

Tuart Times



We ExCEL

**2025
Term One
Week Four**

We acknowledge and pay respect to the past, present, and future traditional custodians of this boodja, the Wadjuk Noongar people, who live, love, and raise their Koolunga here. We are the Tuart mort. We honour the boodja on which we grow, play, and learn.

Bunaru Season	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
 <p>Artwork by Darryl Bellotti</p>	<p><i>Bunuru (February - March)</i> The Noongar Season 'Bunuru' is represented by the colour orange and is the hottest time of the year. <i>Bunuru is the hottest time of the year with little to no rain. Hot easterly winds continue with a cooling sea breeze most afternoons – if you're close to the coast.</i> <i>Traditionally this was, and still is, a great time for living and fishing by the coast, rivers and estuaries. Because of this, freshwater foods and seafood made up major parts of the Noongar people's diet during Bunuru.</i> <i>Bunuru is also a time of the white flowers with lots of white flowering gums in full bloom, including jarrah, marri and ghost gums.</i> <i>Another striking flower to look out for is the female zamia (Macrozamia riedlei). Being much larger than its male counterpart, the huge cones emerge from the centre of the plant with masses of a cotton wool like substance.</i> <i>As the hot and dry weather continues, the seed cones change from green to bright red, indicating they're ripening and becoming more attractive to animals, particularly the emu, that will eat the toxic fleshy outer layer.</i> Source: ECU Birak : Noongar Six Seasons : Cultural Leadership : Kurongkurl Katitjin : Centres</p>				
Term 1 2025 Week 5 March	3 PUBLIC HOLIDAY 	4	5 Junior Choir 7:45am Uniform Shop OPEN 8:15 – 8:45am Tuart House	6 Senior Choir 7:45am	7 Constable Care Puppet Show incursion Lower Primary and Upper Primary shows State Election Sat 8 Mar CRAZY SOCK DAY
Term 1 2025 Week 6 March	10 Jnr Assembly 8:45am PP 1,2,3.	11	12 Junior Choir 7:45am Uniform Shop OPEN 8:15 – 8:45am Tuart House	13 Senior Choir 7:45am	14
Term 1 2025 Week 7 March	17 Snr Assembly 8:45am Yrs 4,5,6	18 P&C Annual General Meeting 5:45 -7:00pm	19 Junior Choir 7:45am Uniform Shop OPEN 8:15 – 8:45am Tuart House	20 Senior Choir 7:45am	21
Term 1 2025 Week 8 March	24 Harmony Day Harmony Assembly	25 Year 5 & 6 Interschool Summer Sports TBC	26	27 School Board Meeting 5:30-7:00pm	28
Term 1 2025 Week 9 March	31 Mar Yr 1 /2 swim TTC Jnr Assembly Year 6 Excursion Parliament House and Constitution Centre	1 Apr Yr 1 /2 swim TTC Dance Lessons Yrs 6,5,4,3	2 Yr 1 /2 swim TTC Dance Lessons Yrs 6,5,4,3 <small>Dianella Secondary College open evening 3:30- 6pm Dianella Secondary College Transition activities 4 - 5pm</small>	3 Yr 1 /2 swim TTC Dance Lessons Yrs 6,5,4,3	4 Yr 1 /2 swim TTC Dance Lessons Yrs 6,5,4,3
Term 1 2025 Week 10 March	7 Yr 1 /2 swim TTC NO ASSEMBLY Dance Lessons Yrs 6,5,4,3 PHOTOS	8 Yr 1 /2 swim TTC Dance Lessons Yrs 6,5,4,3	9 Yr 1 /2 swim TTC Dance Lessons Yrs 6,5,4,3 PHOTOS	10 Yr 1 /2 swim TTC Dance Lessons Yrs 6,5,4,3	11 Yr 1 /2 swim TTC Dance Lessons Yrs 6,5,4,3 ANZAC CEREMONY 2pm PHOTOS
 <p>Term One School Break Friday 12 April – Sunday 27 April inclusive <small>First Day of Term 2 2023 – Monday 28 April 2025 for all students and Staff</small></p>					

From the Principal's Desk

Kaya to our school community.

