



# Tregeagle Public School

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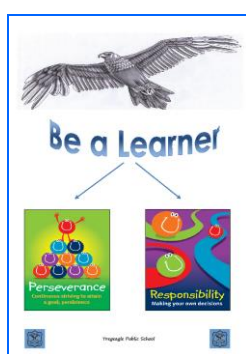
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Term 1 Week 11 2018

12 April 2018

## Dates to Remember

Friday	13 April	ANZAC Day Ceremony Last Day Term 1
Monday	30 April	Staff Development Day
Tuesday	1 May	First Day Students – Term 2
Tuesday – Thursday	15 – 17 May	NAPLAN Testing Years 3 and 5
Friday	11 May	District Cross Country Carnival
Friday	18 May	P&C Meeting – 9-30am Staffroom
Wednesday-Thursday	23 – 24 May	Healthy Harrold Visit



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Tess S, Mary G & Asher S



### School Holidays

This week brings an end to an exciting Term 1 which was filled with learning, friendship and fun at Tregeagle Public School. Students and staff have worked extra hard this term and have earned a little break from school routines. We trust that all families will have a restful and safe holiday break and will return ready for a vibrant Term 2 on Tuesday 1 May. Monday 30 April is a School Development Day.

### School Zones – Slow Down for Children

40km/h school zones help protect children on their way to and from school at the times and places where they are often in high numbers. This lower speed limit reduces the risk and potential severity of a crash. School zone signs and flashing lights improve the visibility of our school zone. 40km/h school zones are in force on all days which are not a weekend, a public holiday or a publicly notified school holiday for government schools. Our school zone operates from 8 to 9.30am and from 2.30 to 4pm. Motorists must drive no faster than 40 km/h through school zones. Increased fines and loss of demerit points apply. Together, let's keep our kids and families safe!

### **Tregeagle Public School ANZAC Day Ceremony – TOMORROW, Friday 13 April 9.30am**

Our school ANZAC Day ceremony will be held at school tomorrow, Friday 13 April starting at 9.30am. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend from our school community. Students are encouraged to bring in fresh flowers in the morning to include in the wreaths for their class.

### **ANZAC Day March – Lismore – Wednesday 25 April**

As in past years, Tregeagle Public School will be marching in the Lismore ANZAC Day March on Wednesday 25 April. The details of times are:

**08:30am** Meet at the Browns Creek Car Park (bottom end of Molesworth Street, near Harvey Norman)

**09:00am** March off for the ANZAC Day Commemorative and wreath laying service at the memorial Baths Molesworth Street.

All children will need to be in full school uniform and wearing a hat.

### **Army Memorabilia Display**



Thank you to Michael O'Brien who has set up a wonderful display of army memorabilia in the front office. Students & visitors to the school have enjoyed inspecting the many interesting items on the display this week.



### **Applications for Extended Leave**

Students/families who know they will be absent from school for travel/holiday purposes are reminded that they should complete and submit an 'Application for Extended Leave – Travel' form. This is in accordance with Department attendance requirements. Please be aware that such travel should be approved by the Principal before it is undertaken. As school attendance is compulsory, the decision to grant approval can be linked to the current attendance pattern of students. It is easier to grant 'special' leave to students who have a positive attendance pattern, over students who have a higher than average rate of absence from school. Applications are available by contacting the school office and I thank the families who have undertaken this course of action.

### **Student Absences**

Just a reminder that reasons for student absences are to be reported to the school office within 7 days of the absence. Notification may be sent through the School Stream app, (which is quick & easy), using the "Forms" tab, or alternatively phone or send in a written note to school. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

### **Yr 10 Work Experience Student Visit**



A big thank you to Trinity H.S student Georgia who has been doing her Year 10 work experience in the 2/3G classroom this week. Students & staff have enjoyed & appreciated Georgia's assistance this week & we wish her all the very best in her future studies.

### Opportunity Class Placements – Year 5, 2019

Opportunity classes cater for highly achieving academically gifted students who may otherwise be without sufficient classmates at their own academic and social level.

Applications for opportunity class placement are considered mainly on the combined results of the Opportunity Class Placement Test and school assessments. The Opportunity Class Placement Test will be held on **Wednesday 1 August 2018**.

If you would like to have your child considered for Year 5 opportunity class entry in 2019, you need to apply soon. You will need to apply on the internet using a valid email address (not the student's email address).

Detailed instructions on how to apply online will be available from **Tuesday 1 May 2018** at <https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/selective-high-schools-and-opportunity-classes/year-5>. The application website opens on **Tuesday 1 May 2018** and closes on **Friday 18 May 2018**. No late applications will be accepted.

### Stage 3 Excursion: Sunshine Coast/Brisbane

A reminder that the second instalment of \$100 for the Stage 3 excursion, is due tomorrow. Please aim to keep up to date with these payments where possible.

