Term 2  Week 8
02 June 2016

Students of the Week

Celebrating our Centenary
29 April 2017
WHERE IS EVERYONE? PIPSEE IS MISSING YOU!
Attendance has really dropped in the past fortnight. Some days whole school attendance has been lower than 85%, which is not even on the Top Attendance Tree.

Now winter is here we must all work tough and turn up to school every day. There are only 16 school days left this term. It would be great to get attendance back up to the high standard we set in first term.

Pipsee is counting on us. Don’t let her down!

Thabeban State School
Top Attendance Tree

100%
0-2 Days Away Each Term
90%

95%
5 or More Days Away Each Term

Every Day Counts

INTER-HOUSE ATHLETICS CARNIVAL (Sports Day)
Some call it the Inter-house Athletics Carnival, some simply call it SPORTS DAY. Whatever it is called it is sure to be a great day. It will be a wonderful day that everyone looks forward to.

Tuesday 14 June 2-3pm will be our 800m races and then all day Thursday 16 June will be our athletics carnival and ball games.

Come and cheer for your house and support the students.

If you can help in the canteen for any part of the day that would be wonderful. Please speak with Jackie in the tuckshop.

Good luck to our year 6 students who are nominating to be selected as house captains.

These interviews are taking place now and the captains will be named on parade this coming Monday.

AN AIR-CONDITIONED SCHOOL? FIND OUT MORE AT THE P&C MEETING THIS WEDNESDAY 2PM
Everyone is invited to the P&C meeting this coming Wednesday. We shall be preparing for the upcoming sport day.

The P&C will also be discussing the wonderful news that they have been granted $35,000 from the State Government’s Community Gambling Benefit Fund to assist with air-conditioning the school in time for summer.

YR 6 CAMP – TALLEBUDGERA BEACH SEPT 5 – 9
Parents/Carers are reminded that your weekly payment is due. We must have 12 students with all payments made by the end of this term for the camp to go ahead.

CHAMPIONS READ
(and read and read and read)!
READ COMPREHENSION.
COMPREHENSION is understanding the text we’re reading. The focus comprehension strategy in Year 3 to 6 for this week (and next) is SUMMARISING!
What is SUMMARISING?
A summary is a shortened version of the original text which includes all the main ideas and important details and is a similar structure to the original text.
To be able to summarise, a reader must attend closely to the text and be able to include information that gives the essence of the text.
Being able to summarise also plays a part in being able to synthesise—if the reader is able to decide the main points and ideas of a text they are then able to use that knowledge with their prior knowledge to build new understandings.
The skill of SUMMARISING is a vital part of comprehension.

Summarising
A summary is a shortened version of a text that contains all the main points.
Summarising is an important skill that helps us when we are searching, gathering and presenting information.
Identifying key words and phrases helps us to summarise the text.

NEXT WEEK: Summarising - Wk 2
WORKING TOGETHER IN A FRIENDLY WAY DURING SPORT AND PLAY
We have heard wonderful reports of Thabeban students cooperating with others each Friday at sport. They are working together in a friendly way and it is making a big difference.

Using the HIGH FIVE is one of the best ways for people to work together. The HIGH FIVE helps to keep people cooperating.

Thabeban students are focussing on cooperation and using the HIGH FIVE with others who are not cooperating, particularly in the playground and at sport.

GOLD UNIFORM SHIRT SELL OUT
Due to the fact that we are in the last 6 months of the students being able to wear the old gold uniform, we have some to sell for only a gold coin donation. If you need some for this last 6 months, come and see us.

AUTHOR ALEESAH DARLISON’S VISIT

DID SOMEONE SAY TRIVIA?
PRIZES
RAFFLES
LUCKY DOOR
Come join in the fun and get that grey matter working (and if that doesn’t work then come enjoy some great company, amazing supper and fantastic prizes!!)

When: Friday 24th June  Doors open 6pm  Trivia starts 7pm
Where: Bundaberg Playhouse Theatre, Neillens St
Cost: $7 per person  Tables of 6
Call Nigel on 4154 5362 to book your table
DATES TO REMEMBER

JUNE

Wed 08  P&C meeting 2pm
Wed 15  Centenary Team meeting 6pm
Thu 16  Inter-house Athletics Carnival (Sports Day)
Fri 17  Interschool sport finishes
Fri 24  Celebration Day

Last Day Term 2

JULY

Mon 11  First Day Term 3

REGULAR EVENTS

Every Monday 2:30pm
Parade in the hall (Everyone is welcome)

Every Tuesday and Friday 8:15 – 8:45am
Chess Club (near tuckshop)

Every Tuesday
Student Banking

Every Thursday 8:30am
Breakfast club

Every Wed, Thu, Fri
Tuckshop is open for lunch (first break only).
Volunteers are always needed. Please help.

BELL TIMES

8:45am  Start of the day
11:00am  First break
11:40am  End of first break
1:30pm  Second break
1:55pm  End of second break
3:00pm  End of the day

Last Week’s Top Attending Class

This Week’s Top Attending Class

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