



# TELARAH

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29 November 2017

## School Calendar

29 Nov	Targeted Transition Year 6 Morning & Afternoon Sessions All day
	PBL / Awards Assembly 2:30 PM - 3:10 PM
30 Nov	Stephanie Alexander Kitchen - SAKGP 4T All day
	Year 6 Interrelate 9:10 AM - 11:30 AM
1 Dec	Stephanie Alexander Kitchen - SAKGP 3N All day
	Yr 3-6 Swimming Carnival All day
4 Dec	Year 6 Surf Lifesaving Nobby's Beach All day
	Stage 2 - Hunter Valley Zoo Excursion All day
5 Dec	Year 6 Orientation RTHS All day
	Kindergarten Graduation 10:30 AM - 11:15 AM
6 Dec	Presentation Day 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

7 Dec	Stephanie Alexander Kitchen - SAKGP 4K All day
	Kindergarten Excursion - Speers Point Park and Gym School All day
8 Dec	Stephanie Alexander Kitchen - SAKGP 3/4R All day
11 Dec	Year 6 Farewell 5:30 PM - 9:00 PM
12 Dec	ATSI Team Meeting at 3.10pm All day
	P&C Meeting 5:30 PM - 8:00 PM
13 Dec	PBL / Awards Assembly 2:30 PM - 3:10 PM
14 Dec	P & C Christmas Carols 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

We have a lot of end of year events fast approaching! Please keep an eye on the school calendar and for notes coming home. If you need more information please don't hesitate to give our office a call.

We are looking forward to seeing as many families as possible at our Presentation Day on Wednesday 6th December at 10am and our Yr6 Farewell on Monday 11th December from 5:30pm at Telarah Bowling Club. The Swimming Carnival for Yr3-6 is on Friday 1st December at Maitland Pool. Please remember rashies, hats and sunblock; it should be a great day.

Thank you to the Spring family who through the business John Coote donated the new couch to the office. It looks great and is getting plenty of use!

**Aimee Vincent**  
**R/Principal**

## ADMIN NEWS - EXCURSIONS

There are many excursions running this term.

Please be aware of the final dates for payment as students will not be accepted after this date.

Interrelate - \$37 - Overdue - if your child is attending and you have made some payments please finalise ASAP  
Swimming Carnival - \$10 - **Payment due by 29/11/2017**

Stage 2 HV Zoo - \$25 - **Payment due by 30/11/2017**

Surf Life Saving - \$25 - **Payment due by 30/11/2017**

Yr6 Farwell - \$26 - **Payment due by 7/12/2017**

Yr5 Movie Day - \$14/\$20 - **Payment due by 8/12/2017**

Preschool Xmas Party - \$8 - **Payment due by 11/12/2017**



Thanks

**Bronwyn Middleton**

## Fees in Advance

Great news for all Parents and Carers – especially if you have a child going into Year 5 or 6!!

Our new system allows us to hold fees in Advance – the benefit for you is that you can start making affordable weekly/fortnightly payments now and we will hold them against your child/family and when invoices / notes go home in regards to Camps/Excursions then you can just transfer these payments over.

Very convenient and easier for family budgets.

Fees in Advance can remain in place whilst your child is attending our school. If you were to leave then any advance payments remaining can be deposited back into your bank account.

So simple and beneficial for all families to help spread the cost – so why wait – start now!!

Payments can be made in person via cash/EFTPOS or POP (Parent online Payment) via school website.

<http://www.telarah-p.schools.nsw.edu.au>

## YEAR 6-7 TRANSITION



### YEAR 6-7 TRANSITION INFORMATION EVENING

- Front office and uniform shop open from 3:30pm – 6:00pm.
- Book packs and calculators available from the office.
- Free welcome BBQ from 4:30pm – 6:00pm.
- GATS class meeting from 5:00pm – 6:00pm.
- All Year 7 2018 meeting 6:00pm – 7:00pm in the School Hall.

### ORIENTATION DAY

- All Year 7 2018 students attend on this day.
- Meet at 9:15am in RTHS School Hall.
- Students to wear primary school uniform.
- Bring bag with hat, recess, water bottle and pencil case.
- A sausage sizzle will be provided for lunch.
- Day concludes at 2:20pm.

**Rutherford  
Technology High  
School**



**Information  
Evening**

**Monday 4<sup>th</sup>  
December**

**Orientation Day**

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup>  
December**

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## KINDERGARTEN ORIENTATION

Our kindergarten orientation for 2018 has finished this week with our new children having time in the kindergarten rooms over the past three weeks. They got to meet the Kindergarten teachers and their Year 6 buddies for next year. The year 6 buddies did a wonderful job in making the new kindergarten children feel comfortable and welcome in our school and will continue this friendship into next year when the kindergarten children start school.

**Cathy Banister**



## ATSI NEWS

Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Committee Community Meeting.

The last Community meeting for 2018 was held on the 14th November.

Thank you to all who attended.

Well done to the students from the Junior A&TSI Committee, who displayed wonderful leadership skills and ran the meeting.

Thank you for your support this year and we look forward to working in partnership with students, teachers and parents in 2018.

#### **The A&TSI Committee**



### **Deadly Streaming Program**

Congratulations to our Year 6 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students who completed the Deadly Streaming program this week. The program encourages Indigenous students to engage in their education and provides opportunity for students to make stronger connections with their culture. This has been a very successful program with students enjoying their weekly sessions, we hope to continue the program in 2018 for our Stage 3 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students. Thank you to Craig Hammond for his commitment to this program and the Telarah Public School community.

