



Week 4-5 | Term 4 | 2021

TRINITY TRIBUNE

FROM THE HEAD OF PRIMARY

At Trinity College our standards are very clear right from you child's initial enrolment interview. Even though we are in Term 4, it's important to remember that every day we expect students to be doing their best by being focused on learning and not being distracted by other issues. This starts with students arriving at school each day, ready for a great day and dressed in full school uniform.

Being at school every day is also one of the best strategies in supporting students to do their very best. Even though the end of the year is approaching, teachers are still introducing new work and revising concepts, ready for assessments. When a student starts to display irregular attendance, every day away makes school and learning harder. Together we can achieve great results for our students, however, they need to be at school for this to happen. Your help in ensuring that your children are well rested, organised and ready for school every day is invaluable.

Primary Chapel is one of my favourite times of the week. I look forward to handing out more STAR Awards for exceptional behaviour and work and seeing all the children's brilliant smiles.

Hebrews 12:1b *And let us run with perseverance the race marked to for us.*

Karen Ferris

UPCOMING EVENTS

WEEK SIX

REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE

Thursday, 11 November
10:45am

WEEK SEVEN

SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR

15 - 17 November

SPORTS AWARD EVENING

Wednesday, 17 November

YEAR 12 FORMAL

Thursday, 18 November

YEAR 12 GRADUATION

Friday, 19 November

WEEK EIGHT

YEAR 9 & 11 CAMP

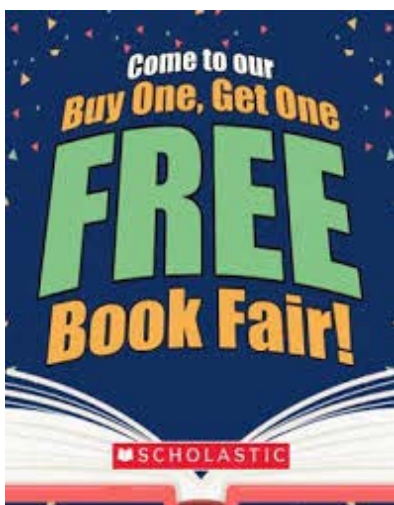
22 - 26 November

YEAR 10 O.E. CAMP

24 - 26 November

TRANSITION DAY

Kindy - Year 5
Friday, 26 November



Scholastic Book Fair

Monday, 15/11/21 - Wednesday, 17/11/21

Trinity Library Opening times:

Before School 8:20 am – 8:40 am
First Break, Second Break,
After School 3:00 - 3:30 pm

*Stock up on new books for the holidays!
Cash only please!*

At a Buy One Get One Free Book Fair every book purchased enables students to select another book of equal or lesser value for FREE!



Parents in Partnership AGM

Wednesday 10th November
5:30PM in the Atrium

All welcome - come and learn about what PIP has been doing, and our plans for 2022. Childminding available.

Nominations sought for executive positions, especially Secretary role, please email pip@trinitygladstone.qld.edu.au

NETBALL



Congratulations to Lize Kolesky who was selected for the 2022 Capricorn Fire Squad.

Lize put in an outstanding effort when she competed in the Capricorn Fire trial in Biloela during October.

CRICKET



We congratulate Ruben Gandhi for his remarkable achievements for Cricket. He has been selected for the Central Queensland U16 team for Bulls Masters for the Cricket State Championships in Bundaberg in December. It is a really great achievement for him and a great opportunity to be playing against the very best players in the state. He is

also the only player from Gladstone to have made the team, the rest are from Rockhampton or further north.

TOUCH FOOTBALL



Mack and Zoe Geiger competed in the National Youth Championships on the Sunshine Coast during the school holidays.

Zoe competed in the 16 y.o girls CQ Bulls side and Mack in the 18 y.o boys CQ Bulls side.

Both teams won the national championships undefeated.

The 18 boys won 11-3 against reigning champs the SQ Sharks and the 16 girls won 5-3 against a very polished Brisbane Cobra's.

It was a really good competition but unfortunately some States could not attend due to COVID restrictions.

BUY SMART WINNERS

Trinity's Business students have flourished again in the annual Buy Smart Competition run by the Department of Fair Trading. This year two of our Year 9-10 Business students were selected as finalists for their outstanding work. Twenty-one of Trinity's Year 8-10 students entered this renowned competition which aims to raise awareness on making wise consumer decisions.

Zoe Geiger received a distinction for her well developed website that advise young consumers on buying their first vehicle.

Due to COVID restrictions, students could not visit parliament house, but we received a special visit from the Office of Fair Trading and viewed the online ceremony on Thursday, 28 October 2021.

Braedon O'Brien came 3rd in the Year 10-12 category for his brilliant, witty video on legal rights for first vehicle owners. He received \$150 prize money.



Trinity is proud of giving students opportunities to become informed citizens and develop precious life skills!

Lindie Van Tonder's clever handbook on "Buying your first car" received 1st prize for the Year 7-9 category and she received \$500!

