



# Trangie Central School Newsletter 24th March 2016 Term 1 - Week 9



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### **Vice President:**

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## P & C Meeting

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# TCS TEAM SPORTS UNIFORMS IN ACTION!



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*Left: Secondary girls competing in the  
CHS Opens Netball in Dubbo on  
Thursday 17th March.*

## What's On

Week 9	25/3	GOOD FRIDAY
Week 10	28/3	EASTER MONDAY
	29/3	Secondary Parent/Teacher Interviews in TCS Library 3.15pm-5.30pm Primary Parent/Teachers Interviews in Classrooms 3.15pm-5.30pm
	31/3-1/4	Year 11 Biology-Ecology Field Study at Warrumbungles - Depart TCS at 8.30am
	31/3	Aboriginal Dance FACS Western District Aboriginal Staff Gathering Depart TCS at 10.00am
	31/3	Years 3-12 Combined Music Day at TCS
	31/3	Combined Music Day Concert in MPSC 1.15pm - 1.45pm ALL WELCOME!
	31/3	4/5C Kurrajong Court Visit 2.00pm - 3.00pm

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# FROM THE PRINCIPAL

*Hi everyone – TCS continues to be both clever and creative!*

## **Staffing**

Next term we see the appointment of our new Head Teacher Teaching and Learning, Mrs Kate Wilson. Kate comes to us from Merewether Selective High School and brings a wealth of experience in teaching all levels of English, but particularly HSC Advanced English. Her experience in teaching higher order thinking skills will be invaluable for our school, as this has been a major focus for us over the last few years.

We are also sorry to inform our community that Ms Rebecca Elgood has decided to return to Sydney at the end of this term and has resigned from her position at our school. The great news is that Ms Jacky Murtagh has elected to return as our AP and Year 6 class teacher from the beginning of next term. She loves our school and cannot wait to return. I will be writing to all Year 6 parents individually to make sure they are aware of these changes.

## **Student leadership**

Today our School Representative Council members travelled to Forbes to a State SRC meeting. Thanks to Mrs Rush, our SRC goes from strength to strength. Their input into our school is invaluable and makes certain that we have a true team effort.

## **Public Speaking Competition**

We reported last week of Daniel Flannery's success in the Soap Box Challenge competition run by Troy Grant. We were very proud to announce that Daniel will be competing at the next level in Dubbo on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> April. This week we had a wonderful surprise to be notified that Tom Donnelly, despite not having won the Narromine competition was deemed by Troy Grant's office as being so worthy of notice that he has been invited to speak in Dubbo. This is fantastic news and we are incredibly proud of both boys. Go Trangie!!

## **Cattle Team**

Congratulations to the cattle team for their dedication in coming in on Mondays so very early to practise. There are 21 members of the team which is outstanding, and it is so good to see so many Year 7s getting involved in one of our many extra-curricular activities so soon. This is the best way to get the most out of school and really develop teamwork and leadership skills.

Huge thanks to Miss Dorman for her dedication to the team and for feeding them afterwards!

## **Finally .....**

My door is and always has been open – whether you are happy, sad or mad. I need to know if we are not doing something right but I also need to know that you trust our motives and our intentions. Everything we do, every single day is for YOUR children. If we can do it better, tell us.

All the best

*Anne Holden*

*Higher  
Order  
Thinking  
is what  
we do!!*



**TCS CANTEEN**

**Fridays Only from 10.00am-2.00pm**  
**If you are able to volunteer your time,**  
**please contact TCS on 68887578.**

# SECONDARY

## Head Teachers

Jessica Skinner (Relieving)  
Ted Wright

## Head Teachers' Report

### Parent Teacher Meetings

Parent teacher meetings will be held on the evening of Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> March from 3.15pm to 5.30pm. Parents and carers are invited to come and meet with our new staff and discuss their student's learning and achievements with all of their class teachers. This meeting will be held in the school library. Light refreshments will be provided.

### Year 11 Biology Field Studies

Ms Ebsworth has planned and organised a Biology field trip over two days next Thursday and Friday at the Warrumbungle's National Park. Many hours of preparation go into the organisation of these valuable learning experiences for the students in the Western Access Program and I would like to thank Ms Ebsworth for her efforts.



### Aboriginal Dance

Our Aboriginal Dance group has been invited to perform on Thursday, 31<sup>st</sup> March at the Family and Community Services Aboriginal Staff Gathering to be held at the Dubbo Western Plains Zoo. Our Dancers have represented our school at many significant events and we are very proud of their achievements. Many thanks go to Ms Skinner for the hours of preparation and rehearsals

### Combined Music Day

Trangie Central School will host the Combined Music Day on Thursday, 31<sup>st</sup> March. Students from our surrounding schools will have the opportunity to work with tutors skilled in a variety of musical instruments. The highlight of the day will be the final public performance where all students display their talents in front of the whole school and community members. Thank you to all of the staff involved in coordinating such a big event.