Thank you for your support.

*Jessica Brewer-Charles*

*5/6 Excursion Coordinator*

### Stage 2 Excursion: Gold Coast Recreational Centre/Tallebudgera

Just a reminder that all notes and the \$50 deposit is due to school by the end of this week. We need to know numbers to pass onto the Gold Coast Recreational Centre. This is a great experience for all students that allows them to develop and build on a variety of skills and independence. We would like to encourage all students in Year 3 and 4 to attend. If you have any concerns about the camp, please feel free to speak to either Mrs Benson in the office or myself.

*Renee Golding*

*Stage 2 Camp Coordinator*

### District Cross Country- Friday 11 May, Wyrallah P.S

Notes went home on Tuesday, in relation to this year's Cross Country. Students from Year 2-6 will attend Wyrallah school on Friday 11 May to compete in the District Cross Country. The cost for the bus is \$3. If students wish to order their lunch from the Wyrallah canteen, their orders will need to be handed into the office no later than Wednesday 9 May. All students are expected to attend as there will only be minimal staff left at school. If students are not able to participate due to a medical reason, they will still attend to support the rest of their peers. Please feel free to contact either Mrs Benson or myself, if you have any concerns. Students in K & Yr 1 will participate in the Junior Cross Country at school.



### State Swimming Carnival

We would like to congratulate Mary G, who travelled to Sydney this week to participate in four events. We cannot wait to hear how she went. It is such an achievement to make it this far. Well done Mary!

*Renee Golding*

*Sports Carnival Coordinator*

### Zone Soccer Trials

Congratulations to Hollie, Tuscany and Mary who all scored themselves a place in the Northern Rivers Girls Soccer team last Friday. It was a pleasure to be their selector on the day. I can't wait to coach them at the Regional Trials in Grafton early next term.

### Zone Rugby League Trials

Congratulations to Cooper for his participation in the Zone Rugby League trials on Monday this week. Cooper made it to the possibles v probables part of the day but unfortunately missed out on a spot in the Zone team. He demonstrated tremendous sportsmanship during the day. Well done Cooper!

*Jessica Brewer-Charles*  
*Sports Coordinator*

### Peer Support- Teddy Bear's Picnic



We are so excited for our Teddy Bear's Picnic tomorrow. Please remind your child that they can bring a small (no bigger than their lunchbox) teddy/stuffed toy to have lunch with their peer support group tomorrow. Students will enjoy eating their lunch on a blanket in the school playground. Students need to ensure they have a hat and their normal packed lunch for the day.

*Jessica Brewer-Charles*  
*Peer Support Coordinator*

### Junior Landcare – Tregeagle P.S

Wow! We have the most amazing parents in this school! Thank you to Grant, David, Darren and Kelly. I just don't know what we would do without you! These parents helped Junior Landcare to construct four brand new garden beds. They assisted with the planning and design; purchasing and delivery of timber and soil; supply of tools and equipment; and finally the construction. The location was chosen because we have our greenhouse, compost bays, soil pads and water tanks right beside them – perfect!

Next term we will be able to grow plenty of fresh produce to supply our canteen and raise much-needed Junior Landcare funds through market stall sales. I'm also very proud of our Junior Landcare students who put in the hard work to complete the garden beds. I have a feeling we are going to have an abundant year of growth – fingers crossed!

*Nardene Braddon*  
*Kirsty Spence*  
*Junior Land Care Coordinators*







# Emergency Procedures

Be Safe	Be Respectful	Be a Learner
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hands and feet to yourself</li> <li>• Walk on hard surfaces</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use school talk</li> <li>• Wear school uniform</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Follow staff instructions</li> <li>• Be an active listener</li> </ul>

## Tregeagle Eagle Award

### Recipients

Alanna R – KS, Liam L-W - 1B, Annabel B – 2/3G,  
Tommy - 3/4B, Ella S - 5/6 B-C

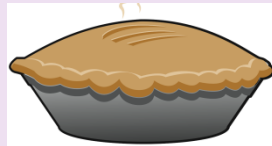


## **TREGEAGLE P&C PIE DRIVE FUNDRAISER**

The P&C is currently holding a PIE DRIVE as a fundraiser for the school.

Pies are supplied by Coraki Bakery & are delicious & convenient.

Payment & orders are to be returned to the school by Friday 11 May. Collection – Friday 25 May.



