



TSHS News

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YEAR 12 ORPHEUS ISLAND EXCURSION



This year's Orpheus Island Excursion for year 12 Biology and Science 21 students was once again, a great success. The 39

students were accompanied by Mr Hadgelias, Mr Menzies, Miss Bevan and Mrs Timms.

It is always impressive watching the students draw on the science knowledge acquired from their years of course work to complete an investigation over the four days of the trip.



Giant clams, hard and soft corals, moray eels, red emperor, sea sponges, damselfish, sea cucumbers, black

tip reef sharks and even "Nemo" made an appearance! To see their excitement, amazement and enjoyment as they formulated hypotheses, made discoveries and drew conclusions was extremely satisfying for all the teaching staff. It was also great to see our students working at a

respected facility alongside some of the world's finest marine researchers (who were genuinely interested and impressed by what the students were doing!) I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the students who attended for the way that they conducted themselves. They are all exceptional young adults who did an amazing job representing the school, ensuring the trip ran smoothly and all the while having fun!



TOP UP TULLY GALA CONCERT

The culminating event for the Top Up Tully project occurred on October 30 in the Tully MPC at Tully SHS in front of approximately 250 audience members. Tully cluster students have had the unique experience of working with Robert Davidson and John Babbage from the ARIA award nominated group 'Topology' over the past few months composing pieces of music around the theme of 'a sense of place'. We were fortunate to have the support of a RADF grant and RREAP funding to assist making this project a



reality. The Top Up Tully project incorporated approximately 70 primary and high school students from schools in the Tully Cluster during the composition sessions. These students united to perform their pieces as a united cluster of schools ensemble for the 'Top Up Tully Gala Concert'. Schools involved in this project were Tully SHS, Tully SS, Lower Tully SS, Mission Beach SS, Feluga SS, Murray River Upper SS, El Arish SS and St Clare's School.

The concert featured compositions from individual and small groups of instrumental music students, right through to larger groups of primary students combined from various schools. Topology performed alongside students giving them the opportunity to rehearse, create and perform with professional musicians (something rare and special for a rural area in the north). It is interesting that the themes of love, strength and pride for the people, environment, wildlife and lifestyle in the tropics have been a recurring theme across the works. Students were given the opportunity to realise their creative potential through Top Up



Tully and I am sure many audience members would agree that the concert was unique and original for the community, and of course for the Tully Cluster of schools. What a special way for local students to celebrate living in such a beautiful place and of course marking the 50th birthday of Tully SHS through a musical experience.



2015 Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Scholarship available



For rural and regional students attending university for the first time in 2015.

Rural and regional students (and their families) face an additional cost burden as they often must move away from the family home to study.

Our scholarship can help relieve some of that cost burden for students whose circumstances might otherwise preclude them from accepting their university course offer.

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Applications are welcomed from 1 December 2014 until 23 January 2015.

For further details please visit www.bendigoadelaide.com.au/scholarships or call 1300 304 541.

Criteria for all scholarships

Criteria for each scholarship will vary depending on the particular scholarship and branch. For example, participating Community Bank® branches make scholarships available to local students from their district. Please ensure that you are aware of the criteria of the scholarship for which you apply.

The basic criteria are listed below but please check the additional criteria for the specific scholarship for which you wish to apply, as these vary between scholarships

- You are an Australian citizen or permanent resident
- You will be an undergraduate in 2015 (and this is your first attendance at an Australian university, College).
- You will be studying full-time at an Australian university or college and all study will take place within Australia
- You graduated from secondary school in either 2014 or 2013 (you took a gap year)
- You can demonstrate the disadvantage or challenging circumstances preventing you from taking up opportunity of this further study.
- You can demonstrate academic achievement and community involvement.

Great Results Guarantee 2015

In 2015 the Queensland Government is investing \$183 million in Great Results Guarantee funding for state schools. Here at Tully State High School, our estimated 2015 allocation is \$164,000 to continue the great work we started this year to improve our student's performance.

www.education.qld.gov.au/resultsguarantee

Uniform Prices

Formal Uniforms

GIRLS :	Blouse	\$45.00
	Skirt	\$40.00
	Tie	\$13.00
BOYS :	Shirt	\$40.00
	Shorts	\$35.00
	Tie	\$13.00

GIRLS & BOYS JACKETS \$ 50.00

GIRLS & BOYS HATS \$13.00

Tully State High School Socks for sale at the Uniform Shop—\$ 5.00 per pair Great Value

Uniforms

Polo Shirts	\$ 30.00
Navy Shorts	\$ 30.00
Sports Polo Shirts	\$ 20.00

From the P & C:

Students who represent the school at school ceremonies, such as ANZAC Day, Remembrance Day, Speech Night, Sports Awards Night, the Constitutional Convention, leadership programs and any other formal occasion, must wear the **formal uniform**. **Students will either need to purchase the uniform or borrow a friend's formal uniform. Boys will need to tuck in shirts and wear a tie.**

Year 12 Results and OP ONLINE

Year 12 results and OP will be available in student learning accounts from 9 am on Saturday 20 December 2014.

Students need their LUI (Learner Unique Identifier) and password to log on. If you don't know your LUI, check your OneSchool profile or ask a teacher before you finish school.

Login at:

STUDENTCONNECT.QCAA.QLD.EDU.AU

Notices & Events

P & C Meetings 2nd Tuesday of the month at 4.30 pm in the Library.

13 Nov Maths tutoring Thursday afternoon 3:00 to 4.00 pm.

17 Nov Speech Night.

19 Nov Senior Formal.

21 Nov Yr. 12 Graduation Ceremony.