

TRUSCOTT STREET PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Tuesday 19 September 2023 Term 3 Week 10

What's on at Truscott St

Tuesday September 19

Wednesday September 20

Friday September 22

Monday October 9

Tuesday October 10

Tuesday October 16

Tuesday October 17

Tuesday October 18

Tuesday October 20

Tuesday October 23

Assemblies are to be held in the hall

Market Day

Zing Activ (Parent Showcase)

Kindy - Year 2 : 9.30 - 10.15am

Years 3 - 6 : 10.30 - 11.15am

9.10am - Assembly

Last Day Term 3

Students Return - Term 4

Year 3 Check in Assessment

RSS Choir Rehearsal

Pre-Schoolers in to Visit

Year 4 Check in Assessment

Year 5 Check in Assessment

Pre-Schoolers in to Visit

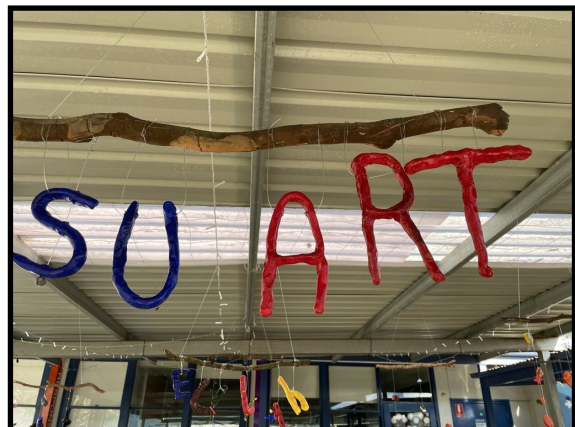
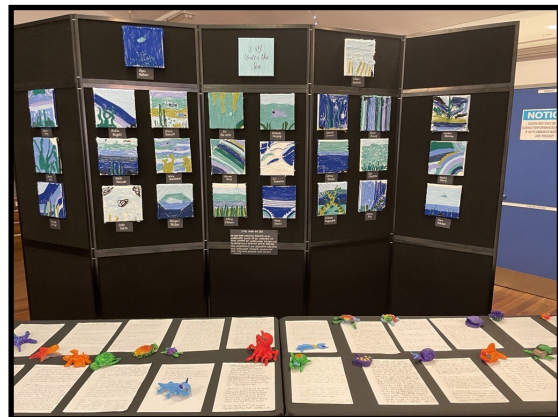
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Baby Chicks Arrive

Principal's Message

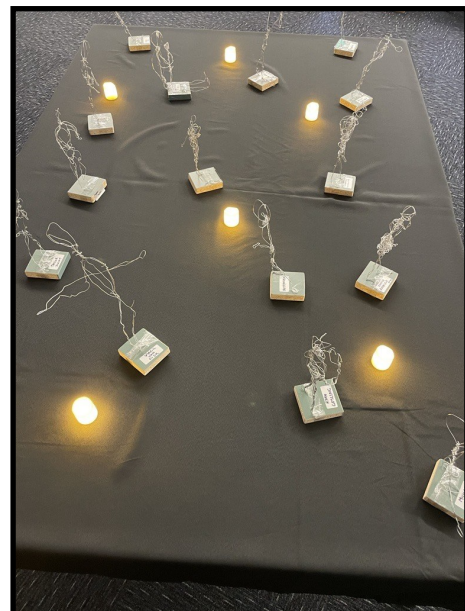
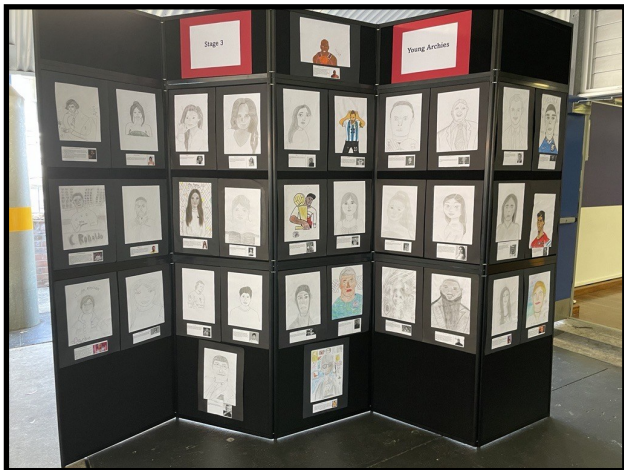
Shimmering Showcase

