

Monday, 19 November 2018

From the Principal

Welcome to Week 6.

Firstly I need to congratulate Mr Davies and the boys' cricket team on their success in the recent Reg Kelly Shield competition. The team played three games over the past few weeks and were victors in two of the three games. The sportsmanship displayed was outstanding and the team represented Tenambit Public School in a very positive manner.

Class time is learning time. This is what we will be focussing on in class with our students. We want to develop the understanding in our students that when they are in class, they are there to achieve their academic goals that they have set for themselves. Every student in every class has the right to learn in an environment that is free from as many distractions as possible. When students are in class they are expected to uphold our PBL values of Respect, Responsibility and Excellence.

I would also like to remind parents that class time is learning time as well. If you need to see your child's teacher please make contact with them prior to class time and arrange a suitable time outside their teaching time. Although you may only need to catch up with them for 2 minutes, if every child's parent only needed 2 minutes of their child's teacher's time, you can understand how this would significantly impact the teaching and learning of the class. Teachers are more than happy to meet with parents and we most certainly welcome parents input and support, but if we can limit the impact this has on student's learning it would be greatly appreciated.

Maree Johnston will be taking medical leave for the remainder of the term as she undergoes surgery this week. Mrs Johnston's class will be covered by Mr Martin Dieckmann for the remainder of the term. If you see Mrs Johnston out and about during her recovery, please be sure to wish her a speedy recovery.

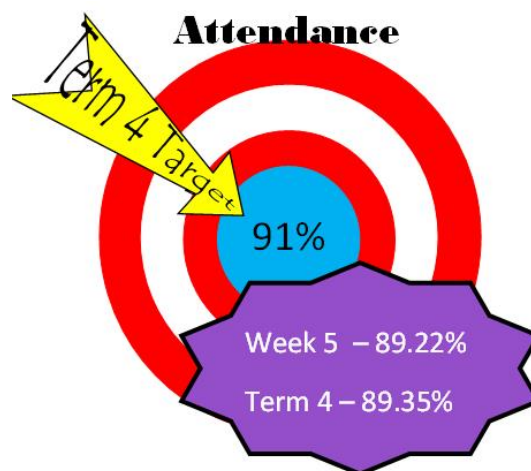
Our annual Presentation days are coming up in Week 9 of this term with our Primary Presentation Day on Tuesday 11th December and our Infants Presentation Day the following day, Wednesday 12th December. Please note both days start at 9:30am and we hope to see you there.

Until next week,

Luke Potts

Relieving Principal

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PBL Affirmation for the Week

"I can be excellent"

School Calendar Term 4	
Week 6	
Monday 19 th November	P&C Meeting – 6.00pm
Tuesday 20 th November	Author Visit
Wednesday 21 st Nov	Kinder 2019 Expo Kinder Orientation #1 Casey's Toys Fundraiser
Thursday 22 nd November	Play Group 9.00 – 11.00am
Friday 23 rd November	Cold Rock Day Fundraiser
Week 7	
Monday 26 th November	PBL Badge Day
Wednesday 28 th Nov	Kinder Orientation #2
Thursday 30 th November	2019 Student Leader Speeches and Voting Play Group 9.00 – 11.00am
Week 8	
Tuesday 4 th December	Maitland High Orientation
Wednesday 5 th December	Kinder Orientation #3 Volunteers Afternoon Tea
Thursday 6 th December	Play Group 9.00 – 11.00am
Friday 7 th December	Carols Night
Week 9	
Tuesday 11 th December	Primary Presentation Day
Wednesday 12 th Dec	Infants Presentation Day
Thursday 13 th December	Year 6 Farewell Play Group 9.00 – 11.00am
Friday 14 th December	Voting for Sports/House Captains PBL Reward Day School reports sent home
Week 10	
Monday 17 th December	Class Party Day Stage 2 Excursion to Readings Cinema
Wednesday 19 th December	Last day for students Year 6 clap out - 2.45pm

Parent Online Payments

Please be aware when the school has an activity and payment is required, if you choose to pay online for your child, the payment must be done online by 5.00pm on the cut off day, or the payment will be rejected. Paying online still adheres to the same rules as paying at the office.

