From the Principal

Late last week we were notified of a staff appointment to the school. Katrina McAulay has been appointed as a School Admin Officer (SAO) one day per week and is replacing Mrs Carrie Turner. Katrina will commence next term on Thursday 23rd April and will be helping Mrs Fowler in the office.

I would like to thank Carrie for her professionalism and dedication to her work in the office. We will still be seeing her in her role as a scripture teacher and a school learning support officer.

On Monday 20th April there will not be any SAS staff at the school as there is a big SASS conference being held. Mrs Fowler and Mrs Turner will be attending this conference. Teaching staff will be at school.

I hope that everyone enjoys the holidays and has a great Easter.

All students are to return on Tuesday 21st April for the commencement of Term 2.

ANDREW RODGERS

School Cross Country / Adidas Fun Run

The Adidas School Fun Run is again being held in conjunction with our annual schools cross country on Friday 8th May, commencing at 9.45am.

Each student has been given a sponsorship form this week. All sponsorship forms and money need to be in at the office on Thursday 7th May. This allows time for money to be tallied and prizes to be ordered. We have chosen to not register for online fundraising. All fundraising is to be done by sponsorship forms being returned to school. A large percentage of the money that is fund-raised is given back to the school.

There are some great prizes up for grabs, so start collecting your sponsorship money during the holidays.

Training has already commenced for the cross country in daily PE time. If your child wishes they can wear their joggers for PE or alternatively they can bring their joggers in a bag to wear just for running.

Parents are welcome to attend and watch the students run. The run will be followed by presentation of ribbons.

Labelling of Student's Belongings

Please ensure that ALL items of clothing, lunch boxes, drink bottles, bags etc are clearly marked with your child's/children's name on them.

We still have a collection of lunch boxes, drink bottles and cutlery in a box on the office verandah, that are waiting to be claimed. If they are still there at the end of week 2 they will be donated to an op shop.

Reminders

Student Workbook Fees

2015 student workbook fees have been finalised. If you are unsure of how much you are required to pay please see Mrs Fowler in the office.

Please ensure that these fees are paid to the school no later than 1st June.
Again, thank you to the families who have so promptly paid their child’s/children’s workbook fees.

**SRC (Student Representative Council)**

**Mother’s Day Celebrations**

Mother’s Day is on Sunday 10th May. This year we are asking that you make or buy a gift (no home-made food please) to the value of $3 and bring it to school before Friday 1st May. This will enable us to wrap all the gifts for the stall to be held on Friday 8th May. As the gifts are brought to the school office it will be recorded as to how many gifts your child/children bring.

If your child/children will be purchasing more than one gift, they will need to bring in the number of gifts that they wish to buy. On the day of the stall each child will need to bring $3 to buy a gift.

Also on Friday 8th May a morning tea will be held to thank and celebrate the lovely ladies in our lives. We invite you and your family and friends to share morning tea with our school community. We are asking for contributions of treats to serve at morning tea.

**P & C News**

**Canteen News**

Congratulations to Peita Maybury who has taken on the voluntary position of canteen coordinator, replacing Georgie Pollard. Peita will commence next term.

The $20 Term 1 canteen volunteer award has been awarded to Kate Butler.

**Fundraising**

The P & C are having a bulb fundraiser to raise vital funds for the students of our school.

Attached to last week’s newsletter was a bulb, as well as stickers, brochure. The order form is in the brochure.

All orders, together with money, must be returned to the school no later than Friday 8th May. Bulbs will be delivered to the school by the end of May.

Your bulb order will be much appreciated by the P & C.

**Assembly Awards**

**Merit Awards**

K-1W - Finn Appleby, Kyiah Holland (from last week)
1-2R - Henry Moran
3-4A - Aaron Frost-Guider
5-6R - Logan Burkett

**Student Choice Awards**

K-1W - Caleb Maybury
1-2R - Jacyntha Flemming
3-4A - Madison Roe
5-6R - Noah Clark
Bronze Certificate Awardees
Lucy Henry-Berryman, Georgia Staniland, Jacyntha Flemming, Koby Urquhart, Jack Tolhurst, Daniel Froud, Cooper Burch, Casey Goymer, Benaiah Maybury, Mia Fletcher and Nikita Potapov.

Tintinhull Public School has formed a partnership with Bakers Delight, Tamworth, as a part of the Doughraiser program.

As part of the Doughraiser program, Bakers Delight Tamworth supports schools within the local community by donating a portion of sales back to the school.

Families from Tintinhull Public School can help raise money for the school by simply purchasing your bread at Bakers Delight Tamworth at: Kmart Plaza and Shoppingworld.

All you need to do is mention to the staff member that you are from Tintinhull Public School. The bakery will then keep a record of all sales from the school so that a donation can be made at the completion of the promotion in the form of a cheque.

Ensure you buy your bread from Bakers Delight Tamworth so that our school can benefit from the donation. And don’t forget to say that we are signed up to the Doughraiser program!
# Dates for Your Diary

## Term 2 Dates

### Week 1
- **Monday 20\(^{th}\) April**  
  Staff Development Day
- **Tuesday 21\(^{st}\) April**  
  Students return to school to commence Term 2

### Week 3
- **Friday 8\(^{th}\) May**  
  School Cross Country/Fun run;  
  Mother's Day stall and morning tea for Mums

### Week 4
- **Tuesday 12\(^{nd}\) May**  
  NAPLAN tests for Years 3 and 5
- **Wednesday 13\(^{rd}\) May**  
  NAPLAN tests for Years 3 and 5
- **Thursday 14\(^{th}\) May**  
  NAPLAN tests for Years 3 and 5

### Week 9
- **Thursday 18\(^{th}\) June**  
  Athletics Carnival at Tamworth Regional Sporting complex

### Week 10
- **Friday 26\(^{th}\) June**  
  Last day of Term 2