Dear Mums, Dads and Carers

I like the story of the little boy who fell out of bed. When his mother asked him what happened, he replied, “I don’t know, I guess I stayed too close to where I got in.”

It is so easy to stay where we got in because that familiar place is so comfortable.

I encourage you to pick a time in the not-too-distant past such as a year or two ago. Now ask yourself a few of these questions:

How does your life compare today with then? Are you happier today or then? Are you giving more of yourself today or then? How much have you grown since then? What have you learned since then? Do you have more joy today or then?

I am asking these questions of myself and of my school.

Terranora Public School is changing. We are trying to be more responsive to the needs of our students and community. I don’t want to make the same mistake as the little boy. I don’t want to stay too close to where I got in. It’s risky resting on the edge.

Congratulations to our rugby union players who are competing while I write this message. It is the first attempt at rugby union for many of our players and I am proud of their effort and willingness to compete. Thank you to Mr Lloyd and Mr Spencer for taking our players for a day of rugby.
Our swimmers were fantastic once again. Thanks to all the mums, dads, grandparents, staff and volunteers that support our swimmers throughout the year. Your giving is appreciated.

Congratulations to the 2016 boy and girl swimming champion: Dom and Lucy.

Thank you to our P&C for organising a morning tea for all the new Kindergarten families. This was a pleasant time for parents to get to know each other. Many more opportunities will follow with each and every Kindergarten birthday party.

Our staff were available for ‘Meet the Teacher’ on Tuesday afternoon. A small group of parents from every class took advantage of the opportunity to meet their child’s teacher and socialise. I am interested in some feedback on this format. I would be happy to hear your thoughts. Thank you to all teachers for staying back to meet with our families.

James Hackett
PRINCIPAL
17 February 2016

FAR NORTH COAST DANCE FESTIVAL

Terranora Public School is once again participating in the Far North Coast Dance Festival. It is being held at the Gold Coast Arts Centre on Monday 16th May and Tuesday 17th May. We will have four groups participating, Stage 1 girls, Stage 2 girls, Stage 3 girls and Combined Boys.

If your child is interested in participating please send them to me by the end of this week.

Thanks
Miss Angela Wraight
Dance Co-ordinator

BOOK CLUB

Last orders for Issue 1 will be taken on Friday 26 February for processing.

Happy reading!
Loueen Adams

CLASS PACKS 2016

Payments can be made by cash or EFTPOS at the front office or by using the school online payment facility.

Year 1 to Year 4 $45.00
Year 5 to Year 6 $55.00

ONLINE PAYMENT FACILITY

The payment page is accessed from the front page of the schools website www.terranora-p.schools.det.nsw.edu.au by selecting $ Make a payment.

Items that can be paid include voluntary school contributions, subject contributions, excursions, etc. There is also a category called Other - this can be used to make a complete payment of a school invoice.

When you access $ Make a payment you must enter:
- the students name, and
- class and reference number OR
- the students name, and
- date of birth.

These details are entered each time you make a payment. When paying for more than one student the “Make Another Payment” option should be selected on the Online Payment Receipt screen.
Terranora Family Bowling Night

Welcome back to school to existing families and welcome to Terranora for our new families.

The P & C are going to run a ‘Family Fun Bowling Night’ as our first fundraiser of the year. It will be a great opportunity to connect and meet with other families at the school and meet some of your Children’s friends, parents and guardians and support the school at the same time.

All family members and friends and their children come on and have some fun and create some great Terranora Public School memories!!

**When:** Tuesday 23 February  
**Where:** Tweed Ten Pin Wharf Street Tweed Heads  
**Time:**  
Session 1 - 5.30pm  
Session 2 – 6.45 pm
**Cost:**  
$ 13.00 / person for one game, a sausage in bread, a soft drink or water and an ice block for each person.  
Or $ 10.00 / person for game only
**Bring:** Your own enclosed shoes (joggers / sneakers)

We will also be having some raffles and prizes throughout the night and a prize for the highest score!!

Please fill out & detach the below form and enclose correct money and take to the office by End of School Friday 19 February. Thanks. Please contact Melony on 0413 679 145 if any queries.

No tickets will be issued, book in to the counter when you arrive to Bowl.

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**P&C**  
**ATTENDANCE NOTE**

Family Bowling Night  
23 February 2016

Student Name: ____________________________  
Class: ________________

Preferred Time: 5.30 pm __________ 6.45 pm __________

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**P&C EVENTS**

TERM 1

**WEEK 5** Tuesday 23 February  
Ten Pin Bowling Family Night

**WEEK 7** Thursday 10 March  
Welcome to New Year Disco

**WEEK 11** Thursday 7 April  
Walkathon

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CHECK OUT TERRANORAPUBLIC SCHOOL ON FACEBOOK

Catch up on daily activities at our school. Pictures, videos and announcements.
FLEXSCHOOLS

Online ordering is here!
Terranora Public School has now introduced a great new online ordering system for our canteen and uniform shop, called Flexischools.

Registration is quick and easy -
1. Go to www.flexischools.com.au
2. Click ‘Register Now’
3. You will be sent an email with further instructions.

Contact Flexischools on 1300 361 769 if you have any questions.

The system is now available, so we look forward to your next online order!

Bilambil Terranora Junior Soccer Club
REGISTER NOW to play in 2016

Bilambil Terranora Junior Soccer Club is a family friendly club, with a focus on mixed teams of kids having fun while getting fit.

Contact us if your kids want to join a team, you need help with registration, or you’re thinking about joining us and have some questions.

bilambiljuniorsoccer@hotmail.com
www.facebook.com/BilambilSoccerClub
0490 200 611

How to register
Step 1: Register your kids as players ONLINE at www.myfootballclub.com.au
Step 2: Pay your registration fees - 2 options:
1. Pay online during registration
2. Select the option ‘manually pay the club’ then pay into our bank account (email us your registration confirmation and we will send bank details)

Club location & fees
WHERE: Bilambil Sports Club
Cnr Bilambil & Hogans Rds, Bilambil
FEES: $220 per player
Includes uniform, team photos, trophy and insurance

2016 TWEED VALLEY RELAY FOR LIFE

COME & JOIN US
Competitions, Children’s Activities, Entertainment by Tara Williams, Music and Billy & The Kid
Register Your Team NOW visit www.relayforlife.org.au/tweed
HELP MAKE A DIFFERENCE TO CANCER PATIENTS AND THEIR FAMILIES IN YOUR COMMUNITY
MARCH 12 & 13 Merv Edwards Field Kingscliff
Your community contacts Dot 0438 742 637 or Lorelle 0407 162 378 for further details

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Please do not hesitate to call if you have any questions. Thank you for your ongoing support of the canteen.

Tina Mollard
CANTEEN CONVENOR
Phone: 0490 022 857