

# TAMWORTH HIGH SCHOOL



## **Year 7 2017 Information Night**

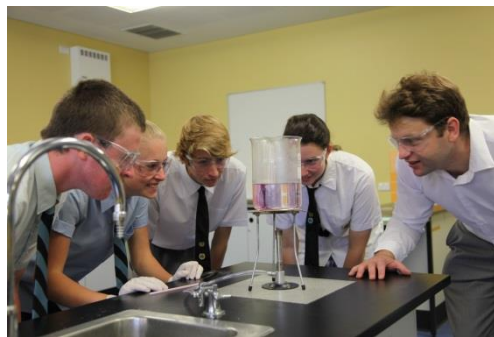
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# Welcome



- Principal - Mr Daniel Wilson
- Deputy Principal - Mr Dale Rands
- A/Deputy Principal - Ms Catherine Loughrey
- 2017 Year 7 Advisor - Ms Kate Daley
- Enrolment Officer - Mrs Caron Lasscock
- Community Liaison Officer  
- Mrs Belinda Gleeson-Barker





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# Curriculum Stages



Stage 4 – Years 7 & 8

Stage 5 – Years 9 & 10

Stage 6 – Years 11 & 12



# Year 7 Subjects



- English
- Mathematics
- Science
- History and Geography
- Creative and Performing Arts
- Personal Development/Health/Physical Education
- Technology
- Languages Other Than English (LOTE)

## Homework Club

Every Monday afternoon in the Library from  
3.20pm to 4.45pm.



# Year 9 & Beyond - Elective Subjects



- Aboriginal Studies
- Agricultural Technology
- Commerce
- Computing Studies – Information & Software Technology
- Dance
- Design & Technology
- Drama
- Food Technology
- Graphics Technology – CAD
- History Elective – Cultures, Clashes & Conflicts
- Industrial Technology – Electronics
- Industrial Technology - Engineering
- Industrial Technology – Metal
- Industrial Technology – Multi Media
- Industrial Technology – Timber
- Languages – German, Japanese, French or Italian
- Music
- Photographic & Digital Media
- Physical Activity & Sports Studies
- Textiles Technology
- Visual Arts
- Work Education





# HSC Subjects



- Aboriginal Studies
- Ancient History
- Business Studies
- Community and Family Studies
- Design and Technology
- Economics
- English – Advanced
- English – Extension 1
- French Beginners
- Industrial Technology
- Legal Studies
- Mathematics – General
- Modern History
- Physics
- Senior Science
- Software Design and Development
- Textile and Designs
- Agriculture
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Dance
- Drama
- Engineering Studies
- English – Standard
- Food Technology
- Geography
- Information Processes and Technology
- Mathematics
- Mathematics – Extension 1
- Music (1 & 2)
- PD, Health, PE
- Society and Culture
- Studies of Religion (1 & 2 Unit)
- Visual Arts



# HSC - TVET & VET Subjects



## **TVET - TAFE**

- Automotive Vocational Preparation
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Paint/Panel
- Electrotechnology
- Horticulture – Landscaping
- Human Services – Nursing
- Plumbing
- Tourism

## **VET – Tamworth High School**

- Business Services
- Construction
- Hospitality Operations
- Information Technology
- Metals and Engineering
- Retail Services





# Cultural Opportunities



- Aussie Bush Camp – Year 7/8
- Northern Excursion - Year 10
- Japanese Exchange with Sister School in Sannohe
- Aboriginal Education Room
  - Brospeak/Sistaspeak
  - Wirribiyaan Program (Year 7/8 Girls)
  - Bourke Cultural Trip
  - Sydney Cultural Trip
  - Days with the Elders
  - Naidoc Week





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# School Sport



## When?

- Two periods a week in the morning - Summer
- Two periods a week in the afternoon - Winter
- Targeted programs - Water Polo, Hockey, Rugby League & Cricket

## What?

- Indoor Futsal
- Indoor Basketball
- Ten Pin Bowling
- Rollerskating
- Oztag
- Gym Program
- Tennis
- Badminton
- School Based Activities





