

Taree Public School Newsletter

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Bilinga Term 4 - Week 9 Monday 9th December 2019

TERM 4 IMPORTANT DATES

WEEK 9

Monday 9th December

Year 6 Farewell Lunch & Disco

Tuesday 10th December

All Raffle Tickets to be Returned Sold or Unsold

Wednesday 11th December

Presentation Day & Concert from 10am

WEEK 10

Tuesday 17th December

Student Reports Posted

Wednesday 18th December**Last Day of Term 4 for all students**

TERM 1 2020 IMPORTANT DATES

WEEK 1

Wednesday 29th January

First Day of Term 1 for Year 1 to Year 6 Students

Thursday 30th January

First Day of Term 1 for Kindergarten Students

WEEK 2

Friday 8 February

Assembly @ 2.30pm — presented by K/1G

Classes for 2020

KG — Miss Alice Green**1/2H** — Ms Linda Hook**3/4V** — Miss Ashley Visser**5/6S** — Mr Jeremy Smith**3-6R** — Ms Melissa Raymond

Release Teacher

Ms Narelle Clapson

Intervention Teacher

Ms Tamie Mitchell

Learning & Support Teacher

Ms Gai Hickson

Farewell to two amazing staff members

We would like to wish Mrs Di Murray & Mr David Roberts all the best with their future endeavours and thank them both for the amazing work and support they have given Taree Public School.

We will miss having them as part of our staff next year!



Class 2/3H

We have had a busy end to this term. We have been learning about maps in Mathematics and describing the path from one location to another. Every Wednesday we have been going to the PCYC where the children have had lots of fun using all the different equipment.



We have been busy practising for our end of year performance where we will be singing a song and playing the ukuleles.

If your child has any home readers or library books at home, can you please return them to school asap.

Have a safe and happy holiday!

Linda Hook

Class 2/6V

What a very busy year 2/6V have had. We have been finishing off our units for the term and have started our Christmas craft.

2/6V are also very excited for our end of year performance, with our class performing a puppet show.

I wish our year 6 students Nadaysha, Lily and Antwone all the best in high school. We will miss you all.

I would also like to wish Mrs Murray and Mr Roberts all the best on their new adventures next year. We thank you for all your hard work and dedication to the school.

I wish everyone a safe and happy holidays.

Bronze Award Excursion

Award students enjoyed watching Arthur Christmas while eating pizza at school in the library.

Silver Award Excursion

On Monday the 2nd of December, students who made it to silver on their passports walked down to the park on the river. Students got to play on the play ground and had chicken and chips for lunch. All students enjoyed their day and were all very well behaved.



Presentation Day & Concert

Presentation Day Awards Ceremony is this **Wednesday 11th December at 10.00am.**

Parents, carers, family members and community members are all welcome to attend.

Morning tea will follow at approx. 11.00am.

The Concert will commence at approx. 11.30am which will include the following:

K/1G — 'Bob the Kelpie' Drumming Performance

2/3H — 'Glorious' Ukulele Performance

2-6V — 'Three Billy Goats Gruff' Puppet Show

6R — 'High Hopes'

4/5C — 'The Cups' Song

Year 2 - 6 — Combined music performance

We hope to see you there!

Gold Rewards Excursion

Thirty-two students were invited to attend the Gold Rewards Excursion at Ten Pin Bowling on Monday. The children enjoyed their game of Ten Pin and displayed courteous and co-operative behaviour. They enjoyed chips and gravy after their game, courtesy of Mrs Clapson.



Books In Homes

Our Term 4 Book Giving Assembly was full of excitement. Our role model was Sue Baker who is a former high school geography teacher who has combined her interest in the environment with writing children's books. Sue's books are The Pobblebonk and Earth Detective Club.

Sue spoke to the children about how reading was her saviour when she was a child as she had no brothers or sisters. The books she read were mostly mysteries and they took her to many places—without even leaving her room!



Some of our Year 6 students have written about their memories of the Books In Homes Program .

Books In Homes has been at school for about 5 years now and is a great way for the children to learn. Once we had Stephen Michael King come and draw a fantastic picture for our school.



I have many books, thanks to Books In Homes, and when I go to High School I will miss receiving them. Josie

As the role model called my name, fireworks were going off! I staggered through the walkway with a mega smile on my face. Stephen Michael King shook my hand and gave me a black and orange bag that said 'Bayley' in big writing. I stood out the front and reached into my bag and pulled out 'Dog Man'. Wow! I love Books in Homes!



Bayley Read

I think that Books In Homes is really good that we are getting free books. A lot of the books are really good.



I came to this school in Year 5 and I'm very grateful that we get these books three times a year. I think that it has been really good.

Biancah

Books In Homes is awesome and I am grateful that I get the books. It would be great if more people could get Books In Homes.



My favourite book is Wings of Fire. It is about dragons and has lots of action and funny moments.

Valerie

It's great to be able to get your favourite books and to collect them. The best part of it is to meet authors and illustrators and it is great to hear their story.



Brendon

I think Books In Homes is good because children get to be able to read more.

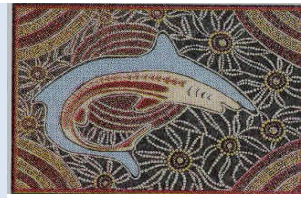


My favourite books are the Minecraft Zombie books because it is Minecraft!

Malakai

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

We would like to acknowledge the Biripi people who are the traditional custodians of this land.
We would also like to pay respect to the Elders both past and present of the Biripi Nation and



Design: Kathleen Morcome

Christmas Raffle Tickets

**ALL raffle tickets must
be returned to the
school office
tomorrow!**

School Photos



**All photos purchased
were sent home last
Friday, 6th December.**

**If you did not receive your photos
please contact the school.**

**Thank you to everyone who
ordered. Money raised will go
towards next years excursions.**

Student Academic Reports

All students reports for semester 2 will be posted home to parents on
Tuesday 17th December 2019.

If you have changed your address recently please complete the slip below to
update your details as soon as possible so these can be delivered to the correct
address.

CHANGE OF CONTACT DETAILS

Parents/Caregivers Name:

Student/s Name: Class/es:

Current Address:.....

Home Phone: Mobile:

Parents Signature: Date: