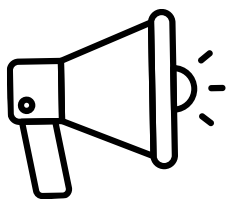




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Acknowledgement

We acknowledge the Wergaia peoples as the traditional custodians of the lands upon which Tyrrell College is situated. We pay our respects to their elders – past, present, and emerging – and we acknowledge their deep care of the lands we live on. We also acknowledge that for tens of thousands of years our First Nation's peoples have engaged in – and passed on – excellent teaching and learning practices on the spaces upon which our community members learn today.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday December 8
Primary swimming program resumes

Friday December 12
Year 6 completion day celebration

Monday December 15
Activities week commences

Wednesday December 17
Presentation night

Thursday December 18
Last day of Term 4- 1.30pm dismissal

Friday December 19
Pupil free day

Term Dates

Term 1: 29 Jan - 4 April
Term 2: 22 Apr - 4 July
Term 3: 21 Jul - 19 Sep
Term 4: 6 Oct - 19 Dec

Purpose Statement & Values

To provide a safe, positive and challenging environment where everyone aspires to aim high and become responsible, caring and contributing community members.

Respect
Responsibility
Honesty
Aim High

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Dear Tyrrell College Community,

The Primary swimming program has begun this week after the crazy weather 'took out' the first two days.

The Torquay Year 9/10 surf camp was very successful too.

Regretfully we have had more than six staff, from the senior school out every day this week, so the 14-20 Year 7/8 students have been taught by 'cover teachers' ever day.

The reporting procedure is well underway, for semester 2 and we look forward to sharing your child's growth data in their report.

Sally Naylor
Principal



MUSIC LESSONS



Expression of interest for 2026

Expressions of interest are now open for 2026 music lessons. Students can take guitar or drum lessons. A list will be generated depending on numbers. \$15 a lesson. Please call the Front office to put your child's name on the list.



(03) 50 702106

****Please note updated activities week schedules pages 8 & 9.**

VCE AG/HORT



Last week, VCE Ag & Hort students were given the opportunity to climb aboard two impressive harvesters in the area: the New Holland CR10 and the John Deere X9. As part of their study into new and emerging innovations and technology, students spent the day riding in the headers, querying the operators and seeing first hand how technology is transforming modern cropping. They saw how new technology can improve: efficiency (more hectares harvested each day), sustainability (less fuel, fewer losses, etc), profitability (higher grain quality and lower operating costs) and workplace safety and comfort. Thank you to these farmers who shared their time, expertise and equipment to provide this hands-on experience, allowing students to connect classroom learning with real-world machinery.

-Ms Kellie Matthews

ONE UP WEEK



2026 Year 7 class



Nine of us made our way to Tyrrell from St Marys.

We were all a bit nervous and worried about what to expect. We met our other classmates and some teachers that we will have next year.

Some classes we did were English, Maths, Science, Art, Digital Tech and P.E.

In Science, we enjoyed making solar ovens, we cooked smores (minus the marshmallows). In P.E we did rotation games, as well as a softball clinic.

During the week we also got to vote for 2026 SRC representatives, next year Year 7 reps are Charli and Brooklyn.

We had a great and engaging week and can't wait for next year!

-Brooklyn and Charli

ONE UP WEEK



2026 Year 8 STEM class

Taken Moments

Friday, November 28

Foundation-

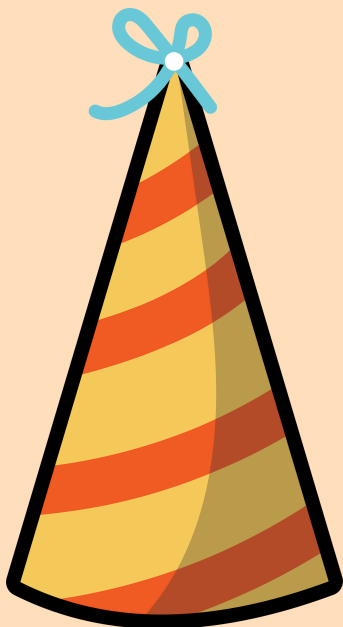
Amelia

Grade 5/6-

Connor



Happy Birthday



December 1-

Teyana Barton

December 6-

Jack Leo

Reading Awards



100 nights:

Aria Tormey

Frankie Butcher

Eliza Henderson



CONGRATULATIONS!

