



Week 3-4 | Term 3 | 2023 |

TRINITY TRIBUNE

FROM THE HEAD OF PRIMARY

Term 3 is often a challenging one where we have quite a lot of sickness in the form of colds, stomach bugs etc. The past few weeks have seen many students and staff members unwell. Please keep your children home if they are sick and let the office staff know if this is the case. While our aim is to have everyone here learning, we certainly understand, and appreciate, if you decide to keep your children at home when they are unwell.

On the other hand, students should be attending school regularly, so they do not miss out on important learning. Much of what is taught is systematic, with one concept building upon a previous one. If students are missing vital concepts, it takes a lot longer to catch up with their understanding. So, please book holidays and special events, as much as possible, when school holidays are on.

I wonder if you're looking forward to Book Week as much as I am. The book character parade, for Primary students, will be on Friday morning, 18 August. However, Secondary students and staff are also encouraged to dress up as a favourite book character. I can't wait to see everyone in their costumes. Every year I'm amazed at the creativity of our families.

Speaking of books, Premier's Reading Challenge closes on Friday, 25 August and all forms must be handed into the Library by this date.

Finally, I've noticed many students are bringing toys to school. Toys are only to be brought in for Show and Tell or when requested by teachers. There is a difference between toys and fidget toys. Fidget toys are self-regulation tools to help with focus, attention, calming, and active listening. Although they can be a huge benefit to many students, they can also cause a lot of distraction! Please note: fidget toys must be silent and small enough to fit in your pocket.

Blessed is the man who trusts in the Lord. Jeremiah 17:7

Karen Ferris

UPCOMING EVENTS

TERM 3, 2023

WEEK FIVE

GLADSTONE SHOW DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY

Monday, 14 August

YEAR 9 CAMP - EMU GULLY

Tuesday 15th - Saturday 19th
August 2023

BOOK WEEK PARADE

Prep - Year 6
Friday, 18 August

WEEK SIX

CSSAQ NETBALL

Brisbane
21 - 23 August

FUN WITH MATHS

Prep - Year 6
23 - 25 August

PREMIER'S READING CHALLENGE CONCLUDES

Friday 25 August

WEEK SEVEN

STUDENT FREE DAY

Friday 1 September

CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG

Friday, 1 September
Saturday, 2 September
6:30pm

LUNCH TIME AT TRINITY



OPEN DAY



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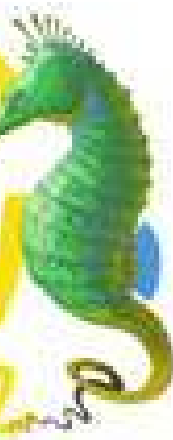
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CHILDREN'S
BOOK WEEK

#CBCA2023

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WEEK 5

PREP - YEAR 6

COSTUME PARADE

FRIDAY, 11 August 8:40am-9am



Trinity College
presents



Friday, 1st September

Saturday, 2nd September

6:30pm

Adults \$15, Concession \$7

Families \$40 (2 adults, 2 kids)

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