



Important Dates

NAIDOC week celebrations and activities

Monday 22nd

- Pupil Free Day

Tuesday

- Students return

Wednesday

- **Welcome Back afternoon tea**

Thursday

- **NAIDOC week breakfast 8:30am**
- **Mudyala People NAIDOC activities**

School Message

Happy Holidays

As Term 2 comes to a close, we would like to extend our heartfelt thanks for your dedication, enthusiasm, and support. This term has been filled with remarkable achievements and memorable moments, all made possible by the hard work and collaboration of our entire school community.

We wish you all a joyous and restful holiday. We hope you take this time to relax, recharge, and enjoy special moments with your loved ones. We eagerly look forward to welcoming everyone back for Semester 2, where we will continue to strive for excellence and create even more wonderful memories together.



Celebrating our school Spelling Bee achievements

A huge congratulations to all participants for their hard work, courage, and dedication. Every student who took part demonstrated a commendable effort and a willingness to take risks in their learning, making the event a true celebration of our school's spirit.

We are proud to recognize our spelling bee runners-up: Freddy Thompson in the Junior category and Mitchell Bruce in the Senior category. Your impressive performances and perseverance have set a wonderful example for your peers.

A special congratulations goes to our spelling bee champions, Westan and Wynter Eggins, who will represent our school at the regional competition in Term 3. We are confident that you will continue to shine and make us proud!

Best of luck to Westan and Wynter as they prepare for the regional competition!



Newsletter

Attendance

Each public school in NSW has an attendance target for 2024. To meet our target at TPS, we are asking for parents' help. The first thing we need is for you to let us know if your child is sick. This can be done through School Bytes, by calling the school, or by sending a note when your child returns to school. We need this information within 7 days of your child's absence; otherwise, we can't amend the records.



Mid year wellness day

Watch out, Fred Flintstone! We had some legendary bowlers at our 10-pin bowling mid-year wellness excursion today! Thank you Woolli Public School for coming, we love hanging with other small schools and reconnecting with our friends.



Newsletter

Assembly

We appreciate our visitors who joined us for the assembly today. The community is always invited to partake in celebrating student achievements.

Congratulations to our merit award recipients.

A huge applause to Tyara, Olivia, and Richard for achieving their bronze awards. It was a joy to witness the students being acknowledged for their commitment and effort in their studies..



Canteen

A big thank you to all our canteen volunteers for their support and contributions during term 2. Your time and effort are truly valued and appreciated.

Special thanks to the year 6 students for hosting our exciting end-of-term canteen fun day – your kitchen skills are truly remarkable.



The Night Flier

Anxiously, the pteranodons flew through the dense storm and hurtled as they did.

The gloomy night had begun to roll in and lightning lit the sky. Small dinosaurs were on alert as the flier of the night would come to get them. They then scattered into the ferns and Conifer trees.

The flier of the night, the quetzalcoatlus, was hungry so he took lift off from his great big rock towering over all. He soared over the crowded trees and ferns searching and scouring for food deep in the forest. He spotted something and began to hover over the rocks and trees. Then all of a sudden he swooped down and ripped up a small tiny deinonychus unaware of the danger above and gobbled it up.

Not filled with food, still a belly of hunger, he hurtled back up into the gloomy night sky. All the little dinosaurs began to run away. The horrible screech of the quetzalcoatlus left all the small dinosaurs stunned, as he swept down and snacked up anything he could fit in his MOUTH!

Some escaped the flier of the night as the stormy night left and the sun came filling the sky with light. they knew the flier of the night would come again.

By Eden Lucas