

# WELCOME

I wish to extend a sincere welcome to:-

- Jack Y (Prep A)
- Connor C (Prep F)
- Jacinta P (2C)
- Chelsea Y (3A)
- Jake F (4C)
- Jordan R (4D)
- Matthew Y (6C)
- Kyden S (7C)

who has joined our school community this year. We trust your child has settled into the school routines and made some new friends in their class group. We look forward to parent involvement in school and P&C activities.

## STUDENT AWARD WINNERS

<b>Prep</b>	Arelli C (Prep A), Ashlin R (Prep A), Mia R (Prep A), Daykoda S (Prep A), Jasmin A (Prep B), Paige W (Prep D), Natalie G (Prep E), Anara S (Prep E), Jack H (Prep F), Trevor S (Prep F), Kiara W (Prep F)
<b>Year 1</b>	Scarlett D (1A), Krucial K (1A), Konnar H (1A), Jayola E (1B), Danielle B (1B), Sophia W (1C), Aiden V (1C), Noah M (1E), Jack M (1F), Tairua T (1F), Emily M (1F), Daniel M (1F), Jessica S (1F), Ruby C (1G), Sebastian M (1G), Braithan G (1G), Lilly-Rose P (1G)
<b>Year 2</b>	Jayemm H (2A), Jaxon S (2A), Caleb M (2B), Stevie v (2B), Connor W (2B), James B (2C), Mason H (2D), Lachlan M (2D)



### What Is Get Started?

*Get Started* is one of three funding programs that comprise the Queensland Government's *Get in the Game* initiative to support grassroots sport and recreation. *Get Started* assists children and young people who can least afford or may otherwise benefit from joining a sport or recreation club.

### What funding is available?

A maximum of \$150 per voucher is available to help pay the cost of sport or recreation membership and/or participation fees. Note: If cost is >\$150 parent/carer pays the difference.

### Who can apply?

Individuals eligible to apply for a voucher are children and young people from the age of five and under the age of 18 who are residents of Queensland and:

- Hold or whose parent, carer or guardian holds a Centrelink Health Care Card or Pensioner Concession Card
- Other children or young people identified by two referral agents

Note: limit of one voucher per child/young person per calendar year.

### Steps to apply for a voucher

- Confirm club is registered for Get Started by checking the club locator available on the website
- Contact club for membership costs/fees
- Read/understand the terms and conditions on website ([www.nprsr.qld.gov.au/getinthegame](http://www.nprsr.qld.gov.au/getinthegame))
- Create a QGrants account by following the instruction on the website

**Applications for the next round are being accepted from 2<sup>nd</sup> Feb 2015 and close 15<sup>th</sup> April 2015. Vouchers must be used by 15<sup>th</sup> May 2015.**

Need further information

Visit website and check out FAQ's and Help Tools

Email [getstarted@nprsr.qld.gov.au](mailto:getstarted@nprsr.qld.gov.au) or contact Smart Service Queensland on 13QGOV (137 468)

**INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC NEWS**

**MUSICFEST**



Recently the school Concert Band travelled to Iona College to compete in the Prestige Music *Musicfest* competition. The students played exceptionally well and were awarded a SILVER AWARD. Well done to the Concert Band!!

**RECRUITING**

Over the course of this term, letters have been handed out to all current Year 3 students, requesting 'expression of interest' for any students who might be keen to join the award winning Instrumental Music Program for 2015. Please note the commitment and cost of the duration of the year. If you are happy with your child to learn a woodwind, brass or percussion instrument, please hand the slip back to your class teacher, Mr Gold (Music Teacher), school office or myself (Mrs Corinne McNeill, Senior Instrumental Music Teacher, Mondays) as soon as possible so I can proceed to the next stage of the recruitment process.

**MUSICA VIVA**

Students in Years 3-7 were treated to a Musica Viva performance 'B'Tutta' on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> November. This performance encouraged students to conduct, perform and improvise with percussion instruments and left them with rhythms and pumping beats coursing through their veins!

**END OF YEAR CONCERT**

Our End of Year Music Concert and Awards Evening is approaching fast! Students are in full swing preparing and practising hard for this concert. The concert will showcase the Concert Band, Percussion Ensemble, Integrated Concert Band (primary/high school students), Choir, Strings and the newly formed Guitar Ensemble. All parents/caregivers, friends, family and school staff are warmly invited to attend what will be a night full of musical talent.

**When:** Monday 24<sup>th</sup> November, 2014

**Time:** 6pm start (students to arrive at 5.30 to tune, parents/audience members will be allowed in from 5.45pm)

**Cost:** \$2/person

The Canteen will be open from 5.30pm for drinks, chips etc

**GAMING GRANT SUBMISSION**

The Instrumental Music Dept. currently has a grant submission being evaluated with the Queensland Gaming Commission to purchase \$35,000 of much needed musical equipment and resources to enhance our current Instrumental Music Program. We have the full support of our local, state and federal members of Government. Fingers crossed we get a positive result. I will keep you posted!

Musically yours,  
Mrs Corinne McNeill  
Senior Instrumental Music Teacher



**P&C NEWS**

**Bookpack and Uniform Order Forms**

Every student should have received their Information Pack for next year. If you have a Prep starting next year, you can collect one from the Office or Uniform Shop.

For **bookpack collection in 2014** orders closed the 6<sup>th</sup> November.

If **collecting your Bookpack in 2015**, orders need to be returned with payment to the Uniform Shop by Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2014. If unable to pay for the bookpack up front, we are offering a **Special Payment Plan**.