Noongar Word of the Week



In 2024 our school introduced a Noongar Word of the Week to continue our culturally responsive practice. Our focus for term one is to learn the Noongar names for colours. Each week students will be introduced to a new word in their daily morning circles, as well as at assemblies and in the Tuart Times. This week's Noongar word is: **MIRDA**. The English word for **MIRDA** is the colour red.

Year 6 Parliament Visit

As part of their HaSS Civics and Citizenship studies, our Year 6 students were lucky to have a visit from a former Parliamentarian, Vince Connolly. Vince provided the students with an excellent personal insight into the process of being a candidate and how he campaigned, why he chose this profession, and the qualities required of a leader in this role. The students had the opportunity to ask many questions and enjoyed his visit immensely.



Clean Up Our School Day led by our Year Six Student Leaders



[Clean Up Australia Day](#) will be held this coming Sunday 2 March 2025; to support this worth cause our Recycle Team of Aramis, Arnav, Esad, Jeramiah, Owen W, Pema, Rayan and Sikand donned their Hi-Viz vests today, gathered some litter picking tongs and bucket bins, and gathered a crew of willing Litter Legends. Eight buckets were filled with rubbish found on our grounds, safely picked under the careful supervision of our Litter Legend Leaders. Thanks to all who helped – your care for our environment is greatly appreciated.



The litter pickers and buckets are available every day for any Litter Legend to tidy our grounds and be rewarded with a values card. I look forward to our Litter Legends maintaining our grounds with the help of the Tuart Team.

Celebrating Student Achievements – Senior Assembly

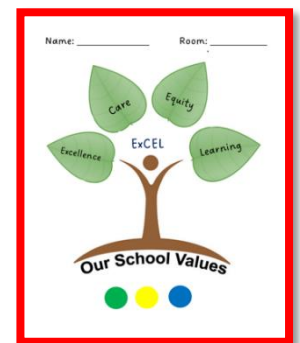


Congratulations to our amazing Senior students for receiving a merit award at this week's assembly.



At Tuart Hill Primary School, we strive to **ExCEL**. We demonstrate **Excellence, Care, Equity and Learning** in every situation. Students are acknowledged through Values Cards.

Students indicate their Faction as well as their name, Room number and the value they are showing. Values Points are added each week, with the Faction that ExCELS for that week celebrated by having their coloured ribbon adorning the Values Trophy, which is currently on display in the School Library.



Students will bring home their Values Cards once the Lucky Dip Draw has been completed. Please praise them for their efforts at school and re-iterate how proud their teachers are of them. Thank you.

Thank you to everyone who ExCELS every day and congratulations to this week's Value Card winners. Our winners receive a canteen voucher, which can be traded for a FROYO treat.

Focus Value for Term One 2025 Weeks Three and Four

Our Value we are looking at this fortnight is **Excellence**. At Tuart Hill, Excellence can be demonstrated in lots of ways. Today we'll be talking about **perseverance**. Perseverance means we don't give up, even when things might get tricky. We should try our best and have a positive attitude towards all of our learning. This week you can practice perseverance when the weather is hot. Whenever you feel hot, and maybe not feel like working, you can have a break, have a nice cold drink, take some deep breaths, and think to yourself "I can do this!" by Dean and Caprice

The Golden Broom is presented to the best class for:

- Keeping your bags zipped;
- Keeping your bags on the hooks or racks
- Making sure there was no rubbish outside the classroom
- Keeping lunchboxes inside school bags and
- Keeping hats and jackets in school bags.



Excellence ♦ Care ♦ Equity ♦ Learning

Congratulations to Room 5 – our Golden Broom winners for Week 5!



We have received our Badges!



We look forward to continuing to share our joys and achievements throughout the year.

Enjoy the long weekend, and chat to your class teachers and /or me if you have any educational query; thank you. Kind regards, **Beverly Innes**, Principal.

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P and C News

Uniform Shop – OPEN every Wednesday morning 8:15-8:45am

We strongly recommend that you **pre-order** your 2025 needs through [Quickclick](#). Login as usual and on the top menu bar you will see uniforms. Click on that and then place your order. Then when you pop past the Uniform Shop or the Front Office in January you can scoop up your pre-packed items and be away quick as a wink 😊.

The Uniform Shop is in Tuart House which is the building closest to the parking on Cape Street. Please enter off Cape Street if you are planning to visit us. Pre-order and we will have your package prepared for quick collection.

Eunice Chappell, Volunteer Uniform Shop Co-Ordinator

Want to know more about the P&C?

