



Tiaro State School

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COMING EVENTS	
2021	
August	
19	NAIDOC Day
23	P&C meeting 3pm
25	Gymnastics 9am – 11am
26	Life Ed Van
26/27	Full School Review
31	German competition
September	
1	Gymnastics 9am – 11am
2	Fundraiser - Free dress and Sausage sizzle
3	SFD
10	Small Schools Netball Tournament
15	PBL end of term party
17	STEMs celebration – Gunalda SS
17	Last day of term
October	
4	Public holiday
5	First day back for Term 4
November	
1 st – 3 rd	Yr 4-6 Camp !!cancelled!
	Junior Excursion! cancelled!

Attendance Aim 2021 95%

Term 1 Attendance 88.9%

Term 2 Attendance 85.8%

Principal's Message

The school is working closely with Education Qld and Qbuild to clear regrowth and shrubby vegetation around boundary of the forestry area to create firebreaks and fire control lines required to facilitate hazard reduction burning to reduce wildfire fuel load.

School Phone Upgrade

The school has upgraded the telephone system and with this we received a new number. Our current number will continue to be in use for the rest of term and families are asked to please update to the new one ASAP **(07) 4193 6555**

School Review

As seen in our school calendar, this Term our school will be undertaking our four-yearly review.

2 days have been booked in to conduct the various parts of the review. Day 1 – (26 August) a very

detailed timetable has been developed for the two reviewers where parents will have an opportunity to talk with at pick up time

Day 2 – Final day is 27 May The school review will help identify goals and targets to develop the next four-year School Strategic Plan.

Money and Notes coming to school

Thank you to the families that are ensuring all money is being sent in an envelope with **student's name and what the money is for** and placing in the yellow box.

Rhiannon Gane

Principal

Teaching 4/5/6

From the Office

School Dental Van

Dental Van is booked in to leave on the 24 August

Life Education

Permission notes and fee are required back to school ASAP. Please pay via the QKR! App. The Life Ed Van arrived 26 August and we students with permission and payment will visit Harold the same day.

School Photos

Update: Due to the SEQ lockdown last week the photographers have fallen slightly behind on processing our photos. They are estimated to arrive within the next fortnight.

We are a cashless site

Office Hours

8:30am - 2:00pm

Tues, Wed, Thurs

QKR! IS PREFERRED PAYMENT METHOD

DOWNLOAD THE APP TO YOUR DEVICE TODAY!

Payment Plans are available on request

New Phone Number: 41 9365 55

August - Birthdays	
8 th	Lilly M
11 th	Declan
28 th	Jaxon
31 st	Hunter, Clay

Junior Class News

Last week the whole school got together for a Science Fair. Students designed and created a balloon powered car.

There was some amazing team work and inclusivity and each team was able to construct a car some were successful some less so but everyone had fun and showed resilience when things didn't go according to plan.



Congratulations to the Red team who created the car that travelled the furthest under balloon power. Congratulations to the Yellow team who created the car that travelled the furthest in the push power division.



Megs Oldfield

Senior Class News

Thank you to Aldridge State High School for their visit. Monnie and Toby the therapy dogs were great, Students made a keyring, iced biscuits and played an old traditional game.

A great day for NAIDOC with all the visiting small schools and a huge thank-you to Aunty Jan and her helpers from Aldridge State High School.

Thank you to all the parents who have been sending their students to school as assessments are coming along and attendance allows your child/children to have conferences with the teacher.



Kelsey Connell

Workplace Health and Safety - Term 3

Things to do

- Check for head lice**
- Nice washed hat with name on it.**
- Fresh clean Water Bottle with name on it.**
- Clean jumper with name on it.**



Swooping Magpie -Staying Safe

Wear a broad-brimmed hat and sunglasses or shelter under an umbrella to protect your face from swooping magpies (painting or sticking large 'eyes' on the back of your hat can also deter magpies—but this won't work for cyclists).

