



# THE TOOBANNA TABLOID

Term 2, Week 9, 2023

Opportunity through  
Endeavour

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## Our School Rules

Be SAFE

Be RESPECTFUL

Be a LEARNER

### Upcoming Events

**23 June - Rewards Day - last day of term 2**

**Monday 10 July - first day of term 3**

**28 July - Small school athletics carnival**

**9 August - Townsville Civic Theatre Live Show**

**10 August - Barnes Cup**

**18 August - Deadly Australians Show**

**21 August - P&C meeting for term 3 at 3pm**

**1 September - Student Free Day - Staff professional development day**

**15 September - Last day of term 3 - Rewards day**

**2 October - Public Holiday**

**3 October - First day of term 4**

### REGULAR WEEKLY EVENTS

Home reading folders returned everyday.

Monday—Library books due and Religion

Tuesday—Italian and Physical Education with Mutarnee

Wednesday—Tuckshop orders due (\$7 per child)

Thursday—Tuckshop and Strings Program (for nominated students)

**Lessons start at 9am. Student socialisation and preparation for learning starts at 8.30. Please aim to arrive between 8.30 and 9am for a smooth start to the day. Every day and every minute of every lesson counts!**

Please speak to staff, phone the school on 47772124 or text on 0477368685 if your child is going to be absent. We need to record reasons for absences but they must be reported by an adult to school staff verbally, by note or via a phone message. We are not able to record absences reported by students.

## Reports

Student Academic Reports will be sent home late next week.

We follow the Australian curriculum and the Queensland guidelines to determine our assessment and reporting requirements.

Every child has been assessed in English, Maths, Science, Health and Physical Education.

Year 3/5 and 6 students have also been assessed in HASS with Year 5 and 6 being assessed additionally in Italian (LOTE) and Digital Technology.

There is an overall comment that will highlight the areas of most growth for your child and the areas that will be the focus for future growth.

Please notice the effort gradings as well as the academic achievement of your child and talk with Mrs Franklin or Mrs Gaggiano if you have any questions or concerns.

We hope that you will use this report as a starting point for talking with your child about their learning behaviours and effort.

## Paluma Camp

We had a wonderful time at Paluma! It was wet but that didn't stop us from doing any of our activities. We just donned our raincoats and got on with the fun. We had an abundance of food, lots of laughs and loads of specialised learning opportunities. We hope your child has shared their stories with you.

We would like to thank everyone for their part in making the camp possible.

Firstly our adult supervisors, Mrs Gaggiano, Mrs Jensen and Mr Myran for their time, organisation, compassion, kindness and fun spirits. The fabulous Paluma Staff for accommodating our every need. Thanks to Mrs Murray for organising the paperwork and bus. Thanks to our patient and kind bus driver who endured our singing all the way down the mountain. Thanks to the P&C for helping to fund the trip. Thanks to you the parents for making sure your children had everything they needed including the confidence to be away from you for 2 nights. Finally a big thank you to our wonderful students who overwhelmingly participated in the camp with safety, respect and learning as their guiding rules.



**TASMAN TURTLE'S**  
*Big Day Out*

Tasman Turtle's Big Day Out is a free family event that focuses on being environmentally friendly

**SATURDAY 24**  
**JUNE 2023**

**9.00AM - 2.00PM**  
**TYTO PARKLANDS**  
**73/75 MCILWRAITH**  
**STREET INGHAM**

**FAMILY ENTERTAINMENT**  
**ECO-FRIENDLY ACTIVITIES**  
**FOOD AND DRINKS**

For further information please visit Council's website, Events Calendar page [www.hinchinbrook.qld.gov.au](http://www.hinchinbrook.qld.gov.au)

### **Look out for those cane trains!**

Cane trains are on the move again ahead of the start of crushing at Wilmar Sugar's Victoria and Macknade mills.

Our Herbert mills are set to start production from **Monday, 19 June**.

It is time to switch on your train brain and be on the lookout for cane trains hauling full and empty cane bins to and from the mill.

Cane trains operate 24 hours a day, seven days a week during the crushing season.

They are big and heavy, which means they can't stop quickly.



**CRUSHING TIME IS ON AGAIN**

**Use your train brain**

**GIVE WAY TO CANE TRAINS**

-  Stay alert
-  Obey the signs
-  Always give way to cane trains

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