

Truscott Times

Truscott St Public School

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Term 1 Week 4

Monday, 15th February 2016

Principal's Report

School Safety

Just a reminder that for the safety of our students entry and exit into the school should be accessed via the school gates and not through the staff car-parks. Staff car-parks are in use throughout the day and as such are out of bounds for all students.

Parent Information Evenings

Each year we hold information sessions for each class. These sessions will be held in your child's classroom tonight. I encourage all parents to attend to learn about the teaching and learning programs and activities your children will be engaged in this year. Please remember that there will not be time for individual conferencing, however, if you need to speak to the class teacher appointments can be made through the office. The timetable is as follows

KM, KH, 1S, 1R, 2S, 2B 5:30PM—6:00PM
in classrooms

6:00PM – 6:45PM Presentation on Positive
Behaviour for Learning (PBL) in the hall

3N, 4H, 3/4D, 5J, 6G, 5/6B 6:45PM—7:15 PM
in classrooms

Please note the information evening for 2W will be rescheduled due to teacher illness.

For those parents who cannot attend these sessions notes will be sent home outlining details covered in the meetings.

Truscotts

Congratulations to the following students who received their Truscott Award last week.

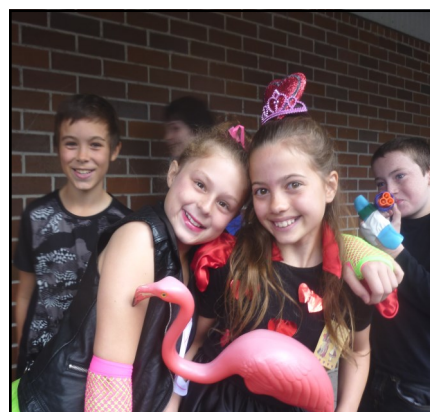
Ileana P. Year 2, Robert J. Year 3, Koey C. Year 4, Ariana F. Year 4, Patrick D. Year 4, Andrew T. Year 4, Tamar S. Year 2 and Angus B. Year 2

Post Homes

Congratulations to Maayan R. Year 2, Andrew T. Year 4 and Robert J. Year 3. Well done.

Marion Blomfield

Principal



Calendar

Monday	Student Banking
Tuesday	Canteen closed
Friday	8.30—9.15 Uniform Shop
	11.30 Assembly

Term 1 Week 4

Mon Feb 15th	Parent Information Evening
Fri Feb 19th	Assembly: Captains
	PSSA Round 2

Term 1 Week 5

Fri Feb 26th	Assembly: SRC
	PSSA Round 3

Term 1 Week 6

Wed Mar 2nd	7.00pm P&C AGM
Fri Mar 4th	Assembly: Captains
	PSSA Round 4

School News**Zone Swimming Carnival**

Students who have successfully made it into the Zone Swimming Carnival should have received their notes last Friday. The competition will be held on Tuesday 8th March at Ryde Aquatic Centre. If you know your child will not be able to compete on the day could you please let either me or Ms Buckland know ASAP so the spot can be filled.

Samantha Judge

Swimming Coordinator

**PSSA Results for Week 3**

Senior Cricket	Junior Cricket
TSPS v Eastwood Hts Score: 3/27 v 5/60 Player of the match: James S	TSPS v Eastwood Hts Score: 66– 85 Player of the match: Kaden M
Mixed Teeball	Girls Teeball
TSPS v Ermington Score: 7-6 Player of the match: Kristian B	TSPS v Ermington Score: 18-7 Player of the match: Lilah S
Mixed Softball	Girls Softball
TSPS v Ermington Score: 1-18 Player of the match: Elijah M	TSPS v Ermington Score: 7-13 Player of the match: Jasmine C

PSSA Round 2 Week 4 - Friday 19th Feb

Cricket v Putney (Snr) at Morrison Bay Park
 “ “ (Jnr) at Morrison Bay Park
 Softball & Teeball v Gladesville
 at Westminster Oval

Training	Teeball	Thur 8.30am - 9.15am
	Cricket	Thur 8.30am - 9.15am
	Softball	Fri 8.15am - 8.50am

From The Office

Can you please return all emergency forms to the office at your earliest convenience.

Pam Jurd

Administration Manager

P&C News

The 2016 P&C Annual General Meeting will be held on Wednesday 2nd March at 7pm in the staff room, followed by the March P&C meeting and a small supper. Please find information regarding the AGM attached as well as further details regarding the different P&C positions, if you would like further information or would like to nominate for a position - please email me at tspsnc@hotmail.com.

We look forward to seeing you there!

Carolyn Gray

P&C President

Uniform Shop

Thank you to those who have volunteered to help in the Uniform Shop this year. I am going to put a roster together. If you would like to volunteer on a Friday morning from 8.30am—9.15am please email me on j.nicol@optusnet.com.au and I will add your name to the roster.

Jo Nicol

Uniform Shop Convenor

Community News



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OPEN DAY

SATURDAY 27 FEBRUARY • 12 NOON-3PM

Hear the Principal's address at 12.30pm. Learn more about the outstanding opportunities for every child at Hunters Hill High School through activities, classroom exhibitions, displays, entertainment and discussion with our staff and students.



