

Tottenham Central School Newsletter

Principal: Amanda Thorpe

Week 3, Term 3
Thursday, 9th August, 2018



Principal's message

Celebrating Education Week

Thank you to everyone who has contributed to a fantastic Education Week at Tottenham CS. The theme for this year's Education Week was 'Today's schools – creating tomorrow's world'.

Students who commenced school this year will leave in 2030 and it is essential that we prepare them for the future world. Our future adults need 21st Century job market skills including effective communication across a variety of methods, critical thinking, resilience, innovativeness, ability to adapt to change, creativity, collaboration, teamwork, problem solving and flexibility.

As a result, school has changed and will continue to change. Technology in schools has gone from the slate, the ink-well, exercise book, pen, personal computer, laptop, iPad and even to the mobile phone. In the past the learning focus in most classrooms was about the content such as who, what, when and where. Students acquiring knowledge and practical skills were the lesson aims. Today, we refer the learning intention and the focus is placed on providing opportunities for students to move beyond knowing and doing to understanding; not only the information, but more the concept.

Secondary Excursion Fundraiser Night!

Date: Saturday 18th August from 6:30pm

Venue: Tottenham Bowling Club

Cost: \$25 - 3 course mixed buffet dinner

The monster raffle (35 prizes) will be drawn, chocolate wheel (20 prizes), jumping castle, mechanical bull and lots more!

Please reserve your place with the Bowling Club by Monday August 13.

Public Education Student Scholarships are now open

Applications for 2019 Student Scholarships are now open. The Public Education Foundation has a range of scholarships, that target specific areas of need, to help young people at public schools reach their potential. They help students with the extra costs of public schooling and provide them with opportunities to extend their talents and pursue their aspirations. They offer scholarships for students in the following areas: Indigenous, Refugee, Disability, Social Justice, Performing Arts, Technology and Academic Excellence.

Full details can be found at:

<https://publiceducationfoundation.org.au/scholarships/students-scholarships/>

Local Government Week

Thank you to Mayor, Mr John Medcalf, and General Manager, Mr Greg Tory, from Lachlan Shire Council, who visited and discussed local government with our 4/5/6 and secondary classes last week .

Mobile Phones – Primary Students

Please be reminded that primary students are not meant to have mobile phones at school. If your child needs one in case of an emergency, it needs to be handed in to the office each day. The school will take no responsibility for lost, stolen or damaged mobile phones.

Financial Assistance for Excursions

Currently, plans are underway to provide financial assistance for all major excursions this year. An announcement will be made at a later date when more information becomes available.

Amanda Thorpe
Principal

School news

P & C meeting rescheduled

The P&C Fundraising Meeting that was to be held today has now been rescheduled to Wednesday, 15th August, 3.30pm at the Tottenham Soccer Grounds. The meeting has been postponed until next Wednesday as the Tottenham Community Consultation Meeting regarding the future of medical services within our town, commences at 2.00pm today - Thursday 9th August. If you are able to, please attend to support this important initiative for our community.

Positive Behaviour for Learning

Focus Area, Week 4:

- actively participate in all school activities
- socialise appropriately
- wash hands before eating
- wait for permission before starting to play
- wait until asked to leave before using sporting equipment
- play by the agreed rules with equipment.

Congratulations to all students who are consistently demonstrating our community's values of Excellence, Respect and Responsibility.

PBL Wristband recipients for this week

Jed Montgomery, Harry Chase and Ryan Berryman

Merit Award recipients

Congratulations to the following students who have received a Merit Award after collecting 5 Achievements:

Kira, Kayla L, Michelle, Olivia, Abbey, Ben, Lloyd, Ryan, Issy, Kate R, Alex, Harry R and Nathan

Gobondery/NARRAF Athletics

Congratulations to all students who participated in the Gobondery/NARRAF athletics trials yesterday. As always all students represented Tottenham Central School very well both on and off the track. We placed second behind Tullamore in the Handicap point score. Eight students have now qualified for the PSSA Western Area Athletics trials at Barden Park on Friday 14th September:

Abbey Medcalf	800m
Digby Lees	100m, 200m
Riley Melmeth	Discus, Long Jump
Maddi Loftus	Discus
Jenavieve Lloyd-Small	100m
Billy Baldwinson	100m
James Mills	High Jump
Dominic Barnett	Multiclass Shot Put, Discus, Long Jump, 100m

Thank you to all parents who supported the students and to Ms Sally Fitzalan for managing the team.