If a magpie swoops while you are cycling, it will probably stop swooping if you get off your bike and walk.

Avoid 'defence zones' by taking alternative routes during the breeding season.

If you must enter a 'defence zone', magpies will be less likely to swoop if they are watched constantly, or if people walk in a close group.

Covid

Health & Safety as COVID-19 still found in hotspots around our country, we need to ensure our hygiene is kept to high standards. If you are going away holidaying in various locations on the holidays then please remember coming back together at school, we must continue to social distance, maintain excellent personal hygiene and stay home when we are sick. Students will continue to wash their hands before and after eating, after playing outside plus other moments during the day as needed. Parents need to remember to keep their distance as well. It is departmental policy that parents drop their child/ren off and not enter the classrooms unless previously organised. I acknowledge that this is hard at times but we all ask that we all work together and please respect these rules.

If your child shows flu like symptoms including, a temperature, runny nose, coughs and tiredness, staff are required to send the child home.

Tuckshop volunteers- Please make sure we are following the food safety and risk management requirements for State Schools as well as appropriate Personal Protective Equipment e.g. closed in shoes.

WHSQ have confirmed that a Rodent carried virus has been reported for the first time in Queensland.

A case of Lymphocytic choriomeningitis (LCM), a disease previously not thought to occur in Queensland, has been recorded in Toowoomba. LCM can be carried by wild rodents but it rarely causes illness in humans and the mortality rate is low. Pregnant women and people with lowered immunity, who are in contact with rodents or areas they have been in, are most at risk.



**IF YOU ARE AWARE OF IT TAKE CARE OF IT
REPORT IT TO STAFF.**

Andrea Ebert
WH&S representative

POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING

PBL



Another term has started at Tiaro and we are excited to have a heap of new treasures available in the PBL shop for the students to choose from. Thank you to the P & C for supporting our PBL journey and subsidising our rewards system. Our focus this term is **'Raise your hand to speak and always speak politely'**. This term students are striving to get to the GOLD level. Students will need to either complete 5 or 10 full sticker charts depending on what level they finished on last term and have good behaviours all term to achieve this.

Our 3 expectations are

Be Safe, Be Respectful & Be Responsible

Student Council News

Committee members for this term are:

President- Ace Zanki

Vice president- Lane McMurdy

Secretary- Levi Daniels

Treasurer – Jamie Baldock

Home bake has been chosen as our weekly fundraiser on Tuesdays thanks to Lilly M's mum for last week's donation. Next week Hevahnee's mum will be cooking so don't forget your one dollar.

Juniors are going to organise a sausage sizzle, free dress and drink day on the 2nd September, 2021 a note will be coming home soon. \$5 for a sausage, drink and free dress or a gold coin for just free dress and no sausage or drink.

Treasurer's report is that we have raised \$44 this term.

Ace spoke to Chappy Drew about board games and Chappy brought in some games like Rubix Race and Pacman

Ace Zanki
President



TIARO STATE SCHOOL
150TH CELEBRATIONS



150th on Hold

Due to current C-19 restrictions we are unable to hold our big celebration on the weekend.

We will release information as soon as we have updated advice from Ed Qld and Qld Health

Tiaro P & C Association

Uniforms

Available for purchase through the **QKR! app**.

Please Note:

Due to a price rise hats are now \$20 each. The new design shirts remain the same price, at this stage.

Your Committee members are -

President: Marissa Rammell

Vice President: Position Vacant

Secretary: Sharee McMurdy

Treasurer: Narelle Grainger

Parents are urged to become involved to assist with tuckshop and fundraising events.

Just ask the secretary for a membership form – FREE - no cost!

Tuckshop –

Don't forget that Tuckshop orders are to put placed through the QKR! App **BEFORE** 12pm the day before.

We are always looking for helpers for Friday Tuckshop day. Please see Marissa or Sharree if you have some time free.

Next Meeting – Monday 23rd August in the Parade area. We hope to see you there!



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