



Newsletter

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Simple offerings

As students are gradually returning to school, we have some simple messages.

We are here to support the students. We are here to support them move forward with their schooling. While there are varying degrees of impact, each of our students have lived through these flooding events, though it's looked different for each person.

Lessons are occurring and some happy events are happening at schools each day to brighten the day. School counsellors have continued on site each day and students are making use of this offering.

The school holidays have arrived and this will bring a change of routine. In the new term we will be wanting to see all students back at school and engaged in their learning. This is not only important for handling life right now, but also for their future. For students which have not yet returned we ask that parents find some time to speak with their child about returning and re-engaging. If there are circumstances where parents need our support with these conversations, please reach out.

There are still many dangers around us at the present time. Through the holiday period we encourage safety vigilance and hope you are able to have some quality time with the people in life that matter to you.

We live in a remarkable community. Reach out for support if you feel the need.

Canteen Matters

Our much loved Jodie Harris has decided it is time for a change in life and has given notice. She has her last day as Canteen Manager on the final day this term. Jodie has been outstanding within this role and will be sorely missed. She's led the installation of NSW Healthy Canteen policy in our canteen, has ensured the students have high quality, nutritional diets and has supported the operation of school programs in which we have involved students with canteen related tasks. More than that she has been a friendly face and confidante to many. Thank you Jodie for all that you have done for the students of our school.

The P&C, which operate our canteen, have formed a selection committee which has determined selection criteria, updated the role statement and published an advertisement. Please give this position your thought and pass it on to others you feel may be interested. A strong field of applicants is desirable.

A transcript of the advertisement from Seek.com is included later in this Newsletter.

Rob Walker – Principal.

IMPORTANT NOTE

Please be reminded that students are **NOT** to arrive at school before **8:30am** as there is **NO SUPERVISION prior to this time.**



Diary

Week 1 Term 2, 2022 - Week A

26 April	School Development Day (Pupil Free)	
28 April	NCPSSA Rugby League	Coffs Harbour

Week 2 Term 2, 2022—Week B

4 May	Y8 Thunderbird Park Excn Departs	Mt Tamborine
5 May	Y8 Thunderbird Park Excn	
6 May	Y8 Thunderbird Park Excn Returns	

Week 3 Term 2, 2022—Week A

9 May	NRPSSA Netball Trials	Lismore
10 May	NAPLAN Test	
11 May	NAPLAN Test	
12 May	NAPLAN Test	

Year 5 OC 2023 Applications

Opportunity classes cater for intellectually gifted and high potential students who may otherwise be without sufficient classmates of their own academic standard. These classes help students to learn by grouping them with students of similar ability, using specialised evidence-based teaching methods and materials.

Year 5 enrolments are available at 76 primary schools across NSW including a virtual opportunity class at Aurora College for students in rural and remote areas. Parents apply when their children are in Year 4. Successful students are offered placement, and if the parents accept the offer, the students usually attend the opportunity class full time in Years 5 and 6 at the relevant public school. This is a two-year placement program and there is no provision to apply for Year 6 entry only. In the majority of cases, students who accept a place in an opportunity class will leave their current school to attend the school with the opportunity class.

Information has now been sent home (via email) to all families of Year 4 students. Please read through the information if you are considering applying for Year 5 entry.

Key dates to remember are:

- Application website opens: Tuesday 26 April 2022
- Application website closes: 5pm, Friday 13 May 2022 - You must apply before this deadline.

You must apply online at: <https://education.nsw.gov.au/publicschools/selective-high-schools-and-opportunityclasses/year-5>

Cross Country Postponed

Both the Primary and Secondary Cross Country events have been postponed until Term 2.

Dates will be advised as soon as possible.

Year 7 Vaccinations

A reminder to parents and guardians of Year 7 students that vaccinations have been postponed until Monday 23rd May 2022.

Please continue to return consent forms to the office. Parents/guardians to contact the office to withdraw consent, or advise if the student is receiving the vaccines at a GP instead.



CHS State Swimming

Abbie Yourell, McKinley Arnison and Aiden Arnison are currently competing at State Swimming in Sydney.

At the time of writing, McKinley had won Gold in the 100m freestyle, Bronze in the 200IM and 4th in all other races.

Aiden was placed 6th in 100m backstroke and 10th in 200m IM.



Breakfast at the Canteen

8:30-8:50am, everyday

Toast & fruit

Sponsored by IGA & MRNC Food Bank



Evans River K-12 School P&C

Evans River School Canteen Supervisor

Evans River K – 12 School P & C Association manage and operate the Evans River K - 12 School Canteen five days per week throughout the NSW School Term. We are committed to promoting healthy eating and providing nutritious food at an affordable price for our students and staff with all profits donated back to the school.

Hours for this position are: 5 days per week, with flexibility of 5-7 hours per day depending on demand and requirements for the day. This position is available for commencement from 9th May 2022 with a paid handover to be conducted.

Wages are in accordance with the Fast Food Industry Award 2010. Level 3 Casual may be negotiable with relevant experience. The P&C will consider a job share arrangement for this role, provided that we have suitable candidates to undertake the role.

To be considered for this position you must meet the following criteria:

Essential Selection Criteria

- Hold a current Food Handling and Preparation Certificate and Paid Working With Children Check.
- Demonstrated capacity to work with a volunteer organisation to deliver high quality nutritious food and facilitate the integration of related school programs.
- Knowledge of good nutrition, experience in food handling and the ability to promote and encourage the sale of nutritious food in accordance with the NSW Department of Education *Nutrition in Schools Policy* and the *NSW Healthy School Canteen Strategy*.
- Proven high level interpersonal skills with proven leadership, time management, organisational and stock management skills and a well-developed capacity to work with volunteers, students and staff.
- Enthusiasm and a genuine interest in supporting the Evans River K-12 School community.

Desirable Selection Criteria

- Previous experience in working in a school canteen.
- Experience in online ordering platforms and use of electronic cash registers.

It is a requirement of employment that a Prohibited Employment Declaration is provided and that potential employee consents to Employment Screening checks.

Interested applicants should consider the full position description which can be obtained by emailing: president@evansriverpc.org

To apply: Please submit your resume and a short cover letter addressing your experience and why you would make a great Canteen Supervisor for Evans River K-12 School. Applications will be accepted by email: president@evansriverpc.org
Interested persons are encouraged not to delay application, as this position needs to be filled in a timely manner for handover and training to commence Week 3Term 2, 2022 (May 09th). Applications will be assessed as they are submitted and suitable candidates will be invited to interview.

Any questions regarding the School Canteen position should be directed to the Evans River K - 12 School P & C Association via the above email address.

WORLD CUP LEGACY PROGRAM

I AM A GIRL I CAN DO ANYTHING COME TRY

GIRLS SKILLS SESSION
IT'S FUN & FREE

TUESDAY - 12TH APRIL 2022

4.5YRS - 7YRS 10.00AM - 11.00AM
8YRS - 18 YRS 11.30AM - 1.30PM

BALLINA INDOOR SPORTS CENTRE, 63 CHERRY ST

SIGN UP NOW
www.bnsw.com.au/i-am-a-girl

NSW GOVERNMENT **Basketball NSW**



Record of School Achievement (RoSA)

The RoSA is a cumulative credential for students who leave school before completing their HSC. It was introduced for school leavers in Year 10 in 2012. The RoSA lists all subjects undertaken in Years 9 and 10 and - where applicable - Years 11 courses completed by the student (up until the HSC exams), along with the grade awarded.

It can be an important document for school leavers who are seeking employment.

Further information can found from the drop down menu HSC/RoSA and selecting "RoSA Information" or by clicking [here](#).

Chris Hayward, Careers Adviser
Careers Website: www.evansriverk12careers.com





FREE NORTHERN RIVERS NETFIT CLINIC

DATE: MONDAY 11TH APRIL 2022

TIME: 9AM-3PM

WHERE: LISMORE DISTRICT NETBALL
MARIE MACKNEY COURTS - BALLINA RD.

WHAT'S ON
MATCH PLAY
SKILLS
NETFIT FITNESS
MINDTIME
NUTRITION

AGE: NETSETGO
U'13 - U'15 - U'17

PRICE: FREE
+ NETFIT T-SHIRT
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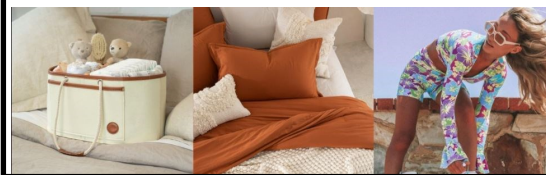


THREAD TOGETHER

Thread Together collects brand new unsold clothing from all around the country, saving it from landfill. We partner with charities and social service agencies to distribute it to people doing it tough. We believe that people in need deserve the dignity and choice of new clothing, without judgement.

The Thread Together Clothing Hubs are an authentic in-store shopping experience where you have the ability to choose from a wide range of clothing options, find something you like and try them on to ensure you find something that suits your personality and circumstance. There is a Thread Together Clothing Hub at the Lismore Showgrounds, check their social media out for more details about operating times.

<https://threadtogether.org/accessing-clothing/>



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Parent Portal Login

<https://web3.evansriver-c.schools.nsw.edu.au/portal/login>



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