

TRUSCOTT STREET PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Monday 11th September 2017

Term 3 Week 9

What's on at Truscott St

Monday 11 September

Tuesday 12 September

Friday 15 September

Sunday 17 September

Thursday 21 September

Friday 22 September

Monday 9 October

Tuesday 10 October

Friday 13 October

Friday 20 October

Jump Rope For Heart

Musica Viva

Assembly:1S

PSSA Round 8

Truscott Street Fete

Canteen Sausage Sizzle

Assembly: PBL Badges & Junior Guitar & Percussion Groups

PSSA Round 9

Last Day of Term 3

Staff & Students return for Term 4

Choir Rehearsal at Ryde

Assembly: House Captains

PSSA Round 10

Ryde Schools Spectacular Rehearsal

Assembly: 3F

No PSSA

Additional dates are available on the School Website and Skoolbag Calendar and may be subject to change

Dear Parents and Carers

Fete

It is hard to believe that our fete is almost upon us. Thanks to Kristy Anderson and her team of trusty helpers. It looks like it will be a great community event and offer many exciting stalls and activities. Let's hope the weather stays fine and it proves to be a fun and rewarding day for our community.

Jump Rope for Heart

This afternoon will see our students taking part in our Jump Rope for Heart event. Students will move around a number of skipping stations displaying their skills. Our students have practiced hard for this event both in their own time as well as PE sessions. Well done to all our students for supporting this worthwhile cause while at the same time improving their overall health. A huge thank you to Miss Judge for all her organisation of this event.

Summer Uniform

As the weather is quite changeable at the moment students may wish to wear their summer uniform over the next two weeks. All students should return in summer uniform next term.

Parent/Teacher Interviews

Parent/teacher interviews are being held again this week. The online booking system is closed, however you are still able to contact your child's teacher via email if you still wish to make a booking or change the time you originally booked.

Earn and Learn

This year Truscott Street is once again participating in the Woolworths Earn & Learn Program until Tuesday 19th September or while stock lasts. We are collecting Woolworths Earn & Learn Stickers. If you regularly shop at Woolworths we ask if you could please collect the stickers and either send them into the school office or drop them into the Truscott Street collection boxes at Top Ryde, Macquarie Centre and Woolworths Marsfield. At the end of the promotion, we'll be able to get some great new equipment, including resources for Maths, English and Science.

Enrolments 2018

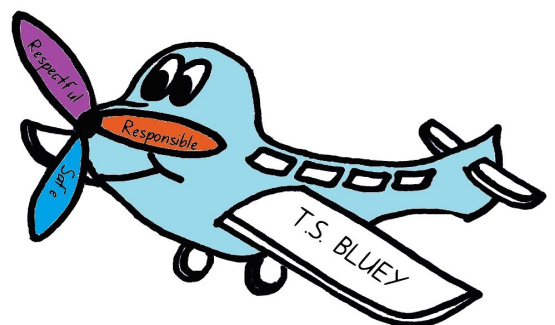
To facilitate school organisation for 2018 could you please inform the school office if your child will not be returning to Truscott Street next year. This excludes year 6 students.

Marion Blomfield

Principal



KT with Bluey



Truscott Street Achievers

Congratulations to the following students who received the following awards last week.

Truscotts		Truscotts		Truscotts		Truscotts		Post Homes	
Abbie F	Year 1	Isha K	Year 1	Noam S	KW	Pryce A	KW	Hafsah A	Year 3
Anna TD	Year 4	Ariel H	Year 5	Elise TD	KW	Livinia A	Year 2	Luka I	Year 4
Noah C	Year 5	Marley D	Year 4	Annabelle D	Year 1	Angelina S	Year 1	Jaemin Y	Year 2
Luka I	Year 4	Kyle W	KT	Imogene GY	KT	Maya C	Year 1	Angus McG	Year 2
Jaemin Y	Year 2	Angus McG	Year 2	Amy LC	KT	Tilly W	KT	Roy L	KW
Carla N	Year 2	MiaRose F	Year 3	Deco L	Year 1	Isaac D	Year 1	Carla N	Year 2
Chloe O'R	Year 6	Sophia K	KT	Karni S	Year 1			Ruby D	SUH
David P	KT	Will G	Year 2					Deco L	Year 1

