

Thurgoona News



Excellence, innovation, opportunity – student success in a caring environment

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Term 4 - Week 9

6 December 2016

Highly experienced and enthusiastic teaching and support staff.

Wednesday 7 December	AECG Meeting – 1.30pm
Thursday 8 December	Industrial Action – 8.45am to 10.30am
Friday 9 December	Crazy Hair Day Reports home
Monday 12 December	Presentation Day – 10.00am
Tuesday 13 December	Year 6 Farewell – from 6.00pm
Wednesday 14 December	Class Parties Christmas Carols – 9.30am P & C raffle drawn
Friday 16 December	Last day of school for students
Monday 30 January 2017	Students Years 1-6 return to school

P & C Raffle

The P & C Raffle will be drawn next week. Please complete selling your raffle books and return them to the office to enable the P & C to account for all books and sell any unsold tickets.



Captain Speeches

I congratulate all of the students who presented their captain speeches today. I was impressed with the manner in which the students spoke and the content of their speeches was outstanding. The 2017 leaders will be announced at the Presentation Day assembly on Monday.

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Presentation Day Assembly

The assembly will be held in the Quad on Monday 12th December, commencing at 10.00am. All parents and community members are welcome to join us for this special event when students are recognised for their outstanding achievement.

Student Reports

Student reports will be sent home on Friday. Please contact your child's teacher if you would like to arrange an interview.

Theresa Kane
Principal

NOTES HOME

Stage 2 Bowling – end of year party – note & money due – Tuesday 8 December	2017 Swimming Carnival – for Years 2-5 only – money & note due 16 December
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Notes are also available on the website – www.thurgoona-p.schools.nsw.edu.au under TPS – Communication.

ART AUCTION CALENDARS

The 2016/17 School Art Auction Calendars will go on sale at some stage next week. \$10 each! The perfect Christmas present and copy of the schools art work to keep!

STUDENT BANKING

Student banking with Hume Bank has now concluded for the year and will recommence in mid February 2017.

SRC NEWS

Talent Quest

This week the SRC will hold auditions for the talent quest. Kinder and Stage 1 will audition on Tuesday, Stage 2 on Wednesday and Stage 3 on Thursday. The final will be held on Monday 12 December.

Crazy Hair Day

This Friday the SRC will be holding a Crazy Hair day to raise money for the school. Students can wear their hair in the craziest style they can think of for a gold coin donation.

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RAINBOW MERIT AWARDS

Cooper Ayers	Acacia	White
Ella Bergic	Acacia	White
Maddi Chant	Acacia	White
Emily Cogdell	Acacia	White
Chloe Densley	Acacia	White
Lily Drew	Acacia	Purple
Patrick Gallagher	Acacia	White
Jett Harrison	Acacia	White
Daniel Harvey	Acacia	White
Kira Howell	Acacia	White
Sam Kane	Acacia	White
Ryan Lowe	Acacia	White
Kate Stephenson	Acacia	White
Delta Sysengthong	Acacia	White
Jayden Ayers	Acacia	White
Elizabeth Beer	Acacia	White
Georgia Callow	Acacia	White
Joseph Hartshorn	Acacia	White
Jackson Maher	Acacia	White
Caitlyn Martin	Acacia	White
Maiah Montgomery	Acacia	White
Ella Piltz	Acacia	White
Liam Plunkett	Acacia	White
Nathan Tickell	Acacia	White
Yashaya Wilkinson	Acacia	White
McKenzie Boswell	Banksia	Green
Alistair Bell	Boronia	Purple
Bella Taylor	Boronia	Purple
Charlie Carroll	Boronia	White
Chevana Morunga	Boronia	White
Ebony Heywood	Boronia	White
Elouise Timbery	Boronia	White
Hannah Swinkels	Boronia	White
Jennifer Adams	Boronia	White
Keira Gardiner	Boronia	White
Lillee Grant-Broekman	Boronia	White
Martique D'Vouw	Boronia	White
Mia Pearson	Boronia	White
Phoenix Webb	Boronia	White
Taylah Vagg	Boronia	White
Zoe Golet	Boronia	White
Alyssa Makeham	Boronia	White
Caitlin Nichols	Boronia	White
Evie Hilary	Calytrix	Blue
Max Willis	Calytrix	Blue

