



Trangie Central School
Newsletter
5th September 2019
Term 3 - Week 7



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P & C Meeting

Wednesday
30th October 2019
3.30pm
TCS library

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**TRANGIE
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SCHOOL**

**MADD
SPRING
FAIR**

**FRIDAY
13TH SEPTEMBER 2019**

3.00pm-6.00pm

What's On

Wk 7	6/9	Yrs 3-6 G/N Netball & Touch Footy at Warren - Depart TCS at 9.00am
	6/9	Yr 11/12 PI Farm Vehicle Safety Program at Dubbo - Depart TCS at 7.15am
	6/9	Yr 8 Broken Hill Excursion - Return TCS at 5.30pm (approx.)
	6/9	Yr 7 Blue Mountains Camp - Return TCS at 6.00pm (approx.)
Wk 8	10/9	ICAS Online - Writing
	11/9	Yrs 3-6 Premier's Spelling Bee Regional Finals @ Nyngan - Depart TCS at 8.00am
	12/9	ICAS Online - Spelling Bee
	13/9	PSSA Athletics @ Barden Park Dubbo - Good luck!
	13/9	MADD Spring Fair @ TCS - 3.00pm-6.00pm - Everyone welcome!

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Hi everyone – TCS – We Care, we Aspire and we Excel!

Newcastle University Visit

Last weekend Mr Holden and I travelled with eight prospective university students to the Newcastle University Open Day. We looked at the weather forecast and suggested that everyone came prepared for rain. Well, no-one anticipated rain like THAT! We arrived in a deluge and spent all day Saturday in a torrential downpour. Someone who was organising the event was a genius and had free rain ponchos to hand out – just as well! Nevertheless, the day was a huge success. There were so many displays for subjects, student support and extra-curricular activities that all of our students gained a better understanding about what was on offer and what study at Newcastle University had to offer them.

Naomi is problem solving in rain and mud – quite a challenge - and James found his dream job in the engineering display. Kiah stepped outside the square and overcame her reluctance to experience Virtual Reality and Mr Holden was seen waiting at the Maths Bus Stop. James found fame at last and appeared on the Newcastle News and as this was my worst nightmare, I was very pleased to know that this was just another display! Kira-Lyn, Karly and Shyanne were deep in discussion gaining information from the different providers in the Great Hall and we all had lunch in the Cultural Centre where Mr Holden and I ate beautiful roo sausage rolls and lemon myrtle tea, but the students are oh so conservative and had sausage sandwiches. Morgan managed to secure tours around the accommodation and the nursing display and avoided my camera! We also went to the beach and a lone Belgian found the waves.

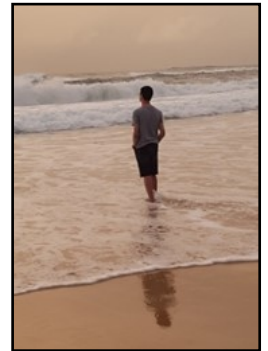
It was also great to meet up with Morgan Gale, Daniel Flannery and Maddie Wallace who are studying at the University this year. They are having a great time and were able to talk to our current students about life as a Uni student. The main message seems to be just get in, don't get too hung up on which course you get in to because once in it is possible to change. We met one girl who started in midwifery and then changed to engineering!

On the way home the sun shone again of course, and we were able to get a shot of Mrs Van Staden's wedding church, as we were driving straight past. Thanks to the students whose behaviour was what we expect from Trangie students and for the lovely thought when they gave Mr Holden a father's (pop's) day present.



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Attitude, Commitment and Effort

Twice each term students receive a score out of 10 for their Attitude, Commitment and Effort. All students can achieve a score of 10, regardless of their academic ability or subject pattern. It has been very pleasing to see that students are taking on board the feedback that this is intended to provide and using it to improve their study habits. Once again, Year 11's average is higher than Year 12's. Not long to go, so let's have one big last push!

Congratulations to the following students for improving their ACE score from end Term 2 to Week 7 Term 3:

Year 11: Ashlea Alagic Phillips, Abbie Fraser, Jessie McKeown, Jessica Mills

Year 12: Morgan Adams, Naomi Blewitt, James Churchward

Excellent improved effort: Johnny Dolphin

Consistently excellent effort – Millie Boland, Kaylan Villa

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. I do teach, so if you need to talk to me for any reason, just call the office and arrange a time that I am not on class or in a meeting. Also, don't forget our suggestion box at each side of the school.

Everything we do, every single day is for YOUR children. If we can do it better, tell us. Facebook is for cowards – so please tell us to our face!

