Dear Parents and Carers

Congratulations to the Hofman family who were drawn out as the winners of the $100.00 gift voucher incentive prize for returning their Priority Schools Program Survey to school. We hope you enjoy your prize.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the community of Tamworth South Public school for the wonderful support of our Inaugural PBL Art Competition and Show. We have received so many wonderful entries that our hall is going to be bursting with creativity. I wish our judges the very best of luck as I know the decisions will be extremely tough.

Please remember the official opening and viewing is being held this coming Tuesday evening, 27 March, from 5:30 pm in the hall. Drinks and chips will be available for purchase. The PBL team is also selling Art Show badges for $2.

If you are unable to attend on Tuesday evening, the show will remain on display until 3:00 pm on Thursday afternoon. Please feel free to drop in and have a look at the children’s spectacular work!

Please find following some interesting advice for families:

**Apps for learning**
Young children love smartphones. Rather than just playing Angry Birds, why not download some educational apps that are fun too? You can find them at many different sites including:

- [www.apps4kids.net/](http://www.apps4kids.net/)
- [www.smartappsforkids.com/](http://www.smartappsforkids.com/)
- [www.bestappsforkids.org/](http://www.bestappsforkids.org/)
- [www.abc.net.au/abcforkids/sites/playschool/about/apps/](http://www.abc.net.au/abcforkids/sites/playschool/about/apps/)

Don’t forget to download the terrific free app available at School A to Z for smartphones and tablet devices at: [www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/about/mobile-applications](http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/about/mobile-applications).

**Earth Hour 2012**
Add a bit of ambiance to your evening and help reduce carbon emissions for just one hour when you become part of the worldwide environmental event that is Earth Hour. This year it takes place on Saturday 31 March from 8.30-9.30pm. More info: [www.earthhour.org](http://www.earthhour.org)

**Daylight saving ending**
Remember to put your clocks back an hour when daylight saving ends in NSW at 3am Sunday 1 April.

Have a great week,

Terrie Kay
Relieving Principal
Dear Parents and Carers,

How exciting to have an Art Show at Tamworth South where students of all ages can show off their creative skills!!!! Don’t forget to make it to the school at 5.30pm, Tuesday 27 March, 2012. The hall is slowly filling up with all forms of artworks. This is a ‘first’ for the school and we hope you will join us to celebrate at the official opening. Due to the amazing amount of entries, there will be no K-2 assembly next week (Thursday 29 March). Please use this time to view our collection!

As we head towards Easter, the teachers of K-2 would like to reward our wonderful students with an Easter disco on Wednesday 4 April, 2012. The students can make an Easter hat and model for their friends and dance the afternoon away!!!

Don’t forget that students start term two on Tuesday 24 April where the school will conduct an ANZAC Day Service (beginning at 10.30 am) and then join the school for the ANZAC Day March on Wednesday 25 April, 2012. We welcome our Tamworth South community to join us on both occasions.

Regards,
Jayne Johnson

Class of the Week

Mrs Ferguson and ES1-22 are learning about the school’s expectations. They can tell you that we RESPECT ourselves, each other and our school. They produced a magnificent sign to remind all visitors. Well done Kindies, you have made a fantastic start to the year and are wonderful ambassadors of our school!
Cane Toad Culling: Humane or Cruel

Cane Toad culling definitely needs to occur. I think that these disgusting, horrible creatures should be run over by vans. It serves them right. These gruesome creatures should be slapped with a red hot poker, put in the sea and drowned. I don’t care, but these feral toads should be extinct.

By Jackson Irwin S201

Tamworth South is a SunSmart school. S3-11 have been learning all about Ultraviolet radiation and the harm that it can do. The students made some information posters on Melanoma and posters to share the message of sun safety with younger students. S3-11 also performed a Sun Safety Rap at the primary assembly.

Here in Aus we like playing in the sun
But stayin’ out too long is like playin’ with a gun.
When we’re outside there’s lots of fun to be had
But stayin’ out too long can be really bad.
Cause ultraviolet rays cannot be seen.
Some can be used for good but the suns are mean.
They shine down from the sky onto your skin,
and if nothin’ stops ‘em, they get right in.
They can wrinkle your skin and damage your eyes
Anyone who says different is tellin’ you lies.
NOTICE BOARD
For Your Diary

Term 1 & 2 2012

- Canteen Meeting 4 April 2012
- Term 1 ENDS Thursday 5 April 2012
- Term 2 STARTS Tuesday 24 April 2012
- Anzac Day 25 April 2012
- Canteen Meeting 2nd May 2012
- PAC Meeting 7th May 2012
- P & C Meeting 9th May 2012
- Mothers’ Day Stall 10 - 11 May 2012
- YRS 3 & 5 NAPLAN Test 15 - 17 May 2012
- Canteen Meeting 6th June 2012
- PAC Meeting 12th June 2012
- P & C Meeting 13th June 2012

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Respect for Self, Others & School

P & C Fundraising Pie Drive

Don't forget to collect your pie orders on Tuesday 3 April, at your nominated collection time from in front of the School Hall.

