

Temora West

Empowering our students to reach their full potential

PUBLIC SCHOOL

THE SCRIBBLY GUM



Term 2 Week 10 2019

Principal's Report

Well done to our debaters and Public Speakers!! They are really achieving success in this area. The debater's topic was 'School work should be done on the internet!' In Public Speaking Kianna Whyburn spoke on the topic 'It's complicated'. She spoke with confidence and animation and won her division! Great work Kianna!

FoIM

The students going to the Opera House for the Festival of Instrumental music have been practising at school almost every day! Now they will have to carry that over to the holidays so that they are ready for week 2. Parents can help by getting the students to play one of the three songs each night. They will need to know it without the music by the time we go. YouTube can be a help for practise. Look at FoIM Three Brothers 2019. The other two songs are Simple Gifts and Bluz for Suz (both the tempo version). Remember practise each day. It will really help them remember!

SDD

We are nearly at the end of what has been an extremely busy Term 2. The reports have been sent home and most of the teacher parent interviews are complete. I would like to congratulate every student on the wonderful effort, enthusiasm and personal achievements they have made. I would encourage all families to celebrate their children's achievements, as well as discuss their learning goals for next semester. School Times

Our School hours for our students are from 9:15 – 3:15. Teachers commence morning playground duty at 8:45 am. If parents are waiting for their children of an afternoon can you make sure you are in the COLA area. It is very distracting for the whole class if parents are at the classroom windows.

Term 3

The first day of Term 3 Monday 22nd July, is a School Development Day for teachers. This term we will be working from 8.30am to 7.00pm. This will be one of the days that will replace the School Development Days at the end of the year. The other is after school on Monday 26 August. Neither of these days affect the students who finish on Wednesday 18th Dec, 2019.

We are looking forward to Term 3 and students return on Tuesday 23rd July.

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PUBLIC SPEAKING SUCCESS

Congratulations to Kianna Whyburn, Jacob Frazier, Abbey Rayner and Layla Bickham who had the privilege to represent the school at the Public Speaking Competition in Cootamundra last Thursday. Kianna was chosen to speak at regionals later next term after winning her division which is absolutely wonderful! She presented her original speech on the topic 'It's complicated' and then prepared an impromptu speech on 'Waste of time'.

It is fantastic to see that our students are doing so well in the debating and public speaking area and generally putting themselves out there and having a go. Well done, we are proud of you all!!



RESPONSIBLE PET OWNERSHIP

CALENDAR

WEEK 1

Tues 23rd July Students Return

Wed 24th July Book Week Performance @ 2pm

WEEK 2

Tues 30th July FIOB- Sydney

Wed 31st July FIOB-Concert Night

Thur 1st Aug Temora's Got Talent

UPCOMING

Fri 9th Aug Zone Athletics Temora

DEBATING

The year 6 girls debating team consisting of (Stevie, Sarah, Zoe and Hallie) travelled to Arah Park for their Round 2 debate. The team debated as the affirmative on the topic 'School work should be done on the internet' and unfortunately lost the debate but they are all looking forward to their next debates in Term 3! Well done girls.

RESPONSIBLE PET OWNERSHIP

We were fortunate enough to be able to have the travelling 'Responsible pet ownership' program come to our school again this week. This program educates children about safe pet interaction and basics of responsible pet ownership. It provides information and strategies to ensure child and pet relationship is a happy and safe one. The students thoroughly enjoyed the visit and hopefully they took something away from the important information given.

SRC FUNDRAISER - PJ DAY

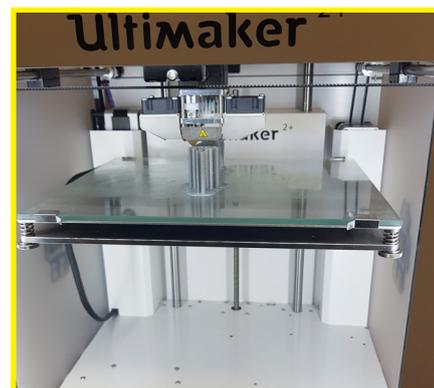
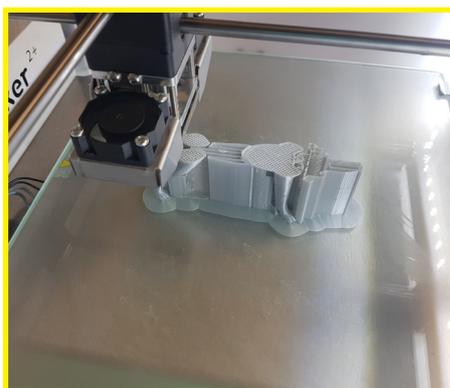


3D PRINTER

At Temora West Public School, we are fortunate enough to have a brand new 3D printer. Although this is a recent addition, we have been busy putting the printer through its paces by printing some exciting 3D models.

Students will get the opportunity, through a solutions-focused Enrichment Program, to design, refine and print their own 3D models.

We believe this is a unique way to engage the students and also bridge the gap between digital technology and design technology and prepare students for an innovative future.



STEM4TEN

As we approach the final week of Term 2, this also sees the last lesson of the STEM4TEN program that Stage 3 have been participating in. The students have loved the program immensely and have been exposed to many facets of robotics & technology along the way. Ben, the teacher even managed to land his drone with precision in the long golden hair of one of the Year 5 students shortening it by a strand or two.



STUDENT OF THE FORTNIGHT



Savanah Walker - 3/4 M

Savanah is a committed and enthusiastic learner who does her best at all times. She is friendly to others and is always willing to help out her classmates and teacher. Savanah is well mannered, responsible and an excellent role model.

Congratulations Sav!!!!

HONOUR AWARDS 28.6.19

Maci McKinnon - 1	Savanah Walker - 1
Beau Reardon - 1	Belle Wilesmith - 1
Riley Smith - 5	Olivia Roberts - 1
Beau Fernance- 1	Cooper Roberts - 1
Jake Anderson - 5	Peyton Hammond - 7
Indy Wilesmith - 3	Rommy Wilesmith - 2
Cooper Fernance - 1	

PRINCIPAL AWARDS 28.6.19

Riley Smith - 1st Principal Award
Peyton Hammond - 1st Principal Award
Jake Anderson - 2nd Principal Award

TOUCH FOOTBALL KNOCKOUT

Year 5 and 6 students competed against Temora Public School in the Touch Football Knockout on Thursday 27th June. Both the girls and boys teams displayed great sportsmanship and were very encouraging of each other. The boys were great in defence with the score board nil all up until 3 minutes before half time. The girls are to be congratulated on their excellent team work. Unfortunately neither team progressed to the next round.



NETBALL KNOCKOUT

A group of Year 6 girls travelled to The Stadium yesterday to play Netball against Temora Public School. All girls played extremely well, scoring even with TPS in the second and third quarters. It was lovely to see great sportsmanship from both teams, with smiles all round.



GOLF

A massive thank you once again to our golf instructors for running the 5 week program across K-6. It was thoroughly enjoyed by the students and they particularly enjoyed the session at the Golf Club to try their best getting a 'hole in one'. We hope that by giving the students exposure to different sports such as this, they may decide to give it a go outside of school.



All smiles in 3/4M