Also, give your child the most valuable gift in the world – a good education – so send them EVERY day. We have a great school and it is such good value for very little money.

Walanginya Yawarra-ndhu (Be good, be careful)

Anne Holden

Staff Smile of the Week (Week 6)
Goes to Scott for collegiality.

**Anything is possible with hard work
and a belief in yourself!**

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Head Teacher's Report

Sun safety

As we hit Spring and the weather starts to warm up, students are reminded to wear their school hat and bring a water bottle each day. Students are welcome to drink from their own bottle during lessons, but it is too disruptive for students to walk to the bubblers whenever they are thirsty. Sipping water throughout the day is important for staying hydrated and cool as a cucumber.



Stage 4 excursions

The reports coming in this week are that the Year 7 and 8s are having a ball on their excursions to the Blue Mountains and Broken Hill! We are all enjoying the photos coming in and are looking forward to hearing some of the stories when these students return next week.

Our remaining Stage 4 students are working together in a single class group this week, and are developing skills across a range of subject areas with a variety of Stage 4 teachers. There's never a moment of school time to waste!



Kate Wilson
Head Teacher



CHS Lawn Bowls Finals

The final round of the CHS Lawn Bowls was played last week in Dubbo at the Macquarie Club. Eight teams from Central Schools from around the state converged on Dubbo for the finals. Our team, consisting of RJ Connor, Abbie Fraser and Jesse Cole, came second in their pool and played Ardlethan for a spot in the finals. Unfortunately we went down to a more experienced team who then played Peak Hill in the finals. Well done Team Trangie for placing third in the CHS finals!

Liddel Seymour
Lawn Bowls Coordinator



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CHS Rugby League 7's Finals

Last week we had our U14s boys attend the CHS Rugby League 7's Finals held in Dubbo. The boys didn't come away with a win from the day, playing against some tough teams, however only lost games with a few tries in it. They played hard and strong and left everything on the field. Our Players' Player was Jayden Greenwood. Jayden's work ethic and dynamic playing skills are what makes him a valuable team member, in addition to his supportive nature with the young players coming through. We would like to thank Mark Haines for driving the bus and sharing his knowledge of the game with the teams. This brings our Rugby League season to an end and we look forward to getting ready for the 2020 season early February next year.

If you are interested in getting involved with coaching our teams at TCS, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Jessica Skinner
Rugby League Coordinator/Head Teacher



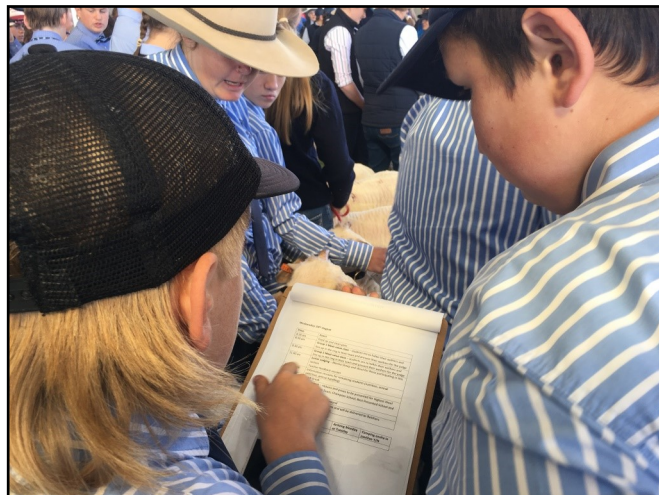
Dubbo Wether Challenge

Last week 8 students went to Dubbo to participate in the Dubbo Schools' Merino Wether Challenge. The students, Ben Cannon, Zac Everett, Abbie Fraser, Brodie Mackay, Tahleisha Hoyle, Skye Winter, Sebastian Galea and Will Anderson, took the 7 wethers to compete with a number of other schools from all over NSW, ranging from Inverell to Braidwood. All the wethers in the competition originally came from Egelabra Merino stud, so they were the same breeding and age, the only thing different was the way in which the wethers had been grown and the climate. Students firstly had to group the sheep into 2

teams of 3 sheep, looking for evenness between the animals in terms of wool and carcass similarities. The animals were then judged in this group of 3 for the competition. We made it into the top 10 schools for wool quality, and we were able to achieve very similar condition scores across each team.

All students participated in the Junior Judging, with the junior students electing to judge the sheep, whereas the senior students got the chance to judge both the sheep and wool. I was very impressed with all the students, who participated in all the activities, even though a few were very nervous. Students learnt the importance of working in a team as well as how important presentation is as a competitor. Students were very interested in the talk and demonstration on training a sheep dog, to the point where I needed to check the bus to make sure there were no stowaway puppies!

