

Tacking Point Public School Newsletter



Upcoming Events

- ◆ THU 19/11
Kinder 2010
Orientation
9.30am
- ◆ FRI NIGHT 20/11
P&C Pool Party
- ◆ SAT 21/11
Family Portrait
Fundraiser
- ◆ TUE 1/12 9.30am
Y3-6 Class Awards
Assembly
- ◆ FRI 4/12 9.30am
K-2 Concert &
Class Awards
Assembly
- ◆ TUE 8/12 9.30am
K-6 Prize giving
Assembly
- ◆ WED 9/12
Yr 6 Farewell
- ◆ WED 16/12
LAST DAY for
students
- ◆ THU 17/12
School
Development Day
- ◆ FRI 18/12
School Dev. Day

Student Assessment and Report Writing

All students have been undergoing class, across year and standardised testing in preparation for their end of year progress reports. The assessments also assist the school in determining the success of teaching programs and future needs of students.

Students' end of semester 2 reports will be available at the end of week 7. Assessments are also used to determine many of the end of year awards that take place at the 3 awards assemblies.

The award assemblies are:
K-Y2 Class Awards Assembly (9.30am Fri 4/12/09) and Primary Class Awards Assembly 9.30am Tues 1/12/09

At these assemblies class awards are presented to students who have excelled in areas nominated by the class teacher. These will generally include academic, social and effort.

School Annual Presentation Day Assembly 9.30am Tues 8/12/09

This assembly includes each class teachers' nominations for the outstanding student in the categories "academic", "citizenship" and "consistent effort".

As well as class based awards there are a number of whole school awards including Dux, School Citizenship, Sportsperson, Performing Arts, Technology and Library. There is a special "Lighthouse Award" presented each year to a student who has overcome personal difficulties to achieve success.

All parents are invited to the assemblies. The families of students receiving awards at these assemblies will receive written invitations.

Terry Robinson, Principal

13 November, 2009
Week 4, Term 4

P & C End of Year Pool Party

Let's all hope for fabulous weather for Friday evening 20 November for our End of Year Pool Party. This is always a great night and a fun way for the children and their parents to socialise together.

As usual the Aquascrambles will be in operation according to the following schedule to which we adhere so please don't be late!

25m Aquascramble:	
Kindy	6.00pm
Year 1	6.20pm
Year 2	6.40pm
Year 3	7.00pm
50m Aquascramble:	
Year 4	6.00pm
Year 5	6.20pm
Year 6	6.40pm
Siblings	7.00pm

When: Friday 27 February 2009 from 6.00pm - 8.30pm.

Where: Port Macquarie Olympic Pool, Gordon Street.

Cost: \$5.00 per person or \$20.00 per family (please no Ring Ins). Cost covers, pool entry and use of the Aquascramble.

Desirable Requirements: swimmers, a picnic dinner and drinks and chairs/blankets etc. BBQs are available. Please NO GLASS.

Essential Requirements: That ALL children (including Year 6) attend in the company of a responsible adult. This is a condition of entry.

Your school's P&C look forward to seeing you there after a very busy year.



From the Library

Bookmarks

Congratulations to the following students and their families who have together completed their reading aloud bookmarks:

Kindy

Kaleigh KC, Arwen KC, Laura KC, Lily KC, Olivia KC, Talea KC, Will KC, Ayssa KC, Tara KC, Luke KC, Ella KJ, Ciara KJ, James KJ, Madison KJ, Rachel KJ, Mali KL, Jaidyn KL, Emily KL, Jock KL, Jacob KL, Hannah KL, Max KV, Jasmine KV, Luke KV, Katie KV, Jasmine KV, Nathan KS, Nicholas KS, Mitch KS, Ben KS, Cian KS.

Stage 1

Amelia 1G, Rachel 1G, Harry 1G, Alexander 1K, Ryan 1K, Brooke 1K, Harry 1K, Sarah 1K, Lachlan 1K, Sarah 1RD, Breanna 1RK, Zara 1RK, Aidan 1RK, Lleyton 1RK, Ellie 1-2G, Charlie 1-2G, Jessica 1-2G, Aasta 1-2G, Chris 1-2G, Nataya 1-2G, Rohan 1-2G, Liam 1-2G, Elly 2C, Jesse 2L, Alisha 2L, Hugh 2MP, Ellie 2MP, Lachlan 2MP, Chloe 2MP, Lucy 2MP, Kieran 2MP, Ambrose 2P.