WA CHS Athletics

Congratulations to Michelle Harding who competed at the WA CHS Athletics trials last Friday at Barden Park. Michelle placed 7th in shot put with a distance of 7.62m. Unfortunately, due to the extremely windy conditions she did not have a legal throw in javelin.

Canteen

Wednesday, 15th August

Meal Deal

Hot dog & popper

\$6.00



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Primary news

Claim the Date

K/1/2 Excursion to Wambangalang Environmental Education Centre

Tuesday 6th November 2018

Excursion information and costing will be given out early term 4.

100 Days at School

On Monday, K/1 celebrated 100 days at school this year. They have been counting down the days all year. Students wore shirts to school showing collections of 100 or showcasing the number 100. Parents joined our students for a party, celebration cake and activities involving the number 100. What a great day. More photos in 'Our week in pictures' further on in the newsletter.

Mrs Adam

Regional Spelling Bee

Congratulations to the following students who have made it to the regional spelling bee:

3/4 - Olivia Mills and Jorja Wykes and

5/6 - Ernest Jones and Kaleb Miller

Good luck!!

5/6 Maths

In Measurement, Year 5/6 (below) have been learning about sector graphs using M&M's.

Mrs Attenborough



K/1 in their '100' shirts



EXCELLENCE

RESPECT

RESPONSIBILITY

Secondary news

Excursion

Secondary students are selling raffle tickets for the Monster Raffle to go towards their secondary excursion. A reminder to students that tickets will need to be returned to the office before next Friday 17th August.

Secondary Excursion Fundraiser Evening

BOOK NOW

Saturday, 18th August at the Bowling Club

6:30pm

\$25pp buffet meal 3 course (bookings essential)

RSVP to the Bowling Club or Mel Townsend on 0448323346

no later than Monday 13th August

Monster raffle draw - 35 prizes

Chocolate wheel - 20 prizes

Jumping castle

Mechanical bull

Mock Car crash pre-lesson

On Tuesday, Year 10 and 11 students participated in the Mock Car crash pre-lesson (right). They discussed different licence conditions and requirements and even got to experience the 'beer goggles' to see how much your perception can be changed. They will go next Friday to Parkes to participate in the mock crash day.

Stage 5 Food Technology

We would like to express our thanks to Caroline Eldridge for giving students a very informative tour of the Multipurpose Centre's food preparation facility yesterday. Students were made increasingly aware of what is involved in providing meals for others and will be putting this knowledge into practice as they plan and prepare the meals for the group in our upcoming excursion to Penrith.

L Jarvis

Stage 5 Careers

Students in Stage 5 have recently received an update regarding our upcoming Work Experience and Careers visit to Penrith. I look forward to receiving their signed Expression of Interest forms back as soon as possible, and will be checking on their preferred area of employment in the very near future.

L Jarvis



Secondary Assessment Schedule

Week due	Stage 4	Stage 5	Stage 6
Term 3			
Week 4			

Our week in pictures



Photos from Gobondery/NARRAF athletics carnival held in Dubbo yesterday



SECONDARY EXCURSION FUNDRAISER

Monster raffle

Tickets are \$2 and will be available until the 18th August when the raffle will be drawn. Secondary students have taking raffle booklets home. Extra tickets are also available from the office.

Prizes:

- Full lamb donated by DMC Dubbo
- Side of lamb donated by Baker family
- Side of lamb donated by Baker family
- 4 bags of dog food donated by Horseland, Dubbo
- \$100 voucher donated by Rabbit Trap Hotel
- \$50 voucher donated by Unicorn Bistro, Tottenham
- \$100 Coles voucher donated by Coles, Parkes
- \$250 signed, framed print donated by Marion Duncan
- \$50 wish voucher donated by Loftus family
- 2 pizzas donated by Country Kitchen, Tottenham
- 6 x framed prints donated by InkheArt, Forbes
- \$100 scents hamper donated by Brooke Tattersall
- 2 chopping boards donated by Rick's Timbers, Forbes
- Tupperware donated by Hayley Quinlan
- Load of firewood donated by Simpson family
- 2 VIP tickets to Parkes Rodeo Stampede donated by TM Rodeos
- 2 x \$50 cupcake vouchers donated by Kylie's Cakes
- \$50 gourmet food hamper donated by Pearborn Park Quality Gourmet Produce, Parkes
- Bulka bag of sheep or cattle nuts donated by Weemeelah Cattle Company
- \$200 Akubra hat voucher donated by Akubra Australia
- Family pass for a cave tour donated by Jenolan Caves
- Family pass donated by Taronga Western Plains Zoo
- Hats donated by KMWL and Co Forbes
- Hats and talking tool belt donated by Hutchinson and Pearce Forbes
- Hat donated by Adam Tanswell Transport Parkes



