

WELCOME TO TULLAWONG!



I wish to extend a sincere welcome to:-

- Blaze D (Prep D)
- Kaiden P (Prep D)
- Kalab G (Prep G)
- Lachlan M (2D)
- Izaak P (3C)
- Felicity G (4C)
- Conner Mc (4E)
- Casey M (6C)
- Jayden A (6/7)
- Shanelle M (Prep D)
- Tarje R (Prep G)
- Hannah M (1E)
- Jye P (2D)
- Connor M (3E)
- Sasha R (4E)
- Malachi B (5A)
- Sarah L (6E)

who have joined our school community this year. We trust your child/children have 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.

TUCKSHOP TALK

Tuckshop online

You can now order Tuckshop online. To order go to our Tullawong State School website: www.tullawongss@eg.edu.au. Select the "**Facilities**" tab, then select "**Tuckshop**".



Volunteers needed – Wed, Thurs and Friday from 8.45am to 11.00am in the Tuckshop. Please contact Wendy in the Tuckshop if you can help.

Price Rise – Billabongs are now \$1.50.

GO BLUE FOR AUTISM DAY



Tuesday 6th May -Our school is "Going Blue for Autism"! On Tuesday our school community is encouraged to wear blue free dress to raise awareness and show our support for Autism. Please bring along a gold coin donation. There will be blue ribbons for sale for \$1.00 and a "Guess how many blue Mentos lollies are in the jar?" competition. 1 guess is \$1.00 or 3 guesses for \$2.00. The person who has the winning guess will win a variety of blue coloured stationary items, toys and other surprises valued at over \$40.00! The ribbons will be for sale and Mentos jar competition will be displayed before school near the tuckshop on Friday 2nd May, Monday 5th May and Tuesday 6th May. The tuckshop will be selling blue mini cupcakes for 25c each and blue icy cups for \$1.00 each on Tuesday as well. The money raised will go Autism Queensland. Parents whose child/ren receive support from the SEU will have received an invitation to attend some parent workshops that are being run on Tuesday morning in the Hall Meeting room. Please come along on Tuesday 6th May wearing blue free dress!



FROM THE PRINCIPAL...

Lest We Forget

Last week's ANZAC Day Ceremony was certainly a very moving event. Our student leaders did an outstanding job in running the proceedings. Their parents should feel very proud of their efforts!



The High School provided the bugler and a performer to sing the national Anthems. What a wonderful job they both did. Our Choir also sang 'They Are Australian' and did us proud.

Well over 120 students also attended Friday's March which left from the RSL Home at Caboolture. It was fantastic to see so many of our students come along and provide their support for the ANZAC traditions. I would also like to thank the many staff who found time to participate and assist with the children. Well done to all!

Every Minute of Every Day Counts!

Every day counts....because children achieve better when they attend school all day, every day

Every day counts....because going to school means getting a better chance at life

Every day counts....because school helps children build social and emotional skills such as communication, teamwork and resilience

Every day counts....because going to school is a legal requirement

What the law says – Under the law, you must make sure your child is enrolled and attends school on **ALL** school days unless you have a reasonable excuse.

You must not keep your child away from school for minor reasons.

Under the law, schools must monitor attendance of students and follow up with parents and caregivers any unexplained absence.

Tune In To Mathematics

One of our Guaranteed Results strategies has been the introduction of Mathematics Tune In program. The program involves identified students getting pre-taught a concept the day before it is taught in class. This gives those selected two cracks at learning the new concept. The first Tune In lesson focuses those students to the major lesson ideas that they are being taught the following day.



The students being supported in the program will vary according to the student needs and the future ideas being taught.

MOTHER'S DAY RAFFLE TICKETS

All Raffle Ticket Books and Money need to be returned to the Uniform Shop by Monday 5th May, we will be drawing the Raffle on Wednesday the 7th May.

MOTHER'S DAY STALL



The P&C Association would like to be able to offer students at Tullawong the opportunity of buying their Mum/Carer a Mother's Day Present from a stall at our school.

We are asking families to **donate a NEW item per child at the school** up to the value of \$5.00 which is suitable to be sold at the Mother's Day Stall. (eg soaps, candles, photo frames, chocolates, homemade craft items, coffee cups, etc).

If you do not have time to shop for an item we also will take money donations up to the value of \$5.00 at the Uniform Shop so we then can buy items for the Mother's Day Stall.

Donations can be sent to class or dropped in at the Uniform Shop.

The Mother's Day Stall is on Thursday 8th May. Students will shop with their class on this day. The stall will be open Friday 9th May before school, during first session and 1st break for students that missed shopping with their class or who would like to buy another present.

TUCKSHOP ONLINE

Thank you to all the families that have joined up with Tuckshop Online. We have 119 families using this new facility. Online Tuckshop Ordering is through our School Website. If you would like more information please see the Tuckshop staff or Kerry in the Uniform Shop.

PAYMENT PLAN BOOKPACKS/UNIFORMS 2015

The P&C is providing this service for families in the endeavour to help them plan for the expenses that occur at the end of the year, as it can be a large expense as one lump sum in Term 4. If you would like more information or would like to start your payment plan, please see Kerry in the Uniform Shop.

ACTIVE AFTER SCHOOL COMMUNITIES

For students in Years 3 to 5

*****Multi-skill and Ball sports*****

Commences Tuesday 6th May

Time: 3pm to 4pm

*****NRL*****

Commences Wednesday 7th May

Time: 3pm to 4pm

Please pick up permission forms from the Office.

Play it safe near our school crossings

Crossing rules for Children

1. Stand behind the yellow pedestrian line and wait for two short blasts of the whistle before crossing.
2. Cyclists and scooter riders must dismount before crossing the road.
3. One blast of the whistle by a crossing supervisor is used in an emergency to halt pedestrians

Crossing rules for motorists

1. Drivers must not stop to drop off or pick up students, on or immediately before/ after crossings.
2. When approaching a children's crossing, a driver **MUST** drive at a speed at which they can *if necessary*, stop safely.
3. Stop when the crossing supervisor displays the stop sign.
4. Remain stopped until all pedestrians, and the crossing supervisor has walked to the other kerb.



The Caboolture Early Years Centre is hosting a Family Fun Morning, for this year's Under 8's Week

The celebrations will take place on Wednesday 21 May from 9.30am until 12.30 at the Caboolture Early Years Centre, 64 Manley Street Caboolture.

Some of the **FREE** activities include:

- Rhythm Culture drumming show
- Kangagang – "Howdy Doo, Dance a Roo Show"
- Maori Cultural Show
- Animal Farm
- "Bringamatealong" Indigenous craft and dance
- Arts and Craft, Bubble Blowing
- Sausage sizzle
- National Simultaneous story telling – "Too Many Elephants in this House"
- Plus much more.



All of the performances and activities will be thoroughly enjoyed by young and old.

ALL WELCOME!

For more information please contact the Caboolture Early Years Centre by email admin@eyc.ladygowrie.com.au or by phoning 5428 1477

CABOOLTURE EARLY YEARS CENTRE

Positive Discipline in Everyday Parenting

A free 8 week group for parents with children 0 – 8 years.

Parents will learn to:

- Set goals
- Create a positive home climate
- Understand how children think and feel
- Understand why children behave the way they do
- Problem solve and resolve conflict
- Improve communication
- Give thoughtful responses to children's behaviours



Please contact...

Tullawong State School office – 5431 4666 or admin@tullawongss.eq.edu.au

Give your name, ages of children and contact number

64 Manley St, Caboolture 4510; (07) 5428 1477;

admin@eyc.ladygowrie.com.au

Proudly funded and supported by the Queensland Government

ICT LEVY - \$15 PER STUDENT

The ICT Levy is used towards buying printing consumables and upgrading our computer resources. Every student is required to pay this Levy at the Cashier.



STUDENT BANKING

Win a share of the sunken treasure from the Lost City of Savings.

The Dollarmites have found sunken treasure in the Lost City of Savings. For your chance to win a share of exciting prizes, simply make three or more deposits at school during term 2 and you'll be automatically entered into the competition.



Major prize

- ✓ Five nights accommodation at the Sea World Resort
- ✓ VIP Passes for 2 adults and 3 kids to Sea World, Movie World and Wet'n'Wild
- ✓ A Dolphin Family Aqua Adventure and
- ✓ \$3,000 travel gift card to get you there.

