

Monday, 18 February 2019

From the Principal

What a great swimming carnival! Our students attending represented our school in a terrific manner, swimming their best, encouraging each other, using their manners at the canteen and leaving the pool clean and tidy. A huge thank you to our organising teachers, particularly Mrs Morison and well done students.

Today we proudly watched as our student leadership team members were formally inducted into the role. I'm looking forward to working with them as we formulate plans and processes to continue our growth as a school community.

We have a huge amount of lost property at school. We have jumpers, hats, lunch boxes, drink bottles and lots of other items, all belonging to a child at school. This is collected on a table outside of our office. Please have a look and see if it belongs to a family member. All items not collected by the end of next week (Week 5) will be added to our second hand uniform box.

This week the weather forecast is for slightly cooler weather, however it will still be in the midrange 30 degrees. Please ensure your child has their school hat to play outside if they wish, and a filled drink bottle. Children are able to refill their bottles from our chilled water dispenser to keep hydrated.

Our office staff are still doing school inductions for those parents and caregivers who are wishing to participate in school assistance activities (canteen, transporting children to activities and assisting in classrooms). Bring your WWCC up on Wednesday mornings at 9.00am and we can assist.

I had an 'inside giggle' at the enthusiasm our debating team displayed as they finished a day of intensive workshopping at Ashtonfield Public School last Thursday. Thank you to Miss Hamilton for organising and accompanying our team for the day, all children in the team are eagerly looking forward to their first debate of the year.

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Here's to a great Week 4!

Donna Stackman

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School Car Park

Our school car park is not for use to parents and caregivers. It is also not a pedestrian area. School transport services utilise this area and parking either in the car park or driveway is not permitted.

Please keep your children safe and abide by these expectations.

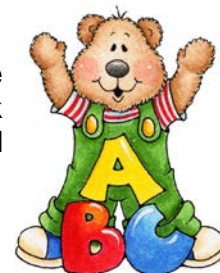
Thank you

Tenambit Public School CUBS Program

The 2019 CUBS (Coming Up To Big School) Program will commence at Tenambit Public School on Wednesday 8th May from 9.00am to 11.00am.

This Program is a school readiness program for children commencing Kindergarten at Tenambit Public School in 2020.

Please register your child at the school office. An enrolment pack will need to be collected and returned to school.



School Calendar Term 1 - 2019

Week 4

Monday 18 th February	Leadership Induction 12.30pm – School Hall P&C Meeting - 6.00pm
Tuesday 19 th February	Zone Swimming Carnival
Wednesday 20 th February	Parent/Volunteer Inductions 9.00am in the office

Week 5

Wednesday 27 th February	Parent/Volunteer Inductions 9.00am in the office
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Week 6

Wednesday 6 th March	Parent/Volunteer Inductions 9.00am in the office
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Week 7

Wednesday 13 th March	Parent/Volunteer Inductions 9.00am in the office
Friday 15 th March	Athletics Carnival

Week 8

Wednesday 20 th March	School Photos Parent/Volunteer Inductions 9.00am in the office
Friday 22 nd March	Cross Country

Week 9

Wednesday 27 th March	Parent/Volunteer Inductions 9.00am in the office
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Week 10

Tuesday 2 nd April	Zone Cross Country
Wednesday 3 rd April	Parent/Volunteer Inductions 9.00am in the office

Week 11

Wednesday 10 th April	Parent/Volunteer Inductions 9.00am in the office
Friday 12 th April	Easter Hat Parade

Volunteer Inductions

If you would like to be a volunteer at school there have been some changes since September last year. Volunteers need to complete a Working With Children Check NSW at

<https://www.service.nsw.gov.au/transaction/apply-working-children-check>, print out the final page with the application number on it and take it to Services NSW (old RTA) and submit the application.

Once approved, bring the copy of the clearance with you when undergoing the volunteer induction at the school.

Inductions will take place on Wednesday mornings at 9.00am right through to the end of Term 1.

Playgroup

Unfortunately at this point in time, there will be no Playgroup on a Thursday in the school hall.

We have been unable to source a facilitator to implement the program.

School Assemblies

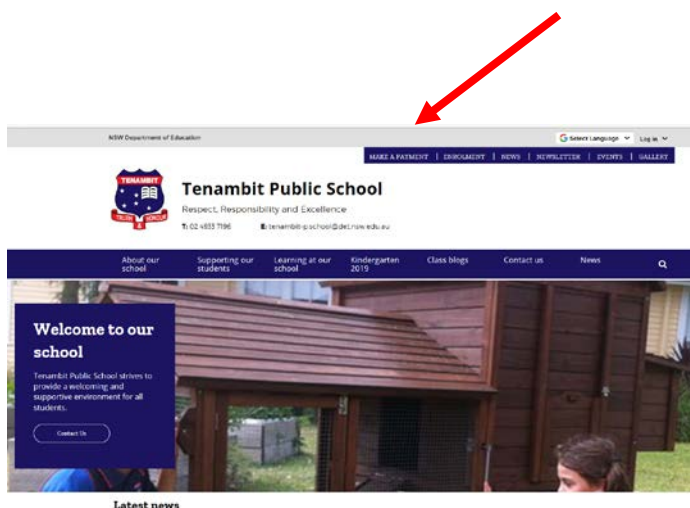
Infants and Primary Assemblies will resume next week (Week 5).

From the Office

Just a reminder it is a **\$10.00 minimum** for any payments using EFTPOS at the school office.

Also, the school does not carry a float, so if paying by cash it would be much appreciated if you have the correct money.

If you would like to make your payments online, please go to the Tenambit Public School website and click on the blue 'Make a Payment' tab along the top.



Follow the instructions and enter your payment details etc. Please note, only fields marked with an asterisk are mandatory to be completed.

Thank you.

SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS

8.30am – 3.15pm

Swimming Carnival

The annual school swimming carnival was held at East Maitland pool on Thursday 14th February. Congratulations to all competitors and also those students who attended as spectators, or to join in non swimming novelty events. Students seemed to enjoy the day and the cheering from the teams was fantastic. A huge thank you to our two parent time keepers Ms Sam Blakemore and Ms Sam Burley who were a great help. Also a huge thank you to the teachers for assisting with the smooth running of the carnival. We had a number of students who were successful in gaining nomination for the ZONE swimming carnival, which is being held tomorrow, Tuesday 19th of February. Good luck to all of them!



Library News

When is my library day?

Here is a timetable showing when each class has their library lesson. A library bag is needed to borrow books and they can be purchased from the uniform shop. Please ensure library books are returned for each lesson to have another week of wonderful library books to read and enjoy.

Happy reading
Mrs Powell



Monday	Tuesday
3/4 White	1 Blue
3/4 Blue	1 Red
3/4 Green	2 White
3/4 Red	2 Blue
Thursday	Friday
K Red	5/6 Blue
K Blue	5/6 White
K Green	5/6 Red
1/2 Green	5/6 Green
K-6 Red	
K-6 Blue	

ETHICS

We wish to advise that ETHICS classes are unable to run at the present time as we are awaiting a new community coordinator.

We would like to thank Mrs Nichole Wilson for her previous service in fulfilling that position. Training is required to fulfil the above vacancy and if there is a community member interested they need to contact the Primary Regional Manager, Mr Graham Wrightson.

Therefore children who previously attended ETHICS will now be enrolled into NON-SCRIPTURE unless we are otherwise advised.

Please be diligent in returning your PURPLE forms to the school office or classroom teacher.

Scripture classes will commence in Week 6 and will be timetabled into the last session each Tuesday, as in previous years.