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Evie Hillary	Calytrix	Blue
Maximilian Hobbs	Calytrix	Red
Emily Gyoles	Fern	White
Talia Whitbourn	Fern	White
Lachlan Marks	Fern	Green
Lucas Gunton	Fern	White
Noah Lee	Fern	White
Sophie Lawrence	Fern	Yellow
Izack Daly	Gimlet Gum	Red
Jay McInnes	Gimlet Gum	Red
Adah Strothers	Gimlet Gum	Red
Cassie Kreutzberger	Hibiscus	Red
Sam Beeson	Kurrajong	Red
Mason Godfrey	Kurrajong	Red
Mia Gyoles	Kurrajong	Blue
Kobe Watson	Kurrajong	Blue
Tiarny Vercoe	Kurrajong	Blue
Raine Bloomfield	Kurrajong	Blue
Jesse Gray-Toussaint	Kurrajong	Blue
Birin Milgate	Violet	White
Ruby Kreutzberger	Violet	White
Sam Brownlaw	Violet	White
Thomas Rupic	Violet	White
Ava Baumgartner	Violet	White
Bodhi Keenan	Violet	White

MERIT AWARDS

K -BOTTLEBRUSH	Paige Schmidt-Towers, Jake McCarten, Skarlett Myhill
K - DAISY	Harry Stephenson, Aida Hamblin, Bella Fitzgerald, Harvey Moore
K - GREVILLEA	Riley Heywood, Zane Kay, Joyce Vogel, Hudson Tuckwell
K -WATTLE	Elijah Aldred, Bailey Drew, Eva Tilson, Thomas Davys
S1 -CALYTRIX	Georgina Grant, Josh Byron, Lily Stockbridge-Reck, Madeline Marsden
S1 -GIMLET GUM	Thomas McGregor, Isabellah Davis, Lachlan Bowmont, Koby Swinson
S1 -HIBISCUS	Indianah Woodhead, Olivia Smallpage, Dom Wright, Liam Crane
S1 – KANGAROO PAW	Isaac Bath, Jake Deanshaw, Darby Campbell, Cheyenne Digney
S1 - KURRAJONG	Raine Bloomfield, Kobe Watson, Ewan Pearson, Amy Paterson
S1 - LOMANDRA	Pratham Patel, Isabella Osipov, Ethan Wong, Alice Beavan

S2 - BANKSIA	Jed Vagg, Makayla Dickson, Harry Barber, Grace Alexander
S2 - DRYANDRA	Hollie Doogood, Mia Myhill, Priya Godde
S2 - FERN	Holly Plunkett, Emily Gyoles, Talia Whitbourn, Lucas Cook
S3 - BLUEGUM	Zac Gigliotti, Olivia Gillespie, Sophie Cooper, James Deanshaw
S3 - BORONIA	Chevana Morunga, Martique D’Vouw, Ebony Heywood, Charlie Carroll
S3 - WARATAH	Hannah Lansdown, Hayden Leskie, Billy Horsell, Aaron Esler, Shaley Tickell



THURGOONA PUBLIC SCHOOL SRC FUNDRAISER



FRIDAY 9TH DECEMBER



GOLD COIN DONATION



COME WITH YOUR CRAZIEST HAIR STYLE



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LIBRARY NEWS

All library books need to be returned as soon as possible for stock take. So look under those beds, in bookcases and in classrooms for all library books. Reminder notices will be sent home this week for all outstanding books.



Sydney Debating Championships

On 20 November to 23 November I went to Collaroy, Sydney for the State Debating Championships. On Sunday 20 November all the debaters gathered for a rundown of the camp and to learn about Gender Debating topics as well as liberty/freedom topics.

