

Monday, 15 August 2022

From the Principal

Wow, how can it be Week 5 already? Time certainly flies when you've had an extended break. I'd like to thank Mr Potts and our school team for keeping everything flowing smoothly, allowing me to take a family break to celebrate my mum's 80th birthday in North Queensland. It was very hard to leave the beautiful warm weather with beach swims every morning to return to cold, rain and wind. However, it's lovely to be back at work with smiling kids and amazing staff.

PBL Acknowledgement Day - Disney Dress Up

Friday 19th August

Wow! What a great achievement for our students, earning another PBL Acknowledgement Day so soon. This Friday our kids will be able to dress as their favourite Disney character. Our staff are sure to join in too. I can't wait to see everyone's costumes.

Road Safety

Could all parents please talk to their children about road safety, making sure they know to look before crossing the road and only crossing when safe or at a crossing if available. Last week two of our young students walked straight across the road in front of a car. Thankfully the driver was alert and mindful. Teachers will be addressing this in classrooms, but please make it be part of the conversations at home too.

National Science Week

This week we immerse our students in science in various forms. Each stage will be participating on separate days of the week. Keep an eye out for some photos on our social media.

We have still got lots coming up before the end of the term. Along with our move to the library from the Administration Block, we are certainly very busy (as usual).

Enjoy the week,

Donna Stackman

School Calendar - Term 3

Week 5 – Science Week

Wednesday 17 th August	Cut off day for payment for Hunter Valley Wildlife Park
Thursday 18 th August	TASH Homework Club
Friday 19 th August	Disney Dress Up Day! Assemblies: K-2 at 12.00pm 3-6 at 1.30pm

Week 6 – Book Week – Dreaming with eyes open

Thursday 25 th August	TASH Homework Club
Friday 26 th August	Book week parade 10.00am

Week 7

Wednesday 31 st August	Stage 1 Excursion Father's Day Stall
Thursday 1 st September	Father's Day Stall TASH Homework Club
Friday 2 nd September	Father's Day Breakfast Assemblies: K-2 at 12.00pm 3-6 at 1.30pm

Week 8

Thursday 8 th September	R U OK Day TASH Homework Club
Friday 9 th September	Assemblies: K-2 at 12.00pm 3-6 at 1.30pm

Week 9

Mon 12 th – Thurs 15 th Sept	Stage 3 Canberra Excursion
Friday 16 th September	Maitland High School transition

PBL FOCUS – WEEK 5

"I can keep my hands and feet to myself"



Disney Dress Up Day!

Congratulations Tenambit, we have reached 2500 Tenners!

To celebrate we will be having a Disney Dress Up day.

When: **Friday 19th August**

Come dressed in your best Fairy tale/Disney costume.



Cricket Coaching Sessions

We are extremely fortunate to have Tenambit-Morpeth Cricket Club to attend our school to offer cricket sessions to our Stage 2 and Stage 3 students on the 17th August.

The Cricket Sessions will include:

(All Equipment Supplied by TMCC)

Batting Skills (Correct Technique & Running Drills)

Bowling Skills (Stance & Target Drills)

Fielding Skills (Throwing & Accuracy Drills)

Short form game formats

Plenty of giveaway merchandise and stickers on the day.



Book Week

Throughout Week 6 we will be celebrating our love of reading and stories with Book Week! The theme for this year is 'Dreaming with Eyes Open' so we have lots of dreamy activities planned for classrooms throughout the week. Book Week will culminate with a Book Week parade at 10am on Friday 26th of August. We would love to see all of our students showing their love of reading by dressing up as their favourite character or author and showing us how fun reading can be!

Parents are invited to attend our parade and stay for a picnic lunch afterwards. This is a BYO lunch, and parents are asked to bring their own blanket.

REMINDER

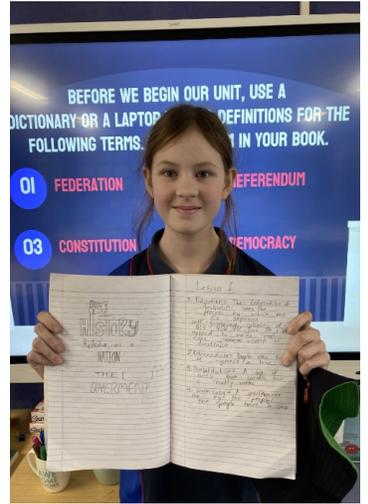
**Stage 1 Excursion to Hunter Valley Wildlife Park – cut off for payments and notes is this Wednesday 17th August by 3.00pm.
NO LATE PAYMENTS OR NOTES CAN BE ACCEPTED.**

CANTEEN NEWS

Hot Chocolates now available from the canteen for \$1.00 at lunch and recess
(Not available for Friday recess)

Stage 3 Update

This term, Stage 3 have been busy learning about Government ready for our Canberra excursion in Week 9. We have also been researching animals in order to create informative texts, practising our math skills in Ninja Groups, creating artworks and getting creative with body percussion beats in music!



From the Office

If sending cash in with your child to make a payment at the office, please ensure you send the correct money as we do not carry a float.

Our preferred payment option is via our online payment system on our website. 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, you are not required to enter the student registration number.** Contact the office if you need assistance or have any enquiries. Thank you.

Please note when paying by EFTPOS at the school office, there is a minimum transaction amount of \$10.00 due to fees charged to the school.

COLLECTING STUDENTS FROM SCHOOL FOR APPOINTMENTS

When picking your child up early from school for appointments, please aim to collect them before or after lunch/recess if possible.

As students need to be paged during these times, they often do not hear the page from the office and it can take considerable time to locate them in the playground.

Lunch runs from 11.15am to 11.55am
Recess runs from 1.55pm to 2.25pm

Thank you for your cooperation.

Our school has a new look online payment page!

We're now accepting payments for Tenambit Public School via the school's website. To make a payment, simply:



Visit our school website on your mobile, tablet or desktop computer



Select 'Make a payment' from the main page menu



Enter the required student, contact and payment details

Note: You are NOT required to provide the 8-digit Student Registration Number.



Check your email for a copy of the receipt of payment



Good for kids
good for life



Serving up veggies!



Vegetables have nutrients, minerals, vitamins and fibre essential for kids growth, development, health and wellbeing.

Tips to get kids eating 5 x serves of veggies daily

- 🥕 Eat as a family. Offer kids a variety of cooked and raw vegetables daily
- 🥕 Be a role model! Fill your plate with a vegetable rainbow. Talk about what veggies you like to eat and why
- 🥕 Add raw or cooked veggies to lunchboxes e.g. veggie pikelets or muffins, carrot & cucumber sticks with salsa
- 🥕 Veggies are a great snack! Keep sliced veggies in a container in the fridge e.g. capsicum, celery, carrot
- 🥕 Ask your kids what veggies they'd like to eat. Involve them in shopping for, choosing and cooking veggies

Source: Queensland Government | How to get your kids to eat more fruit and veggies - Healthier. Happier.
<https://www.healthier.qld.gov.au/guide/how-to-get-your-kids-to-eat-more-fruit-and-veggies/>



HNELHD-GoodForKids@health.nsw.gov.au
<https://goodforkids.nsw.gov.au>

Developed by Hunter New England LHD



SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS

8.30am – 3.15pm



Year 7 2023

Dear Year 6,

We are looking forward to you joining our school in 2023. In the next 6 months, there will be various opportunities for us to get to know each other and for you to learn everything there is to know about high school.

Friday 16 th September	Launching into MHS Transition Day
Term 4: Week 3 - Week 5	Jump Start Transition Program (Students must be nominated by the Primary Schools)
Tuesday 29 th November (TBC)	Orientation Day

Be sure to check out Maitland High school web page 'Year 7 2023' for more information and the answers to frequently asked questions.

I am very excited to meet you all and can't wait to start your High School journey together.



Mr Fletcher

Year 7 Advisor 2023

TMCC Registration Days




12 AUG FRIDAY-MORPETH OVAL 4:00 PM
19 AUG FRIDAY-MORPETH OVAL 4:00 PM
26 AUG FRIDAY-MORPETH OVAL 4:00 PM

Teams available in: Junior Blasters, Juniors, Seniors & Ladies

Register in August & go into the draw to:

- 1) Win 1 x Senior \$100 Rebel Sport voucher
- 2) Win 1 x Junior \$100 Rebel Sport voucher

PlayHQ **ACTIVE KIDS** APPROVED PROVIDER

PH: 0412 681 192
 GO THE BULLS! www.tmbulls.com.au

Maitland FC NPLW U13's trials

Are you turning 12 or 13 in 2023 and interested in playing a competitive level in football. Maitland FC are looking to fill our NPLW U13's team for 2023, both field players and a GK. If interested please complete an EOI to confirm attendance.

Sessions are being held each Monday starting 15/8 from 6-7:30pm at Maitland Hockey Centre, Maitland

All enquiries please contact Kate Sutton via email: nplgoperations@maitlandfc.com.au




ASSEMBLIES - FRIDAY	
K-2	12.00pm
3-6	1.30pm

City United District Cricket Club

LOOKING TO PLAY CRICKET?

- ✓ Junior Blasters 4 to 7
- ✓ Master Blasters 7 to 9
- ✓ Boys/Girls - Juniors 8 to U16s

REGISTER NOW AT: City United Cricket Club Maitland [PLAYHQ](https://www.playhq.com.au)



Contact Paul Brownlee at paul.brownlee1@outlook.com or on 0419 294 033 for more details

ABOUT OUR CLUB

Our home ground is Robins Oval. Situated in the centre of the beautiful Maitland park complex, along with Louth Park oval and GUOFF oval also in the Maitland park complex.

Be a part of a great Family orientated club with great history with over 100 years in the Maitland Cricket Competition

We have a focus on Junior development, with plenty of successful Junior teams and the transition into Senior teams.

Recent success with back to back club championship in 2019/20 and 2020/21, while having fun with regular social family orientated events.

COME AND JOIN OUR CITY UNITED FAMILY

NEW UPGRADED FACILITIES

1.7 million dollar upgrades to Robins Oval Grandstand and surrounds to be completed this season!

Includes:

- New refurbished gender neutral facilities



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