PSSA Results

Senior Volleyball	Senior Newcombe Ball	Junior Newcombe Ball	
TSPS v Denistone East	TSPS v Denistone East	TSPS v Denistone East	
1-2	0-3	2-1	
Player of the match	Player of the match	Player of the match	
Jasper B	Claudia D	Yoomin K	
Mixed Softball	Girls Softball	Mixed Teeball	Girls Teeball
TSPS v Ryde	TSPS v Ryde	TSPS v Ryde	TSPS v Ryde
16-1	5-13	15-9	9-10
Player of the match	Player of the match	Player of the match	Player of the match
Elijah M	Jess G	Trent S	Lara F

PSSA Round 8 Friday 15th September

Newcombe Ball & Volleyball v BYE

Softball & Teeball v West Ryde at Magdala Park

Training	Teeball & Softball	Thu	8.30am - 9.15am
	Newcombe Ball & Volleyball	Fri	8.15am - 9.00am

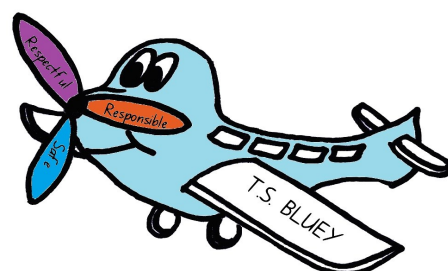
Winter PSSA Uniforms to be returned

1 Soccer jersey

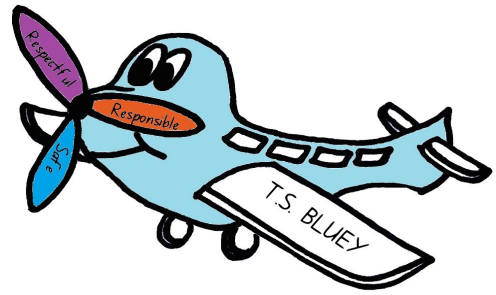
1 Netball dress

Pam Jurd

Office Manager



Monday	Student Banking
Wednesday	Canteen open
Thursday	Canteen open
Friday	Canteen open
	Uniform Shop open 8.30am—9.15am
	11.30am school assembly



School News

Dynamic Debaters of TSPS

The debaters stood, palms sweaty, as they started their speeches. Around 50 students and teachers eyes were staring, waiting to hear the convincing arguments. They started off with a bang. They got into the flow of the speeches and stood their ground with confidence. They were going to win this.

Last Tuesday our debaters took on Kent Road in the second round of friendly debates for this year.

The debate was held at our school and the topic was “Primary School Students Should Watch the News Every Night for Homework.”

Our team included Rosie as first speaker, Jessica as second speaker, Sophie as third speaker and Liah as team advisor. All four girls did an exceptional job of debating the affirmative side of this topic.

They attacked the Kent Road team line and worked very well as a team to form rebuts that blew the Kent Road’s case apart.

The debate was viewed by students in 5/6J and 6G. The stage 3 students made a fabulous audience.

Afterwards, all the debaters shared a lovely morning tea together.

On Wednesday Week 9 we debate Eastwood Heights- the topic “That all schools should be paperless.”

We will be away and be the negative team. The debaters can’t wait to do it all over again!!

By Saffiya and Rosie

Fete News

Only 7 days to go.....

Raffle Tickets

Thank you to all the parents and students who sold raffle tickets on Saturday. We had another successful day at selling at school making the most of the Election Day and also at the Cox’s Road Mall.

Please return all raffle ticket books (sold and unsold) and money the office by Tuesday 12/9.