Our P&C is dynamic and effective, supporting our School to provide programs and resources so that our students can access every benefit that help them make progress and achieve.

* Email pandcthps@gmail.com * Join the [P&C Facebook group](#). * Chat to a committee member

* Come along to or volunteer for one of our events throughout the year



Next P&C Meeting Tuesday 18 March 2025 at the School, 5:45pm -7:00pm. This is our Annual General Meeting; we'd love to welcome you. Attend in person or join online, the link posted on [the Facebook Page](#) prior to the meeting.

Canteen

The onsite school canteen will now be open on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Online ordering close at 8:30am, no canteen counter sales for lunch orders. Items available include salad bowls, toasted / fresh sandwiches, party pies, sausage rolls (sauce squeeze-packs extra).

- **Tuesday Specials:** hamburgers /chicken burgers
- **Wednesday Specials:** Chicken nuggets/ strip and salad bowls

Year 1-6 students may purchase Froyos, icy poles, fruit and popcorn from the canteen during afternoon Recess, 1:30 -1:50pm.

Lunchbox Hub online orders will be available on Mondays, Thursdays, and Fridays. This service will continue while we have enough volunteers sorting orders into lunch crates. Volunteer sessions are under an hour each day. [Sign up here](#). No experience required. Any P&C volunteer hours can contribute towards the Centrelink Child Care Subsidy Activity Test. Shifts can be completed with a preschooler. There's a bag of colouring pages and supplies in the canteen for entertainment.

	Order cutoff time	Order Online
Monday	8:30 am	Lunchbox Hub
Tuesday	8:30 am	QuickCliQ
Wednesday	8:30 am	QuickCliQ
Thursday	8:30 am	Lunchbox Hub
Friday	7:00 am	Lunchbox Hub

All lunch food ordered online through either system will be delivered to students during their lunch break.

QuickCliQ Orders

Orders can be cancelled and changed online through [QuickCliQ](#) before the cutoff time. Kindy & Pre-Primary do not receive afternoon break orders as canteen staff cannot deliver and teachers cannot pick up. Please do not order these items. Thank you for understanding. All afternoon break items ordered online will need to be collected by students from the canteen at afternoon break time.

If you don't already have an account [sign up here](#)

Lunchbox Hub Orders

Lunchbox Hub is Locavora rebranded. The food is the same, but the website ordering experience is different. Lunchbox Hub has a phone app for placing orders. All food ordered is prepared off site at a local kitchen, clearly labelled and delivered to the school. Volunteers sort the lunches into lunch crates and Year 6 students deliver lunch crates to students at lunchtime.

Please note that the new system allows parents to place multiple orders into their online shopping cart. Each order is confirmed before it is added to the cart. You need to go through the checkout and pay. Once the order has been paid you will receive a confirmation email. **Please thoroughly check your confirmation email.**

If you haven't received a confirmation email, your order wasn't completed. We hate seeing sad and hungry students at the canteen.

Orders can be cancelled or rescheduled online before cutoff time on the delivery date. Check out the [schools webpage](#) for more details including a link to the user's guide.

Contact us

Canteen service and menu feedback – canteen@thspandc.com.au

Canteen Coordinator P&C member – canteenco@thspandc.com.au

General enquiries – enquiries@thspandc.com.au

Canteen Lunch Orders

Tuesday & Wednesday

The canteen will be making fresh salads, sandwiches and rolls each day. Open at afternoon break for Froyos, icy poles and popcorn (Year 1 to Year 6 students only)

Redeem your canteen vouchers for Froyos at afternoon break
Birthday Buckets are back! Treat everyone in your class to an icy pole to celebrate your birthday

Summer Daily Specials

Tuesday – Hamburgers & Chicken Burgers

Wednesday – Chicken Nuggets or Chicken Strips with salad

Order cutoff time 8:30am

Order Online



www.quickcliq.com.au

Monday, Thursday & Friday

Food supplied by Lunchbox Hub

Order cutoff times

Monday & Thursday 8:30am

Friday 7am



Order Online



www.lunchboxhub.com.au

Volunteers needed

Sort premade food into lunch crates on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays.

Volunteer hours contribute to Child Care

Subsidy Work Activity Test

Sign-up Online



Canteen service and menu feedback – canteen@thspandc.com.au

Community News

IT'S HOCKEY TIME!

