

# Tintinhull Gazette

Tintinhull Public School

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Term 4 - Week 3

Thursday, 22 October 2015

## From the Principal

Thankyou to all the wonderful grandparents who joined our students for a wonderful afternoon on Monday. It was a great opportunity for the grandparents to spend some quality time with their grandchildren in and out of the classroom. I thought the presentations of our students to the grandparents at the assembly was wonderful.

There has been a change of date for Year 5 students to deliver their captain speeches. It will now be held on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> November at 9.30am.

*Andrew Rodgers*

There will be a 2016 Kindergarten information afternoon in the library on the 10th November (last transition day) starting at 2.45pm.

This session will include a brief overview of our school, uniforms, canteen, P&C and BESTSTART Assessments. This session also provides an opportunity for parents to ask any questions regarding our school and Kindergarten program.

There will also be a timetable available for parents to select a day and time for their child's BESTSTART Assessment. BESTSTART assessments will take place the first two days of the school year on the 28th and 29th January 2016. All Kindergarten students will start their first full day of school on Monday 1st February 2016.

## CAPERS

All CAPERS costumes are safely tucked away in Mrs Robinson's storeroom. Thank you to all the parents who offered to help sew. We were very lucky to have the wonderful Miss Hull and her family sew all the skirts so we now only have to cut the neck scarfs for the girls. These costumes will be looked after by Mrs Robinson. Students will take their costume off for safe keeping after each performance. On the last performance (Saturday night) students will get to take their costumes home to keep.

There is a note attached to this week's newsletter regarding bus fares. If you do not have a note attached to your newsletter about the CAPERS bus fare then your bus fares have already been paid.

## Reminders

### Trivia Night

Our P & C 'trivia night' is coming up on Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> October. Please support this night as all money raised will be going back into the school to benefit all children.

If you have organised a table could you please let Robyn (at the office) know so we have some idea of how many tables we need to organise. If you can't organise a table but would like to come along for the evening, again please let Robyn know.

## Scholastic Book Fair on Wheels

The 'Book Fair on Wheels' has finished for another year.

Thank you to all families who purchased books for their children and/or purchased books and donated them to the school.

The total takings for the sale of books is approximately \$2000. The commission earned from this Book Fair will go towards the purchase of book sets for the classrooms.

## Kindergarten Transition Information Afternoon



## Student Contact Detail Report

Included with the newsletter a couple of weeks ago was an individual 'student emergency contact detail report'. We had incidences last term in which we could not contact parents when their children were sick or injured because phone numbers had been changed and we had not been notified. We are asking that you please check these reports, note any changes and return the report to school as soon as possible. Even if there are no changes to be made, please return the report to school.

Thank you to the families who have already returned their child's/children's reports.

We are aiming for a 100% return. Please return them to the school by Friday 6<sup>th</sup> November.

## Assembly Awards

### Merit Certificate:

**K-1W** – Isobel Cudmore

**1-2R** –

**3-4A** – Nikkita Butler

**5-6R** – Hannah Wynn



## Platinum, Gold and Silver Certificate Awardees:

Our first PLATINUM Certificate awardee is Jordan Donnelly.

GOLD – Violet Miller, Bella Flemming

SILVER – Kalan Burkett, Jade Newlands, Charlie Pollard, Christopher Burkett, Madison-Rose Corbett, Thomas Hombsch, Lincoln Chapman and Makayla Rankin.



## Dates for Your Diary

### Week 4

Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> October	Kindergarten Orientation continues
Saturday 31 <sup>st</sup> October	P & C Trivia Night adults only

### Week 5

Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November	Kindergarten Orientation continues
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> November	CAPERS rehearsal at TRECC
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> November	CAPERS matinee and CAPERS performance
	Science in the Bush for Years 5 and 6 at Armidale UNE
Saturday 7 <sup>th</sup> November	CAPERS performance

### Week 6

Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> November	Kindergarten Orientation finishes and Parent information afternoon at 2.45pm
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### Week 7

Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> November	Captain speeches at 9.30am
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**Week 8**

Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> November	School swimming program commences 1.30 to 2.30pm Kootingal Pool
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**Week 9**

Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> December	School swimming program finishes
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**Week 10**

Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> December	Presentation Night
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**Week 11**

Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> December	School Swimming Carnival at Kootingal Pool
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	Last day of 2015 school year for students



**You are invited to our  
SPOOK-TACULAR HAUNT**

*Be you GOBLIN or be you GHOST  
A Trivia Night you'll enjoy the most.*

*Bring your food and bring your drink  
And bring the brain with which you think.*

*No Babes, nor Kids at all,  
Its Adults Only to play the fool  
at Tintinhull Public School*

*On Saturday, October 31  
Bewitching hour 7:00pm*

*Tables of 8 are there to book  
at the office with Mrs Chook  
or just come along to take a look*

*\$15 a head will get you in  
To have much fun and a chance to win*

*The Ghostly Hosts are your P&C  
Come dressed to the theme for us to see  
A prize for the best you may take home  
Or memories of a job well done*

*We're DYING to hear from you...*