Pre-paid Ride Bands

All day pre-paid Ride Bands are \$25 and can be ordered on Flexischools or by completing the attached form. Please note that the last day for pre-paid tickets is Thursday 14/9 for cash payments through the office and Friday 15/9 at 5pm for Flexischools. Ride Bands will be \$30 on Fete day and single tickets will also be available.

Entertainment Schedule

The updated entertainment is attached. All children from Truscott Street are involved in at least one item and need to be stage-side at least 15 minutes before their performance. For Band, Guitar and Percussion Groups, you will need to be stage-side at least 15 minutes before to ensure your instrument is tuned and set up. The Science room will be available for performers to tune up prior to performance.

Cake Stall

Hopefully each family will have received either a cake box or tray for the cake stall. Suggestions on what to bake include whole cakes, slices, cupcakes, biscuits, cookies and breads. All goodies can be delivered at the following times:

- Friday 15/9 afternoon to staffroom
- Saturday 16/9 to staffroom between 1pm to 5pm
- Sunday 17/9 to the cake stall

Please see Pam if you need more boxes or trays.

Face Painting

Our 6G parents have been practising the art of face painting before the big day on Sunday. Come and visit us in the hall at the fete on Sunday for face painting, tattoos and coloured hair spray. Our year 6 students will be helping out on the day too. The roster is up outside 6Gs class.



Thank you to our Major Sponsors



Kim Toyer-Uttley of McGrath



Fete News continued

Special Visitor Simone Kennedy

Simone Kennedy has just returned home after competing in the 2017 World Para-Cycling Road Championships in Pietermaritzburg, South Africa. Simone came 5th in both the Women's C3 15km Time Trial and the 48km Road Race. She was very happy with both of her races as her times were faster this year, compared to her times two years ago in the Para-Cycling Road World Cup. The conditions in Pietermaritzburg were extremely tough and all of her competitors were very strong riders. Simone is 23 years old and she is still a few years away from reaching her peak as a cyclist.

Simone is happy to be home again and can't wait to meet our current students and families at the Fete. Make sure you visit Simone after the official opening - you can find her near the buddy bench where she will be available for a chat and to sign autographs.

Fun Truscott Street School Facts about Simone Kennedy

Q. What was your favourite year at Truscott Street?

A. Kindergarten and Year 1.

Q. Who was your favourite teacher?

A. Mrs Widders in Kindergarten and Miss Dobinson in Year 1.

Q. What was your favourite spot or area in school?

A. I do remember in Year 3 that I loved playing handball in my free time. I would want to go to school early before class started because I wanted to play with my friends!

Q. Do you have any other lasting memories?

A. I remember when I was in Year 6, I was one of the judges at the end of year school talent show, because I had written down in the Year Book that when I grew up I wanted to be an Australian Idol Judge! When all the teachers read it they asked me if I wanted to be a judge in the annual talent show!!

Q. Did you ever represent Truscott Street in a sport?

A. A highlight for me was representing Truscott Street at the Zone Swimming Carnival, when I was either in Year 5 or 6. This was an able bodied competition.



NSW Athletes - Grant Nickel (H1), Simone Kennedy and Emilie Miller (H1).

Simone representing Australia at the 2017 World Para-Cycling Road Championships in Pietermaritzburg, South Africa (31 August to 3 September 2017).

Canteen News

Our end of term sausage sizzle day will be on Thursday 21 September. You can order using Flexischools or by completing the order form. No hot food or sushi will be served that day.

Manar & Canteen Committee

Fete Entertainment Schedule

Please find below the *updated* Entertainment Schedule for fete day. All children from Truscott Street are involved in at least one item and need to be stage side at least 5 mins before their performance. For Band, Guitar and Percussion groups you will need to be stage side at least 15min before to ensure your instrument is tuned and set up. The Science Room will be available for performers to tune up prior to performance.

