



# TYALGUM PUBLIC SCHOOL

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**SCHOOL MOTTO: UNITY, HARMONY, STRENGTH**

**SCHOOL NEWSLETTER TERM 3, WEEK 1 19.7.17**

**Dear Parents and Friends,**



A warm welcome back to school for Term 3 to everyone! As usual, we are looking at a very busy term. We begin with the Tweed Valley Small Schools Athletics Carnivals this week. There is more information regarding the arrangements elsewhere in this newsletter.

This term all classes will be preparing for our annual public speaking competition. All students from K-6 will plan and prepare a speech to be presented to their class. Finalists from each stage will then present their speech at a Friday assembly where they will be formally adjudicated.

Later this term the opportunity to participate in the Learn to Swim Scheme will be offered to our students, targeting Years 2, 3 and 4, but also available to non-swimmers in Years 5 and 6. More information will follow.

Our school book fair and Book Character Parade will take place this term, with the date to be confirmed. Students are encouraged to start planning their costume!

*"Books are a uniquely portable magic."* – Stephen King

*Mrs Cloherty*

## Friday Assembly Public Speaking Dates

**Week 5 August 18:** Stage 1 (Year 1 & 2)

**Week 6 August 25:** Stage 2 (Year 3 & 4)

**Week 7 September 1:** Early Stage 1 (Kindergarten)

**Week 8 September 8:** Stage 3 (Year 5 & 6)



## **SMALL SCHOOLS' ATHLETICS CARNIVAL**

**Friday 21 July 2017**

Please find attached permission note for the full day Small Schools' Athletics Carnival to be held at Walter Peate Oval (next to Cudgen Leagues Club), Kingscliff on Friday 21 July. This is a full day event participated in by students from Kindergarten to Year 6. The cost for travelling on the bus will be \$2.00 per child. P & C have kindly subsidised the remaining cost. There will be no supervision at school and the bus will be leaving Tyalgum School at 9.00am sharp. Please sign, complete and return your permission note by tomorrow with your bus payment.

The half day carnival will be held tomorrow for all qualified competitors in Long Jump, Shot Put, High Jump and 800m. Events will begin at 10am and should conclude at 1.30pm. Participants will need to make their own private transportation. All our qualifiers were given information on the events they will be competing in.



## **What's On!! Term 4, 2017**

Thurs 20 July	Half DAY Small Schools' Athletics Carnival
Fri 21 July	Small Schools' Athletics Carnival (Full Day)
Thurs 27 July	MADD Concert (WHS)
Tues 8 Aug	Year 6 KLA Day (WHS)
Sat 12 Aug	Bunnings BBQ
	Selective Class Test (WHS)
Thurs 24 Aug	Year 5 Sports Day (WHS 10am-2pm)
Mon 28 Aug	Swimming Scheme (First Day)
Thurs 7 Sept	Year 5/6 Maths Olympiad (WHS)
Fri 8 Sept	Swimming Scheme (Last Day)
Wed 20 Sept	Responsible Pet Program (K/1/2)
Fri 22 Sept	LPPP Exhibition Opening (TRAG)
	Last Day of Term

## P & C News

### **P & C Meeting**

Our next P & C meeting has been scheduled for **Monday 7 August** at 3.30pm in our Library. Please come along, everyone is welcome.



### **Pie Drive**

Don't forget about our "Pie Drive". More orders forms are available in the office.

Orders must be received and paid for on or before Friday 28 July (Week 2, Term 3). Pies will be available for collection on Wednesday 2 August at school.

### **Bunnings BBQ**

Don't forget to reserve this day free, **Saturday 12 August**. This is a great fundraiser opportunity and we would like to make the most out of it. A roster will be drawn at a later date in the newsletter.



## **CANTEEN ROSTER Term 3, 2017**



	<u><b>Volunteer</b></u>		<u><b>Volunteer</b></u>
Mon 17.7	Pupil Free Day	Mon 21.8	**
Tues 18.7	Heidi	Tues 22.8	
Mon 24.7		Mon 28.8	
Tues 25.7	**	Tues 29.8	
Mon 31.7	**	Mon 4.9	
Tues 1.8	**	Tues 5.9	
Mon 7.8		Mon 11.9	
Tues 8.8	**	Tues 12.9	
Mon 14.8		Mon 18.9	
Tues 15.8		Tues 19.9	



## SMALL SCHOOLS' ATHLETICS CARNIVAL Friday 21 July 2017

I give permission for my child/ren \_\_\_\_\_  
to attend the Small Schools' Athletics Carnival to be held at  
Walter Peate Oval, Kingscliff on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July.

☐ My child/ren will not be attending \_\_\_\_\_.

☐ My child/ren will be travelling on the bus. Please find  
enclosed \$2.00 per child for the bus.

☐ My child/ren will be travelling with me.

 Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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### Alternate Afternoon Arrangements

Every afternoon, all our students gather in the little COLA before they are dismissed for the day. This allows last minute messages to be delivered and changes of plans or routine to be reinforced.

Parents and carers are reminded that our policy is to always send children home in the usual way, unless there has been a written note or personal contact to the office. Unfortunately, a verbal message from a child is unreliable because they may forget, misunderstand or even change their minds. Even if an email is sent, or a note is provided, a quick phone call just to make sure the message has been received is always appreciated. This also applies to adjustments to parent pick-ups, especially if the person collecting the child is unfamiliar to us.

