone Number: ................................. Mobile Number: ............................
TUGGERAWONG PUBLIC SCHOOL

STUDENT ABSENCE NOTE

My child ...................................................................................................................................................................... of class ......................

Was absent from school on ......................................................................................................................... for the following reason:
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Parent Name: .......................................................... Date: .............................................

Signature: ..........................................................

SCHOOL HOURS:

School starts 9.00 am (supervision is available at 8.45 am)
Lunch 11.00 am to 11.55 am (children eat in a supervised area for 10 minutes)
Recess: 1.55 pm to 2.15 pm
School Finishes: 3.00 pm

On occasions children may need to be brought to school before 8.45am. Between 8.30am and 8.45am there is minimal supervision available. Students should not be at school before 8.30am as there is no supervision available.

TERM DATES 2014

Term 1 Tuesday, 28 January - Friday, 11 April
Term 2 Monday, 28 April - Friday, 27 June
Term 3 Monday, 14 July - Friday, 19 September
Term 4 Tuesday, 7 October - Friday, 19 December

Staff Development Days: 28 January

28 April
14 July
18/19 December