Stage 2

Riley 3J, Madeline 3J, Chelsea 3J, Byron 3R, Jade 3R, Jack 3SG, Jackson 3SG, Cameron 3-4P, Mitch 3-4P, Ashleigh 4C, Georgia 4C, Thomas 4C, Megan 4C, Lauren 4C, Ashleigh 4C, Kyle 4C, Elise 4C, Zara 4K, Mathew 4T, Dafydd 4T, Charlie 4T, Kaleb 4T, Taylah 4T, Tom 4-5M, Ashleigh 4-5M, Tara 4-5M.

Stage 3

Thomas 5C, Joshua 5C, Charles 5M, Jack 5R, Jai 5R, Ashleigh 5R, Brandon 5R, Jackson 5R, Tyler 5R, Maddie 6C, Ryan 6C, Kataryna 6K, Crystal 6S, Jaki 6S.

Leanne Tracy
Teacher Librarian

ASSEMBLY ROSTER

NEXT FRI 9.10am	NO ASSEMBLY Yrs K-2
NEXT FRI 2.00pm	Yrs 5 & 6 Hosted by 4N

P&C UNIFORM SHOP

8.30am 9.15am	Mondays
8.30am 9.15am	CLOSED

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Principal

Mr Terry Robinson

Kindergarten 2010 Orientation Morning

Thursday 19 November 2009
9.30am - 11.00am

Please assist by arriving prior to
9.30am to be seated.

Lost Property

Please check lost property if your child has lost anything. There were a number of clothes left over from the glasshouse Concert of Excellence night; they have been placed in our lost property baskets at school.

P&C Family Portrait Fundraiser Saturday 21st November

LAST CHANCE FOR YOUR FAMILY PORTRAIT

Thanks to those families who have booked their spot for their family portrait next Saturday. We will advise you of your appointment time next week. If we make another 10 bookings, one lucky person can win their family portrait package (RRP \$159) for FREE!

If you have friends or family who do not attend the school but would like to take part please pass on one of our vouchers on to them.

Our school receives the full \$15 and you receive a beautiful framed 10" x 13" portrait. You can request Black & White (if you prefer) and even include a family pet.

So please, return your completed form with payment to the front office by Wednesday next week. If you have any questions you can call Sandra Wallace on 6582 2114 (after hours).

Note: Only 1 voucher per family /person



Name _____

Contact # _____

Preferred time _____

1. Place \$15.00 in envelope with this voucher marked 'Family Portraits.'
2. Return to front office.
3. Please make cheques out to TPPS P&C Assoc.
4. We will notify you of your appointment time.

Port Macquarie High School

YEAR 6 ORIENTATION DAY For Year 7, 2010, Thursday 3 December, Beginning at 9am in the Multi Purpose Centre 9am - 10am Parents and Students Assembly, 10am - 3.30pm Lessons for Year 7 2010. Students are to be in full primary school uniform. Please bring your recess and lunch. Uniform shop opening 8am - 9am, then again from 10.30am - 12noon. Morning tea will be provided for parents. Parents, you are responsible for your child's transport to and from Port Macquarie High School on the day.

Community Notices

Cricket NSW - Girls only

CricHit if you're aged between 8 - 14, why not come along to CricHit and get involved! If you've played before, ask your CricHit Twilight..... all the fun of Cricket with NO BOYS.

CricHit Skills Is \$45

CricHit Twilight is \$55

For more information on CricHit across NSW contact Aimee Harris on

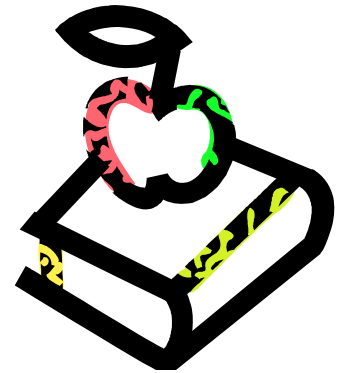
(02) 8302 6028 or

aimee.harris@cricketnsw.com.au

or contact Ann-Marie on 0400 394 663.

Check out www.playcricket.com

for a CricHit close to you!



CANTEEN ROSTER

MON 16/11	S Thompson C Milligan
TUE 17/11	A Massey N Cowell
18/11	H Taylor S Webster
THU 19/11	K Simpson K Goodwin 'Kindergarten Orientation Day'
FRI 20/11	C Sorenson R Allen Dawn Marchment (12-2pm)

No lunch orders
Tuesday 24.11.09.
Canteen volunteers
Christmas luncheon.
Canteen will open
for recess only.