

TPS Bulletin

2 December 2022
Week 8 Term 4



A message from the Principal.....

Dear Parents and Carers

The year is nearly over! Just a few short days now until school finishes for the year and we take a well deserved break.

2023 – class structure and staffing

At our most recent Council meeting the 2023 class structure was discussed. We will continue to have two multi-age classes as we have done this year.

Class 1: K/PP/Y1/Y2

Class 2: Y3/Y4/Y5/Y6

Miss Sara Garcia-Zoiti will continue to be our upper primary class teacher and Miss Emma De Cinque is returning to our school to take up the role as our junior primary classroom teacher.

I would like to take this opportunity to farewell and thank a number of staff members who will not be returning to Tammin Primary School in 2023.

Thank you: Tricia Delamotte, Rosalie Packham, Marlene Johnson, and Kaya Bloodworth.

Your input and efforts over the course of 2022 have made our school an engaging learning environment. I wish you all the best for your future endeavours.

Reports

Reports are due to come home with your child/ren on Tuesday of Week 10. Please take the time to celebrate your child/rens success. They have worked very hard this semester and I'm sure you will welcome sharing in their achievements. If you have any concerns or queries about your child's progress, you will have the opportunity to make an appointment and discuss further with their class teacher.

Graduation

It was such a pleasure to spend the evening with our seven Year 6 students and their families last Friday night at their graduation dinner. A huge thank you to the P&C (particularly Narelle Caffell and Caroline Bradley for your organisation skills) and everyone who donated food, time and energy to making the evening very special. A special mention and thanks to Keira Wirth, Sheree Cook and Zoe Jones for doing the behind the scenes work in the kitchen.

Congratulations to our Year 6 students.

Kindy Orientation

It has been terrific to have several small people join us for Kindy orientation last Monday. I know they are very excited about coming in again next Wednesday to spend the morning engaging in the learning program. These transition points are so important for children and parents alike. Having spent some time making trains with our new Kindy students on Monday, I am sure they are very ready to join us next year.

Thanks to our terrific community

There are so many people to thank for such a terrific year at Tammin Primary School. I would particularly like to thank the Shire for their support with our Oval. I would also like to thank Keith, April and Dan who generously spent an hour or so hanging our new art work at the front of the school. And to each and every one of you – your support, cheery greetings in the morning, engagement in sporting activities throughout the year and every other activity you have participated in and supported your child to succeed in – THANK YOU.

Regards

Yvonne Darcey

Principal



Future Dates

- Kindy Orientation—
Wednesday 7 December
- Tuesday 13 December—
End of Year Presentation
evening
- Thursday 15 December—
Final day of Term 4

2022 School Development Days

Friday 16 December



BLAST Cup Cricket Carnival

Congratulations to our Year 3-6 students who took part in the Blast Cup Cricket Carnival. The Tammin students represented our school proudly showing great sportsmanship towards the competing students from around the Wheatbelt. Congratulations to Sophie for winning the catching competition that took place on lunch break.

Year 5-6 Results

- 1st Kellerberrin DHS #3
- 2nd Cunderdin DHS #5
- 3rd Tammin PS #2

Year 3-4 Results

- 1st Kellerberrin DHS #1
- 2nd Cunderdin DHS #1
- 3rd Cunderdin DHS #2

Catching Competition

- Girls Champ - Sophie
- Girls R/up— Kimberley
- Boys Equal Champion— Wyatt KBN & Kobi Cund.



Year 6 Graduation



Congratulations to our Year 6 Class who enjoyed their Graduation Celebration last Friday night. The students, parents and many staff were wowed by tropical themed decorations and a feast kindly provided by members of the P&C. All students were presented with a keepsake graduation bear and Miss Sara and Mrs Darcey highlighting memories of each students time at Tammin PS. Thank you to all involved with the organisation of the this wonderful evening.



Junior Class

It is still a flurry of action in the junior class with only 2 weeks of school left. In literacy we have been focusing on developing our handwriting skills and creating some very clever narratives. We also made some Little Red Hens to support our Talk for writing story. In Maths the year 2 have been learning about multiplication and how it is equal groups. They used a range of manipulatives to assist in solving their problems.



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Senior Class

WRITING

We published our own book! Earlier this year we visited Gary Caffell's farm and partnered with Wheatbelt Natural Resource Management engaging in a research project on the threatened flora and fauna in our area. Part of this learning journey was to develop a story including illustrations for publication. The students wrote a collective narrative 'Eddie and Emily the Curious Echidnas' after finding an echidna on our excursion.



LITRACY

The Year 3-6 class have been reading Reece Carter's novel 'A Girl Called Corpse'. Reece grew up on a farm in Tammin and attended Tammin Primary School when he was younger. His love for stories - especially those filled with whimsy, magic and a little bit of weirdness, began as a child however, it wasn't until high school he tried his hand at writing his own stories. The senior class have the special opportunity to meet Reece via Zoom on Tuesday 6 December to ask Reece all of their exciting questions. This is a great learning experience for children, it isn't every-day we get to have a chat to a successful author. Thankyou to Melissa Marchant for passing on Reece's contact details to allow this to happen.

GEOGRAPHY

We have continued eating our way through Asia learning about traditional cultural dishes throughout Asian countries. Kimberley and Sophie made delicious Mongolian Gambir from scratch and James and Lincoln made yummy bao buns for everyone to enjoy!



Are you raising your Grandkids?

Hon Mia Davies MLA
Member for Central Wheatbelt
&



Grandparents Raising Grandchildren
invite you to join us for morning tea and a chat.

Learn more about the support available for
Grandcarers and meet the inspirational
Jan Standen, WA Senior of the Year 2022.



Friday 9th December 2022
10.30am - 12.30pm
Northam Country Club, 15 Wood Drive

RSVP to rhonda.lawrence@mp.wa.gov.au or
9622 2871 for catering purposes.

TERM 4 PLANNER

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	SAT	SUN
9	5	6	7 Kindy Orientation	8	9	10	11
10	12	13 End of Year Presentation Evening	14	15 Term 4 Finishes Newsletter	16 Staff Development day	17	18
	19	20	21	22	23	24	25 Xmas Day
	26 Boxing Day & Xmas day Holiday	27 Boxing Day Holiday	28	29	30	31	1 Jan

2023 Term dates

Semester 1		Semester 2	
Term 1	Wed 1 February - Thurs 6 April	Term 3	Mon 17 July - Fri 22 September
Break	Fri 7 April - Sun 23 April	Break	Sat 23 September - Sun 8 October
Term 2	Mon 24 April - Fri 30 June	Term 4	Mon 9 October - Thu 14 December
Break	Sat 1 July - Sun 16 July		

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\$5.00 each

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