TIME	ITEM
10.00am	High School Jujitsu, Ryde Aquatic Leisure Centre
10.20am	Guitar Group
10.35am	Percussion Group
10.40am	TSPS Band
11.00am	Official Opening – John Alexander & Paralympian Simone Kennedy
11.15am	Dance Group
11.20am	K-2 Song
11.25am	K-2 Choir Songs
11.30am	3-6 Song
11.35am	3-6 Choir Songs
11.40am	Project Kids Dance, Angelina Weight
11.45am	Brittany Rae - Contemporary Singer
12.00pm	Ryde East Primary School Band
12.30pm	KDanceCompany
1.00pm	Broadway Stars Stage School
1.30pm	Talent Show - A Variety of young Musicians, Singers and Dancers
2.30pm	Kent Maddock - Opera Singer
2.45pm	Raffle Draw – Victor Dominello
3.15pm	TBA
4pm	Close

Truscott Street Public School Spring Fete Sunday 17 September 2017



Pre-paid ride bands

The rides are always a highlight for any fete. Truscott Street families can purchase early bird All Day Ride Bands at a discounted price of \$25. Bands will be \$30 if purchased on Fete day. Single ride tickets will also be available on Fete Day.

You can order your pre-paid bands on Flexischools or by completing the order form below and returning to the school office with money.

Ride bands will be available for collection at the Rides Ticket stall on Fete day.

Rides include Pirate Ship, Storm Ride, Jurassic Adventure, Tiger jumping castle, Laser Skirmish and Horizontal Bungee.



Note - No refunds for pre-paid tickets



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Truscott Street Public School Spring Fete

Family name: _____

Child 1: _____

Child 2: _____

Child 3: _____

Child 4: _____

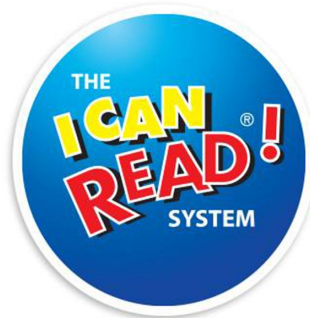
Total \$ _____

Thank you to our Fete Partners



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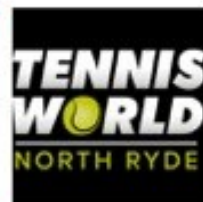
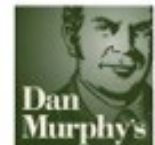


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Thank you to our Fete Friends



Amanda Thomas



betts group

JUST HAIR



Kyoto Emporium



Cox's Rd Fruit Market





End of term sausage sizzle day Thursday 21 September

**Beef sausage in a roll and drink
\$5**

One beef sausage served in a roll and an apple juice
will be available at lunchtime from the canteen.
Please note there will no other hot food or sushi served that day
(however sandwiches /salads will be available).

Order forms and money must be returned by
Wednesday 20 September
to either Manar at the canteen or school office.
Alternatively order using your Flexischools account.

 Please provide one slip per child.....

End of term BBQ day – Thursday 21 September 2017

Child's name:

Child's class:

 Please provide one slip per child.....

End of term BBQ day – Thursday 21 September 2017





Child's name:

Child's class:



Truscott Street OOSH Vacation Care Program – Spring 2017

MONDAY 25th September Fee \$ 62.50 <i>3rd Party run activity</i> Bubble Soccer <i>In Centre</i> <p>Play contact soccer wearing a Giant Bubble! Anyone can play Bubble Soccer!</p> <p>Kids don't just have to play soccer when wearing these bubbles...they can also run around and just bump into each other for fun.</p> 	TUESDAY 26th September Fee \$ 81.50 Attractivity Centre Excursion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tenpin Bowling Ropes Climbing Course Dodgem Track Craves Crypt Shooting Gallery Dark Ride – XD Theatre Laser Frenzy Selection of Amusement Games All the activities are unlimited 	WEDNESDAY 27th September Fee \$78.00 <i>3rd Party run activity</i> Lazer Warrior <i>In Centre</i> <p>A truly special event where kids while playing laser tag utilise a number of skills that they probably never realised they had. A fun packed activity which is always challenging and entertaining, while being totally safe and social.</p> 	THURSDAY 28th September Fee \$67.00 Sydney Indoor Rock Climbing Gym Excursion <p>Try something different these holidays - fun climbing games and challenges. Kids climb in a safe, supervised and enjoyable environment. There are age and ability specific levels and areas.</p> 	FRIDAY 29th September Fee \$63.50 <i>3rd Party run activity</i> Kapla Construction <i>In Centre</i> <p>KAPLA allows children to build, create and experiment by using their own imagination. No glue, no screws, no clips to fix the blocks. Each block is simply placed one on top of the other. The blocks are held in place by gravity and balance alone.</p> 
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MONDAY 2nd October Public Holiday <p>Centre closed for the day</p>	TUESDAY 3rd October Fee \$79.00 Golden Ridge Farm Dural Excursion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Hold the baby animals (<i>chickens, ducklings and rabbits</i>) - Meet, Greet and Feed the Larger Animals - Milk the cows - Bottle Feed the Baby Lambs and Kids - Enter the "Open Paddock" for some up-close interaction with the baby lambs and goats. - Pony Rides! 	WEDNESDAY 4th October Fee \$74.50 <i>3rd Party run activity</i> Robo Kids <i>In Centre</i> <p>Engage students in 21st Century education through active engagement.</p> <p>Facilitate the development of curiosity, collaboration, resilience, persistence, communication, active engagement, and independent thinking on their own and with the collaboration of partners.</p> 	THURSDAY 5th October Fee \$76.00 <i>Royal Botanical Gardens</i> Hunters & Collectors Excursion <p>Let's go on a hunt through the Gardens to find weird, rare and exotic plants from around the globe. We'll explore the steaming tropical glasshouses, discover ancient ferns that were munched by dinosaurs, visit the dragon-trees and more! We'll make a pressed plant specimen and plant a tiny dragon tree to take home.</p> 	FRIDAY 6th October Fee \$55.00 <i>3rd Party run activity</i> BBQ & Games @ Blenheim Park Excursion <p>Today we are going to let loose on the equipment and play area at Blenheim Park.</p> <p>There will be a sausage sizzle, games and plenty of turns on the flying fox.</p> 
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Community News



Looking after the next generation is at the heart of what we do.

Available for members and non-members alike, our Next Gen Kids programmes are designed for children of all ages to be kept active, engaged and entertained with a wide variety of activities held throughout the year in a safe and supervised environment.

Learn to Swim

Children love the Learn to Swim programme, which follows the guidelines of the Royal Lifesaving Society of Australia's Swim and Survive programme. All instructors hold an AustSwim qualification as a minimum, ensuring your child is in safe hands.

Holiday Active

Holiday Active, our school holiday programme, will keep children active and entertained with a diverse range of activities every day. Including games, arts and crafts, cooking, sports and more, all activities are available for children up to 12 years old.

Les Mills BORN TO MOVE™

A fitness programme designed to build confidence and develops skills, using roleplaying, stories, games, team building, martial arts, problem solving, yoga, and the magic of music. The continuous series takes children from toddler age through to their teens.



Family Friday

Every Friday, we have a different activity for kids ages 5-12 while parents enjoy some time with each other in the lounge. We'll have a variety of meal specials available as well.

And yes, we also do fully catered birthday parties!

Swimming Enquiries

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Programme Enquiries

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YOUR TIME IS NOW

504a Victoria Road, Ryde
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RYDE



Bee Keeping demo, Rosh Hashanah card making & Shofar blowing

Sunday 17th September 10am - 12pm



Children aged 3 - 12 years old

Light refreshments available

\$10 for children/grandchildren of members. \$15 for non-members
15 Treatts Road, Lindfield. Phone: (02) 9416 3710

Book on TryBooking - <https://www.trybooking.com/313887>