Gary Hansen
Head Teacher



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Assistant Principal's Report



The game of champions!

Well done to Jake Foster and Jock Kater, who participated in WSSA Cricket trials in Dubbo on Monday. The boys report that it was a very fun day because they spent the whole day playing cricket with students from other schools such as Blayney, Orange, Trundle and Narromine.

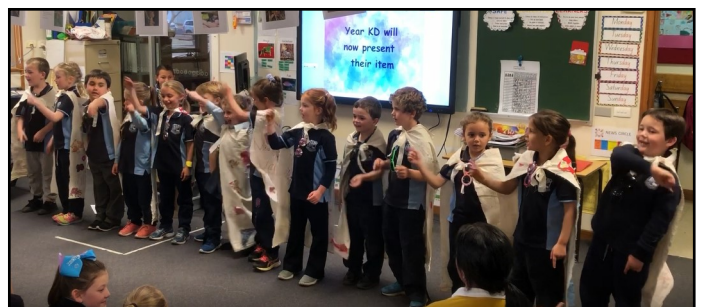
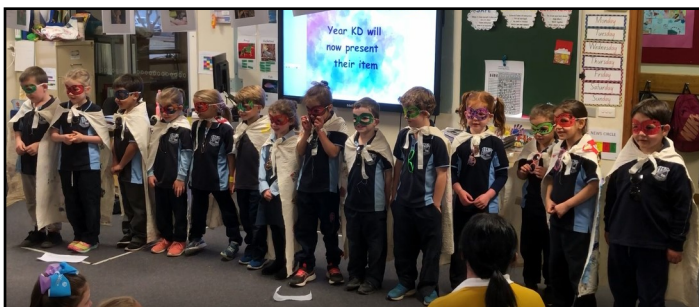
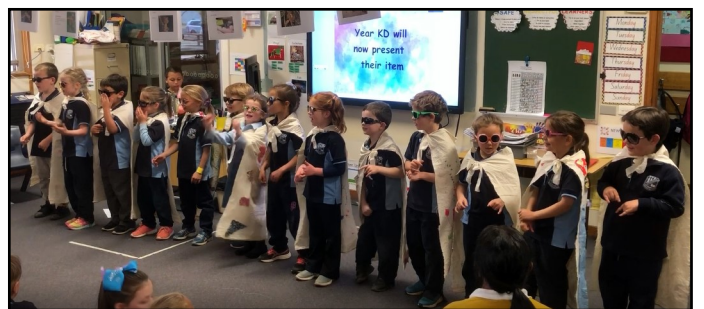
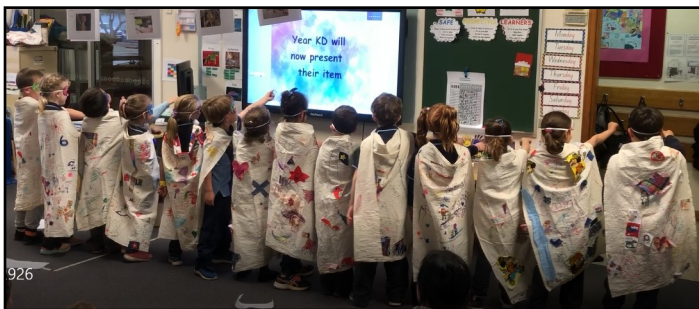
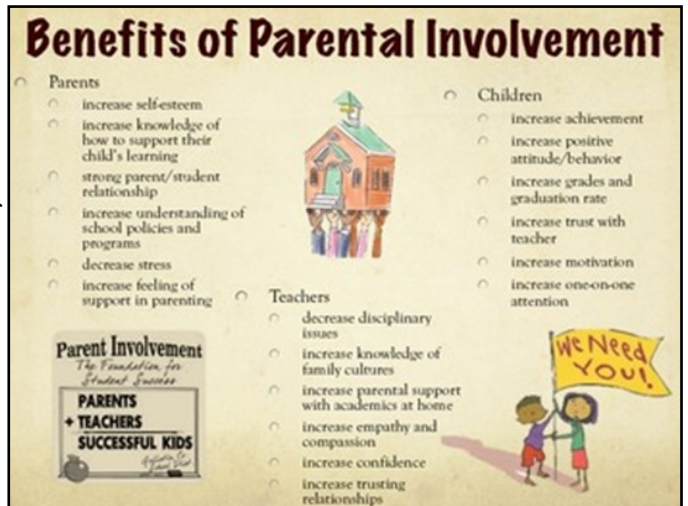
When they arrived they signed in, did a warm up and played a game of fielding soccer. After that they demonstrated their bowling prowess at the nets and did some batting. The coaches were looking for the best players to be a part of the afternoon squad and from there to select a team.

