

ANZAC DAY SERVICE

Thank you to our school leaders for leading a wonderful ANZAC Day service last Friday here under the COLA. Our school leaders spoke beautifully about the meaning of ANZAC Day as we were all encouraged to reflect and pay our respects to all servicemen and women who have fought to protect the freedom that we all enjoy here in Australia.

Our combined junior and senior choir sang a beautiful rendition of 'Lest We Forget'. It was so lovely to hear them sing for us for the first time in over a year.

Thank you to Mrs Eddy for supporting our leaders and staff in the organisation of this service.

Thank you also to Mrs Borra and Mrs McGlenn for the work put into ensuring our choir students sang like angels. It was a wonderful service that was enjoyed by students, staff and many community members who were able to attend.

Jeff Robinson
Principal



KK WOW! WHAT A GREAT START TO TERM 2

KK have been very busy these last two weeks, they have participated in their first Cross Country and all their running practice during sport paid off.

KK have been working very hard on their reading and writing and have all made amazing progress.

Our class love their literacy lessons because they get to do so many fun activities that help support their learning. In maths we have been learning all about addition and subtraction along with strengthening their knowledge of number concepts.

Here is a little snapshot of all the fun activities we do in class.

Chantelle Kidd
Classroom Teacher



CROSS COUNTRY

A special mention goes to Emily for crossing the finish line in record speed time, well done Emily.

Chantelle Kidd
Classroom Teacher



BRONZE AWARD**Term 2, Week 1**

KB

Frankie

UP AND COMING EVENTS TERM 2 2021**School items****P&C Items****Term 2 Week 2**

Thursday 29 April

- **Canteen Closed - until further notice**

Friday 30 April

- **Canteen Closed - until further notice**

Term 2 Week 3

Monday 3 May

- District Cross Country

Tuesday 4 May

- **Canteen Closed**
- Mothers Day Stall

Wednesday 5 May

- Canteen Open
- P&C Meeting

Thursday 6 May

- Canteen Open

Friday 7 May

- Canteen Open

Term 2 Week 4

Monday 10 May

- Canteen Open

Tuesday 11 May

- **Canteen Closed**

Wednesday 12 May

- Canteen Open

Thursday 13 May

- Canteen Open

Friday 14 May

- Canteen Open

STAGE 3 SPORTING STARS

We have had a number of students try out for Representative Sport recently. We would like to congratulate Joel and Sunny who have progressed to the North Coast Rugby League Development Squad.

They will attend a weekend in May and hope to be selected in the North Coast team. Sooke has been selected in the North Coast Australian Football League Women's team and will compete in Sydney next week. Mia, Ella and Sommer have all been selected in the Tweed District Netball team and will progress to the next level of trials for Far North Coast, this week. We are very proud of them all and wish them the best of luck!

STAGE 3 TOUCH FOOTBALL COMPETITION

After a very wet Term 1, the first game of touch football finally kicked off at lunchtime on Tuesday this week. Well done to the organisers- Hugo, James, Joel and Marlin. There are six teams in the competition and they hope to play three rounds before the finals. It was great to see the enthusiasm of the players and the spectators! Well done, Stage 3.





STUDENT OF THE WEEK Term 1 & Term 2 Week 10 & 1

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| KB | Imogen Renya | - Great efforts in learning her sounds - Great efforts in writing |
| KK | Jimmy Kai | - His fantastic efforts in maths groups - His awesome efforts in writing |
| KT | Aubrey Linden | - A fantastic first term of kindergarten - Always following instructions |
| 1/2C | Eve Peyton | - Fantastic efforts in class - Always working well in class |
| 1/2H | Jackson Indi | - Always trying his best - Never giving up even when the learning tasks are challenging |
| 1/2P | Luli | - Best effort always |
| 1/2T | Reece Gloria | - Improved reading during reading groups - A big effort at all times, well done |
| 2/3B | Aileen Isla | - A positive mindset towards learning - Great persuasive writing |
| 3/4S | Layla | - Positive mindset towards learning |
| 3/4T | Riley Calin | - Working incredibly hard in all areas - For always showing care and compassion to classmates |
| 4/5B | Jake Chloe | - Having a settled mature attitude in class - Fantastic focus and effort in class |
| 5/6B | Seth Quenton | - Great work in literacy - Terrific effort with speaking in front of class |
| 5/6V | Jacob | - Always displaying the qualities of a great problem solver |
| Music | Summer | - Beautiful passionate singing in choir |

Multicultural Perspectives Public Speaking!

Each year, Stage 2 and Stage 3 students may choose to participate in a Multicultural Perspectives Public Speaking competition. It is quite a hard topic for our students, yet they continue to put in a very strong effort.

We can only send two students from each stage through to compete with other students from the district.

Congratulations go to Billie F and Olivia -3/4T and Sienna - 5/6V and Azariah - 5/6V for making it through to the next level. The students who also impressed us with their wonderful speeches were Marli - 3/4T, Eden -3/4T and Jake - 4/5B.

Congratulations to those students also! Good luck to our winners – stay tuned for further news.

Donna McGlenn
Public Speaker Co-ordinator



CLEANERS REQUIRED

ISS Facility Services are seeing anyone who is interested in casual cleaning work. We are in need of staff to cover shifts in the school.

These are casual roles to relieve our permanent cleaner when needed and move into permanent rolls when they become vacant. The hours are: Midday Clean 10am – 2pm Monday – Friday.

General Cleaning

Morning shifts is 5am – 9am Monday – Friday

Afternoon Shift is 2pm – 6pm Monday – Friday

Applicants will be required to have or obtain a working with children clearance and pass police check.

All equipment and chemicals are provided and kept on site.

