



Tregear Public School

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NEWSLETTER

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For your Calendar

- 31.8 - Sports In School
- 07.9 - Sports In School
- 08.9 - Local Council Elections
- 10.9 - Stage 3 Camp -
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- 12.9 - Stage 3 Camp -
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- 13.9 - Performance Groups -
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BE ON TIME

IN LINE

AT 5 TO 9

REMEMBER

- *No smoking on school grounds
- *No alcohol on school grounds
- *Make our school secure,

Phone Security: 1300880021

Tregear Public School
Making Connections
Learning for Life

FROM THE FRONT DESK

Principal's Report

What a great effort our students put in for the Tregear Festival. We had more performances than ever and the students rose to the occasion. It was great to see different students in different performances all supporting each other. I would like to thank all the staff, students and parents for making it such a wonderful day. It is always good to show what a great community Tregear is.

Well done to the Royce Simmons Shield team. Runners up out of 226 western Sydney primary schools. The boys played out of their skins. It was a very tough semi against Lethbridge Park and in the end Blaxland East in the final were just too good.

I was able to get out to each semi final in the PSSA that we had a team. Even though we did not win, I was really impressed by the way all the students handled themselves. In the girls touch, the Hassall Grove coach commented on what a fantastic side the girls were.

At the time of this newsletter going out, 61 Principal awards had been handed out just in this term. That shows what a great effort the students are putting into their work and behaviour. It is always great to know that our students are trying their best.

It is already time to be thinking about 2013 Kindergarten enrolments. If you or someone you know has a child starting school next year, please ask for an enrolment form. If you have any neighbours who might have children starting next year and have never had a child at school before, let them know they can come up to the school to discuss what they need to have before their child starts.

Attached with your newsletter this fortnight is a school brochure. The photos were taken a while ago and turned into a lovely brochure outlining all the wonderful things we do at Tregear Public School.

Don't forget that you will be able to vote at the school in the up coming Local Council Elections on Saturday 8th September.

Richard Ford

Stage 3 Camp

The Stage 3 camp is fast approaching and will be held from Monday 10th September to Wednesday 12th September. Full payment is due on Thursday 6th September.

Awards

Congratulations to the following students who gained Principal awards.

Kindy: Jayda Greig, Preston Young, Kaitlin McCarthy & Tim Howard

Stage 1: Angelina Chown, Jada Pitovao, Ashton McGlynn Russell, Khiara Munro & Elle Fonua

Stage 2: Laquahn Tonga, Zac Sage, Cameron Gregory, Kayla Austin & Joivarne Paul

Stage 3: Jay Moe, Casey Jones X 2, Kisepe Maafu, Max Von-Koppel & Sarah Clegg

Excursion And Performance Payments

Our school is a very busy place with many varied learning opportunities being offered for our students. Many of these events cost money and require numbers of students attending and the payment before the day of the event. All excursions and in school performances that need payment will now close one day prior to the performance to allow office staff to be able to process the money. Please be aware of this because late payment may mean that your child will miss the event.

World Vision Money

During Education Week and our Mini Olympics Week, each class had a money box for the community to donate to World Vision to support different programs. It was a rousing success with \$337.00 raised by our community. The money will allow 10 children to get vaccinated against diseases that we take for granted. Thank you to all those who donated.

Fun With Friends And Family

Want to encourage your child to try something new outside of school? Try the range of options provided by NSW Sport and Recreation - from camps and sailing to a variety of disability sport activities. Go to: What's on around NSW - Sport and recreation
<http://www.dsr.nsw.gov.au/active/whatson.asp>

Cityrail - Family Funday Sunday

You don't have to spend a lot on a fun day out for the whole family on Sundays. For \$2.50 per person, your family can enjoy a great day out with unlimited travel on all trains, buses, ferries and light rail. You can travel as far north as Newcastle and down south to Nowra. For more information look at:
www.cityrail.info/tickets/which/funday

Tregear Presbyterian Church Friday Kids Club

Friday Kids Club, all children in years 1 to 6 are welcome, 4.30pm to 5.45pm. Games, music, Bible talk, afternoon tea & craft. No cost, children need to be signed in and out by an adult. For more information contact Russell Baker ph: 4730 6992. Blessings, Pastor - Luke Mcpherson

Many of our students already go to Friday Kids Club and it is great for them to have something to do outside of school.

Spelling It Out At Home

The School A to Z website's popular mobile Spelling Bee game can now be played on your home computer. The game is designed for both junior and senior primary school students, and features words from the Macquarie Dictionary. Parents might be tempted to test their skill on the harder levels. Please go to: Spelling Bee at <http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/homework-and-study/educational-games/spelling-bee>

Coming To Grips With Measurement

It may come as no surprise to learn that a child's early awareness of mass and volume is often based on watching their parents. Seeing mum or dad measure and pour ingredients for a recipe or weigh items at the fruit shop will often become part of their play. Find out what you can do at home to help your child measure mass and volume. Go to: Helping your child measure mass and volume
<http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/homework-and-study/mathematics/mathematics-tips/helping-your-child-measure-mass-and-volume>

Meal Deal - \$4.00

(Available from Mon 27th August to Fri 7th September)

Hot Chicken Roll

Juice Popper

TNT Ice Block

New to canteen: Dr Fruit freeze dried strawberry & apple or tropical \$1.50