## **SUPER KIDS HOLIDAY GROUPS**



### **April Program: GET CREATIVE**

**Monday 23rd, Tuesday 24th and  
Thursday 26th April 2018**

The Get Creative program gives children the space to come together, share their ideas, inspire one another and get creative. They can undertake different projects or spend the three days developing one project. At the end of the program they will host a 'Creative Market' for family and friends. The activities could include:

- Making super hero capes
- Designing their own pencil case
- Designing their own postcards and other artworks
- Other ideas directed by the kids

**Times:** 9:00am - 3:00pm

**Location:** Tregeagle Hall

**Cost:** \$150 per program (for full 3 days)

**To Register:** Email [kristy@kidsinconnection.com](mailto:kristy@kidsinconnection.com)  
Or phone: 0438 859 337

**The July Program is SCIENCE FUN**  
visit the website for more information

**BOOK ONLINE AT [WWW.KIDSINCONNECTION.COM](http://WWW.KIDSINCONNECTION.COM)**



## Free Events at Lismore Library



# Teach Your Teen To Drive

Are you learning to drive...or soon to be? Are you teaching a learner?  
Would you like some free help & advice from a qualified driving instructor?

**Thursday, 19 April 4.30pm - 7pm Lismore Library**

**For learner drivers & their teachers. Bring along your log books.**

Lismore Library in conjunction with

Byron Writers Festival & StoryBoard presents

## *A Creative Writing Masterclass*

Cultivate your creativity with help from published authors.

Thursdays 3, 17 & 31 May, 14 & 28 June

5 - 6.30pm, 2nd Floor, Lismore Library.

**For young writers from 10 - 18 years. Pizza served!**

## Youth Book Club!

at Lismore Library

Arrive with a book you love, leave with one to explore!

Last Thursday of the month  
between 4pm and 5pm  
at Lismore Library.

10-17 year olds welcome.

Phone Lismore Library  
on 02 6621 2464  
for more information.



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## School holidays are approaching...come spend them with us!

### GSAC

50 Oliver Avenue Goonellabah

We have all our regular fun games, swimming and craft activities happening every day, plus our main morning and afternoon activities.

	DAILY FEE
HOURS	7:30am – 6pm
PROGRAM FEE	\$60*
YOUR FEE After receiving the Child Care rebate	\$30

\*Less any Child Care Benefit deducted immediately from the fee.

	MORNING ACTIVITIES	MID MORNING ACTIVITIES	AFTERNOON ACTIVITIES
<b>MONDAY</b> 16 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Play: Wasp Tag &amp; Mountains and Lakes</b>	<b>POOL TIME</b> SLIDE + INFLATABLE	<b>Animal Corner</b> <b>Bookmark Craft</b>
<b>TUESDAY</b> 17 <sup>th</sup> April (Nude Tuesday, can you bring NO plastic?)	<b>Noodle Hockey</b>	<b>POOL TIME</b> SLIDE + INFLATABLE	<b>Native Australian</b> <b>Bottlebrush Art</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY</b> 18 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>COMMONWEALTH GAMES DAY!</b> Dress up in Sports Gear! Have an Athletics Carnival	<b>POOL TIME</b> SLIDE + INFLATABLE	<b>Sports Trivia &amp; Closing Ceremony</b>
<b>THURSDAY</b> 19 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Play Disc Golf (Frisbee fun)</b>	<b>POOL TIME</b> SLIDE + INFLATABLE	<b>Paper Plate Rainbow Craft</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b> 20 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Play: Ship, Shark, Shore</b>	<b>POOL TIME</b> SLIDE + INFLATABLE	<b>CHILL OUT WITH A MOVIE</b>
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<b>Monday</b> 23 <sup>rd</sup> April	<b>Play: Hoop War</b>	<b>POOL TIME</b> SLIDE + INFLATABLE	<b>DIY Dini Bow and Arrow</b>
<b>TUESDAY</b> 24 <sup>th</sup> April (Nude Tuesday, can you bring NO plastic?)	<b>Epic Team Challenges</b>	<b>POOL TIME</b> SLIDE + INFLATABLE	<b>Anzac Day Poppy Craft</b> + Anzac biscuit afternoon tea provided
<b>WEDNESDAY</b> 25 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Public Holiday</b>		
<b>THURSDAY</b> 26 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Hockey Clinic with a PRO!</b>	<b>POOL TIME</b> SLIDE + INFLATABLE	<b>Play: Pie Face Showdown</b> <b>+ A Painting session</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b> 27 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Play: Everybody's In Dodgeball</b>	<b>POOL TIME</b> SLIDE + INFLATABLE	<b>CHILL OUT WITH A MOVIE</b>
<b>Monday</b> 30 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Play a Game of RIPPED OFF</b>	<b>POOL TIME</b> SLIDE + INFLATABLE	<b>Clay and Toothpick Build-a-Thon</b>

A safe indoor and outdoor environment

### How to Book or Enrol

Bookings are essential - Enrol on line at <https://activekids-gsac.hubworks.com.au>  
Contact E [gsac@activekidsasc.com.au](mailto:gsac@activekidsasc.com.au) M 0412 797 916