Runner up prizes

- ✓ 130 Toys 'R' Us gift cards to the value of \$250 each to spend on your favourite toys
- ✓ Plus, a separate draw of \$1,000 for one school in each state/territory.

CHAPPY'S CHAT

**AHOY THERE
ME
HEARTIES!!**



"PIRATE" DAY CAMP

Monday 20 June to Friday 3 July

Hi Everyone,
There has been a lot of talk with students in Year 3 about a day camp in the June/July holidays. **YES** there will be a 'day camp' starting from Monday, June 20th, until Friday, July 3rd. Cost will be about \$75 for a child to attend the 4 days. The camp is open to students from Year 3 to Year 7. Email caboolturedaycamp@gmail.com or phone 0400 591 663 for details. Registration is not open yet, but you can get information and start saving. The theme is pirates. Miss Castles is going to the camp. Arrrrr!

Miss Castles
Chaplain to the stars!

P&C MEETING

Tuesday 27 May

6pm – Hall Meeting Room

**SCHOOL SHORTS
URGENTLY
NEEDED**

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We are in desperate need of school shorts for Student Welfare. All sizes required and very much appreciated.



25th July – 10th August 2014.

Schedule now available on website

www.scje.org.au

ENTRIES CLOSE

Monday 28th April 2014

Entries will not be accepted after this date

For more information contact:

Gwen Dunn: - 5448 5487

Sensory Zoo Keeper Program

The Sensory Zoo Keeper Program has been specifically designed for those aged 6 – 16 who, due to their specific health or medical requirements may not be able to participate in our regular Zoo Keeper programs. During this special program, we will bring the fun to the children and their carers!



Please note: Carers will be required to attend this program.

Activities include: - Brushing the tortoises shells, learning to pat an echidna, feeding the kangaroos, saying hello and patting a koala, pat the wombat, watch Crocoseum Show, Education Centre make a clay figure and Croc Rubbing

What you get for your money: - Exclusive design Zoo Keeper for a Day hat and water bottle, lunch, individual 6x8 photo with an animal and the experience of the day.



Costs: - For Sensory Movie Day Members an amazing \$60 per participant

(includes 1 Carer per special needs child)

Details: - Sensory Movie Day members for this Sensory Zoo Keeper program, arrive at 10.15am... starts at 10.30am and finishes at 1.30pm. Children 6 – 16yrs.

When:- to be arranged

Sensory Movie day Members need to email the details below to sensorymovie@hotmail.com

- Name
- Phone Number
- Sensory Movie Day member
- Child's First Name
- Age
- Location
- Wheel Chair y/n
- Also if you have transport and preferred days

KHEE TAE KWON-DO

Classes on Mondays and Thursdays from 6pm to 7pm in the school hall.

Unlimited Free Trial – Come along and try before you join.

Special offer: Students of Tullawong receive a half price uniform upon joining.

Traditional Martial Arts – Non-competition

Fitness for the Whole Family – ages 5 and up

Qualified Black Belt instructors – Blue Card certified.

Enquiries call 0418 737 739



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

2 May	Interschol sport continues
6 May	Whole School Parade
	Go Blue for Autism Day
9 May	Interschol sport
13 May	Year 3 & 4 Parade
16 May	Interschol sport concludes
20 May	Year 5 to 7 Parade
	District Cross Country
21 May to 23 May	Year 6 & 7 Camp
27 May	Prep to Year 2 Parade
29 May	P&C Meeting
2 Jun	School athletics – 11, 12, 13yrs Discus/200m heats
3 Jun	School athletics – Discus & 200m heats, (9 & 10yrs)
	Year 3 & 4 Parade
4 Jun	School athletics 10 to 13 yrs 800m, 9 yrs 400m & ball games
5 Jun	P to 3 Athletics Carnival
6 Jun	9 to 13 yrs Athletics Carnival
3 June	Year 3 & 4 Parade
10 June	Whole School Parade
27 June	LAST DAY OF TERM
14 July	FIRST DAY OF TERM 3

**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.

Please return to the office by Friday 2nd May

My child: _____

Who is aged: _____

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

Contact number: _____

Signed: _____