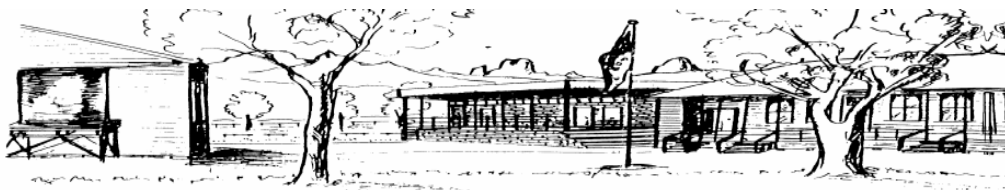




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TOORAWEE NAH PUBLIC SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER – 11.06.2025



School News Week 7 Term 2

Coming Events

Date	Event	Who	More Info
<u>23rd</u> June	Year 6 Personal Development	Year 6	<u>23rd</u> June
Week 10	Student Reports go home	All	

News

Boccia Gala Day

We are proud to share the outstanding achievements of our students Jack Hicks, Toby Jenkin, Hunter Watt, and Charlie Hicks, who recently represented Tooraweenah Public School at the Boccia Gala Day in Dubbo.

The students showcased their skills and teamwork as they competed against seven different schools, including Cumnock, Dubbo West, Gulgong, Molong, Narromine, Yawarra Community, and Gilgandra Public School in the finals. Their hard work and determination paid off, winning 5 of the 7 games, with the team finishing 5th overall in a competitive field of 14 schools!



Boccia Gala Day cont.

We commend our students not only for their performance but also for their exemplary sportsmanship throughout the day. They demonstrated respect, teamwork, and a positive attitude, making our school proud.

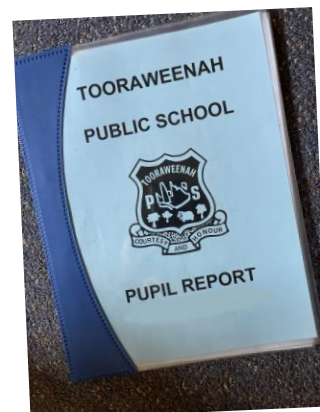
A huge thank you goes to Mrs. Janelle Quilter, who coached our team and refereed on the day, as well as to Mrs. Leanne Lummis for her assistance in supervision. We also extend our gratitude to the parents of the students for providing transport and supporting our team.

Congratulations to Jack, Toby, Hunter, and Charlie for their remarkable achievement at the Boccia Gala Day!



Report Folders

Please send in your report folders to school.



EDUtech

Today, Mrs. Nadine Jenkin headed to Sydney for EDUtech, the largest conference in Australia for teachers and education technology providers.

The event was held at the Sydney International Convention & Exhibition Centre over two days.

By exploring new ideas and experiences, and attending the conference, Mrs Jenkin aims to explore learning opportunities to enhance our offerings in technology here at Tooraweenah PS and across the other small schools involved in our 3 year Technology Grant.



Attendance

Regular school attendance is essential for your child's academic success and social development.

The NSW Department of Education encourages all parents to ensure their children attend school every day, as consistent attendance helps students keep up with their learning and build important skills.

If your child is unable to attend school due to illness or other reasons, please inform the school as soon as possible. Long term absences (greater than 3 days) for sickness should be accompanied by a doctors certificate.

Thank you for your continued support in helping our students achieve their best.



NSW Department of Education

Why attendance matters

When your child misses school they miss important opportunities to...



Learn



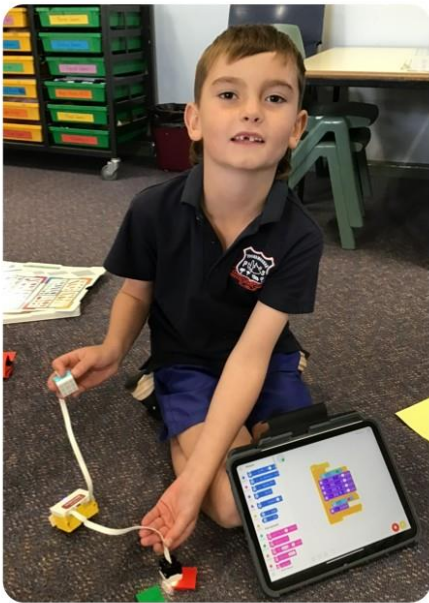
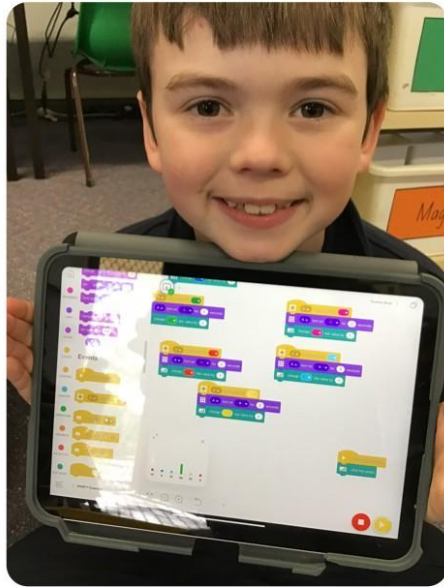
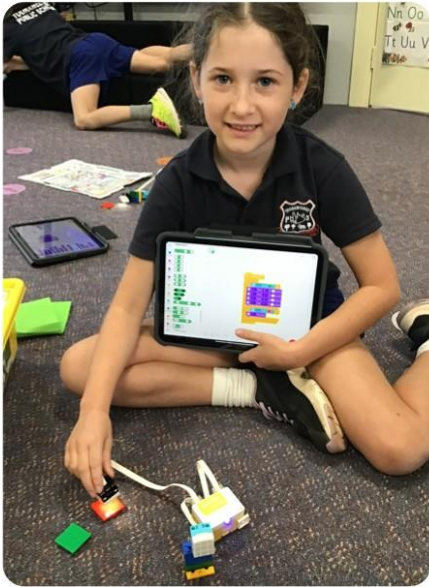
Make friends



Build skills through fun

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Coming Events

Year 3/4/6 Excursion to Eumungerie Public School

Year 6 Personal Development @Eumungerie PS

The Western NSW Local Health District Women's Health Service is delivering a Personal Development Program for Year 6

The Personal Development Program helps both boys and girls:

- Understand the physical and emotional changes they experience during puberty and acknowledge these changes as a normal part of growth and development.
- Learn the physiology of their bodies and correct terminology for parts of the reproductive system.
- Understand that personal hygiene is an individual's responsibility.

Year 3/4 Technology Sharing @ Eumungerie PS

Year 3/4 will be travelling to Eumungerie PS to join in with a similar aged class to share their experiences coding with Lego Spike Essential as well as engaging in other classroom sessions throughout the day. A great opportunity to get together and share knowledge!

A permission note will be available on SchoolBytes on Friday.

Notices

NSW Public Schools Student Survey

In Term 2, we are offering our students, in Years 3-6, the opportunity to participate in the NSW Public Schools Student Survey. The survey gives students the chance to share their thoughts and feelings about life at school, including questions about their engagement, learning experiences and wellbeing at school.

Hearing directly from our students will help us understand what's working well and where improvements can be made to our school. The survey is confidential, takes around 10 to 15 minutes to complete, and will be conducted online during school hours.

Participation is voluntary. If you prefer your child not to participate, please complete the opt-out consent form, which was sent home on Wednesday 4th June, and return it to the school. Further information about the survey is available at <https://education.nsw.gov.au/npss>



NSW Public Schools Surveys
A voice for students, parents and teachers



Canteen Roster Term 2 2025

WEEK	DATE	WORKER	HOME COOKING
Week 1	2 nd May	Margo	Steph
Week 2	9 th May	Nadine	Nadine
Week 3	16 th May	Jen	Jen & Erin
Week 4	23 rd May	Seanne	Seanne & Kathryn
Week 5	30 th May	Nicole	Nicole & Kristy
Week 6	6 th June	Nadine	Brooke & Nadine
Week 7	13 th June	Jen	Sarah & Jen
Week 8	20 th June		
Week 9	27 th June		
Week 10	4 th July	Seanne	Seanne

Volunteers needed for canteen on Friday 20 and 27 June.



Cool lunchboxes

An insulated lunchbox with an ice brick can keep the lunchbox 12°C cooler and the lunchbox foods safe.

Try adding a frozen:

- Water bottle

MERIT AWARDS

Amelia Hutchison	60 nights home reading
Toby Jenkin	80 nights home reading
Maddison Jenkin	80 nights home reading
Maggie Lambell	Working diligently in Maths
Ryder French-Hughes	Working hard to improve reading fluency
Thea Harte	80 nights home reading

MATHS AWARDS

Hunter Watt	Platinum	Representing Whole Numbers 1
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SPECIAL AWARDS



Maggie Lambell	MERIT CERTIFICATE	for 5 merit awards
Ben Larkin	MERIT CERTIFICATE	for 5 merit awards
Toby Jenkin	MERIT CERTIFICATE	for 30 merit awards
Maddison Jenkin	PRINCIPAL'S AWARD	for 40 merit awards



What We're Learning This Week



Kinder/Year 1	Year 2	Year 3/4/5/6
ENGLISH Sounds/Spelling <i>K-Jolly Phonics sounds</i> Revision of sounds <i>Year 1 - Spelling</i> i_e bossy e rule Reading Decodable readers Writing/Grammar Assessments	Spelling Assessments Reading Fluency passages Writing/Grammar Mallee Sky by Jodie Toering focusing on imagery, symbol and connotation.	Spelling tch, ch words Reading Fluency reading Writing/Grammar Ned Kelly and the Green Sash by Mark Greenwood focusing on exploring argument and perspective of a character.
MATHS Data Organising and interpreting data Assessments	Measurement Transformations Time and duration length	Number Place value Regroup numbers up to 6 digits

TECHNOLOGY K/1 will make an hourglass tower from Cuisenaires.
Year 2 and 3/5/6 will finish their Lego projects.

Kinder/Year 1/2	Year 3/4/5/6
PDHPE Athletics Practice Shot put, discuss & relays	Athletics Practice High jump
GEOGRAPHY Australian Places Why is an address important?	Earth's Environments King's birthday
CAPA Visual Arts Lead pencil shading artwork - Koala	Visual Arts Experimenting with acrylic paint
SCIENCE Forces and Energy In groups, present data from gravity experiment in a table using Microsoft Excel to create a column graph	Earth's Changing Surfaces How do human actions change the Earth's surface?

Term 2 2025								
Apr	HOL							
		21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Apr /May	1	SDD 28	SDD 29	First Day students 30		Gil Film Festival (night) 2	Gil Film Festival	
					1			4
May	2					TPS Cross Country	Mother's day	
		5	6	7	8	9		11
May	3					9am Meerkat Productions show @ school P&C Meeting 3:30pm		
		12	13	14	15	16	17	18
May	4				Life Education Van WPPC Conference Mrs Smith	WPPC Conference Mrs Smith		
		19	20	21	22	23	24	25
May	5				Teaching Principal's Reference Group – Mrs Smith			
		26	27	District Cross Country	28	29	30	31
June	6							
		2	3	4	5	6	7	8
June	7	King's Birthday Long Weekend	Boccia Dubbo	Western Cross Country				
		9	10	EDU TECH	11	12	13	14
June	8							
		16	17	18	19	20	21	22
June	9							
		23	24	25	26	27	28	29
July	10	Reports go home this week						
		30	1	2	3	4	5	6
July	HOL							
		7	8	9	10	11	12	13
July	HOL							
		14	15	16	17	18	19	20