



Tiaro State School

Newsletter

ISSUE: TERM 2 WEEK 9 2023

COMING EVENTS

2023

July	
10 th	First Day Term 3
21 st	NAIDOC Day
28 th	Wear Blue – Dunga Derby
Aug	
29 th	German Competition
Sep	
8 th	Netball Competition
13 th	PBL Party
15 th	Last Day Term – Term 3

Principal News

Week 9, Student absences! no need to call we have Qparent Report card! Don't wait for emails you can access these through QParent.

2024 Enrolments

Thank you to those school families who have submitted enrolment information for 2024 Prep enrolments. If you currently have students enrolled at Tiaro SS AND have a Preppie for 2024 please contact the school office as soon as possible to submit the enrolment.

eKindy – enrol through

<https://brisbanesde.eq.edu.au/enrolments/ekindy>

eKindy offers an at home kindergarten program for children who are living in rural and remote areas, travelling or medically unable to attend a local early childhood service, in the year before Prep.

This no cost program, delivered through BrisbaneSDE, is supported by qualified early childhood teachers and covers 15 hours of kindergarten for 40 weeks a year (school terms only).

eKindy focuses on playing to learn and is a flexible program that can be used in many different in ways to meet the needs of your child and family!

Student Wellbeing

<https://blissfulkids.com/>

Mindfulness is highly beneficial for kids due to its positive impact on their overall well-being and development. A couple of examples are:

Improved Cognitive Skills: Mindfulness has been shown to enhance cognitive abilities such as memory, problem-solving, and creativity in children. By training the brain to focus and engage fully in the present moment, kids develop cognitive flexibility and an increased capacity for innovative thinking.

Better Sleep: Regular mindfulness practice can improve sleep quality for children. It helps them relax before bedtime, reduces racing thoughts, and promotes a sense of calm, leading to more restful and rejuvenating sleep.

Blissful Kids
3 DAYS OF MINDFULNESS FOR FOCUS AND CALM

Start here!

1 Find your breath.
Take three slow, mindful breaths right now. Feel each breath from start to finish. Take it slow and put all of your curiosity into it. Can you feel your breath at your nose, belly or chest? Does your belly go up and down? Does your chest expand and contract? Can you feel your breath at the tip of your nose?

2 Try 10 mindful breaths.
Put your hands on your belly and count every time your belly goes up and when it goes down. Like this: belly goes up – one. Belly goes down – two. And so on, all the way to ten. See how paying attention to your breath makes you feel. How do you feel afterwards?

3 Fill an idea jar.
What are the best ways for you to calm down and relax? Maybe yoga stretches help you calm down. Perhaps drawing is soothing for you. Write your ideas down on pieces of paper and put them in a jar.

Make slow-paced mindful breathing fun and easy to learn!
Turn the page to see how.

How did this exercise make you feel?

When angry, anxious or sad, take ten mindful breaths and see if it makes a difference.

When difficult emotions become too much to handle, pay a visit to the "idea jar."

WWW.BLISSFULKIDS.COM FACEBOOK.COM/BLISSFULKIDSHQ Blissful Kids

Office News

Melinda Morrison is available in the office Mon – Wed – Fri. Please come in and say hi to Mel.





Fortnightly Parade

Fortnightly parade is held every 2nd week on Fridays at 2:30pm. It is during these parades that students are presented with academic certificates. Families of our PBL champions will be emailed prior to the parade notifying you when your child will be receiving a certificate.

Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) is a whole-school framework that promotes positive behaviour across a school and helps schools develop safe and supportive learning environments.

Our school expectations:

- *Be Safe*
- *Be Responsible*
- *Be Respectful*

The PBL framework supports schools to become trauma-informed by increasing awareness of the effects of trauma on students' learning, wellbeing and behaviour, including attendance, engagement, relationships with others, academic achievement and behaviour. This awareness includes being mindful of avoiding re-traumatisation and looking beyond the immediate or 'surface' behaviours. The staff at Tiaro State School are trained on Trauma Informed Practises. This allows us to know what to look for with students that may have experienced trauma in their lives.