Please ensure the receipt number issued when you pay online is written on the permission note prior to handing the note into the office.

Thank you for your understanding.

Primary Presentation Day
Tuesday 11th December
Time: 9:30am

Infants Presentation Day
Wednesday 12th December
Time: 9:30am

Boys Cricket Team

This term our boys' cricket team played three games in the Reg Kelly cricket competition. Our first game was against St Philips and they defeated us 124 to 81 runs. They were a very good team and our boys played a great game, with man of the match going to Cohen Parker for his unbeaten 24 runs. Our second game was against Ashtonfield and we beat them 107 to 97 runs. It was a very close game and our man of the match went to Kane Cox for making an unbeaten 24 runs.

Our last game was against Pelaw Main and we made 103 runs for only 3 wickets lost and Pelaw Main could only manage 56 runs all out. Our man of the match went to Dharelle Weldon for bowling figures of 3 for 5 off 2 overs.

Unfortunately we did not make the finals as we did not win all of our matches, but the boys showed excellent sportsmanship and resilience during the games. They represented the school with pride and I couldn't be more proud. Well done boys!

Mr Davies





School Reports

REMINDER – FUNDRAISER ON THIS WEEK!!!

Tenambit Public School P&C and Casey's Toys Greenhills will be holding a Christmas Fundraiser Shopping Night.

WHEN: Wednesday 21st November

WHERE: Casey's Toys, Greenhills Shopping Centre

TIME: 6.00pm – 8.00pm

Casey's Toys will provide a quiet child free environment with champagne and light refreshments and we supply the customers!

Just remember to RSVP!

Christmas Raffle

Tickets went home with students today for the Christmas Raffle that will be drawn at the Carols on the 7th December 2018.

Tickets are \$1.00 each.

1st Prize: Large Christmas Hamper
2nd Prize: Hamper
3rd Prize: Hamper

Please support our school to help finalise payment for our shade cover over the play equipment.



Home Reading

Please note the cut off for students to receive their 200 night Home Reading Certificate this year will be the end of Week 7 (Friday 23rd November).

If you are nearing 200 nights by that time, please ensure you bring your Home Reading Record Book into the office so you receive your Certificate. e.g. If you are on 195 nights, and know you will finish 200 nights by the end of term.

Semester Two Reports

This term, student reports will not be handed out at Presentation Day, they will be sent home on Friday 14th December.

SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS



8.30am – 3.15pm

Book Packs – Maitland High School

Stuart and Dunn Office Choice have book packs for Year 7 students moving into Maitland High School in 2019. The all-inclusive pack is to assist parents of these students, to ensure the ease of ordering. This pack can be delivered **free of charge** directly to you, or can be picked up from their store in Beresfield. The total cost per pack is \$85.00.

The packs can be purchased from:

<https://stuartanddunn.officechoice.com.au/maitland-high-year-7-book-pack>



MAITLAND HIGH YEAR 7 BOOK PACK 2019

CODE: MAITLANDHIGH7

- 5 x Protex Exercise Book A4 8mm Ruled 192 Page
- 5 x OC Exercise Book A4 96 Page
- 1 x OC Scrap Book 72 Page
- 1 x Casio FX82 Scientific Calculator
- 1 x Celco Math Set
- 4 x Display Books
- 2 x 2B Pencils
- 2 x 3B Pencils
- 2 x 8GB USB Sticks
- 5 x Artline Smoove Black Pens
- 1 x Micador Highlighters Wallet of 4
- 1 x 30cm Plastic Ruler
- 1 x Eraser
- 1 x OC Glue Stick 36g
- 1 x 170mm Scissors
- 1 x BIC Evolution Coloured Pencils Pack 12
- 1 x Faber Castell Sharpener
- 1 x Poly Cover A4 Visual Art Diary 120 Page

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ASSEMBLIES

Infants: Monday 2.25pm

Primary: Friday 2.25pm

Stage 1 Newsletter

Over the last two terms, Stage 1 has been doing project based learning. We have been learning about farms, where our food comes from, lifecycles, seasons and how we can help people in other countries. As part of this learning, we have planted sunflowers and are watching how they change as they grow.



We have been learning about how to take care of a living plant and we have done artworks showing how bright and beautiful sunflowers can be.

