

# Tunable Creek Public School



Respect - Integrity - Participation

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Hi everyone,

This is the final week before the big Performing Arts begins. I hope that you have purchased your tickets. It's lovely to see some of our students participating in the Small School's choir as well- always a treat.

Reminder that Monday is our rehearsal. All students will need to be prepared with recess/lunch ready in their bags as there is NO access to food at the Workers Club. It is really important everyone has a drink bottle as well.

Miss Jodie has asked that students bring in a pillowcase to put their clothes in after they have changed into costumes. She would like this for Monday's rehearsal. Please bring these in either tomorrow or Friday.

## Bundjalung languages

Last Friday, Trudy began the Bundjalung program across our schools. As well as a review of previous lessons, Trudy is now teaching the correct spelling of the words with the students. The students have picked up the language quite well. Of course they have learnt how to say 'Shh- put a sock in it!' quite quickly.

## Positivity and forward thinking

This week we began our Strengths-based lesson on looking through the windscreen of a car. We can still see what's happening in the rearview mirror, but our journey is continuing on to where we want to go.

We related this to life. Our past is still there, but smaller when we look back. Our road is before us and we can see more of it. Sometimes we don't always see what's coming around the corner, or the pothole and sometimes even the speed hump is worse than we thought. However, we can use our strengths and strategies to move on. We can also choose to keep the good memories too and go back to those moments.



## Upcoming Events

### Thursday 29 August

NETBALL – Sporting Schools continues

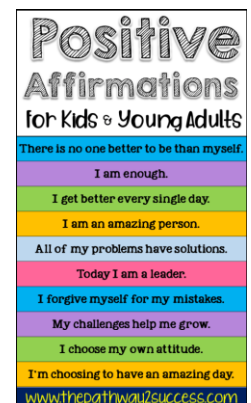
### Thursday 5 September

Lismore Performing Arts Festival  
Performance 6.30pm (Lismore Workers Club)

### Thursday 19 September

Talk Like A Pirate Day  
Half day Lismore Cup Day

(Donations via Facebook page- Proceeds to Our Kids)



## Netball

Really impressed with the skills the students are challenging themselves with – and Patsy does challenge them! They had a great game and remembered to pivot, not travel, throw confidently, defend and be in the right spots. We recently purchased a moveable netball ring and our other ring will be fixed soon too.

The Sporting Schools Program has certainly allowed our School to enhance our Sports Program.

## Our Garden

Like everyone else's garden, ours is suffering with the lack of rain, hence our Kitchen Garden part of the program is on hold. However, we are still tending to the garden and looking at new ways to care for it.

I've recently purchased equipment to put in our Well-being Garden. We also need to complete the play areas as well. The students started by painting the pipes last week with the background colours for their art work. We have such talented, creative students.

Mrs Bath