**Pay a \$20 non-refundable deposit** and pay the remainder when you receive the School Bonus. The Bookpacks will be available to collect the Wednesday and Thursday of the last week of School Holidays. If you wish to take up this great offer, please see Kerry in the Uniform Shop.

**ICT Levy 2015**

Every family that pays their 2015 ICT Levy in Term 4 will receive a **FREE BACKPACK** (while stocks last).

In order for us to supply a broader, well sourced enhanced curriculum, worthy of meeting your child's needs, it is necessary for us to supplement our basic financial resources with additional funding.

This contribution plays a vital part in assisting Tullawong State School in funding items such as the following:

- ✦ Reading Books
- ✦ Home Readers
- ✦ Additional Art Materials
- ✦ Science and Maths Equipment
- ✦ iPad apps
- ✦ Photocopying of Resource Material



Congratulations to the Tullawong T20 Girls Team on qualifying for the State Final of the Milo T20 Blast Schools' Cup that will be played at Allan Border Field, Albion on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2014.

Our teams not only played extremely well, but also conducted themselves with class and represented the 'Spirit of Cricket' throughout the competition.

**CONGRATULATIONS**

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| Sade B (7A)   | Rebecca E (6/7) |
| Regina F (7C) | Romaine F (6/7) |
| Chloe M (7B)  | Sapphire S (7A) |
| Milla W (7A)  | Grace W (6/7)   |



**SENSORY MOVIE DAY**



**2pm Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> November**

**Morayfield Birch Carroll & Coyle**

**Tickets: \$8 each**

**Children under 2 years free**

**Sensory Movie Day** is an inclusive event for families with special needs. Children are free to move around, flap or stim, lighting stays on dim and sound lowered, earmuffs available to borrow, fire exit doors are monitored by volunteers. No judgement. Spot prizes, face painting & Balloon animals.

**Sensory Santa**

Sensory Santa is for families with special needs, bookings only, so no lines or queues, no back ground music, before Shopping Centre's trading hours and understanding Photographer and Santa... book now or you may miss out as only limited places.

**Westfield Cherside**

Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> November  
8am-10am

to book contact Chanelle 0422416509

or

**Westfield Strathpine**

Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> November  
9am-9:45am

to book contact 3817 9601

or

**Morayfield Shopping Centre**

9am-11am

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> December

to book contact Chanelle 0422416509

Thank you so much for your continuing support.  
Chanelle Avison

**MONET ART RAFFLE WINNERS**

Congratulations to the following students:

- ☺ Zac V (4E)
- ☺ Sinavai T (3D)
- ☺ Daniel M (1F)
- ☺ Jack M (1F)
- ☺ Kelly L (6A)
- ☺ Tyra T (2F)
- ☺ Sonny F (Prep D)



**CHAPLAIN'S CHAT**



**Counselling and Family Therapy**

*"Offering personal and family counselling because I care"*

I am continuing my study and I am looking for new clients, offering free counselling sessions, as I want to increase my experience and hours. So if you think this counselling or family therapy service could be helpful to you please contact me



"Life can get tough and when it does you need someone to talk to, someone to give you a helping hand, someone who will listen and care."

Telephone 0452 273 949  
Email: sarahhorvath78@gmail.com

**Tuckshop**

The Tuckshop will be closed from Thursday 11 Dec and Fri 12 Dec (last week of Term 4)



**ACTIVE AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM**

(Tullawong State School)

Free for all students

**\*\*\* Zumba \*\*\***

(Thursdays)

Commences: Thursday 23 October

Time: 3pm to 4pm

**\*\*\* Cricket \*\*\***

(Tuesdays)

Commences: Week 4 (28<sup>th</sup> Oct)

Time: 3pm to 4pm

Afternoon tea will be provided for both activities.

Please meet at the Tuckshop at 2.45pm.

Permission forms can be collected from the Office.

**Tullawong SS Playgroup**

is hosting a parent information session about

**Speech and language development in the early years**

**Friday 28<sup>th</sup> November**

**9 am – 10 am**

**In the Playgroup Room**

School-based Speech Pathologist, Kimberley Healy, will run the information session and share some handy strategies that you can use to encourage your child's communication development.



Playgroup parents, parents of Prep students for 2015 or any parents of children aged 2 – 6 years are very welcome to come along. We will **chat until 10 am** and then have some **coffee and cake**.

Children are welcome and the playgroup children's activities will continue as per normal whilst parents attend the information session.

**We hope you can join us!!!**



**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

18 Nov	Parade Years 3 - 4
19 Nov	Swimming Carnival Years 4 - 7
24 Nov	End of Year Music Night
25 Nov	Parade Years 5 - 7
2 Dec	Parade - House
8 Dec	Welcome new student leaders
10 Dec	Year 6 & 7 Graduation
<b>12 Dec</b>	<b>LAST DAY OF TERM</b>
<b>27 Jan</b>	<b>FIRST DAY TERM 1 2015</b>

**P&C MEETING  
TUESDAY 25 NOV  
6PM  
HALL MEETING ROOM**

Tullawong State School Playgroup

A playgroup open to all families who have young children up to school age. It is a chance to meet other families and engage in fun, educational activities with your child/ren.

**When:** Fridays 9:00-11:00am (excluding School Holidays)

**Where:** Tullawong State School Early Childhood Development Program Room (ECDP)

**What to bring:** A hat, play clothes, fruit for morning tea and a water bottle.

Facilitated by an Early Childhood Educator.

For more information please phone Loretta on (07) 5431 4666.

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Please return to the office

My child: \_\_\_\_\_

Who is aged: \_\_\_\_\_

My child will be attending Tullawong State School Playgroup with (Parent/Guardian's name): \_\_\_\_\_

Contact number: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_