Calendar

TERM 3 2018	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
WEEK 3 EDUCATION WEEK	6	7 Mock car crash pre- lesson Yr 10 & 11 ICAS Maths	8 Gobondery/NARRAF Athletics	9 OPEN DAY Assembly 11:30am Open classrooms Lunch 1pm Amazing Race 1:30pm	10 Stage 4 excursion to Dubbo
WEEK 4	13 Moorambilla Voices residency camp	14 →	15 Yr 11 Chemistry study day - here P & C meeting 3:30 at soccer grounds	16 Drama workshop	17 Mock car crash Yr 10 & 11
WEEK 5 HSC TRIAL EXAMS	20	21	22	23	24 Book Week Parade Assembly
WEEK 6	27 Central Schools Lawn Bowls Knockout finals School Wether competition	28 →	29 Interacted Technology roadshow	30 Drama workshop Primary Horse sports - Warren	31 →
WEEK 7	3 September	4 VALID science testing Yr 6 & 10	5 CHS State Athletics Yr 12 Science Study & Chemistry Day—Peak Hill	6 →	7 Gobondery /NARRAF netball/touch gala day—Warren
WEEK 8 SCIENCE WEEK	10 School photos	11 VALID catch up	12 Science Fair Assembly	13 Drama workshop WAP graduation - Dubbo	14 PSSA Athletics Flower Show
WEEK 9 PRELIM EXAMS	17	18	19 Yr 12 Graduation	20	21
WEEK 10 ST5 WORK EXP— PENRITH	24	25	26 Moorambilla Voices residency camp	27 Drama workshop Year 12 farewell assembly	28 →



Signed: _____



Tottenham Central School's Secondary Excursion Fundraiser

FORBES
COUNTRY
BAKEHOUSE



PIE DRIVE

Orders and payments to be made **before Friday, 24th August, 2018** (Week 5 /Term 3)
Collection date will be notified in the school newsletter or by phone

Family name: _____ Fundraising student's name: _____

Phone: _____

Product	Price	Qty.	Subtotal
Beef Pie	\$10.00		
Cheese & Bacon Pie	\$11.50		
Curry Pie	\$11.50		
Tomato & Onion Pie	\$11.50		
Potato Pie	\$12.50		
'SUPA' Pie – bacon, cheese, tomato & onion	\$12.50		
Chicken & Veg Pie	\$13.00		
Apple Pie	\$10.50		
Caramel Pie	\$10.50		
Apricot Pie	\$10.50		
Cherry Pie	\$10.50		
Strawberry Pie	\$10.50		
Blueberry Pie	\$10.50		
Lamingtons (1 dozen)	\$12.00		
Party pies (1 dozen)	\$12.00		
Party sausage rolls (1 dozen)	\$9.00		

All meat pies are 8" ≈ 20cm

All fruit pies are 7" ≈ 18cm

Total: _____

Online payments

If you wish to pay online please go to our website tottenham-c.schools.nsw.edu.au and go to the 'Make a payment' tab. You will be taken to a secure Westpac site. Please enter a student's or your own details in the mandatory fields. (you do not need to be a student). In the 'Class or Year' field type *Office* and in 'Ref Number' type *2018*, then select 'Next Section'. Enter all contact details, then select 'Next Section'. In the 'Payment Type' drop down, please choose *Other*, the 'Description' will be *Pie Drive* and then enter amount, select 'Next Section'. Enter card holder details and select 'Proceed to Confirmation'. You will be given a receipt number.

Please enter that number here _____ and return this order form to the student who gave it to you or the school office. Thank you.

TOTTENHAM PRE SCHOOL &
EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTRE

Presents

Under The Stars
Spring Ball

ENTERTAINMENT
BY
JADE MARTIN
&
PETE RILEY

Saturday the 8th of September
6 PM TOTTENHAM
RACECOURSE \$67.50 PP
(DRINKS NOT INCLUDED)

CATERED BY "THE DISH FROM PARKES"

Silent Auction & Major Raffle

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