Jake and Jock were selected at the Gobondery/NARRAF trials (only four students were chosen) to trial for the Western team. Both boys are in Year 5 and although not successful in making it to the state competition, they are both keen to trial again next year. What a terrific opportunity for these boys!

Primary Assembly

It was really lovely to see so many parents and friends at our Primary Assembly on Friday. These assemblies are a great way for families to stay abreast of the goings on in school. Awards are presented for behaviour and school work and the Primary classes all take it in turns to 'show and tell' some of the learning going on in the classrooms. The assemblies are run by the students and form a big area of responsibility for our school leadership team.

Last week it was Kindergarten's turn and they were just wonderful. The children came onto the 'stage' wearing their handmade and decorated 2D shape Superhero capes! They sang songs and read some of their writing aloud. Their personalities shone through and it was very special to watch how much the children have grown in both confidence and capabilities since beginning school. Well done to their teacher Miss Druce and their SLSOs Michelle Hill and Vanessa Kinsey.



PRIMARY

Assistant Principals

Jo-Anne Ellis
Jacky Murtagh

Improve your child's Maths in 10 minutes per day!

Are you looking for a quick, fun way to improve your child's maths? Each week this term we will publish instructions for a fun card game that you can play at home with your children.

Fast Facts - multiplication, number facts

You need:

- A pack of cards 1 - 10.*
- two players.*

Deal out half the cards to each player. Both players lay out a card face up. The first to multiply the two numbers together wins the cards. Play continues and the winner is the one with the most cards at the end.



Can you help?

Year 6 would LOVE donations of small items eg lollies, pegs, hair elastics, soaps, stickers, Christmas decorations, socks etc etc to fill their jars for the bottle stall.

Primary Calendar

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Wk 7 2/9					G/N Netball & Touch Footy @ Warren Selected students Yrs 3-6 Depart TCS: 9.00am Robotics @ TCS (free) Yrs 3-6 11.30am-12.30pm
Wk 8 9/9		ICAS Online Writing	Premier's Spelling Bee Regional Finals @ Nyngan Depart TCS: 8.00am Good luck Drew, Zalia, Nate & Marley! Moorambilla Camp & Performance Christian, Kestrel & Phoebe Well done!	ICAS Online Spelling	PSSA Athletics @ Barden Park Good luck Tawhiao, Ethan, Noah, Phoenix, Piper, Jock, Ella, Montanna & Hayley! MADD Spring Fair 3.00pm-6.00pm We hope to see you there!
Wk 9 16/9	ICAS Online English		Yr 7 2020 Transition Day @ TCS Yr 6 8.40am-3.00pm	ICAS Online Maths	
Wk 10 23/9			Moorambilla Camp & Gala Performance Christian, Kestrel & Phoebe Yr 12 Farewell Assembly In MPSC 2.00pm Everyone Welcome!		RAMS Reward Day Yrs K-12 Last Day for Term 3!

Jacky Murtagh - Assistant Principal

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FRIDAY
13TH SEPTEMBER 2019

PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION

Entry fee - Gold coin donation

CATEGORIES

Colour photos: People, Animals
Environment & Open subject

Black & White/Sepia: Any subject

Requirements: Postcard size and
no mounting or framing

AGE GROUPS

Kinder-Year 2

Years 3-6

Years 7-12

Adult/Staff

Prizes to be won!

ENTRIES CLOSE WEDNESDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER - DROP ENTRIES TO TCS

For any queries, please contact the school on 6888 7578

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MEGA Raffle

**\$2 a
ticket**

Available from
the school

Drawn at the
Year 12
Farewell
Assembly

25th September 2019

Prizes include:

Two passes to Taronga Western Plains Zoo, Dubbo

Baby Weber Q

Pressure Cleaner

Big W Gift Cards

Dog Biscuits & Chair from Elders Trangie

Dog Vaccination from Western Rivers Veterinary Group

and more!

MADD Spring Fair Donations

Year 6 are asking for any donations such as lollies, chocolates, erasers, pencils, crayons, marbles, small toys, glue sticks, sharpeners etc.

**Please send in to school or contact us on 6888 7578.
Thank you for your help!**