A great showcase of our students and their teachers was on display last week. Well done everyone! A big thank you to our industrious P&C for providing such a delicious meal and super desert.



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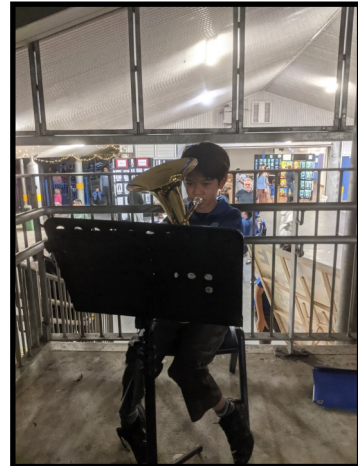
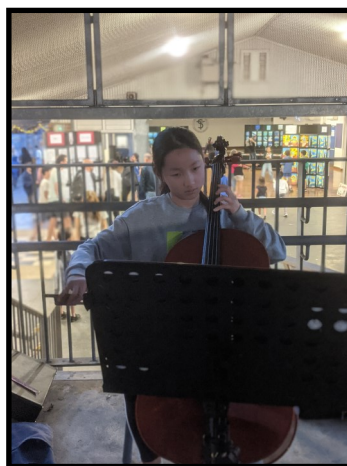
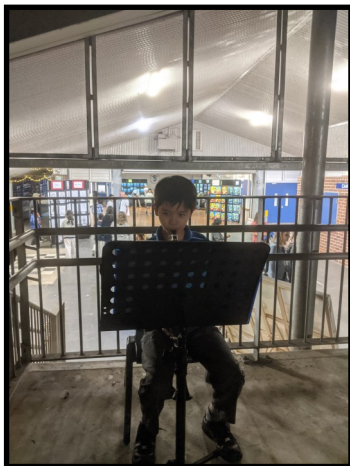
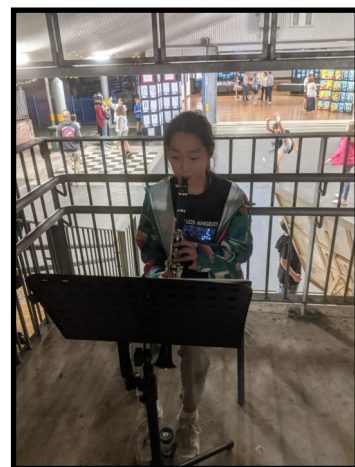
Shimmering Showcase



Principal's Message

Shimmering Showcase

Students providing musical entertainment during the evening.



SASS Week

School Support Staff (SASS) Appreciation Week is a time to recognise and celebrate the important work that SASS staff do to make Truscott Street Public School a safe, supportive, and engaging place to learn.

SASS staff at Truscott Street Public School include our General Assistant, all the Administrative Staff, and our wonderful Learning Support Officers. SASS staff play a vital role in our school community. They provide administrative, technical, clerical, and maintenance support to teachers and students. In

essence, they work behind the scenes to keep our school running smoothly. Without SASS staff, our school would not be able to function as effectively. Thank you to all our SASS staff, we appreciate you.



Principal's Message

Father's Day Stall and Breakfast

Thank you to the many P&C Volunteers who helped with the planning, organisation and running of the Father's Day Stall and Breakfast. It was wonderful to see so many attendees on the morning to celebrate our fathers and loved ones in the community.

