Tregeagle District Athletics Carnival

Last Friday we held the Tregeagle District Athletics Carnival. The students were excellent representatives for our school and competed to the best of their ability in the different events. Thank you to all the parents who attended and the Kadina High School students who helped with the running of the carnival. Thank you to Tregeagle P&C who ran the canteen throughout the day and of course to the students for their fantastic efforts.

The major results are:

**Age Champions:**

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Overall Point Score Winners:

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The P&C raffle winners on the day were:

1st prize - Coles / Myer Gift Voucher - Tamara Akins
2nd prize - $30 Event Movie Card – Kerrin Molyneux
3rd prize - Hamper – Anne Groves
4th prize - 2 x $20 Coles / Myer Vouchers – Finnlan Burgess and Jacqui Payne

Education Week

Tregeagle Public School has been celebrating Education Week through participation in the Coastal Kidz Concert, the Plateau to the Sea Ballina Fair exhibition, our captains being part of a radio station program and our own Skipathon/Sportathon. It has been great, once again, to see so many parents supporting our students throughout the week. We are so fortunate here at Tregeagle Public School that we have this parent support not only for our students and school but for public education in general.

The students at Tregeagle Public School continually display the benefits of attending a public school and the benefits that can be gained from doing so.

Coastal Kidz Concert

Congratulations to the school choir for their outstanding performance of “The Moon” and “Thank You for the Music” on Tuesday night. For the smallest choir there you had a truly amazing sound and visual presence.

Congratulations also to the Stage 3 dance group who pulled it all together and gave an unforgettable performance at the concert. For a week and a half’s practise and rehearsal you did an astounding job. As everyone has commented to me, we were the only ones to do something different and combine song, dance and drama in our item and perform so professionally. All the students should be extremely proud of themselves for the effort they have put into this and for the high level of performance they have achieved.

On top of the great performances, the behaviour of every one of our students was exemplary and once again I am so very, very proud to be your Principal.

Thank you to two mums Chiquita for the choreography of the Stage 3 dance and Cherina for doing the hair and makeup. The standard of our item was certainly increased because of these parents input. Thank you also to Mrs Igoe and Mrs Spence for preparing the school choir so well and having them sing so harmoniously. Thank you to all the parents who transported students down to Ballina RSL on the night.

Sportathon/Skipathon

Tomorrow is our annual Sportathon/Skipathon. Parents are invited to come along and watch their children participate in a rotation of activities. The event will begin at 12:20pm and end at approximately 1:10pm.

It is not too late to get and bring in sponsorship forms. It was stated that forms had to be in by 26th July but they do not need to be in now until next Friday 9th August. This is a great fun activity and $200 of the funds raised on the day will go to the Australian Heart Foundation. The school is hoping to raise funds to update the air conditioners in the kindergarten and senior classrooms.
Thank You
We would like to thank Amanda and Leone Buckley for helping out with prizes for the Sportathon/Skipathon. Our school really appreciated this.

Japanese Cultural Day – Thursday 8th August
This cultural day marks the 50th Anniversary celebrations of the sister city agreement between Lismore and Yamata Takada and provides students with an opportunity to experience first-hand some features of Japanese culture. Please return permission notes and money by Monday 5th August.

Kindergarten 2014 Parent Information Night – Tuesday 20th August
Our Kindergarten 2014 Parent Information Night is on Tuesday 20th August at 6:30pm. If you know of any school age children in the Tregeagle area, please let them know we are now taking enrolments for 2014 and to contact the school.

Natalie Lennon
Principal

Ballina Fair Performance
Well done to all the children that went to Ballina Fair and performed in either the Stage 2 Dance group or the choir. The students were beautiful and it is a pleasure to take them out of the school. Thank you to the parents that came along to watch, it is wonderful for the kids to see smiling faces in the audience.

Mrs Tinker

The performers of the Stage 2 dance group would like to thank Mrs Tinker for choreographing and preparing the dancers and also Mrs Igoe for preparing the choir for their performance.

Paradise FM Radio Station
This afternoon John R and Olivia G attended Paradise FM radio station in Ballina to discuss the events that Tregeagle School has been involved in during Education Week. Well done to both of them for such a wonderful contribution. It can be very tricky to talk freely about events and they both did very well.

Mrs Tinker

Tregeagle Koala Habitat Restoration
The Junior Landcare group have been invited to attend the project launch of Tregeagle Koala Habitat Restoration and Corridor Connections, being held on Tuesday the 6th of August. The launch will take place on Connors Road. As the launch begins at 9am students need to be at school by 8:45am in order for us to get everyone into cars and drive to the venue.

This is a wonderful community event for the students of Tregeagle Public School to be involved in and assists in developing environmental awareness in our students. Parents are invited to attend also, if they would like to.

Students will need to wear full school uniform and comfortable enclosed shoes. It is also essential that they bring their school hat and a bottle of water. A note has been sent home and needs to be returned to Mrs Tinker as soon as possible. If you are able to provide a lift to your child and others please indicate on the note that was sent home. We really appreciate all your help!

Mrs Tinker

To view “P&C news and Canteen Roster” go to Tregeagle Public School website – www.tregeagle-p.schools.nsw.edu.au and click on the P&C Tab
Honesty

“Be yourself; everyone else is already taken.”
— Oscar Wilde

You are being honest when you...

- Do your own homework
- Tell a friend the truth
- Explain the real reason you didn’t turn in your homework
- Keep your eyes on your own paper
- Clean up your room after making a promise
- Give the cashier the extra money she gave you by mistake
- Write a report in your own words instead of copying
- Admit you made the mistake
- Keep a friend’s secret
- Turn in a wallet full of money that you found

8 great reasons to tell the truth

1. Telling the truth lets everyone know what really happened. There’s less chances of misunderstandings, confusion, or conflict.
2. Telling the truth protects innocent people from being blamed or punished.
3. Telling the truth allows everyone to learn from what happened.
4. You usually get into less trouble for telling the truth than for lying (and getting caught).
5. Other people trust you more when you tell the truth.
6. You don’t have to tell more lies to keep your story straight.
7. You gain a reputation for being truthful - a trait that most people value.
8. Telling the truth helps you feel secure and peaceful inside.
Book Parade and Book Fair

Wednesday 14th August

THEME – Reading Across the Universe

Come dressed with the theme in mind, come dressed as a character from your favourite book or make a poster to carry around

Where: Book Parade in COLA Area
Book Fair – Library

Parents and family members are invited to attend!!