Thanks P & C

Principal's Awards


Years 3 - 6 Primary Awards

Students of the Week
Alira Finlay, Samual Jenkins, Matthew Rash, Lara Porter, Benjamin D’Costa, Shauna Haines, Haadi Qureshi, Angel Guy, Blake Russell, Conor Turville, Joshua Hardman.

Achievement Awards

ANZAC Day Ceremony

Where: Under the large COLA
Time: 10.30am
Date: 24 April 2012

All welcome to attended.

Respect for Self, Others & School

Lunchbox inspiration

It's easy to fall back on the same tried and tested school lunches, but why not try something new, tasty, easy and healthy?

Quick and scrumptious school lunchbox ideas are available at School A to Z (www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/wellbeing/food/recipes) and the Heart Foundation, www.heartfoundation.org.au/recipes which also offers a wealth of information about maintaining a healthy body weight and, of course, heart health.

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Sports News

Zone PSSA Hockey

Congratulations to Tayla King, Rebecca Willis, Giaan White, Anna Little, Sean Aslin, Patrick Hofman, Addison Coutman and Qwin Downes on their selection in their respective Tamworth Zone PSSA Hockey Teams. Tayla, Rebecca, Giaan and Anna will now represent Tamworth South at the North West Schools Sports Association Hockey trials on Monday March 26. Sean, Patrick, Addison and Qwin will now represent Tamworth South at the North West Schools Sports Association Hockey trials on Friday April 27. Well done kids!

Tamworth Zone RL Trials

On Wednesday 14th March ten TSPS boys competed in the Tamworth Zone RL trials. The boys were competing against players from all Tamworth schools, for selection in the Southern Region trials. On a hot afternoon, against good opposition, our boys performed well. Cooper Faint, Tye Putney, Tom Dietrich, Dylan Antzakeles & Qwin Downes were selected in the Open team, while Boedee Thompson, Bernie West & Joshua Hawrycliw made it into the 11 Yrs team. The boys compete next week for selection to the North West trials. We wish them well!

PSSA Netball

Congratulations Ricki Brown, Sarah Mathews and Rebecca Willis on their selection in the North West Schools Sports Association Southern Netball team. The girls will now participate in the final North West Netball Trials next Tuesday.

Special mention to Hannah Booby who also trialled and showed excellent sportsmanship. Well done girls!

Primary Cricket draw for Saturday 24th March 2012

U/10 – Tamworth South v’s Cowper at South School
U/11 - Tamworth South v’s St Nicks Gold at Riverside 6
OPENS - Tamworth South v’s St Nicks at Riverside 7

This is the last week for the first round of Cricket. We will re-commence at the beginning of Term 4 with the same teams and also be holding a raffle for a signed NSW Cricket Bat during the last term, to assist with the purchase of new equipment.

For more information, please contact Kylie Reading on 0439 326 33, Robyn Barnes on 0411 196 420 or Peter Godsell at School.

Results from 19th March 2012

Under 10 yrs
After 21 overs St Nicks 1/112 def South 2/103 (at 25 overs 3/124)
South Bowling: Brodie Fisher 1/17 off 3, Lachlan Wesierski 0/5 off 2 & Blake Pepper 0/14 off 3.
South Batting: Lachlan Wesierski 21 retired, Tobias Kirk 9 not out & Brody Fisher 6 retired

Under 11 yrs
South drew with St Nicks Green
Due to game being called off at 9.45am, South were on a winning streak with a team hat trick which was then followed by the rain

Opens
South 95 def Carinya 90.
South Best Batter: Patrick Hoffman
South Best Bowler: Josh McCulloch 2 /1

South United Lighting Football

Last registration days will be held at South Tamworth Bowling Club:
Saturday 24 & 31 March from 1pm to 3pm or you can register online anytime at www.myfootballclub.com.au
Fees are $110 (5 to 7 years), $120 (8 to 11 years) $130 (12 to 18 years) and $220 for Senior Players. Uniforms are available at $10 socks and $20 shorts. Please call our club registrar John Swan on 0407 912 068 or club secretary Helena on 0402 090132.

Auskick

The Tamworth Auskick registration day will be held on WEDNESDAY 4 April at #1 Oval in Kable Ave from 4:30 - 6:00 pm. For newcomers please come along and see if Auskick is for you! The season will start after Easter on Friday 27 April. More details at www.tamworthauskick.sportingpulse.net or call Brendan George on 0429 650 938.
At Tamworth South Public School

we show respect for self, others and school at all times.

We do this by

😊 Proudly wearing full school uniform to school every day
😊 Speaking politely to everyone and listening to others
😊 Playing fair and follow the rules of the game
😊 Keeping our hands and feet to ourselves
😊 Playing safe games without tackling, wrestling or grabbing others
😊 Walking on all concrete and asphalt areas
😊 Reporting problems to a teacher
😊 Wearing our school hats in the playground. If we don’t have a hat we play under a cola
😊 Walking all pushbikes and scooters in and out of school through the Woodward Avenue gate
😊 Sitting down and waiting quietly if you arrive at school before the 8.40am bell
😊 Caring for our school environment
Respect for Self, Others & School