

## FINGAL HEAD PUBLIC SCHOOL



### Dates to remember...

#### Religious Education

♦ Tuesday

#### Story Dog

♦ Wednesday

#### Library borrowing

♦ K-2 Thursday

♦ 3-6 Thursday

#### AFL Sport

♦ Thursday

#### Student Breakfast

♦ Friday

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#### Science Discovery Day

♦ Wednesday, 12 October

#### District Public Speaking Comp.

♦ Wednesday, 12 October

#### TRIVIA Night

♦ Saturday, 15 October

#### State Athletics Championships

♦ 19 and 20 October.

#### Currumbin Wildlife Sanctuary

♦ Friday, 28 October

#### Bunnings Barbeque

♦ Saturday 29, October

#### Yrs 3-6 Dorroughby Camp

♦ 2,3,4 November

#### Last Day of Term 4 for students

♦ Friday, 16 December

#### Last Day of Term 4 for staff

♦ Tuesday, 20 December

\* Welcome back to Term 4.

### **Congratulations.... Small Schools Ball Games Day.**

The students had a fantastic day at the Small Schools Ball Games day at the end of last Term.

Our Tug-a-War team placed 1st and our Junior Ball Games Team were runners up.

### **Fingal Head School Public Speaking**

Congratulations to all of our students for participating in our in-school public speaking competition.

#### Section 1—Kindergarten, Year 1 and 2

Winner	Sibella
Runner Up	Kurtley
Encouragement Awards	Reggie and Karalaya

#### Section 2—Years 3 and 4

Winner	Allira
Runner Up	Sufi
Encouragement Awards	George and Malu

#### Section 3—Years 5 and 6

Winner	Charli
Runner Up	Cai
Encouragement Awards	Milan and Ezra

Charli, Allira and Sibella will progress to represent the school and compete in the Far North Coast Public Speaking Competition being held this Wednesday, 12 October at Uki School.

*We wish them all the best in the competition!*

### **Trivia Night....this Saturday**

Our trivia Night will be held at the school this Saturday, 15 October. ***Time to book your table or seat for our major fundraiser for the year, if you have not already done so. There are still some tables available.***

The Theme of the night is “**Movies**”. We can seat 8 Movie Stars on each table and would like to fill 8 tables.....

This is one of our major fundraisers for the year, so make it a fun night by inviting friends and family to make up a table or purchase a single ticket and we will place you at a table.

Tickets are \$20 each and bookings are being taken at the school.

We have great prizes, but would like more for our games and raffles.

Please see attached flyer for further information.

### **Currumbin Wildlife Sanctuary**

Unfortunately, due to the wet weather at the end of last term our visit to the Currumbin Wildlife Sanctuary was postponed until Friday, 28 October

### **Term 4 Sport....AFL**

We have booked an AFL coach for our Term 4 sports activity. Our coach is qualified and registered with the Sporting Schools Program.

There will be no cost to the students as we have been approved for funding through Sporting School.

Sports will be each Thursday, commencing this week.

### **Support for our State Athletics Team .....Raffle**

Maddie’s family have very generously donated proceeds from their raffle to our Athletics

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Team.

*Many thanks.....*

We have sent home a book of raffle ticket per family. This is a fantastic opportunity for our Team, so please show your support by selling as many tickets as possible.

**Raffle books sold or unsold are now due in!**

*There are some great prizes!*

Scooter and Helmet...Various Vouchers:  
Maddie and Lil Boutique Voucher, Unique Nails and Beauty, 'Hair' Salon, the Pot and Pint, Kingscliff Bowls Club, Katmandoo and many more!

**Bunnings Barbeque Fundraiser**

Bunnings at South Tweed Heads support community non-profit organisations by allowing these groups to hold barbeques with the sole purpose of fundraising. Each year we include our name in the Bunning Barbeque draw and hope that our name is drawn. This is our lucky year, and our school has secured a date for Saturday, 29 October from 8.00am to 4.00pm. (2 weeks time)

This is a great opportunity to raise funds for our school, as fundraising has been very restricted over the past 2 years.

To make this day successful, we will need volunteers. Unfortunately, this date is not negotiable and a few of our parents have indicated they will not be available. We are setting a roster and ideally 2-hour time slots are preferred. At this stage we have volunteers for the morning and midday session but are **needing helpers for the afternoon.**

If you are not available for a 2-hour timeslot and you can spare any time to pick up, setup or pack up that would be fantastic. We will need at least 4 people at a time, preparing/cleaning, cooking, and serving on the barbeque.

Please indicate your availability on the response sheet below and return it to the school as soon as possible. *Many thanks.*

**Kindergarten Orientation Days**

We will be holding our Kindergarten Orientation program on the following days and times.

- ◆ Wednesday, 9 November 9.00am to 11.30am
- ◆ Thursday, 10 November 9.00am to 3.00pm

- ◆ Friday, 11 November 9.00am to 3.00pm

We have also scheduled 3 additional optional days for the children to join their class on Friday the 18 November, 25 November and 2 December from 8.30am to 3.00pm.

Please send your child with fruit, lunch, morning tea, water bottle and hat.

