On Tuesday 17th June, the year 10 Drama class travelled around the area to local primary schools- Mission Beach Primary, El Arish and Feluga Primary, Kennedy Primary and Murray Upper to perform their Children’s Theatre performance. Students have spent the term working on their Children’s Theatre unit where they had to create, write and direct a performance centred on a particular issue. This year the students chose bullying as their theme. The year ten students entertained students with their funny and honest performance and educated the year 5, 6 and 7 students on how to deal with bullying and wanted students to leave the performance with the message that we need to respect one another and ourselves. As always, El Arish Primary were delighted with the performance with many audience members laughing and clapping throughout. The cutest audience members award has to go to Murray Upper Primary where the year ten students were treated like celebrities and were chased to the bus where students were hanging over the front gates to say goodbye.

READING DAY IN TULLY

Tuesday 24th June saw 4 year 10 Drama students performing to the preps-year 4 students of the local area at the Tully Reading Day. Darcie Goodman and Ella Maree-Huber read ‘Shoes from Grandpa’ to the excited students where Darcie had to throw on pieces of clothing whilst Ella read the tongue-twister rhymes from the story book. The primary school students laughed their way through the book while Gemma McLaren and Romi Edwards read ‘Sarah’s Heavy Heart’ where the message of the book was deep and thought-provoking. It was a fun filled day for all students involved - big and small!
This is the first songwriting workshop for Top Up Tully. Students working with Topology band members: bass player and Head of Composition at UQ Robert Davidson, and John Babbage - saxophonist, composer at jazz saxophone lecturer at Griffith University.

Creative students from the cluster began the collaboration last week at Tully SHS with great success. There are already 2 pieces in the pipeline! Some of the most popular lyrics students came up with involved the beauty of the landscape, the friendly people, crocs, and how much they love this place. Both songs vary in style and we look forward to further collaborations with the cluster students next term leading up to the Top Up Tully Jubilee celebrations Concert. Watch this space for more information on what promises to be one special event for the community.

**TAFE**

*An important component of an extended senior curriculum*

Working together with schools, parents and industry TAFE Queensland North aims to provide secondary students with a range of vocational education opportunities. VET training provides students with practical industry skills which enhance both immediate and long term career prospects. Students will be credited with points towards their Queensland Certificate of Education when they successfully complete their VET training Certificate.

A number of Tully High senior students are involved in TAFESEC programs which are delivered face-to-face in Innisfail and Cairns. Programs include: Cert II in Engineering / Cert II in Automotive / Cert III in Events / Cert III in Children’s Services. Some students are also doing online TAFE qualifications in which they use eLearning time to work on these courses. SAT (School Based Apprenticeship and Trainees) often have TAFE as their training provider as part of their VET Certificate.
Around the workshop

New Technology now in the Classroom

With the revamp of the workshops, post Yasi, our workshops have been fitted out with 2 exciting pieces of equipment. The CNC Plasma Cam and the CNC router. Students have been using this new technology in a few of the senior subjects to aid in the manufacture of projects.

The students in Cert1 Furnishing have been using a CNC router to cut words into the head piece on their wall cabinets.

Students in year 11 Technology Studies are taking technology to a whole new level. Here we see Brad Spicer is designing a bicycle carrying device and in the process he is 3D modelling certain parts on the computer using Inventor software. He then exports the design as a net and then cuts the Aluminium using the CNC Plasma Cam in preparation for manufacture.

This method of design and manufacture is a state of the art production technique. This process is shown below in the sequenced series of photographs.

Students art work displayed through out TSHS
Jackets Have Arrived

The new winter spray jacket has arrived.

The jacket:

- Is light
- Has two exterior zip-up pockets
- Has a soft, warm interior lining
- Is made of a wicking fabric that draws perspiration away from the skin to the outside layer of the jacket
- Is water resistant (not waterproof)

The uniform shop has a range of sizes in the jackets. Students can try on jackets and place orders with Mrs Vecchio in the uniform shop.

Jackets cost $50. Please enclose cash or cheque with order.
Cheques are payable to Tully State High School P& C Association.

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Other Winter Uniforms

Parents, if you are buying any winter clothing, such as jumpers or long pants, for your son/daughter, please purchase colours that match the school uniform, that is, light blue, navy blue or red.

- Leggings, if preferred for warmth, should be worn under shorts and skirts.
- Socks are white or black.
- Shoes are black, lace-up, leather.

Flannelette shirts (of any description or design), jeans, denim shorts/skirts or bike pants are not part of the school uniform.

UNIFORM SHOP HOURS

The uniform shop will be open only one day a week on Thursday morning between 8.00 - 9.00 am.

Order forms for uniforms can be obtained from the Administration Office and orders, together with correct money will be collected and available to be picked up the same day.

NOTICES & EVENTS

P & C Meetings 2nd Tuesday of the month at 4.30 pm in the Library.
23 - 27 June Exam Week Year 11 & 12.
25 - 27 June Year 10 Work Experience.