Class Placements for 2024

Next term, planning will begin for 2024 classes. While class teachers and executive staff are generally aware of situations that may impact on class placement, there are circumstances or concerns that you as parents may have a greater awareness of. To guide class placements for 2024, I would like to provide parents the opportunity to send me a confidential email to outline any major concerns for consideration. Each concern will be considered, however, there is no guarantee that all requests can be met due to the complex nature of class structures. Requests for students to be placed with specific class teachers will not be considered. Requests from previous years are not reviewed, a new request needs to be made each year as situations can change. Please send requests via email titled 'Confidential: Anne Barltrop' via the school email truscottst-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au by Friday 14 October.

If you would like to discuss your child's class placement personally, please make an appointment to speak with me via the school office or school email.

Finally, I wish you all a good holiday. School resumes on Monday 9 October 2023. Students will move into wearing the summer uniform and as usual a two-week changeover time is allowed during weeks 1 and 2.

I will be on leave for the first two weeks of Term 4. Mrs Shannon will be relieving for me as Principal and Miss Bass will be relieving for Mrs Shannon as Assistant Principal K-2.

I will return to school on Monday 23 October 2023.

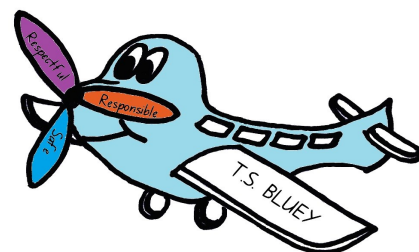
Anne Barltrop

Principal



School News

Wednesday	Canteen Open
Thursday	Canteen open
Friday	Canteen open



Truscott Street Achievers

Congratulations to the following students who received awards since our last newsletter. Banners, Badges and Medallions are presented at Awards Assembly in **Week 8** this term.

Truscott		Truscott		Post Home	
Audrey G	1/2C	Caiden M	3/4B	Nico K	1/2J
Lisanna S	KS	Owen H	5/6HM	Hamzah A	1/2J
Charlotte T	1/2D	Ayra L	1/2C	Mackenzie N	KB
Ethan B x 2	5/6M	Nico K x 2	1/2J	Sienna M	5/6HM
Arya A	5/6W	Hamzah A	1/2J	Hannah M	1/2D
Quinn I	KS	Mackenzie N	KB	Arya A	5/6W
Francine L	KS	Hannah M x 2	1/2D		
Aadhav S	3/4W	Arya A x 4	5/6W		
Hannah L	KB				



Debating

Miss Edmondston and Miss Ward would like to congratulate our Stage 3 Debating Team: Yasemin, Luna, Noa, Luqi, Arya and Isaac for their amazing efforts in the Premier's Debating Challenge. From their commitment to twice weekly training, winning all debates and coming first in our Zone, to making it to Regional Knockouts and making it through to the quarter finals round - this is the furthest any team from Truscott Street has ever come in such a highly regarded competition. Unfortunately, we lost our last debate to John Purchase Public School but it was an extremely hard decision by the adjudicator to choose a winning team. Well done to the whole team for your perseverance, teamwork, and commitment to your skills set. You should all be very proud!

Miss Edmondston and Miss Ward

Debating Co-ordinators

School News



Dear parents and carers,

This term, students have participated in weekly Dance sessions provided by *Zing Activ*. On **Wednesday 20th September** we will present a Showcase to all parents and carers of the wonderful dance routines the students have learnt throughout the term. The times are as follows:

Kindergarten & Stage 1: 9:45 - 10:30am Under the shade cloth

Stage 2 and Stage 3: 10:40 - 11:25am Under the shade cloth

We hope to see you there!



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Stage 3 West Tigers Teach Harmony Program

This term, Stage 3 participated in the West Tigers Teach Harmony Program. Players and representatives from the West Tigers visited our school over three weeks and delivered a combination of in-class discussions and physical activity workshops. The workshops focused on team building, resilience, respect and communication and encouraged students to reflect on their values and attitudes and practice necessary skills for them to be positive contributors to their community.

