

Encouraging all in the aim to Better Our Best

Tottenham Central School Newsletter



Principal

Miss Amanda Thorpe

**Assistant Principal
(relieving)**
Mrs Meggan Adam

**Head Teacher Secondary
Studies**

Mrs Sarah Lindsay

P & C President
Mr Rick Bennett

Reminders

Tuesday 25th April
Anzac Day march
10:30am
Meet in front of school

Wednesday 26th April
Students return to school

Assemblies

Assemblies are held in the library and start at 2:40pm, unless advised otherwise

P & C meetings

Meetings are held every third Tuesday of the month in the school library

Next meeting
Tuesday 16th May

**EXCELLENCE
RESPECT
RESPONSIBILITY**

Principal's Message

Anzac Day

Our students will be participating in the Tottenham Anzac Day service on the 25th of April. Students who wish to march with our school need to assemble at 10:30am at school. Full winter school uniform should be worn.

Library

Tanya is keeping track of the books borrowed from our library. So far, our students have read 349 books in 2017!

Staffing

Mrs Barbara Baker will be working four days a week from the start of Term 2. Mrs Susanna Horsburgh has accepted the position to teach 2/3/4 on Fridays.

Cross Country

Our annual school cross country will be held on the first Friday of Term 2. Students will be leaving school at 1:45pm. Parents / carers are more than welcome to attend and if you can assist as an official please contact Mrs Lindsay.

School Counsellor Visiting

Mrs Margaret Bourke, our school counsellor, will be visiting again on the 5th of May. If you need an appointment, please let me know.

Hyline Egg Laying Competition.

This week I escorted our "Totty Chicks" to the Royal Easter Show. Our Stage 5 Ag students and Mrs Williams have raised these girls since they were chickens and when I dropped them off, the comment was made by a steward that the girls looked amazing.

Schools in the competition received six pullets, approximately 6 weeks old. Our students were required to finish the birds off to 27 weeks, have them laying and ready to

compete at the 2017 Sydney Royal Poultry Show. Schools were advised to select their three best pullets to compete at the 2017 Show.

Eggs from the exhibits are collected across the first ten days of the Show and judged according to commercial Egg Laying Industry Standards. Quality and quantity are key to winning this competition.

The Competition has three main elements.

Presentation of Exhibits.

Egg Laying Competition.

Project Competition.

Grandfriends' Day

Grandfriends' Day will be held on Friday the 5th of May. Afternoon tea will be from 1:30pm in the library, with assembly commencing at 2pm. There will be numerous student performances and awards.

Updating Paperwork Reminder

If you plan to transport children please ensure our office has a copy of your current registration, driver's licence and relevant *Working With Children* Check documentation.

School Holiday Dates

The last day of Term 1 is Friday the 7th of April. School resumes for staff on Monday the 24th of April and resumes for students on Wednesday the 26th of April. Have a great break everyone. Happy Easter.

Amanda Thorpe
Principal



School news

School fees

Included in this newsletter is a schedule of school fees which are payable before the end of term. Please contact the school if you have concerns. Payment is required as soon as possible.

Positive Behaviour for Learning Update

Congratulations to Archie Baldwinson, Bree Adam, James O'Brien, Samantha Harley, Zanthie Hewett, our most recent students to move to Bronze level in the revised merit system as part of our PBL program. Well done to these students for showing

EXCELLENCE, RESPECT and RESPONSIBILITY

These students now meet the challenge of collecting a minimum of ten acknowledgements for each of the categories of EXCELLENCE, RESPECT AND RESPONSIBILITY, for a grand total of forty acknowledgements in order to move to Silver level.

Congratulations to all those who are working well.

Our PBL team is continuing to identify a range of accepted behaviours throughout our playground areas and lessons addressing these will continue next term.

L Jarvis

Premier's Sporting Challenge

Tottenham Central School will be participating in the Premier's Sporting Challenge again this year. Students will get their logs to record their physical activity early next term.

Thank you

Jodie Attenborough

Canteen news

The canteen is CLOSED tomorrow

Friday 7 April

- new winter menu out in Term 2
- check Facebook for more info.

HAPPY EASTER EVERYONE



P&C News

TCS P&C Association – 2017 Membership is now due.

We encourage and welcome all members of the school community to become involved in the TCS P&C Association. Membership fees for 2017 are set at \$5.00 per family and can be paid to the P&C Treasurer Susanna Horsburgh or sent in to the school office.

Why join the P&C? How do my family and I benefit from joining the P&C?

Becoming involved in the P&C allows you to have a closer connection to your child's education through:

- * Bringing parents and the school together to share information about our school.
- * Adding your voice to decision making within the P&C.
- * Help with the planning and running of fundraising activities and events.
- * The chance to vote on how fundraising money is spent, important decisions, motions and general P&C business.
- * Having your say about issues of concern.
- * Direct updates from the principal and members of staff.
- * Information about what's happening in the school and what's happening in the future.

Parent input allows P&C to plan future events/fundraising and receive better and varied ideas which benefit the school and your children. Minutes of the P&C meetings are distributed to all financial members of the TCS P&C Association.

Being a P&C member does not have to take up much of your time. You don't have to attend every meeting or be involved with every activity. It's your decision – you can volunteer as much of your time or as little as you like. All help is greatly welcomed and valued. Without P&C members (parents, carers, community members) to attend meetings and help with decision making, planning, fundraising etc., the school and students miss out on much needed additional resources and subsidies that are provided by the P&C. We look forward to your membership and welcome everyone to come along to our meetings.

Rick Bennett - President

Primary news

K-6 Scripture

All students in primary attend Scripture, unless excused by a note from parents. Those who do attend lessons were issued with a workbook earlier this term. These workbooks cost \$5.00 each and we still have a number of students who have not paid for them. Please send in \$5 for each child as soon as possible.

2/3/4 - 2 Minute Speeches

I would like to thank all the parents of students in 2/3/4 for their help in preparing speeches for their children this term. The quality of the speeches was excellent and the children benefitted greatly from the experience of presenting a speech to the class.

Barb Baker

Premier's Reading Challenge

Don't forget the Premier's Reading Challenge will continue over the holidays. If students wish to check if their text is on the list they can refer to website: <https://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc/booklist/home.html> or to the printed list in the library on the days which the library is open.

Remember students need to have the following in their record:-

Challenge	Number of books you must read	Minimum number of PRC books	Maximum number of Personal Choice books	PRC booklists you can read from
K-2	30	25	5	K-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-9
3-4	20	15	5	3-4, 5-6, 7-9
5-6	20	15	5	5-6, 7-9
7-9	20	15	5	5-6, 7-9



Above: Primary students enjoying Mrs Baker's interest group - 'Mosaics'

Below: Primary showing of their Easter hats



Sport news

PSSA Rugby League Trials

Congratulations to Digby Lees who participated in the PSSA Rugby League Trials at Dubbo on Monday.

Walking Cross Country

The primary students will be walking the cross country course the first Thursday back next term, 27th April. Please make sure your child has returned their note to be able to walk the course.

CHS Girls Tennis

Congratulations to Danielle, Michelle, Kayla and Kira (right) who played Narromine High in Round 1 of the CHS Girls Tennis knockout competition yesterday. The girls defeated Narromine High convincingly and should now play Henry Lawson High School.

Cross Country and Athletics Carnival notes

All children eligible to compete in the cross country trials and athletics carnival have received notes. Please return these notes to school as soon as possible.




Calendar

Term 1, 2017

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
WEEK 11	3 April CHS State Swimming PSSA Rugby League trials	4 CHS State Swimming	5 PSSA State Swimming	6 PSSA State Swimming	7

Term 2, 2017

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
WEEK 1	24 April Staff Development Day	25 ANZAC DAY 	26 STUDENTS RETURN FOR TERM 2	27 Primary students walk cross country course	28 School Cross Country
WEEK 2	1 May	2	3	4	5 Athletics carnival

*"Totty Chicks" at the Sydney Royal Easter Show***Your Say**

You are encouraged to use this space to give us any feedback on things which you feel you need to: congratulate a student, teacher or parent, let us know what you think of the newsletter format, make a suggestion or request.

Signed: _____



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Other news

Youth Club

Thank you to Jake and Jacqui for running Open House last Friday. This week we have Brock and Scott Ivory on duty.

Congratulations to the new executive of the Youth Club. Thank you for accepting positions for our club to continue. Unfortunately, the trip to the Concert next week won't be going ahead. If an adult could offer to assist with the trip to A Day on The Water, to be held in Lake Cargelligo on 20th April, please let me know as soon as possible so that we can continue to arrange transport.

L Jarvis.

Friday:	Supervisor
7/4/2017	Brock & Scott Ivory
28/4/17	Jake Loftus & Kristy Simpson
5/5/17	Caleb & Monique Gray
12/5/17	Jasmine & Jan Miller

Tottenham Pony Club Camp

Tuesday, 18th April to Friday, 21st April

Camp Gymkhana Friday

Contact Kelly 0457 792 443 OR

Hellen 0427 494 196 for forms.



TOTTENHAM TENNIS COACHING TERM 2 TENNIS COACHING 2017 CONDUCTED BY WAYNE DUNLOP (LEVEL 3 ATPCA MASTER PROFESSIONAL TENNIS COACH LICENCE NO DC97080501)

COMMENCES: SUN 30TH APRIL -
SUN 4TH JUNE

GROUPS AND TIMES:

8:00 – 9:00 AM (BEGINNER)

9:00 – 10:00AM (INTERMEDIATE)

10:30 – 11:30PM (ADVANCED)

COST: \$150 per child. Payment to be made prior to clinic and is irrespective of lessons attended. Each pupil receives 6 x 1hr lessons for the term. *WASHED OUT/CANCELLED LESSONS WILL BE MADE UP LATER IN THE TERM.* Children also need to be financial members of Tottenham tennis club \$25.

INCLUDES (WHERE APPLICABLE):

FOOTWORK AND STROKE PRODUCTION

COMPETITIVE DRILLS AND ACTIVITIES

COMPETITION PLAY & SCORING (SINGLES AND DOUBLES)

FUN GAMES AND FITNESS ACTIVITIES

CHILDREN GRADED WITH OWN AGES AND STANDARDS

CONTACT DETAILS FOR BOOKINGS:

KATE LEES by 7th April 2017

email: kj.lees@bigpond.com

mobile ph: 0427933801

Student Name: _____

Class: _____

My child, _____ was absent from school on _____
because _____

Signed _____

Date _____



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Class: _____

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Signed _____

Date _____



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Who is Eddie the Eagle?

FIND OUT AT THE MOVIE NIGHT!