Parents are invited to join us for a 'Meet and Greet' morning tea on Wednesday, 9 November from 10.30am to 11.30am.

Enrolment Forms will be available at this time. Please bring along your child's Birth Certificate, Proof of Residency and Immunisation details if you have not already provided them.

Uniforms will be available to purchase or order on this day.

Please pass this information on to any parents enrolling or considering enrolling their child in Kindergarten 2023 and encourage them to contact the school on 07 5524 2315 prior to Orientation day.

**Reminder.....**

**Presentation Picnic Day**

Our Student Presentation Day will be held on Wednesday, 7 December in our MPU, School Hall. We invite parents and family members to bring a picnic lunch, (BYO) and stay for family games. We will be sharing a graduation cake with our Year 6 students also.

**Details:**

- Presentation Assembly 11.00am to 12.30pm
- Picnic Lunch (BYO) 12.30pm to 1.00pm
- Family Games 1.00pm to 2.00pm

*Please mark this date on your calendar.*

**2023 Enrolments**

If you know of any parents considering enrolling their children in 2023, please encourage them to contact the school as soon as possible.

Out of Zone Enrolment Forms are available from the school and applications for next year will be considered upon request.

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## Friday Breakfast

Don't forget breakfast each Friday morning at 8.30am. No early arrivals please.

## COVID-19 update

Students must not attend school if unwell, even with mild symptoms. Any student with any COVID-19 symptoms must be sent home and not return to school unless:

- ◆ they have negative COVID-19 test result and are symptom free
- ◆ they have obtained a medical certificate stating their condition.

## School Website

A reminder to check our school website for updates. You will find our weekly newsletter on this also.

Occasionally photographs are taken of individual students or classes and may be included on our School Website. If you DO NOT wish your child's photo to appear on the Website please notify the school.

## School Travel

Applications for 2022 school travel are available via [www.transportnsw.info/school-students](http://www.transportnsw.info/school-students)

A new application is required if you are applying for a travel pass for the first time; enrolling in Kindergarten or requesting an additional entitlement as a result of a shared parental responsibility situation. New bus passes will be mailed to the school within the next 2 weeks.

## Online Payments

Parents can make online payments to the school for amounts owing for students, via a secure payment page hosted by Westpac. Payments can be made using either a Visa or MasterCard credit or debit card, and can be made via computer, tablet or mobile phone.

The payment page is accessed from the main page menu on the schools website by selecting [\\$ Make a payment](#).

Items that can be paid include voluntary school contributions, subject contributions, excursions, sales to students and creative and practical arts activities. There is also a category called 'Other' this to cover items not covered in the previous headings, Other can be used to make a complete payment of a school invoice.

When you access the [\\$ Make a payment](#) you must enter:

- ◆ the students name and payment details

These details are entered each time you make a payment as student information is not held within the payment system.

This is a secure payment system hosted by Westpac to ensure that your credit/debit card details are captured in a secure manner, these details are not passed back to the school.

You have the ability to check and change any details of the payment before the payment is processed. Receipts can be emailed and/or printed.

Details of the payments are passed daily to the school where they will be receipted against your child's account. As a receipt has been issued from the payment page a further receipt will not be issued by the school.

For enquiries regarding the Online Payment process please contact the office.

## Term Dates and Staff Development Days

The last day of Term 4, will be Friday, 16 December for students and Tuesday, 20 December for staff.

Students will finish school on Friday 16 December 2022 due to an additional School Development Day announced for staff across NSW public schools.

With this change, we ask that you arrange alternative care for your child on Monday 19 December.

While there will be no classes on Monday 19 December, if you cannot arrange alternative care for your child, we will provide minimal supervision at school.

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## FINGAL HEAD PUBLIC SCHOOL – SUSHI ORDER

**Order for Monday, 17 October.**

**Form & payment to be returned to school by Thursday, 13 October.**

Please enter the amount of sushi's you would like in the box next to the sushi & complete the details below

**\$2.50 per roll**

Chicken Teriyaki Roll

Chicken & Avocado Roll

Tuna Roll G/F

Tuna & Avocado Roll G/F

Salmon & Avocado Roll G/F

Avocado Roll G/F

Popper \$1 per popper

Name of Child: -- \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed (CASH ONLY):-- \_\_\_\_\_





# Movie Trivia

**Fingal Head School P & C  
invites you to our  
Movie themed Trivia Night**

**\$20.00 per person (8 per table)  
PH: 0755 242 315 to secure tickets!**

PLEASE NOTE: Over 18 years ONLY

Due to NSW Dept. of Education licensing laws

Non-smoking event - Dept. of Education policy

Saturday  
15 October 2022

6.00pm @  
Fingal Head  
School MPU

BYO Drinks  
and Nibbles

Prizes!  
Best Dressed!  
Games! Raffles!

JOIN  
THE FUN!!!



*Thank you for helping us raise funds to support our students and School!*

**Bunnings Barbeque Helpers.....Saturday, 29 October, 2022**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

(Please indicate your preferences by numbering.)

10.00am to 12.00pm

12.00pm to 2.00pm

2.00pm to 4.00pm

Clean up 4.00pm

***Thank you.....***