Theresa Ward



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Zone Athletics Carnival

On Monday 11th September, 39 brilliant athletes from Years 2-6 represented Truscott Street Public School at the Ryde Zone Athletics Carnival, which took place at Sydney Olympic Park Athletics Centre Warm Up track. Congratulations to all students for trying their best, supporting our team and demonstrating outstanding behaviour in and around the track.

Congratulations to Charlie S. who achieved 2nd place in his discus and shotput.

Congratulations to the following students who were placegetters in their events Pryce A. (800m), Mitchell C. (200m), Mitchell C. (Long Jump), Elena C (Discus).

We would like to thank parents and carers for cheering on our team and supporting Truscott Street Public School.

Mrs Edwards, Mrs Anderson

Zone Athletics Carnival Coordinators.



School News

PSSA 2023

Term 3 Week 10 - 15 September 2023 - Netball Grand Final

Congratulations to the Senior A netball team who came in 2nd in the PSSA competition. They played and trained hard every week to achieve such an outstanding result. Each and every player gave it their best in the grand final to make the game a pleasure to watch. Their determination, attack and defence were outstanding. Congratulations girls!

Michelle Shannon Assistant Principal



P&C News

Play it Loud and the Shimmering Showcase allowed us to connect the community. It was wonderful to see so many families at both events.

The talent at Play it Loud was fantastic. Many of the students performed solos for the first time.

The inaugural Shimmering Showcase was well attended. Congratulations to all the students and staff who pulled this event together. Special thanks to our Food Stall volunteers – Meiran, Sonia, Tobin, Tal, Ye’Ela, Shari, Dan, Albert, Miss Bass, Mrs Anderson and Miss Ward.

Canteen – Roster and volunteers

We need your help!

The class allocation is to spread the volunteer pool across the school so that each class takes ownership for a dedicated week. Parents are most welcome to volunteer on their non-allocated week. We ask if you are able to volunteer to please signup promptly as this will help our canteen manager roster.

We are seeking volunteers for Wednesdays morning, Thursdays morning and Fridays both morning and lunchtime. Morning shift is from 9:30am to 11:30am while lunchtime shift is from 11:30am to 1:30pm. Free lunch will be provided to each volunteer’s kids.

Week	Date	Class	Class
10	20-22/9	5/6HM	5/6M

To volunteer, you can either:

Sign up on our roster system <https://signup.com/go/VZWwGCM> or

Send an email to truscottstreetpublicschool-cant@pandcaffiliate.org.au with your name, class and mobile number.

A reminder email will be sent to the volunteers within the week of their allocated day. We ask that a volunteer try and seek a replacement from their class if they can no longer make their allocated session (unless they are unwell on the day).

All canteen queries can be sent to truscottstreetpublicschool-cant@pandcaffiliate.org.au

You can also call the canteen on Wednesdays to Fridays via the school on 9878 1264.

The term 4 roster will be released shortly.

Sam Le Cornu & Mary Ellen Rogers

P&C Vice Presidents

truscottstreetpublicschool-pres@pandcaffiliate.org.au

P&C News

Canteen News – Term 4

Looking for volunteers!

Last year we decided to revert back to the class allocated system. We are asking two classes provide volunteers each week. Parents are most welcome to volunteer on their non-allocated week.

We are seeking **four volunteers** for Wednesdays morning, Thursdays morning and Fridays both morning and lunchtime. Morning shift is from 9:30am to 11:30am while lunchtime shift is from 11:30am to 1:30pm. **Free lunch will be provided to each volunteer's kids.**

Below is the roster for term 4:

Week	Date	Class	Class
1	11-13/10	1/2J	KB
2	18-20/10	1/2C	KS
3	25-27/10	3/4W	1/2D
4	1-3/11	3/4B	1/2J
5	8-10/11	5/6W	1/2C
6	15-17/11	KS	3/4W
7	22-24/11	KB	3/4B
8	29/11-1/12	SU	5/6W
9	6-8/12	5/6HM	5/6M
10	13-15/12	1/2D	SU

Tasks can include unpacking deliveries, preparing sandwiches, collecting orders, making pizzas, chopping fruits and veggies and serving the students – no experience needed as you will be guided by our canteen staff.

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Meiran Rubinstein

Canteen Co-ordinator

truscottstreetpublicschool-cant@pandcaffiliate.org.au

Community News



NSW public schools open these holidays!

We're proudly sharing our space with the local community.



MEADOWBANK SCHOOL HOLIDAY BASKETBALL CAMP

MARSDEN HIGH SCHOOL

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AGES 5 - 14

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**TENNIS
WORLD**
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TENNIS CAMP

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- CAMP 1: 18/09-22/09
- CAMP 2: 25/09-29/09
- CAMP 3: 03/10-06/10 *
- CAMP 4: 09/10 ONLY

COST:

\$80 PER FULL DAY

\$60 PER HALF DAY

OR

\$299 FOR 5 DAY WEEK

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The City of Ryde is running a poetry competition to celebrate the annual Granny Smith Festival, contestants must create their own poem inspired by the Granny Smith Apple and/or Festival. The Competition is open to anyone from grades K-12, there are three categories:

- K-4 CATEGORY** - Write an acrostic poem using the letters of Granny Smith.
- GRADES 5-8 AND GRADES 9-12 CATEGORIES** - Write a poem of their choosing (maximum 25 lines).
- GREAT PRIZES TO BE WON!**



To enter, email the poem, contestants name and age group to events@ryde.nsw.gov.au

Entries close on Friday 22 September 2023. View prize details and terms and conditions at ryde.events/GSF

Community News

Established in 1911, Sydney Technical High School, located in Bexley and close to several major transport links, is an academically selective secondary school for gifted and high achieving boys.

Sydney
Technical
High School



Many of our proud alumni are currently leaders in their field and our strong connection with them allows for authentic networking opportunities.

Our staff are experts in delivering highly engaging and challenging curriculum for our diverse learners with strong links to the UNSW's GERRIC faculty.



The STHS Performing Ensembles music program has over one hundred student participants playing over thirty different instruments and receive mentoring and specialised tuition.



We are highly successful members of the St George Sport Association with weekly grade competition each Wednesday afternoon in disciplines such as basketball, soccer, Oztag, cricket, volleyball, table tennis and tennis. This is complemented by our recreational sport program and includes fencing, fitness, ten pin bowling and beach walking.

Our extra curricular program offers outstanding opportunities for every student to connect and thrive in our school's high expectations culture in many fields including public speaking, debating, chess, the Duke of Edinburgh Award, digital media, Latin, entrepreneurism, coding and much more.

Our Open Morning is 9:30am on Tuesday 10 October 2023



Students seeking entrance into Year 7 must participate in selection procedures organised by the Department of Education. For further information contact the High Performing Students Team on 1300 880 367 or email: ssu@det.nsw.edu.au

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An Academically Selective School for Boys

686 Forest Road Bexley 2207

Enquiries to the School: 8566 2600

www.sydneytech-h.schools.nsw.gov.au

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Art Matters

Year 5 and 6 visual arts workshop

Work with artists Naomi Segal, Paris Taia and Jana Hawkins-Anderson across a variety of artmaking media and techniques.

Penrith Regional Gallery

Dates Thursday 21 and
Friday 22 September
(Term 3 Week 10)

Cost \$50 per student



NORMANHURST BOYS HIGH SCHOOL

Fostering excellence in young men through holistic education



Open Day

For Prospective Year 7 2025/2026 Families

On the day, there will be a Principal's Address and free school tours.

Thursday 21 September 2023

Registration by 10:00 am on
Tuesday 19 September 2023 is essential!

Register at:
<https://nbhs.nsw.edu.au/open-day-2023/>

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Web: normanhurstboys.nsw.edu.au
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