### Sport

The annual school cross country is scheduled for Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> April. The event is to be run earlier in the day (approx. 9:30am) in order to avoid the heat of the day.

### Years 9/10 Geography Waste Management Field Study

On Monday, 4<sup>th</sup> of April, students in Years 9 and 10 will participate in a Geography excursion to Dubbo. All students are reminded to return their permission notes and money promptly to the school.

*Ted Wright*

*Head Teacher*

## Watt's in the Box Week 9

Ms Ebsworth – Science Teacher

### *Week 8 Winners*

*Courtney Kohlenberg (Year 7)*

*Anna Terry (Year 9)*

*Caroline Wright (Year 10)*

*Clue 1:* It is a sub-atomic particle with a negative electrical charge and it orbits around a nucleus.

*Clue 2:* In 1897, JJ Thomson proved its existence by studying the glow of a cathode-ray tube (which were used in old TV's).

*Clue 3:* It is really, really small – you will never see one!

*Clue 4:* It moves really, really fast – so you never quite know where it will be at any moment in time.

*Clue 5:* It is the reason your hair stands on end on a windy day. It is the basis for making your TV and your heart work!



## Assistant Principals' Report

### Parent Teacher Interviews

Parent Teacher Interviews will be held on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> March. For Primary classes these will be held in our classrooms. Teachers will be available from 3.15pm – 5.30pm. Afternoon tea will be available from the front of the Early Birds room. These interviews will be a time to discuss your child's learning and set personal learning goals with their teacher. If you are unable to make this day and would like to organise another time please contact your child's classroom teacher.

### Life Education Van

This week we were lucky enough to have the Life Education Van visit our school. The primary school program consists of 13 curriculum based modules focusing on issues around food and nutrition, personal safety, physical activity, cyber safety, safety with medicine and legal drugs; tobacco, alcohol and caffeine.

By taking a comprehensive approach to drug and health education the modules help children to develop relationship skills, positive communication (both face to face and online), problem solving and decision making skills.

Each year classes participate in a different program to the previous year with new content appropriate for their age group. For this reason it is important that students attend each year. Life Education is the largest non-government provider of drug and health education, operating in all States and Territories. If you would like to donate to this very worthy program and ensure its future please visit their page.



### Gobondery/NARRAF

Unfortunately the Gobondery/NARRAF Gala day that was planned for last Friday at Peak Hill was washed out. We are yet to finalise a day to reschedule this, however it will most likely not be until early next term. We apologise for the late notice in the change of plans for this event. Any changes in plans to proposed excursions are updated on our school App and Facebook. If you require help in downloading this App please speak to your classroom teacher or office staff member.

*Jo Ellis*

*Assistant Principal*



### Primary Student Smiles (Week 9)

Thomas Simpson and  
Mackenzie Young were our  
smile students of the week for  
and received a canteen voucher.



# PRIMARY

## Assistant Principals

Rebecca Elgood  
Jo-Anne Ellis

## 3/4M



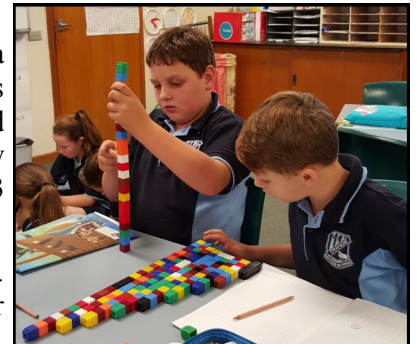
What a wonderful start to 2016 in the 3/4M classroom!

3/4M students have been learning at a rapid rate, particularly how to organise their pages and be ready for learning. During this term our students have been investigating a variety of questions in Science based on heat. Our unit titled 'The Heat Is On!' allows students to develop an understanding of the concept of heat in a physical sciences context, specifically heat energy, its production and movement from one object to another. Students have learnt how to read and use a thermometer and have been making some very accurate predictions when engaging in scientific experiments.



For Sport, 3/4M has been learning the rules for Teeball in preparation for the Gobondery/NARRAF Cricket & Softball Gala Day. During these lessons, students have been practising their throwing and catching skills, as well as learning about strategies of the game, including sneaking to the next base and communication.

Mathematics in 3/4M is mostly hands on learning using a variety of equipment (base ten blocks, connecting blocks and counters) to investigate times tables, place value and other number concepts. The mathematical images show 3/4M students using connecting blocks to make their 3 times tables.



