Dear Mums, Dads and Carers

Congratulations to our science loving students. This year’s Science Expo was filled with discovery and fascinating experiments. Thank you for the support provided to our young scientists by staff, parents and grandparents. Together we have resolved so many questions I have thought about for years such as what actually happens to make a volcano erupt? Thank you to Mr Lloyd for his leadership in this engaging event.

I visited 4M today to watch two classes participate in a video conference delivered by the Sydney Royal Botanical Gardens staff. Video conference is a live, and interactive lesson that can originate from anywhere in the world. A brief video clip of the lesson can be seen on the Terranora Public School Facebook page. Thank you to Miss MacBeth for organising the extraordinary lesson.
This week, students voted for 2016 school captains. I congratulate all 36 candidates who presented outstanding speeches to the staff, parents and students. It is a proud moment for all of us to watch Year 5 present themselves to the school with honour and dignity. We are abounding with talent and I declare, Australia's future is in very good hands. Once again, our Year 5 students are a class act. Congratulations to each candidate. Every one of you is a winner!

This week we welcomed our incoming 2016 Kindergarten parents to an information night. Thank you to all parents for your attendance and thank you to our Kindergarten staff for their preparation of resources and organisation of the evening. I extend a warm welcome to all the new families to Terranora Public School. Your children are a joy to be around.

Remembrance Day ceremonies is a common way to honour the men and women who served Australia in times of war, military conflict and peace. There are many other ways, throughout the year, to remember the sacrifices and achievements of the Australians who served and continue to serve our country at home and abroad, and of course the many Australians that have died for our freedom today. Take a moment to say thank you.

James Hackett
PRINCIPAL
13 November 2015

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Snr Academic Achievement Award
Declan - 6S

Snr Encouragement Award
Isabella - 3/4EC

Jnr Academic Achievement Award
Casey - 1S

Jnr Encouragement Award
Khieli - 1S

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TERRANORA SCIENCE FAIR

Congratulations to all the year 3 - 6 students who participated in the Terranora Public School Science Fair. The projects were amazing and all should be extremely proud of their hard work and learning that took place to produce such wonderful projects.

These students achieved outstanding results in the following categories:

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Fantastic work, well done.

Mr Lloyd
INTENSIVE SWIMMING

Our intensive swimming program is a great success with our swimmers showing huge improvement in just a short time.

Well done boys and girls!

Ms Harker

COMPETITION WINNER

Congratulations to Rocko for naming our boat. Rocko's name was successful in the "Name the Boat" competition. Our school's boat is named 'TPS Shipwreck'.

MATHS OLYMPIAD

Congratulations to the students in year 4, 5 and 6 who participated in the Maths Olympiad this year. They should be extremely proud of their achievements and have impressed me with their knowledge and problem solving skills throughout the competition. The highest point scorer will be announced at the presentation assembly.

Miss Foster

SCHOLASTIC BOOK CLUB

Last orders for Issue 8 are due back Friday 27 November for processing. This is the last issue for 2015.

Start your Christmas gift purchasing now, with loads of great titles at reduced prices.

Thank you to parents for their Issue 7 orders which raised over $100 for school resources.

It would be appreciated if families could complete the Book Club survey.

Happy reading.

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Orientaion Day
Tweed River High School

FOR THOSE STUDENTS ATTENDING IN 2016

WHEN: Thursday 3rd December 2015
WHERE: Tweed River High School
(Sport & Entertainment Centre)
TIME: 8.30am - 2.15pm
WHO: Year 6 students – all day
Parents: 8.30am – 10.30am
WHAT TO BRING: Camp permission note, hats, water
and lunch money/food.
WHAT TO WEAR: School uniform

Please feel free to contact TRHS for further information

Miss Kerry Pope
2016 Year 7 Year Adviser

TERRANORA NETBALL CLUB
Sign on dates for the 2016 Netball Season

Early Bird Sign On: Thursday 26 November
4.30-5.45pm
Arkinstall Park
(Outside Tweed Netball Clubhouse)

$20 deposit and the option to pay off your registration fees prior to
the final sign on.

2016 Sign On Dates: Friday 29 January
3.00-3.45pm
Terranora Public School
(Outside the Hall)
Saturday 6 February
10.00am-12.00pm
Terranora Public School
(Outside the Hall)
Saturday 20 February
9.00-11.00am
Tweed Netball, Arkinstall Park

20 February sign on is a collaborative sign on for all Tweed Clubs
and will try and accommodate any last minute registrations, clubs may
not be able to accept players on this day if their teams are full.

New players will need to bring their Birth Certificate to sign on
Any questions or for more information please contact:
terranoranetball@gmail.com or Jen Landon 0419 609 793

The Federation of Parents and Citizens Associations of NSW

We would like to Cordially invite you to Attend our
“Increasing Parent and Community Engagement “ Forum
North Coast Electorate

Purpose
To increase Parent and Community Engagement within P&C Associations in
our Public Schools, so partnerships can be strengthened to deliver quality
outcomes for our Public Education system and ultimately our children and
their future.

Where: Thursday 12th November 2015
Where: Mullumbimby High School
9 Jubilee Ave Mullumbimby NSW 2482
Registration From: 6.00pm
Time: 6.30pm - 9.30pm

Speakers:
• Youth Mental Health
• Gonsal
• Small schools

Guest Speakers:
• NSW Department of Education
• Local MP
• Secondary Principals Council
• Primary Principals Association
• Teachers Federation
• Headspace

Participation:
• In Q&A sessions with speakers
• In group discussions
Sugar and Light refreshments will be provided
To attend please Register online until 10/11/2015

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Contact Jasmin Dorrington, your local Saver Plus Worker:
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or jasmin.dorrington@thesmithfamily.com.au

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Join Saver Plus and match your savings, dollar for dollar, up to $500
for educational costs including:
- school uniforms and text books
- computers, laptops and tablets
- excursions and camps
- sports equipment, uniforms and lessons
- music tuition and instrument hire.

You may be eligible if you have a Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card,
are at least 18 years old, have some regular income from work (you or your
partner) and have a child at school or study yourself.

To Register please, click here

*This Program is funded by the NSW Government and Administered
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BUS SAFETY – PARENT INFORMATION

Travelling safely on a bus does not end when you step off the bus. Care must also be taken before and after riding the bus, which is when most casualties occur. Talking with your child about safe behaviour in traffic areas on a regular basis can build their confidence and help them to feel secure. One of the best ways to keep your child safe is to practise how to cross the road safely especially before boarding and after leaving the bus.

Please make sure your child understands the safety procedure below:
1. WAIT on the footpath until the bus has been driven away and then choose the safest place to cross.
2. WATCH until there is no traffic or the traffic has stopped.
3. WALK across the road, turning your head both ways to look and listen for traffic.

Other ways you can assist your child to become a safer bus traveller include:
- Arrange for an adult to accompany your child to and from the bus stop.
- Wait for your child on the same side of the road as the stopping bus.
- Never call for your child to cross the road to meet you.
- Discuss what to do should your child miss the bus or catch the wrong one.

Important tips for your child on the bus:
- Always wait until the bus has completely stopped before walking towards the bus
- Always sit quietly on the bus as noise can distract the driver
- Always wait until the bus has left before crossing the road.