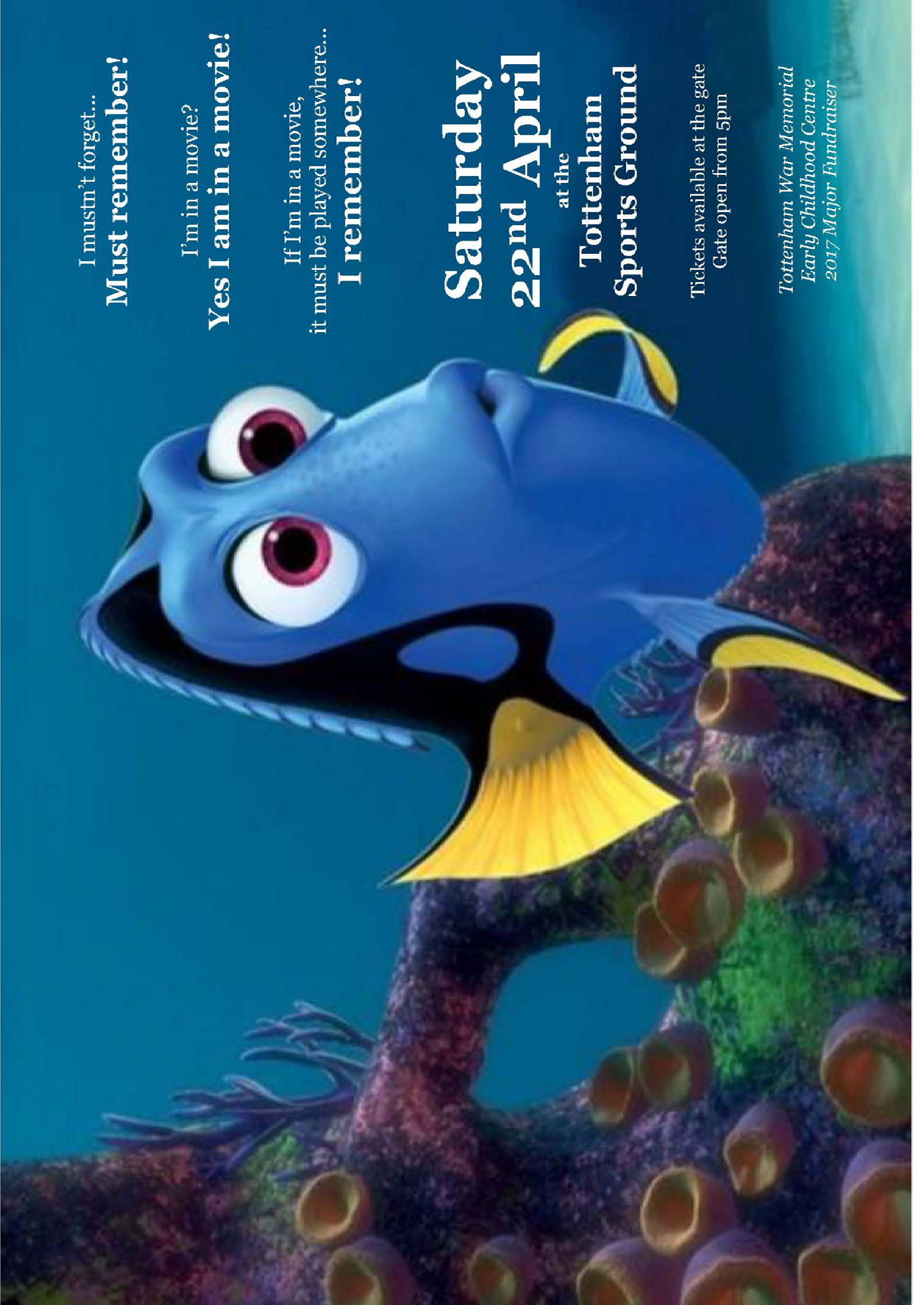
Saturday 22 April at the Tottenham Sports Ground

Gates open 5pm for ticket sales \$15 per ticket, VIP \$25, Children under 2 free



Tottenham War Memorial Early Childhood Centre - 2017 Major Fundraiser



A blue tang fish with large, expressive eyes and yellow-tipped fins is swimming towards the left. It is positioned in the center of the frame, with its head slightly tilted. The background is a deep blue ocean with a large, textured coral structure on the right side. The coral has various shades of purple, green, and brown, with many small, cup-like openings.

I mustn't forget...
Must remember!

I'm in a movie?
Yes I am in a movie!

If I'm in a movie,
it must be played somewhere...
I remember!

**Saturday
22nd April**
at the
**Tottenham
Sports Ground**

Tickets available at the gate
Gate open from 5pm

*Tottenham War Memorial
Early Childhood Centre
2017 Major Fundraiser*

CINEMA UNDER THE STARS

Saturday 22nd April 2017

Tottenham War Memorial Early Childhood Centre

Major Fundraiser

Ever thought about taking your family, grandchildren, friends or your date to an outdoor theatre???

This is your opportunity, a movie for everyone, young and old.

Where: Tottenham Sports Ground - Mingelo Street



Gates Open: 5.00pm

1st Movie - "Finding Dory" PG: 6.00pm

Raffle!!