**Hunters Hill
High School**

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KIDS DANCE

For enrolments and enquiries contact Angelina
0415410083 / 8041 3338

Email : kidsdance@y7mail.com

2016 - TERM 1 ENROLMENTS

Come join KIDS DANCE @ Truscott Street

Miss Angelina is taking enrolments for 2016! Our classes will be starting with re-enrolments during week 2. New students are welcome to join us in week 3.

At KIDS DANCE we will explore new dance styles each week including Jazz, Hip Hop, Tap, Ballet, Singing & Mime. Younger children learn movement through free expression using hand held colorful props. Older kids are also introduced to Drumming & Body Percussion.

Classes take place at the Support Unit classroom located past the admin office near OOSH.

NSW HEALTH PARENTING COURSES AND WORKSHOPS TERM 1 2016

Tuning into Kids Course

Positive Parenting Program

Communicating with Kids Workshop

Tuning into Teens Course

Toddlers Workshop

Helping your 3-6 year old child with anxiety

Resilient Kids Workshop


Dealing with Teen's Backchat Workshop

More information is available at the School Office.

**Truscott Street P&C invite you to join us for our
inaugural Truscott Open Air Family**

MOVIE NIGHT

Friday 1st April 2016, 6:00PM



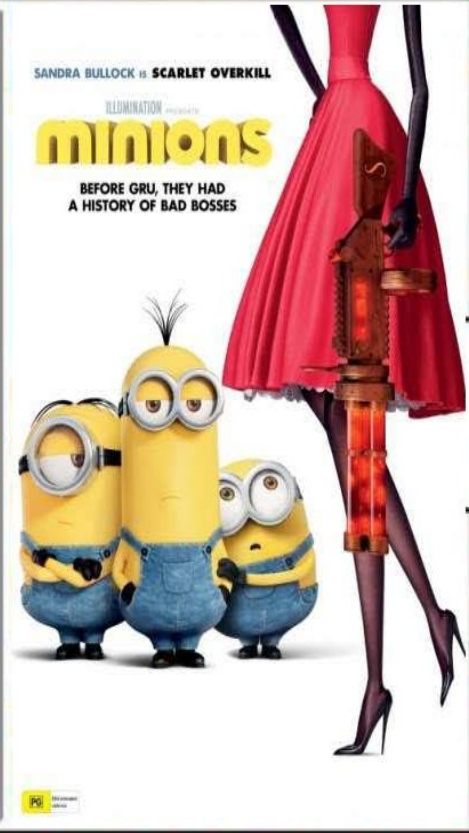
Gates open at 6:00PM for a 7:00PM screening.
Bring your picnic blanket, bean bag, low ride chairs
and a picnic dinner.

The Canteen will be open and selling popcorn,
drinks and ice blocks.

Pre Sale tickets are discounted to midnight
11 March 2016

Family (2 adults, all kids) \$25 | Adults \$9 | Kids \$4
Ticket Sales 12th March till 7pm 1 April 2016
Family (2 adults, all kids) \$30 | Adults \$10 | Kids \$5

Information on purchasing tickets will be sent home
this week with your child



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🎵 Convenient at-school venue 🎵

🎵 Small group - 45 min weekly lesson 🎵

🎵 Competitive rate - \$27 per session 🎵
(GST incl. Please do not forward payment to the school office.)

🎵 Limited vacancy! 🎵

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Truscott Street Public School Parents and Citizens Association Inc

P&C Annual General Meeting 2016

You are all invited to attend the P&C Annual General Meeting which is to be held in the School staff room on Wednesday, 2 March 2016 at 7pm. At the AGM we will dissolve the current committees and nominate all the committee members for 2016. After the AGM our standard March P&C meeting will be held, followed by a short supper. Please bring a small plate/drinks for supper.

So what happens at P&C meetings? The principal addresses the meeting on current school matters, reports are given by those responsible for OOSH, Canteen, Band, Grounds, Uniform Shop etc., and parents have the opportunity to ask questions and discuss school issues. It's a great way to hear about and have a say on what's going on in the School, meet other parents, teachers, Assistant Principals and the Principal, and maybe make some new friends along the way.

We would love to see as many parents there as possible.

A nomination form is attached, detailing P&C roles, the various committees which exist, and roles within these committees. If you would like to become more involved in your School by taking on a committee role, we would love to have you!

Remember – these committees exist to provide services to children and parents at the School, and to make the School a better place. This cannot happen without parent support. However, please be assured that you will not be nominated into taking a position on a committee that you do not want.

I do encourage parents to come along to P&C meetings when they can. They are held in a relaxed environment in the staff room on the first Wednesday of every month at 7pm. We do try our best to be finished by 8.30pm.

I look forward to seeing you on Wednesday 2 March at 7pm.

Carolyn Gray
P&C President
Mobile 0407 003 248
tspspnc@hotmail.com



Truscott Street Public School Parents and Citizens Association Inc.