175 nights:

James Millar

200 nights:

Violet South

Demi McInnes





Tyrrell College Parents and Friends **Christmas Raffle**



Tyrrell College Parents and Friends are seeking donations for the annual Christmas hamper raffle, to be drawn at Presentation night.

Any donations big or small are appreciated and can be dropped at the Front Office at Tyrrell College.

We appreciate your donations!



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Tyrrell College
**2025 PRESENTATION
AWARDS CEREMONY**

Date:

Wednesday December 17, 2025

Time:

6 pm

Location:

Sea Lake Community Centre

**Students Foundation-Year 11 are to wear school uniform*



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ALL WELCOME!

ACTIVITIES WEEK

2025

F-5

**MON
15**

POPCORN,
SLUSHIES &
MOVIES
(FUNDED BY PARENTS AND FRIENDS)

WHOLE SCHOOL
SWIMMING

**TUES
16**

MAKING CHRISTMAS TABLE
SETTING
SCAVENGER HUNT / PANCAKE
MAKING
WHOLE SCHOOL CHRISTMAS
LUNCH
JUST DANCE
DANCE OFF

**WED
17**

CHRISTMAS CRAFT
TEAM CHALLENGES

**PRESENTATION
EVENING**

**THU
18**

WHOLE SCHOOL
CLEAN UP

END OF YEAR
CELEBRATIONS

ACTIVITIES WEEK

2025

6-7

**MON
15**

POPCORN,
SLUSHIES &
MOVIES
(FUNDED BY PARENTS AND FRIENDS)

WHOLE SCHOOL
SWIMMING

**TUES
16**

CHRISTMAS BON BONS
WHOLE SCHOOL CHRISTMAS
LUNCHEON
MINUTE TO WIN IT & OTHER TEAM
CHALLENGES

**WED
17**

TIE DYING WITH MEL KELLY
DAMO'S DEN - CALL OF DUTY
AND OTHER TECH FUN

**PRESENTATION
EVENING**

**THU
18**

WHOLE SCHOOL CLEAN
UP

DAMO'S TECH DEN

ACTIVITIES WEEK

2025

8-9

**MON
15**

**POPCORN,
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MOVIES**

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SWIMMING**

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WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Sea Lake and District Community Centre Inc
needs your help!

Built in the early 80s by the community, the complex
is an ageing building in need of desperate repair!

Please help us implement the first stage of the
Master Plan:

Heating and cooling, the stadium floor.

FOR GRAIN DONATIONS - NGR: 15173203

DONATIONS - BSB: 63300 ACC: 111544698

Thank you! All inquiries please contact
Terry Cox 0427792394



ADVANCE SEA LAKE INC.
INVITES YOU TO OUR ANNUAL
SEA LAKE

Christmas STREET PARTY

FRIDAY
12TH DECEMBER, 2025
5PM - 8PM
BEST STREET, SEA LAKE

MARKET STALLS
FACE PAINTING
JUMPING CASTLE
SLOT CARS
FAIRY FLOSS
BBQ TEA, ICY POLES &
FRUIT BOXES





SEA LAKE CHRISTMAS DECORATION COMPETITION

Best House - \$500

Best Shopfront - \$500

Best First Year Entry - \$200

(Please State on Entry)

DECEMBER 1st - 19th

TO ENTER : Email your name, address & number to :

advancesealakeinc@gmail.com

or enter in person at the Sea Lake post office

for any enquiries contact Jenny Newell on 0428 792 334

*All entrants are encouraged to have their light displays on between 8pm and 11pm during the judging period

*The entrant agrees to the property being listed in promotional material on the Advance Sea Lake Inc Facebook page

*All entrants understand that their property may be photographed, and these may be used in promotion of the event

*All entrants will be notified of the results following the judging period between the 17th-19th of Dec from 8pm-11pm. Winners announced Dec 20th on the Advance Sea Lake Website and Facebook

*Please email a photo of your display to be used in promotion of the event