PLD LESSONS

Term 2 saw the implementation of our new school wide Promoting Literacy Development (PLD) program. PLD is dedicated to Promoting Literacy Development through our resources which deliver outcomes across 3 core areas: Literacy, Oral Language and Movement & Motor.

PLD lesson have ended for the term. We have spent the last week re-testing the students on what level they will be on next term and are already seeing that most students have made an improvement in there literacy skills.

CLASS NEWS

Tiaro Tiger Cubs



Welcome all families from Tiaro Tiger Cubs, With cold weather approaching we will move playgroup up to the kindergarten room. Playgroup will not be running over the school holidays. We have some fun days planned for next term. First day is July 11.

I look forward to seeing you all at Tiaro Tiger Cubs

Peter Friend
Teacher

Junior Room News

The end of the Term is fast approaching. Well done Juniors for a great semester. You have worked very hard to get all your assessments completed and adapted well to all the changes this semester has brought.

We have a busy last week. Deano Yippadee visited yesterday and entertained us greatly. We have PBL party on Wednesday and crazy hair day on Thursday.

I wish you all a wonderful, fun and restful school holidays!

Miss Megan Oldfield
P-2 Teacher

3/4 Room

The 3/4's have had some very busy weeks this term. Thank you to our families for making sure every day counting towards our education.

Every day this term we saw students develop their knowledge even further.

Please also remember to bring jumpers as it is starting to get very cold very quick!

Mr Peter Friend
3/4 Teacher

5/6 Room

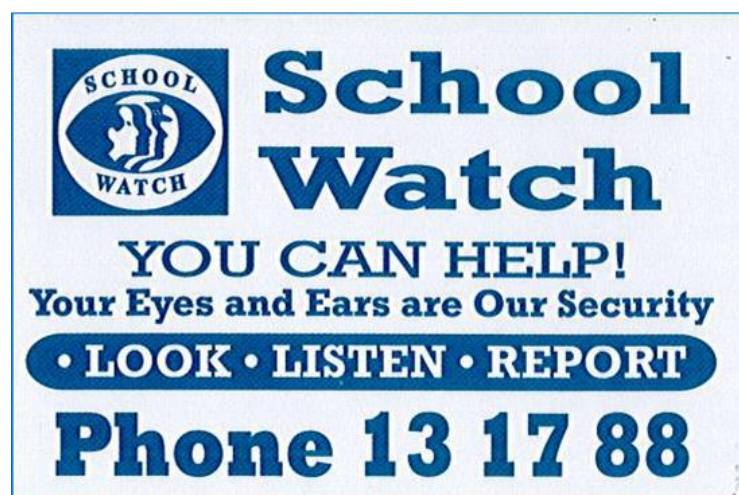
What a term it has been! This term has been busy with lots of fun events. In between these days, students have developed their subject knowledge. We are looking forward to the coming semester and the activities and learning it will bring.

I wish everyone a relaxing school holidays and hope to see everyone back and ready to go for Term 3!

Miss Nicole Jorgensen
5-6 Teacher

Health, safety and wellbeing**Workplace Health and Safety – Parents/Guardians**
Things to do ready for next term.

- Check for head lice
- Nice washed hat with name on it.
- Fresh clean water bottle with name on it.



We are committed to the health, safety and wellbeing of our employees, students and anyone else involved with our school.

Creating safe and healthy schools and workplaces doesn't just happen. When everyone comes together to improve staff health, safety and wellbeing, there is commitment and active involvement of every person within the school.

Medications

Remember to collect your child's medication from your classroom teacher before the holidays and ensure its stored correctly at home.

ATTENTION - EARLY ARRIVALS

ALL STUDENTS SHOULD NOT ARRIVE BEFORE 8:45AM

Please be aware that there are **NO staff members on general duty before 8:45 am.** We have more students arriving before this time. If there is a legitimate reason for students to be at school before 8:45am, then contact the office to make arrangements. These students must then

follow the rules by sitting quietly outside the senior room with the bus arrivals.