All interested candidates please contact

Vicki: 0437 477 197 or email vicki.garrett@au.issworld.com

Thank you



WE'LL BE BACK

We're so sorry unforeseen circumstances have left you without your favourite lunch making superstars, but don't despair, the canteen will be back as soon as we can.

Unfortunately our canteen chief Danelle has broken her ankle and can't walk and we don't have enough trained volunteers to keep our school canteen open without her.

We sincerely apologise for any inconvenience. If you're interested in finding out more about what's involved in helping out at our canteen, please email bilambilpublicschool-canteen@pandcaffiliate.org.au or message us via our Facebook page.

Thank
You



SHOP FOR MUM

Our special Mother's Day gift shop will be open for business this Tuesday 4 May. Some of our creative parents have been busy making beautiful handmade gifts to add to our usual collection of goodies available for purchase on the day.

Thank you to those who contributed, we have no doubt they'll be very much loved by the person who receives them.

Prices range from \$3-\$8 per gift and our volunteers love seeing the time and care the kids put into choosing the gifts they feel is just right for mum or Grandma. We suggest sending your money to school with your child in a zip lock bag marked with their name. Happy shopping!

FUN RUN

A big thank you to the 47 students and their sponsors who supported our Cross Country Fun Run by taking part in a fundraiser. These amazing students raised over \$3700 profit for our school and will all be treated to a pizza party as our thank you.

The top fundraising class was 1/2P which raised \$835.00, the highest individual fundraiser was Gianna who did an incredible job of raising \$725.00 Wow! Gianna will receive a \$25.00 school canteen voucher for her efforts. All students who took part were able to choose a prize, which are coming soon. Stay tuned.

HOT DIGGETY

Our special Hot Dog and Ice Cream Day last term was a huge success. And why wouldn't it be – who doesn't love hot dogs or ice cream?!! The kids sure did! If we can get a couple more volunteers to help out in our canteen we'll put on another special treat day later this year.

NEXT P&C MEETING

We invite everyone to join us at our next P&C meeting on Tuesday 4 May at 3.30pm in the staff room. We'd love to see you there.

24/7 ONLINE ORDERING

www.bilambilpc.org

**UNIFORM SHOP – Located inside
canteen**

Mon – Wed – Fri 8.30 – 9.00am

Find us on 

www.facebook.com/bilambilpublicschoolpc

Tweed Valley flood study to be expanded



**Help us understand your concerns and
experience of flood events in the Tweed.**



Tweed Shire Council has started work updating and expanding the Tweed Valley flood study to help define flooding behaviour under current and future climate conditions and become the basis of flood planning in the Tweed.

We are asking residents to share their personal experiences and knowledge to help better understand past flood events. Please take the survey by Sunday 2 May 2021.

To take the survey and for more information visit
yoursaytweed.com.au/flood-study



DISCOVERY ROOM

A place to create
WINNER 2020 NSW Public Libraries
Innovation in Outreach
DISCOVERYROOM is a free, creative play space for Science, Technology, Reading, Engineering, Art, Math and Music inspired activities for school aged children.

The "have a go sessions" invite children to create art, sculpture, literature or complete quick projects, a science experiment, engineer a LEGO build, or take part in our tech petting activities such as coding or robotics.



EACH WEEK A NEW ACTIVITY STARTING MARCH 2021

DISCOVERYROOM aims to inspire children and parents alike, by providing a fun and accessible learning space for informal education and support them in their lifelong learning. Classes are free and encourage exploration and experimentation. Parents are welcome to join in, or encourage independent learners to try new skills, without focusing only on results.

EVERY THURSDAY
3 -5PM
DURING SCHOOL TERM

Bookings Essential

Call 07 5536 3672



Brett Street Tweed Heads

email: Tweed@rtrl.nsw.gov.au
www.rtrl.nsw.gov.au



YouTube Richmond Tweed Library



AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM
2021
Tweed Heads Library



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Connect. Discover. Escape.

ARTSPACE

A free creation exploration. We provide the space, resources, and inspiration to allow your child to complete an artwork in their own time



TECH PETTING ZOO- CODING & ROBOTICS

Hands on Tech-Play sessions, a range of 'have a go' activities that build skills while focusing on fun and creative problem solving. Build, Create, Play, and learn to control robots with simple programming



ECOART

Recycle, reuse, and reimagine. A range of eco art and craft activities that use creativity to connect with the environment.



- April 1 ECO ART
- April 8 School Holiday Activity
- April 15 School Holiday Activity
- April 22 ARTlit
- April 29 BandCamp
- May 6 ARTSPACE
- May 13 LEGO
- May 20 STEM



LEGO

A free creation exploration. We provide the space, resources, and inspiration to allow your child to complete an artwork in their own time.



ARTLIT

Link art with stories, express a story through a beautiful artistic creation. Blackout Poetry, Word Art, Story houses, Book Craft, Map and Journal projects



BANDCAMP

Make improvised instruments, play and experiment with music, stories and sound with special guest Chris Harvie



- May 27 TECH PETTING
- June 3 ECO ART
- June 10 ARTLIT
- June 17 BandCamp
- June 24 ARTSPACE
- July 1 School Holiday Activity
- July 8 School Holiday Activity



STEM

A range of hands on experiments and DIY's that allow kids to apply Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics to explore, explode and design, fun take home projects.



TERM 1-2 TIMETABLE

- March 4 ARTSPACE
- March 11 LEGO
- March 18 STEM
- March 25 TECH PETTING

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DiscoveryRoom sessions will be provided following NSW Health Covid Safe regulations

BOOKINGS 07 5536 3672

*Timetable may change



A Place To Create