In this sequel to Pixar's 2003 smash hit Finding Nemo, lovable, amnesiac blue tang Dory (voiced by Ellen DeGeneres) decides to go off in search of her long-lost parents. With the help of young clown fish Nemo (Hayden Rolence) and his dad Marlin (Albert Brooks), Dory heads for California and the Monterey Marine Life Institute, evading predators along the way as she hopes to find a place she can call home. Co-directed by Andrew Stanton and Angus MacLane, Finding Dory also features the voice talents of Diane Keaton, Ty Burrell, Bill Hader, Ed O'Neill, Kaitlin Olson, Eugene Levy, Idris Elba, Dominic West, and Sigourney Weaver. ~ Daniel Gelb, Rovi

2nd Movie - "Eddie the Eagle" PG - 8.30pm

Sports biopic of Michael "Eddie the Eagle" Edwards (Taron Egerton), whose participation in the 1988 Winter Olympics at Calgary marked the first time a Brit had ever competed in the ski-jumping event. Edwards trains as a ski jumper under the tutelage of a hard-drinking former champ (Hugh Jackman), and eventually finds fame as a lovable loser who's just trying his best. Directed by Dexter Fletcher. ~ Jack Rodgers, Rovi

Price: Single - \$15.00 at the Gate

VIP - \$25.00 (Includes Drink, Pop Corn, VIP Seating)

(Kids under age 2 free and price includes both movies)

Food: BBQ Sandwiches, Hot Chips and Pluto Pups, Drinks, Popcorn, ice-creams, chocolates/ lolly treats and tea & coffee NO BYO

Face Painting

Milk Shakes



Photo Booth
We will have our very own fun Photo Booth with lots of Props to capture great pictures with your family or friends!!!

Bring your picnic rug, chair, bean bag etc

Enquires to Nicole Klante 0429873070 email: tenimate@gmail.com

Kylie Nicholson Fundraiser Co-ordinator 0424139216 email: kylie.nic@hotmail.com

Keep an eye on our Facebook Page for more info and news - Tottenham Preschool & Long Day Care Centre



Tottenham Central School

2017 School Fees

All elective subjects attract fees to subsidise the costs of materials consumed by the students in those subjects. The fees for 2017 have been set at the appropriate level and are now due and listed below. If there is a possibility that the payment of these fees may cause financial difficulty please contact the school as soon as possible.

Voluntary Contributions:

Infants/Primary (per child)	\$50.00 per year
Secondary (per child)	\$50.00 per year
Maximum	\$120.00 per family
P & C Membership	\$5.00 per family

Elective Fees:

These fees are **compulsory** as they purchase materials used by individual students:

Stage 4	Technology	\$60.00 - plus individual purchase of materials
Stage 5	Food Technology	\$50.00
	Metal Technology	\$50.00 - plus individual purchase of materials
	Textiles	\$10.00 - plus individual purchase of materials
	Agriculture	\$10.00 - plus individual purchase of materials
Stage 6	Industrial Technology	\$50.00
	Building & Construction	\$50.00
	Metals	\$50.00
	Hospitality	\$50.00 per term

Fees payable to Dubbo School of Distance Education are also due.

Please find enclosed school fees for 2017:

Family

Child/Children

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Elective Fees Stage:

..... Stage:

..... Stage:

P & C Membership

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Total enclosed:

Signed Date.....

• Mix'n'Mash Main Menu •

T-Bone\$26,00

350g - 400g T-Bone Cooked to your Liking.

Rump \$25,00

350g - 400g Rump Cooked just the way you like it

Lamb Cut(2)..\$24,00

Succulent crumbed lamb cutlets, Extra Cutlet \$3

Chick Schnit..\$17,00

Crumbed breast chicken schnitzel. With your choice of sides.

Batt. Fish.....\$15,00

1 Piece of beer battered coated fish, served with tartare and lemon.

Sausages\$13,00

2 Sausages Served with vegies salad and chips. 1 Sausage only \$10

Plate of Chips\$6,00

Golden fried Chips, add sauce or gravies. Bowl \$4

• Sauce / Gravy •

Mushroom\$1,00

Dianne\$1,00

Gravy...\$1,00

• Kids Menu •

Nuggets\$7.50

With chips
Vegetables /salad .+\$2.50

Fish C/tails \$7.50

With chips
Vegetables /salad .+\$2.50

• All Meals •

Served With
Vegies / Salad / Chips



AVAILABLE @ LUNCH SAT - SUN

Steak SW - onion/salad/lot \$9/\$12/\$15

Hamburgers - Plain/Lot \$9 / \$12

Chicken Burgers - Plain/Salad/Lot \$12/\$14/\$17

Bacon & Egg Roll - \$8

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