#### **Mrs Stewart & Lisa McLennan**



### **SPORTS NEWS**

On Tuesday 14th November our Year 5 & Year 6 boys and girls went to a Rugby League Oz tag day at Maitland Park. All of the students played really well with most of our teams winning most of their games and it was great to see them strive to be their best in every game. Special mention to Kayla Harrison for being a great team supporter. Thank you to all the parents who transported the students.

Well done boys and girls.

#### **Geone Drinkwater & Luke Woods**



## **LIBRARY/ BOOK CLUB NEWS**

### **Library – Overdue Notices**

All outstanding library loans now need to be returned to the library. Students with outstanding loans will receive an 'Overdue Notice', which includes the name of the book and any cost involved if the book is unable to be located or is damaged.

If you are unable to locate books or they are damaged please come and speak with me or pay the replacement cost to the library.

Thank you to all the students who have been regular borrowers throughout this year.

### **Book Club**

Final book club orders for 2017 have been placed and should be returned to the school and students by week 9.

If you are purchasing gifts please advise that you would like to be notified, so they are not handed out to students.

Thank you for your support of book club throughout the year. Through your purchases the school has been able to buy approximately \$300 in resources for the students to enjoy.

#### **Miss Craig Teacher Librarian**

## **STEPHANIE ALEXANDER KITCHEN AND GARDEN PROGRAM**

4T = 30/11  
3N = 01/12  
4K = 07/12  
3/4R = 08/12



## CHRISTMAS HAMPERS

We are beginning to collect non-perishable food items for donations to support families in need at Christmas time. Examples of items that can be donated include **long-life custard, long-life milk, canned fruit and vegetables, cereals, biscuits and fruit juice.**

A Christmas tree has been set up in the staffroom and donations can be left at the front office. All donations will be most appreciated.



## QUICKSMART NEWS

Congratulations to the Mathematicians of the fortnight – Jemma Randall

Congratulations to the Top Scorer of the fortnight – Dakoda Fitzgerald

Well done on your path towards **Automaticity!!**

## PARKING

Please follow the signage for parking and keep all gate areas clear. This is a matter of student safety and is critical for everyone to be aware of and adhere to.

## P&C NEWS

### P&C Meeting

Tuesday 12th December 5:30pm

### P&C Christmas Carols

Thursday 14 December from 6pm

### '12 Day until Christmas' Raffle

**12 great prizes!** A huge shout-out to the amazing local businesses that have supported our raffle:

**SuperStrike Maitland, Music Specialists Maitland, Coles Rutherford, The Rutherford Hotel, Red Alert Laser Tag, GPC Interior Linings P/L, Cold Rock Ice Creamery Rutherford, Gravity X Rutherford, Candy High, Kmart Maitland, Reid's Telarah Butchery and Maitland Gaol.**

Tickets were sent home with the eldest child in each household last week – there are extras at the office if you would like another book.

The raffle will be drawn on Wednesday 13th December – please return your tickets and money to the office by Tuesday 12 December.

## Christmas Carols

The P&C Christmas Carols are on Thursday 14 December from 6 – 7:30pm. There will be a sausage sizzle (\$2.50 for a sausage sanga, \$2.00 for drinks). Bring along your picnic blankets and chairs, listen to the carols and celebrate (almost) the end of the 2017 school year!



**Last P&C meeting for 2017** is on Tuesday 12 December at 5:30pm in the staffroom. As always, if you have any issues, questions or something you would like discussed, please let Kelly know at [telarahpandc@gmail.com](mailto:telarahpandc@gmail.com) or on 0438 403 341.

## CANTEEN NEWS

The monthly specials start 26/10 and will run through until the end of the year:

**Salad box** – Garden salad with the lot, egg and a choice of chicken or ham \$5.

**Wrap** – Chicken tender ranch \$6

**Sandwich/Roll** – Smokey pulled pork with homemade coleslaw \$6

**VOLUNTEERS URGENTLY REQUIRED** for Thursdays and Fridays. Please enquire at canteen or give me a call if you can help. Also let me know if you are keen to assist in 2018.

Term 4 VOLUNTEER Raffle prize is a Coles/Myer gift voucher.

There will also be a full year raffle for our volunteers; prize is a Toyriffic Voucher!

All volunteers please save the date Wednesday 13th Dec, as we will be having a Chinese lunch in the canteen at 1pm to say thanks for all the hard work in 2017. Please let me know if you can make it!

**Regards, Elisha**

## COMMUNITY NEWS

Maitland Regional Art Gallery will be hosting a variety of activities in Free Art January 2018. One of the activities on offer is Riverlights Lantern making! Please see the link below for further information.

<http://mrag.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/program-details.pdf>



Save these dates in your holiday diary ...

**FREE**

**KIDS HOLIDAY CLUB**

K-YR 9 | 9:30 - 12PM  
MON 15TH - FRI 19TH JAN 2018

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**FREE**

9:30-12PM | FREE CRECHE 1-5 YRS  
GUEST SPEAKERS | GREAT COFFEE | PERSONAL STORIES  
AT EAST MAITLAND PUBLIC SCHOOL

<b>MON</b> 15TH JAN WALK ON WASTE	<b>TUE</b> 16TH JAN MINDFUL EATING	<b>WED</b> 17TH JAN FOMO - FEAR OF MISSING OUT
<b>THUR</b> 18TH JAN HOW TO SUPPORT AN ANXIOUS CHILD	<b>FRI</b> 19TH JAN KEEPING YOUR RELATIONSHIPS ALIVE	

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