Annual General Meeting 2015

Wednesday 2 March, 2016 - 7.00 pm in the Staff Room

The Annual General Meeting of Truscott Street Public School Parents & Citizens Association Inc. will be held at Truscott Street Public School in the Staff Room commencing at 7.00 pm on Wednesday 2 March 2016.

Agenda:

1. Receive and confirm the minutes of the 2015 AGM
2. President's Report for 2015
3. Treasurer's Report for 2015
4. Canteen Report for 2015
5. OOSH Report for 2015
6. General Business
7. Elect Office Bearers for 2016

Notes:

1. The AGM will be followed by the monthly (March) P&C General Meeting
2. P & C membership fee of \$1.00 due at AGM for 2016
3. Please bring a small plate for supper

DESCRIPTION OF VOLUNTARY POSITIONS 2016

P&C EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

P&C PRESIDENT:	Responsible for overseeing the duties of the Executive and Committees and ensuring the successful outcome of all P&C ventures. Maintaining contact with the needs of the School through regular liaison with the Principal. Chairing monthly P&C meetings, attending School Council and sub-committee meetings as necessary; representing the P&C at School and community functions and liaising with the Executive, Principal and various sub-committees.
P&C VICE PRESIDENT (2):	Chair meetings or undertake other duties in absence of President. May also be required to assist/ liaise with other sub-committees.
P&C SECRETARY:	Responsible for taking minutes of monthly P&C meetings, dealing with incoming correspondence.
P&C TREASURER:	Responsible for the preparation of financial records of the P&C, banking, payment of expenses and presentation of financial report to monthly P&C meetings. Needs to be able to attend School occasionally to collect money and invoices.

CANTEEN COMMITTEE:

COMMITTEE MEMBERS:	Canteen committee members are required to assist the P&C and the Canteen Supervisor in the overall direction and management of the canteen.
CANTEEN TREASURER:	Responsible for financial supervision of the canteen, payment of accounts and wages, maintaining financial records for Canteen and recording of petty cash.

BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL CARE (OOSH):

PRESIDENT:	Stay in touch with what is happening from day to day in order for the Centre to run efficiently. Convene and control meetings, liaise with Director and committee members. See that all statutory regulations and the Centre's own rules are observed.
VICE PRESIDENT:	Assist the President where necessary and run meetings in the absence of the President.
SECRETARY:	Record minutes of committee meetings.
TREASURER:	Liaise with external administrator and review quarterly accounts. Monitor debtors.
ACCREDITATION OFFICER:	Work with Director and OOSH committee to ensure Centre passes accreditation.

OTHER ROLES:

UNIFORM SHOP:	Control buying and selling of new and used uniforms as required. Must be available to open the shop one morning or afternoon per week at a pre-arranged time. Report to monthly P&C meeting.
MOTHERS/ FATHERS DAY STALL:	Oversee and help in the running of non-profit making School events such as the Mothers and Father's day stalls.
PUBLICITY:	Working with the Principal, to be responsible for establishing and maintaining a high profile for the School community by media and other avenues. Person is also responsible (with the President) for writing any appropriate "P & C News" items that are included in the School newsletter. Report to P&C meetings.
GROUND:	Co-ordinate and oversee the installation and maintenance of gardens around the School and arrange garden working bees. Report to P&C meetings.
BAND COMMITTEE:	Two or three people, including a Co-ordinator and Treasurer, to liaise with the Band Conductor; be responsible for general organisation of band, rehearsals and performances, allocate and maintain instruments. One committee member to report to monthly P&C meetings.
CLASS PARENT CO-ORDINATOR:	Overall organisation of all class parents.

We also welcome anyone willing to assist generally on any of the voluntary committees. If you need any further information, please contact Carolyn Gray on 0407 003 248 or tspspnc@hotmail.com, or speak to any committee member.

**Truscott Street Public School Parents and Citizens Association Inc
Annual General Meeting 2016**

**Nomination Sheet
2016 Voluntary Committees**

If you would like to nominate yourself or someone else (providing they agree) for a position, please fill out the form below and return it to the School secretary, Pam Jurd (who will pass it onto the P&C President), before 2 March 2016. Please provide a short reason below as to why you have nominated yourself / the person for the position. Alternatively you can email your nomination to tspspnc@hotmail.com.

P&C EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

P&C PRESIDENT:	
P&C VICE PRESIDENT (x2):	
P&C SECRETARY:	
P&C TREASURER:	

CANTEEN COMMITTEE:

COMMITTEE MEMBERS:	
CANTEEN TREASURER:	

BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL CARE (OOSH):

PRESIDENT:	
VICE PRESIDENT:	
SECRETARY:	
TREASURER:	
ACCREDITATION OFFICER:	

OTHER ROLES:

UNIFORM SHOP:	
FUNDRAISING:	
PUBLICITY:	
GROUNDS:	
BAND COMMITTEE:	
CLASS PARENT CO-ORDINATOR:	

Reason for Nomination: