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TOCUMWAL PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



Wednesday 27th July 2016

Term 3, Week 2

Principal: Darren White

Principal's Report

SRC Elects New Reps for Semester 2

The newly elected class representatives for the Students Representative Council were presented with their badges at last week's assembly. They also made a pledge to represent their classes and the school to the best of their abilities. Mrs. Gastin held her first meeting today to provide the new reps with a taste of what is to come. Congratulations and good luck to the newly elected SRC.

The elected reps are Kindergarten: Adelaide Haley and Ava East, Year 1: Cooper Quick and Monet Vinecombe, Year 2: Jett Parker and Milee Hayes, Year 3/4: Hunter Hardwidge and Rhylie DeRijcke, Year 4/5: Connar Chivers and Macey McCallum and Year 5/6: Macey White and Maddison Beatt. Our school Vice-Captains, Hayden Davis and Molly Bear, are included in the SRC as part of their Captain's roles and will help lead the meetings during semester 2.



SRC reps after receiving their badges at assembly last Friday

School Athletics Carnival

On Friday, 5th August, we will be hosting our School Athletics Carnival at the Tocumwal Recreation Reserve. We aim to begin at 9:45am with all students participating in the March Past. We will then be moving onto our regular events for the day. We will run our field events at the oval and, as usual, need some essential parental assistance. If you can assist on the day as a timer, marshal or assistant, could you please notify the school via the tear off slip at the bottom of your Newsletter as this will help to organise the day. Your help is greatly appreciated. We look forward to seeing you there on the day if you can make it.

Book Fair

On Thursday 4th August, we will be holding a Book Fair in our school library. The day before, Wednesday 3rd August, students will be given the opportunity to visit the school library that will be set up with displays of new books. Students will view the books, and then take home a wish list of books that they would like to purchase.

On the Thursday each class will be given time to buy their selected books and start enjoying them. A percentage of the book sales are donated back to the school as books for our library. Thank you to those families who have been able to support this worthy promotion.

Important Dates

Monday 1st – Friday 5th August
Education Week

Monday 1st August
UNSW English Assessment

Thursday 4th August
Book Fair
Education Week Assembly

Friday 5th August
School Athletics Carnival

Friday 12th August
PSSA Zone Athletics

Friday 19th August
Adidas School Fun Run T.O.C.
Tocumwal Olympic Challenge

Tues 23rd – Fri 26th August
Year 5/6 Camp



Connar Chivers
Max Conboy
Chloe McKenzie
Cody Palmer
Declan Palmer

Book Club
Issue 5 due
9am Thursday
4th August



Mathletes of the Week:

Infants:

Hunter Groutsch

Primary:

Mak Eddy

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Leaders Luncheon

Student leaders of Tocumwal Public School will be combining with other student leaders from around the district to meet up and engage in leadership activities at Finley High School on Wednesday 3rd August. The day will be run by Mr Troy Mott, our Director of Public Schools. The children will have a lovely time meeting other leaders and interacting in leadership activities.

University of NSW English Assessment

On Monday 1st August, students nominated from Years 3-6 will be provided with the opportunity to sit the University of NSW English Assessment. This test will explore literacy skills involving reading, comprehension, punctuation, grammar and spelling. Good luck to all of our students entering.

Finley Zone Athletics Carnival

On Friday, 12th August, we will be taking away a strong field of Tocumwal Public's finest athletes for the Finley Zone Athletics Carnival. Finley Public is hosting the Zone Carnival at the Finley Recreation Reserve. Students will receive notes regarding the day and the events they have qualified in after we run our School Carnival. If you are able to assist with the carnival as a time keeper or in another role for the day could you please complete the tear off slip at the bottom of the newsletter. Students will be leaving at 9am sharp so that they are ready for the first races to begin at 9:30am.

Excursions

Term 3 & 4 are very popular with excursions here at Tocumwal Public School. If you need to discuss any aspect of your child's excursion please make an appointment to see your child's class teacher. Please keep all payments coming in as well as permission notes. Should you require financial assistance please make an appointment to contact me through the office.

Child Protection Education

This term our school will be teaching the Child Protection Education unit as part of the Personal Development, Health and Physical Education (PDHPE) Program. Child Protection Education is mandatory in all schools across NSW. Permission slips and further information explaining more about what is dealt with in these units were sent home last term. If you haven't done so already, please sign and return to the school office so that class lessons can go ahead. If you require another form please contact the office and we can send another form home.

Change of Plans

If your child is not following their usual routine of going home, can you please inform your child's teacher of the changes if they are getting picked up by someone else who may not normally pick them up. The preferable method is to write a note. If due to unforeseen circumstances and time constraints you can call the school and the message can be passed on to the child's teacher. Please don't send a person unknown to the teacher to collect your child without notice as this may cause some concern and the teacher may refuse the release of custody to the person as it is their responsibility to look out your child.

Darren White



Book Fair

Thursday 4th August



Our annual Book Fair will be held during Education Week, on Thursday 4th August. Once again the books will be provided by the Deniliquin Newsagent.

All children will have an opportunity to browse the books on the Wednesday before, with their class, to make up their own wish list.

Books will be able to be purchased after 12.15pm on the Thursday. All orders need to be placed on the day and must be paid for.

As we will be having an Education Week Assembly on the Thursday afternoon parents are more than welcome to come in and browse or purchase books as well.

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Tocumwal Public School
Finley Zone PSSA Athletics Carnival Helpers

I am able to assist with the Athletics Carnival on Friday 12th August.

Name: _____ Phone: _____



Canteen Roster Term 3 2016

I am able to be placed on the Canteen Roster for Term 3, 2016.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

I am willing to do ☐ one ☐ two ☐ three days this term *(please tick)*

I am available ☐ All day 9am -2.30pm ☐ Morning 9am – 12noon ☐ Afternoon 11.30pm – 2.30pm

I am able to assist on the following dates:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Friday 22 nd July 11.30am-2.30pm | <input type="checkbox"/> Friday 29 th July 11.30am-2pm |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Friday 5 th August – Athletics Carnival | <input type="checkbox"/> Friday 12 th August |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Friday 19 th August | <input type="checkbox"/> Friday 2 nd September |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Friday 9 th September | <input type="checkbox"/> Friday 16 th September |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Friday 23 rd September | |



Tocumwal Public School
2015 Athletics Carnival CANTEEN Helpers

I am able to assist in the Canteen at the 2015 Athletics Carnival on Friday 5th August.

Name: _____ Phone: _____



Tocumwal Public School
Athletics Carnival Helpers

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Name: _____ Phone: _____

Athletics Carnival

A Meal Deal order form for the Athletics Carnival Canteen has been sent home today. Please return orders to school by Tuesday 2nd August so I can get an idea of what is needed for the day.

If any parents would like to donate some home baking for the Carnival it would be greatly appreciated. Also, any fruit going to waste on your fruit trees, please feel free to drop some into the Canteen. Kids love the free fruit at the end of lunch.

If you have some spare time, even 30mins, on the day to help out, I would be grateful. Feel free to pop in and see if an extra pair of hands is needed.

The following items will be available to purchase on the day

Snacks

Home Baking	from 50c
Jam Donuts	\$1.00
Jelly	\$1.00
Mousse	\$1.20
JJ's Chick/Burg	\$1.10
Vege Chips	\$1.60
Moosies	\$1.00
Icy Bars	half 40c full 80c
Assorted Lollies	from 10c

Drinks

Water	\$1.00
Flavoured Milk	
Chocolate or Strawberry	\$1.70
Milo Popper	\$1.80
Focus Water	
Blackcurrant or Raspberry	\$2.00

Hot Food (will be limited)

Bucket of Hot Chips	\$2.30
Pies	\$3.30
Sausage Rolls	\$1.70
Chicken Tender	\$1.60
Steamed Dim Sims	80c

Canteen Roster

Friday 22nd July

9am-12noon	Alicia Haley
11.30am-2.30pm	Volunteer Required

Friday 29th July

9am-12noon	Carly Almond
11.30am-2.30pm	Volunteer Required

Friday 5th August-Athletics Carnival

9am-12noon	Carly Almond
11.30am-2.30pm	Kaylene Coulson

Canteen News

This Term there will only be warm milo and soup available at Recess. The soup will change every week.

On Friday 5th August (Athletics Carnival) only pre-ordered Meal Deals will be available for lunch. Other items will be available for purchase on the day.

RECESS SPECIALS

Cookies 80c
Cupcakes small 50c large 80c
Brownies 80c
Cup of Chicken and Corn Soup \$1.00
Warm Milo \$1.00

Sonia Cracknell, Canteen Coordinator

GET FIT WITH MARTIAL ARTS!



- ▶ Karate
- ▶ Boxing
- ▶ Kickboxing
- ▶ Boot Camps
- ▶ Self Defence Course
- ▶ Personal Training
- ▶ Fun for all the family

FIRST CLASS FREE!

Ask about our **FREE** uniform to new members

Age specific karate classes held weekly at:

Finley High School (MPR)
Tocumwal Street, Finley NSW 2713

Tuesday nights
Karate Children 4-6yrs, 7-9yrs, 10-12yrs 4:45pm
Karate Teens & Adults 3:30pm

Book NOW for Term 3
Enrolments close soon!

All classes run as per school terms, with a **FREE** trial class for all new members.
Limited places available so **BOOK NOW!**
All instructors are accredited, have police clearances & first aid qualifications

Benefits are:

- Improved Self Esteem
- Improved Self Confidence
- Improved Self Discipline
- Improved overall health & fitness
- Increased energy, stamina & endurance
- Increased muscle strength & flexibility
- Improved co ordination
- Reduced stress & anxiety
- Body fat loss / weight loss

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