JOIN NORTH COAST RAIDERS HOCKEY CLUB FOR 2025

ALL AGES 4+ WELCOME

SEASON RUNS FROM APRIL TO AUGUST

LOCATED AT CHARLES RILEY RESERVE NORTH BEACH

SCAN THE QR CODE OR VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT WWW.NORTHCOSTRAIDERSCLUB FOR MORE INFORMATION

HARLIES-FALCONS JUNIOR HOCKEY 2025



Harlies-Falcons Junior Hockey program provides a fun, safe environment for boys and girls to learn, develop and improve their hockey skills.

Come down to Breckler Park, Cornwall St Dianella and have a go at hockey on Saturday 8 March between 8 and 9 am!

Age Groups

- Sub-juniors (aged 8 and below)
- Junior 5/6s (aged 9 to 11)
- Junior 7/8s (aged 12 to 13)
- Junior 9/10s (aged 14 and 15)

Previous hockey experience is not necessary.

If you can't make it, email eo_juniors@harlies.org.au for more info.

Registrations www.harlies.org.au/registration



Register Your Interest

Email eo_juniors@harlies.org.au

www.harlies.org.au

Training

Sub-juniors
Saturday mornings
Junior 5/6s 5-6pm
Wednesdays
7/8 and 9/10s
Weekday evenings

Games

Sub-juniors
Super Saturdays – small friendly games with other clubs (one Saturday morning / month Terms 2 & 3)

Junior Teams
5/6s and 7/8s Saturday mornings
9/10s Sunday mornings

HARLIES HOCKEY CLUB
BRECKLER PARK
70 CORNWALL ST DIANELLA
eo_juniors@harlies.org.au

Receive up to \$500 from ANZ for education costs

Apply here

Achieve a savings goal for 10 months and ANZ will match it up to \$500. You need to:

- Be 18 years or older
- Have a current Health Care Card or Pensioner Concession Card
- Have a child in school, starting school next year, or be studying yourself
- Get a regular income (can be you or your partner)
- Agree to join in free online financial education workshops

saverplus
saverplus.org.au
1300 610 355

Terms and conditions apply.

4 Week Afterschool Cricket Clinic
Robertsbridge Reserve, Nollamara

Date: Wednesdays, from 5 March to 26 March 2025
Location: Robertsbridge Reserve, Nollamara
Time: 4pm – 5pm
Cost: \$35
For students aged 5 - 12 years.

Scan the QR code to complete the form.

REGISTRATIONS OPEN NOW
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[John Forrest Secondary College – Specialist Cricket & Netball Programs](#)

Applications are now open for the Year 7 2026 Specialist Cricket and Netball Programs at John Forrest Secondary College.

FORWARD YOUR APPLICATIONS NOW and note our trial dates:

Cricket Trial – Monday 24 March 2025 | 9:30 AM – 1:00 PM |
John Forrest Secondary College

Applications close – Monday 17 March 2025

Netball Trial – Tuesday 6 May 2025 | 8:45 AM – 11:00 AM | Morley Sport & Recreation Centre

Applications close – Monday 28 April 2025

Applications received after the due date will still be considered; however, placement in the program will depend on enrolment numbers.

For more information or to download the application form, please visit: [John Forrest Specialist Programs](#).

Best regards, John Forrest Secondary College



SAINTS
STIRLING JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB

2025 SEASON LAUNCH

Football drills
Meet the Coaches
Years 3 - 10
Free sausage sizzle
New players welcomed

THURS 6TH MARCH
4:45pm - 6pm

RICHARD GUELFY RESERVE
Balcatta

🏆 Saints 2025 Season Launch – All Players Welcome! 🏆

Join us as we kick off the 2025 season with a fun and exciting launch event!

📅 When: Thurs, 6th March 2025

🕒 Time: 4:45 PM – 6:00 PM

📍 Where: Richard Guelfi Reserve, Delawney Street, Balcatta

Open to all boys from Years 3 to 10, whether you're a returning player or brand new to footy! This is a great opportunity to build confidence, develop skills, improve fitness, and be part of a great team.

You don't need to be a registered Stirling JFC player to attend, so bring your mates and come down for a fun session with our awesome coaches, who will be running skill drills and fitness activities to get everyone ready for the season ahead.

