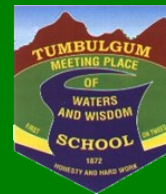


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**Term 2 Week 6 – 2016**

**Relieving Principal: Jenni McKeon**

## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

A great week of learning this week, with students settled into routine and hard at it. Students in the K-2 room have loved playing with their new creative play toys. Shopping is a great hit with the kindergarteners. Creative and interactive play is important for young children's development as they learn many skills while having fun. It exercises creativity and develops social skills. There's also lots of opportunities to practice other important things like paying for your groceries. The smiles on their faces show just how much fun learning can be.

Children from K-6 have thoroughly enjoyed having Milo visit from NSW Rugby League for the last two Wednesdays. Not only did they learn some new skills or brush up on some old ones, they also scored themselves a footy.

We are slowly recultivating the garden. A crew of eager helpers has resurrected one garden bed, with some new soil and salvaged plants left over from the other gardens. It's great watching things grow, but even more fun eating the things we've grown. The year 6 girls salvaged the last of the cherry tomatoes and we cut up some of our plentiful basil to enjoy a fresh tomato and basil salad for morning tea on Tuesday. We spent our \$20 prize money from last year's garden competition on new seedlings and tools. We can't wait for our new plants to be ready to harvest.

Thank you to those families who have remembered to send their lunch orders in on Wednesday. It is greatly appreciated, as Mrs W doesn't work on Thursdays.

K2 have had a change of day for library borrowing, with Mrs Williams now doing their library lessons on a Monday. This was part of the class change and was done to save the class having a third teacher (Mrs Joritsma) on the Wednesday. If any students do want to return or borrow books on the Wednesday, that can be arranged with no issue, as we are aware that we did not give notice of this change. We would hate anyone to miss out on their library books!

It is certainly much colder this week and students have needed jumpers, especially in the cold of the mornings. The bottle green jumper is correct school uniform and it is appreciated that most of the students wear these. Please label your jumpers as most have no names and it is hard to know which size 6 jumper belongs to which child. We do have a limited stock of second hand jumpers available at the office.

Attached to this newsletter is a short survey about behaviour management at the school. Your input into school policy is important and we would greatly appreciate you taking the time to complete the survey, as we look to streamlining our behaviour management policy.

Have a great week,

Jenni McKeon

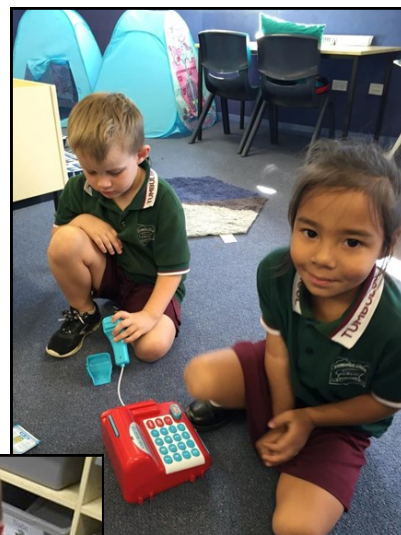
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## TERM 2 2016

<b>Term 2 Week 9</b>	<b>Sports Picnic Day</b> —Athletics Picnic Day with Duranbah. Friday 24 June
<b>Term 2 Week 10</b>	<b>NAIDOC</b> —Celebrations at Burringbar PS Monday 27 June
<b>Term 3 Week 2</b>	<b>Bunnings</b> —Sausage sizzle Sunday 31 July
<b>Term 4 Week 5</b>	<b>Tumbulgum 150 Celebration</b> —Saturday 12 November

## LIBRARY DAY CHANGE

K-2 Library day is now  
Monday



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**The P&C will be having one of our major fundraisers on Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> July at Bunnings Warehouse at South Tweed Heads.**

**We need parents to help on the day. If you can help please tick the roster below with the times that you are available and return to school as soon as possible. Thankyou. I am available to help**

8.00am to 10.00am	
10.00am to 12.00pm	
12.00pm to 2.00pm	
2.00pm to finish (3-4.00pm)	

Name..... Phone No: .....

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## World Environment Day

An exciting, fun action-packed day is to be enjoyed by all the children this Sunday, for World Environment Day, the 5 June whereby all different stalls including art and craft activities, hoops, delicious food and music will be at Knox Park Murwillumbah starting at 10am. Be sure not to miss out on this magic event and come along to be part of all the entertainment which our wonderful community has to offer.

## CLOTHING POOL

Don't forget about the Tumbulgum PS clothing pool! All items Have been freshly laundered and are available for only a \$2 donation. Now that the weather is cooling families might like to avail themselves of the many jumpers and jackets.



*Don't forget to download the app*