

THARBOGANG TIMES

Tharbogang Public School 148 White Road, Tharbogang www.tharbogan-p.schools.nsw.gov.au Phone 02 6963 6242 Principal – Cheryle Glyde Week 5 Term 4 2020

Monday 9 November 2020

Upcoming Events

Monday 9 Nov Kinder Transition

Tuesday 10 Nov 12pm Swimming Lessons

Thursday 12 Nov P&C Mtg 7pm at school

Monday 16 Nov Kinder Transition

Tuesday 17 Nov 12 pm Swimming Lessons

Monday 23 Nov Kinder Transition

Tuesday 24 Nov 12pm Swimming Lessons

Tuesday 1 Dec 12pm Swimming Lessons

Tuesday 8 Dec 12pm Swimming Lessons

Wednesday 9 December

10am Presentation of Awards Day

Friday 11 Dec

10am Get Hooked school incursion

Principal's Message

With the learning needs of our students the focus of decision making, the 2021 staffing arrangements have been finalized. A note was sent home to all families last week informing them of the roles and responsibilities of our 2021 staff. We have a new teacher, Mrs. Natasha Long and a new SLSO, Juanita Garcia, joining us next year. They come highly recommended and with valuable skills which will benefit our students and Tharbogang Public School.

Presentation Day

Our end of year presentations will be very different this year due to current COVID-19 guidelines. We will be holding a Presentation of Awards Day, on school grounds, at 10am on Wednesday, 9th December. Staff had originally planned to do a Virtual Presentation of Book Awards Day via Zoom but in light of recent easing of the COVID-19 restrictions, parents will now be able to attend. Very strict COVID Safety Plans however will be in place and the guidelines must be adhered to.

Due to the physically distancing restrictions of 4 square metres per person, the school can only accommodate TWO ADULTS PER FAMILY (in addition to students and staff). Each family will be allocated 2 tickets which need to be claimed at the front office. indicating the names of those attending. All visitors must sign the external visitors form on entering school grounds before the ceremony.

The Presentation of Book Awards to students will remain the same as in previous years. However, there will be no singing or other performances due to the COVID restrictions - Group singing, chanting and rapping can only have a maximum of 5 and schools must not have multiple groups of 5 in the same space. Whole school singing and dancing is what we have always done.

We know how disappointed many of you will be feeling but we hope you understand why we have had to make this decision. All schools will have to follow the latest guidelines but they may do so differently depending on their context. This day is all about celebrating student achievements and announcing our 2021 School Captains. 2020 has certainly been an abnormal year and we all look forward to a return to normal in 2021. Thank you so much for understanding.

Merit Awards - Week 4

Congratulations to all our latest award winners.



Back: Andrew Savage, Sebastian Tupu, Leylahn Faalelei-Tuialii, Grace Ah Kee Front: Lily Ison, Benny Pepi, Leksuz Tuialii, Geoffrey Bayne



Back: Antonio Torino, Amani Syed, Lensovior Leung Wai **Front:** Max Brown, Jaxon Ison

Silver Award

Lensovior Leung Wai

Antonio Torino – Mastering subtraction with trading.

Amani Syed – Great work unjumbling spelling words.

Lensovior Leung Wai – Accurately spelling with "ow" and "ou" sounds in words.

Max Brown – Detailed writing using interesting words.

Jaxon Ison – Confidently adding and subtracting decimals.

Merit Awards - Week 5

K-2



Christian Catanzariti Max Armanini Charnee Favero Rudy Pepi Lily Ison Jai Ison

3-6



Back: Benji Savage Darby Robertson Lorenzo Sergi **Front:** Jaxon Ison Senna Sergi Hayley Ford

Hayley Ford – Focusing on rereading and editing her own writing.
Benji Savage – Enthusiasm during science experiments.

Jaxon Ison – Applying himself when doing spelling activities.

Senna Sergi – Concentrating on writing great paragraphs.

Lorenzo Sergi – Excellent writing and analyzing of poetry.

Darby Robertson – writing a great poem.

Naidoc Week

"National Aborigines and Islanders Day Observance Committee (NAIDOC) Week is usually held every year in early July. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, NAIDOC Week was postponed and the National NAIDOC Committee announced that this year celebrations will be held in November.

NAIDOC Week is a time to celebrate Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander history, culture and achievements and is an opportunity to recognise the contributions that Indigenous Australians make to our country and our society. This year, the theme for NAIDOC Week, which will be celebrated from 8 to 15 November inclusive, is 'Always Was, Always Will Be'. Students will do in class activities.

Remembrance Day

Wednesday, 11th November is Remembrance Day. It marks the day World War One ended. Students and staff will pause for a two minute silence at 11 am to remember the people who have died in wars.



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High School Transition

Year 6 students attending MRHS will resume their transition program in Week 6. They will attend their normal transition session and return to school by bus. They will then have a full day Orientation in week 8 (Tuesday,1st December).

Kinder Transition

This week is the second week of transition for our 2021 kindergarten students. We welcome Leannah Tuialii, Luciano Catanzariti, Rider Davies and George Warren who are loving attending Tharbogang PS in their new uniforms.



Luciano Catanzariti Leannah Tuialii Rider Davies George Warren

Keep Smiling and Be Happy,

Cheryle

Student Representative Council

The Student Representative Council will be selling ice blocks for .50c each

NEWSLETTERS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED EVERY 2ND WEEK (ODD WEEKS) for the remainder of the term.

Tharbogang Public School TERM 4

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Term Four	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT SUN
5	9 Nov	10 Nov Swimming Sport clothes	11 Nov Remembrance Day	12 Nov 7pm P & C Meeting	13 Nov Sport clothes Scripture	14/15 Nov
6	16 Nov	17 Nov Swimming Sport clothes	18 Nov	19 Nov	20 Nov Sport clothes Scripture	21/22 Nov
7	23 Nov	24 Nov Swimming Sport clothes	25 Nov	26 Nov	27 Nov Sport clothes Scripture	28/29 Nov
8	30 Nov	1 Dec Swimming Sport clothes	2 Dec	3 Dec	4 Dec Sport clothes Scripture	5/6 Dec
9	7 Dec Reports to be sent home.	8 Dec Swimming Sport clothes	9 Dec 10am Presentation of Awards Day at school	10 Dec	11 Dec Sport clothes Scripture Get Hooked Incursion	12/13 Dec
10	14 Dec Whole School PBL Rewards Day	15 Dec K-2 Big Day Out	16 Dec Last Day for Students End of Year Festivities	17 Dec SDD	18 Dec SDD	19/20 Dec

Students Return to School Friday 29 January 2021

P&C MEETING

7pm Thursday 12 November -School

ALL WELCOME

2021 Staffing Arrangements

Mrs Cheryle Glyde: Principal

Monday-Thursday Stage 3 English and Maths. Friday Principal Release

Mrs Shellby Nixon: K/1/2 Teacher

Mrs Natasha Long: Year 3-6 Mon-Thurs

Stage 2 English and Maths

Afternoon sessions – Key Learning Areas

Mrs Kerry Dal Nevo: Thursday Teachers Release and Learning Support. Friday

Year 3-6

Juanita Garcia: SLSO Monday-Wednesday Year 3-6

Alecia Smith: SLSO Thursday-Friday Year 3-6

I would like to thank Tracy Carbone, Nick Brown and Belinda Sillis for their professionalism and commitment to the students and staff at Tharbogang Public School. They are all greatly valued and appreciated staff members and I wish them well in the positions they take on next year. They will be greatly missed by us all.

Cheryle

Juanita Garcia