Sun Safety

Note: sun-safe hats are the preferred hat option. CAPS are not permitted to be used. Tiaro State School supplies SPF 30 or higher broad-spectrum, water-resistant sunscreen for students to use.

If your aware of it take care of it

What does this mean?

If you notice anything in the school that may be Workplace Health & Safety related please let a staff member know immediately so that we can take care of it to keep our

Community, staff and students safe. Early detection means early prevention.

Flu Season

Flu season is approaching. Stay home if your child/children are feeling unwell. Also remember to get your flue shot.

Smoking and e-cigarettes

It's important to remember, the department has a total ban on smoking on and around all departmental premises to comply with tobacco laws. The ban affects all schools, school grounds, outdoor education centres, regional and district offices and central office buildings.

Wellbeing

There are different types of wellbeing and at Tiaro we strive to look after everyone at school as well as our families. Things to be aware of are the following:

Physical wellbeing, Psychological wellbeing, Social and community wellbeing, Occupation wellbeing and Financial/personal wellbeing.

Andrea Ebert

WH&S representative

2023 Student Council

This fortnights PBL focus will be:

Follow Teachers instructions and respect others right to learn.

Camp – camp is all ready to go we just need to make sure you are still making those payments via the payment plan on QKR. Thank you to all the parents that have already started their payment plans. Please note there are still some students that need to return some medical or dietary forms. If you are unsure on if you need to return any paperwork or payments then please do not hesitate to ask Mrs Ebert

Huge thank you to this semester's committee members Braydon, Lilly, Ebonie and Declan for all your hard work and fundraising. A new committee will be formed next term.

Thank you to everyone who participated in the free dress last week for Careflight. Student council raised \$33.00 for careflight.

CRAZY HAIR DAY - Student Council held another fundraiser on Thursday the 22nd June, 2023. We raised \$41.00. All fundraising is going towards school camp so please help our students raise funds by supporting our student council.

P and C NEWS

P&C executives

Sharree McMurdy - President

Ellen Britt - Secretary

Christie Gooden - Treasurer

Thank you to all our tuckshop volunteers this term. Your help is greatly appreciated.

Trivia Night –

Saturday 24th June. 6pm @ Tiaro Memorial Hall. \$15 per person includes refreshments, tea and coffee.

Woodfire Pizza, Beer wine and softdrink available for purchase.

Hope to see you all there

Meetings – **Next Meeting Monday 17th July. Time TBA**

Thank you to local businesses who have generously donated towards Trivia night.

Thank you to Tiaro Craft Cottage for their generous donation for our electronic sign.

Uniforms - Limited stock of winter uniforms. Order available via QKR!

Community Advertising

Rainbow Kidz Family Daycare VACANCIES



* Provide Care for Children from 6 weeks including Before & After School Care

* Situated in Tiaro on 20 acres

* Hours of Operation 6:30am till 6:30pm.

* All meals provided for extra charge

* Weekly Outings

* Children get to enjoy picking fresh vegetables as well as playing with our farm animals.

* Weekend & Public Holiday Care available at additional Rates.

* CCS Approved

* Pick up & Drop Off Service available (fees may apply)

Enquire today via pm or contacting me on 0417949300.



Vacancies 2023

CCS Approved
Educator

24 hour Service

Providing care for children

8 months to 12 years

Weekly excursion/ outings



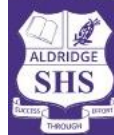
Kids Are Really Everything - Maryanne Walkerdn - 0427784544

ACHIEVE SUCCESS WITH ALDRIDGE STATE HIGH SCHOOL



- Independent Public School • Learning Enhancement Centre • Sporting Excellence Programs
- Creative Arts • University and VET Certificate Pathways • Agricultural Studies
- Social Outcomes Focus • Scholarships of Excellence • Reading Links Literacy Program
- Gifted and Talented Program

2024 ENROLMENTS NOW OPEN!



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