Off to Camp They Go!
School Camp is an annual event that is always the highlight of the school year for our Stage 3 students. The students (and parents/carers) were all very excited this morning when the students boarded the coach that was whisking them away off to school camp for 3 days. We wish them all a very happy and exciting time at camp. Thank you to Mr Regan and Mrs Coverdale for taking time away from your own families to be with our Stage 3 students over the next few days. We look forward to hearing everyone’s camp stories when they return on Wednesday afternoon.

School Uniform Standard and Expectations – Keep it high!
The support of the vast majority of parents/carers in keeping our standards and expectations for school uniform high is very much appreciated. As every parent/carer and student knows Tweed Heads Public School has always had a full head to toe school uniform policy. This includes wearing a school hat, school shirt, shorts/skorts, socks and black school shoes. Our uniform is a very smart, comfortable uniform and is often positively commented upon by new families and also by others when we are out and about in the school community. Recently it has been disappointing to observe that more and more students (especially Years 3-6) are choosing not to wear the com-
plete school uniform. Shoes, hats and sometimes jumpers/jackets are being worn that are clearly not our uniform and not even school colours. Footwear is a very obvious example. We have suggested to students that they should look after and save their trendy, brightly coloured expensive joggers for their social life, holidays and weekends and they can do this by wearing the basic required black shoes/joggers on a school day. Teachers and parents/carers are fully aware that students want to look and be “cool” and in some homes students daily argue the point about school uniform with parents/carers. Peer pressure can be quite strong for some students. However, parents/carers can assist by insisting only school uniform is worn on school days. This will ensure the school uniform standard is consistent across the school and this embedded consistency and expectation from all families will also contribute to minimising the impact of peer pressure where school uniform is concerned. Over the remainder of this school term, staff will encourage all students to be aware of their general overall personal presentation and on keeping the school uniform standard high.

**End of Day Routine**

A gentle reminder to parent/carers regarding the school’s End of Day Routine. Your assistance with keeping to this routine is important. The routine is in the interests of the safety and wellbeing of all students.

There are 2 bells.

1st bell – 2:55pm **This is a signal to teachers** to supervise students to begin to move to their collection areas for bus and walkers lines. Students are **not to go directly to the gates and they are not permitted to leave the school site until directed to and supervised by teachers on duty.**

2nd bell – 3:00pm This is a signal for End of Day duty teachers to supervise students as they depart the school site ie move to the areas for collection by parents or onto buses. **Parents/carers are required to wait on the grass area in front of the car park.**

The school must be advised in advance if the student is leaving the school gate independently after the 2nd bell.

Jacquie McAllum
Principal

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**Pizza Day - Year 6 Farewell Fundraiser**

“Three cheers for Earth ‘n’ Sea Pizza”.

We would like to offer a huge thank you to Victoria and Fergus of Earth ‘n’ Sea Pizza and Pasta Restaurant in Coolangatta for donating the yummy pizzas for our ‘Pizza Lunch’ last Tuesday 27 October. This Year 6 Farewell Fundraiser was a wonderful success due to their generosity and continued support of our school. The majority of staff and students enjoyed our delicious lunch including Victoria and Fergus’ three boys, Rory, Charlie and Archie!

Fiona Simpson
Acting Assistant Principal

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**What’s Going On in 2/1M**

For news on Friday 30 October, 2/1M were treated to some sounds from didgeridoos. Barkou and Kobi played their didgeridoos for their classmates. They showed the students the two different didgeridoos and answered some questions about playing them. Barkou and Kobi also played to every class in the school and for the Principal and school office staff.
Term 4 Week 4 Awards

Weekly Student Blue Awards

**KF**  Lillian, Chelsea
**KH**  Jordan, Starbella
**K/1M**  Kalani, James
**1W**  Amelia, Paiton
**2/1M**  Levi, Brooke-Lyn
**2R**  Jordan, Calais
**3F**  Aalyrah, Jak, Anna
**4/3S**  Lilly, Wade, Jack
**4C**  Kobi, Micah
**6/5C**  Mary-Jane, Jye, Seth
**6/5R**  Bronx, Thomas, Chloe, Madison

Bookwork Awards

**KF**  Thomlyn
**KH**  Arthur
**K/1M**  Reef
**1W**  Pharai
**2R**  Teariki
**3F**  Bella
**4/3S**  Skye
**4C**  Liam
**6/5C**  Jackson
**6/5R**  Michaela

Bronze Rippa Awards

**2R**  Ethan
**4/3S**  Hudson
**6/5C**  Izac
**6/5R**  Ezekiel

Silver Rippa Awards

**KF**  Kalan, Chelsea, YiMing
**KH**  Tennessee, Lexi
**K/1M**  Isabella, Kai, Eli, Reef, Jesse, Kalijah
**2/1M**  Maxson, Emily, Brock, Lucien, Kobi, Eliza, Avalon
**2R**  Matilda, Dakota, Cody, Jordan, Tomas, Mitchell, Aria, Kailash, Calais
**3F**  Jayden
**4/3S**  Angelina
**4C**  Micah, Kobi, Tyson, Lilly
**6/5C**  Leonell, Jackson, Katie, Atakan, Sharmily, Phil, Raya
**6/5R**  Chelsea, Thomas, Lucy, Michaela, Gurmanjot, Bronx, Moana

Gold Rippa Awards

**KH**  Liv
**K/1M**  Ava, Jonah, Molly, Tré
**1W**  Haillie, Jett, Shelby, Pharai, Jolene, Amelia, Riley
**2R**  Tiare, Ned, Hailey, Teariki, Koral-Lee, Archie
**3F**  Celine, Maeve, Lucie
**4/3S**  Jack
**4C**  Isaac, Liam, Mahlia

Welcome to Tweed Heads Public School

**KF**  Kentia
**KH**  Anggie
**1W**  Rhianna
**2R**  Teleah