For our Literacy unit we have been studying Roald Dahl's 'Fantastic Mr Fox'. Students have been greatly interested in this text and this has been evident in their writing about the text.

I look forward to meeting many of our families at next weeks Parent/Teacher Interviews.

**Alissa Miller**  
**3/4M Teacher**



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# CAREERS CORNER

Careers Advisor

Skye Rush



Last Tuesday, two members of the Charles Sturt University Future Moves team came to Trangie Central School to hold workshops with students from Years K-11. This was primarily to discuss different sorts of jobs and how to achieve these, including training and pathway opportunities. This program is aimed at helping ALL students identify and understand the world of work and the need for lifelong learning. The students were engaged and enjoyed the sessions that were held. We look forward to holding these sessions again next year.

*Skye Rush*  
*Careers Advisor*



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# SPORTS

## CHS NETBALL

On the 17<sup>th</sup> of March, Trangie Central School took ten students to Dubbo to compete in the CHS Netball Day. Our first game was against Cobar who we lost against. We then had a little break and then went up against Wellington, which we lost by one point, with the girls fighting very hard to try and close the gap in the last half.

We then prepared ourselves to take on Bourke with an amazing first half. We were leading and held this lead to the final minute, coming out with our first win of the day. The girls were pumped for the last game of the day against Kandos. We started the first half strongly and we kept the pace and took out another win.

A great day was had by all the girls and we would like to thank Miss Dorman for her coaching skills and support.



**Taylah Brown**  
**Year 11**



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# SPORTS

## CHS TENNIS

On Wednesday 23rd March, four keen and adventurous tennis girls travelled to Tottenham with Mr Sippel to compete in the CHS Tennis competition against Tottenham.

The weather conditions gave us a lovely day with clear skies, a light breeze and moderate temperatures, excellent for the mornings play. The day was to be played with a combination of doubles, singles and then reverse doubles (where the doubles pairs play against the opposing sides other doubles team they hadn't already played).

After a short warm up to get a feel for the courts in Tottenham, the girls were straight into their first doubles game for the day. Anna Terry and Bonnee Morton were to face up against Tottenham's first and second seed players in their doubles match. Both sides showing some good skill across the net, but Tottenham came through with too many winners and the girls went down 6-1. Molly Corcoran and Erika Terry had their match run longer than Anna and Bonnee with more games going to deuce, but they were unable to convert the crucial points to win any games and lost their match 6-0.

Next was the round of singles where players are against their equal rank player. Our star here was Erika who was our victor for the day, winning her match 6-2. Sadly, the others weren't able to share her victory dance as the Tottenham players proved to own their home courts and took us down only dropping one game across three sets to dominate the singles.

Lastly, the reverse doubles which proved to be a nice social interaction after the girls had gotten to know one another throughout the morning, providing for a good display of country tennis and sportsmanship between all players. Tired bodies and worn out legs however, bought about unforced errors and a high sun did not help with being able to serve very well from the southern end of the courts. There were still several long rallies with many a quality shot played and several games going to deuce many times. Tottenham however, once again proved the stronger side and we missed out on any chance for a further victory to our day.

At the conclusion of the last match, both teams gathered on court for a photo together and we wished them all the best for their next round match against Narromine. We loaded up, had a quick stop at the park for lunch, then headed back to Trangie.

A big thank you to all the girls once again for their efforts and for bringing along some good music for the journey out and back. See you on the courts again next year!

**Ben Sippel**  
**Tennis Coordinator**



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- 4 Wallet Portraits
- 1 10x8 Class Enlargement



### \$40 MONTAGE PACKAGE.

- 1 6x8 Montage Enlargement
- 2 4x6 Different images of student
- 4 3x4 Different images of student
- 1 10x8 Class Enlargement
- 1 Proof sheet

### \$60 DELUX MONTAGE PACKAGE.

- 1 6x8 Montage Enlargement
- 2 6x8 Individual Enlargements
- 2 4x6 Individual Portraits
- 4 3x4 Different images of student
- 1 10x8 Class Enlargement
- 1 Proof sheet

**Photo Envelopes will be sent home Week 1, Term 2.  
 Students will be required to wear full summer uniform.**

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# TRANGIE CENTRAL SCHOOL

## P & C

### 2016 Uniform Order

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Item	Size	Cost	Size Required	Number Required	Total Cost \$
Primary Summer Tunic	4-16	\$20.00			
Long sleeve Blouse	4-18	\$30.00			
Navy Tights & Long Socks	4-Ladies	\$10.00			
Boys Grey Shorts	4-16	\$15.00			
Boys Grey Long Pants	4-16	\$20.00			
School Polo Shirt (Blue or White)	4-Large	\$25.00			
School Polo Shirt (Blue or White)	XL - 4XL	\$30.00			
Navy Sports Shorts	2-20	\$15.00			
School Bucket Hat	S,M,L,XL	\$10.00			
Secondary Skirt		\$60.00			
Secondary Girls Blue/White Blouse S/S	8-18	\$25.00			
Knitted Pullover	4-16 (Youth) S-XL	\$40.00 \$50.00			
School Jacket	6-16 (Youth) 14S-22XL	\$36.00 \$42.00			
Navy Polar Fleece Jumper	4-16 (Youth) 14S-22XL	\$25.00 \$30.00			
Navy Track Pants	4-24	\$25.00			

Payment Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ CASH or CHEQUE

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# TRANGIE CENTRAL SCHOOL - CANTEEN LIST

\*\*\*Please place all lunch orders by recess\*\*\*

\*\*\*All orders must be placed on a brown paper bag\*\*\*

28/3 Monday:	EASTER MONDAY	
29/3 Tuesday:	Spaghetti Bolognese/Vegetarian Lasagne	\$5.00
30/3 Wednesday:	Sweet Chilli Tender Wraps, Lettuce & Mayo/Shepherds Pie	\$4.50
31/3 Thursday:	Nachos/Meatballs in Tomato Sauce with Spaghetti	\$5.00
1/4 Friday:	Sweet & Sour Chicken with Rice/Beef Kebabs & Salad	\$4.50

## Every Day (Lunch Only)

Salad Bowls	Salad with cheese	\$4.00
	Caesar Salad with Chicken	\$4.50
Sandwiches	Egg / Egg & Lettuce / Egg & Bacon	\$2.50
	Ham	\$3.00
	Tuna	\$2.50
	Salad	\$2.50
	Cheese or Cheese & Sweet Mustard Pickles	\$2.00
	Vegemite / Honey / Jam	\$1.50



Every Day (Recess)	Jelly Cups / Custard Cups / Rice Pudding Cups	\$1.00
	Cheese & Crackers	\$2.00
	Cheese, Cabanossi & Crackers	\$2.50
	Bacon & Cheese / Pizza Rocket	\$2.00
	Toast (2 Slices)	\$1.00
	Cinnamon Raisin Toast (2 Slices)	\$1.50
	Yoghurt/Muesli/Fruit Cups	\$3.00
	Popcorn in a Bag / Rice Crackers	\$1.20
	Carrot/Celery/Cucumber & Dip	\$2.00
	Almonds	\$1.00
	Hazelnuts	\$2.00
	Sultanas	\$0.50
	Banana Bread	\$0.50
	Fruit Paddle Pop	\$0.50
	Frozen Yoghurt Paddle Pop	\$1.00



## Every Day (Recess + Lunch)

Fruits	Apples	\$1.00
	Grapes / Watermelon / Rockmelon	\$2.00
	Fruit Salad	\$2.50
Drinks	Orange Juice & other flavours	\$2.00
	Chocolate / Strawberry / Banana Milk	\$2.00
	Water (350ml)	\$1.00
	Water (600ml)	\$1.50



# SKILL BUILDERS

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**WEDNESDAY fortnightly  
3.30 to 4.30 pm**

**2nd, 16th & 30th March;  
4th & 18th May; 1st & 15th June**

**TRANGIE BOWLING CLUB**



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years old  
with disability  
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March-July  
2016

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A workshop on **Supported Decision Making**  
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To register go to  
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These workshops are free.  
10:00am - 2:00pm  
Morning tea and lunch provided.  
To attend registration is essential.

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## SAFER DRIVER COURSE FOR L PLATERS



Become a safer driver and earn 20 hours of bonus log  
book credit by completing a Safer Drivers Course.

**6<sup>th</sup> April 2016**

Time: 4pm – 7pm

Where: Skillset Office, 207 Brisbane Street,  
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Cost: \$140.00 for 20 log book hours

To Book: Call Skillset

Ph: 6330 1400 or book on-line:

<http://www.skillset.com.au/SaferDriversCourse/>

**REGISTRATIONS  
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2016 SEASON!**



Register online through Narromine JRL SportingPulse  
website or [www.playnrl/register/](http://www.playnrl/register/) and select Narromine Jets  
as your club.

Registration is \$125 for 1st and 2nd family members and  
\$100 for subsequent family members. Shorts, socks and  
game day shirt are included with registration.

Coaches, team officials & club volunteers also need to  
register (at no cost).

Season kicks off Saturday 30th April, 2016.

Training days & times TBA.

U10's and up MUST be registered to play in the pre-season  
Knockout Carnival to held in Dubbo on 2nd April, 2016.

Training for this is on Thursdays at 4.00pm.

For further information, please contact

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the registrar on 0427 890133.

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