On the first day of debating I did 3 debates the first category was Health and Fitness. The second category was gender and third and final debate for that day's category was Liberty/Freedom. On the second day of debating we did 2 debates the first category being Education which we lost. The final debate of the competition's category was Crime and Punishment which we won.

Collaroy was amazing we went to the beach and had milkshakes from a small café called Sloppy Tee's. I learnt so much and made so many new friends that I was sad to leave this debating camp. It was really fun and a great experience. Written by Caitlyn Martin

P & C NEWS

This week is your last chance to get those tickets back, please ensure your book has been returned by the end of the week. Congratulations to Kangaroo Paw, closely followed by Boronia - these classes have the most books returned. Good luck to everyone who has purchased tickets! Thanks for your continued support of our school.



COMMUNITY NEWS



KIDS ON KEYBOARDS ENROLMENTS 2017

Tired of running your children to activities and paying excessive fees? Why not consider learning piano/keyboard at school? Fees are low (\$120.00 a term) and there are no hidden costs (Book and CD included). Students in Grade 2 to 6 are invited to come along, learn to read and play music and have fun in a familiar environment. Numbers are limited to one class, which is on Tuesday at 11.00am (at school). Call Jacqui Dainer on 0406 238 465 or (02) 6025 8273 for details and bookings.



Christmas and School Holidays at the LibraryMuseum and Lavington Library

Events

SHAUN TAN'S THE LOST THING: FROM BOOK TO FILM 17 December 2016 – 22 January 2017 - LibraryMuseum

Set in a city overrun by bureaucracy, Shaun Tan's picture book *The Lost Thing* tells the story of a boy who befriends a strange creature that doesn't appear to fit in any of the available pigeon holes. Melbourne-based production company Passion Pictures Australia invited Shaun to direct an animated version of *The Lost Thing*. Several years later, the Oscar®-winning short film emerged.

This exhibition features Shaun's exquisite original drawings and working sketches alongside exclusive footage of the animators and sound artists demonstrating how the drawings were brought to life on screen with movement, sound effects, music and narration.

Exhibition organised by the Australian Centre for the Moving Image, Melbourne

SUMMER READING CLUB

School is nearly over for the year! It's time to start thinking about all the great Heroes and Villains you want to read about over the Summer Holidays! Collect your Summer Reading Club passport from the LibraryMuseum or Lavington Library and be in the running for some great prizes.

Summer Reading Club Finale

Read, Read, Read all summer long then come and party again to celebrate the end of Reading Club and share your best stories! There will be prizes... awarded randomly to Club participants... so be in it to win it!

LibraryMuseum - Tuesday 24 January, 4.00pm

Lavington Library - Thursday 2 February, 4.00pm

Carols by Candlelight

Wednesday 21 December, 6.00pm to 9.30pm - QEII Square, Albury

Carols by Candlelight is one of Council's most loved and most anticipated community events. Each year, people from across Albury and the region come together to sing in the festive season. Under the musical direction of Paul Gibbs, local residents are invited to join a brilliant line-up of local talent and Christmas favourites and a festival atmosphere the whole family will love.

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		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
December								
	9	5 Student leader election speeches P & C Meeting - 7:00pm	6	7 AECG meeting - 1:30pm	8 INDUSTRIAL ACTION MEETING	9 Crazy Hair Day REPORT HOME	10	11
	10	12 PRESENTATION DAY Raffle tickets returned to school	13 YEAR 6 FAREWELL	14 CLASS PARTIES CAROLS P & C Raffle Drawn	15	16 Last day of school for students	17	18
	11	19 Staff Development Day	20 Staff Development Day	21	22	23	24	25
		JANUARY 2017- Students Year 1-6 return Monday 30th January	Kindergarten Best Start 31 st Jan to 2 nd Feb Kinder students commence Friday 3 rd Feb					