# Carnivals



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# Sporting Teams



- Water Polo
- Rugby League
- Rugby Union
- Hockey
- Table Tennis
- Cricket
- Swimming
- Athletics
- Netball
- Oztag
- Touch Football
- Basketball



# Music



- Individual Instrument Tuition
- Concert Band
- Stage Band
- String Group
- Drum Group
- Choir
- Rock Group
- Eisteddfods, CAPERs, Bandlink and Vocal Camp







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# Dance

- Dance is offered as an elective from Year 9 to Year 12
- Offering involvement in Dance Camp and Dance Festival



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# Gifted & Talented Program



- Project based learning
- Community involvement and service
- Eisteddfods, Competitions and Performances
- Workshop Days
- Leadership Activities
- Partner Primary School teaching/learning experiences

**GAT Nomination Forms & Information Booklet is available tonight for interested families.**





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# Service & Leadership



- Student Representative Council
- Junior AECG
- Community Involvement - Anzac Day March, Partner School Programs
- Red Cross Blood Bank Donation Program
- Debating and Public Speaking





# THS Rejuvenation Project



- 2016 has seen significant improvements around our campus:
  - New cricket nets installed
  - Completion of a new staff carpark
  - All new benches and seating throughout the school yard in all year areas
  - Beginning of the Tamworth High School Rejuvenation Project with the commencement of major works to the front of the school



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# Enrolment Information



- Primary Schools will issue all public school students with an Expression of Interest (EOI) form. Once completed this is then returned to their primary school.
- EOI forms are entered into our database and then forwarded to their zoned high school.
- The high school will issue parents with a 'ghosted' enrolment form.
- Once the ghosted enrolment form is returned with all corrected information a placement for 2017 will be offered to the student.





# P&C Scholarships



- Every year the Tamworth High School P&C Association offer scholarships to the following Primary Schools and the basis for application is around out school motto “Innovation, Creativity & Excellence”:
  - Tamworth South Public School
  - Hillvue Public School
  - Tamworth West Public School
  - Timbumburi Public School
  - Kootingal Public School
  - Nemingha Public School
  - Woolomin Public School
  - Dungowan Public School
  - Nundle Public School
  - Liberty College
- The Scholarship Program will be launched in Week 5 of Term 2 and information will be distributed via the above mentioned Primary Schools, THS Website and THS Facebook Page.
- Scholarship applications will be due by the last day of Term 3 2016.



# Important Dates for Year 7 2017 Students



- Tamworth High School Transition Day
  - Term 3, Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> August 2016
- Tamworth High School Future Leader's Resilience Day
  - Term 3, Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2016
- Tamworth High School Year 7 2017 Orientation Day
  - Term 4, Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> December 2016



# School Communication



- **Website** – [tamworth-h.schools.nsw.edu.au](http://tamworth-h.schools.nsw.edu.au)
- **Facebook** – Tamworth High School



- **THS App**



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# School Communication



- **The Buzz** – distributed fortnightly via our Facebook page, app, website and paper copies available from SAO and the Front Office.
- **Sentral Parent Portal** – Term 1 parents/carers will be provided with log in details for their students. Information available – attendance, reports, timetable, change of details, absentee notification, parent/teacher interview booking and student plans.

The screenshot shows the 'The Buzz' newsletter for Tamworth High School. At the top, it displays the school name and logo, along with contact information: 'Web: 19 Tamworth South | Phone: 01922 7008 | Email: tamworth@tamhigh.co.uk'. Below this is a 'Principal's Report' section with a photo of a group of students and text describing a recent Japanese exchange visit. To the right is a 'CALENDAR' section listing various school events for the week of November 16-18, 2015, such as 'Year 12 Formal', 'Sports Assemblies', and 'Night Cinema'. The bottom of the page features a 'Year 12, 2015' section with a photo of students and text about their participation in the CAPERS 2015 event.





# Questions

