# **YEAR 7 BULLETIN** Term 2 Week 9



## **IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES**

| 27 <sup>th</sup> June | Tuesday   | PBL Semester One Formal Presentation Assembly     |
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| 28 <sup>th</sup> June | Wednesday | PBL End of Semester Excursion (Eligible Students) |
| 29 <sup>th</sup> June |           | Uni Steps – On Campus Discovery Day               |
|                       | Thursday  | (University of Newcastle – Ourimbah Campus)       |
|                       |           | 20 invited students                               |
| 30 <sup>th</sup> June | Friday    | Last day of Term Two                              |
| 18 <sup>th</sup> July | Tuesday   | First day of Term Three                           |
| 26 <sup>th</sup> July | Wednesday | The Tut Roadshow - Incursion                      |

# A MESSAGE FROM YOUR YEAR ADVISOR

Yaama, All,

After miserable weather to start the day, it was a great representation of how in life something great may be just around the corner. What a fantastic way to end the week, with the annual GHS Pink Day. The sunshine burned through the clouds as the brightness of the day shone from within the school. Year 7 was well represented in a sea of outstanding pink outfits and accessories. A special mention to Emeekah B and Marley G for being nominated as Year 7's 'Best Dressed.' Photos were captured and can be seen below.

My wise words for this week's Year Meeting were about students demonstrating grit. Showing perseverance of effort and passion through challenges while looking ahead at the bigger picture or a long-term goal. I encouraged Year 7 to finish the term well, enjoy the break, and return with a strong mindset to show grit and go again for another term.

The four attendance reward winners for having 100% attendance for last week were Chazz C, Romeo C, Paige R and Indiah C. Well done on your persistent and consistent effort to attend school each day and strive to achieve your personal best!

There are some exciting items that are featured in this Bulletin for events to conclude the term and look ahead to the next term. Please read below.

Have a great weekend!

Sincerely,

Mr Mark Finlayson

#### **PBL Focus of the Fortnight**

The Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) Focus of the Fortnight is on our Core Values in the library.

The expectations in the library are:

**RESPECT**: Keep it clean

**RESPONSIBILITY**: Right place, right volume

PERSONAL BEST: Be a positive role model

#### **PBL End of Semester Excursion and Formal Presentation Assembly**

Next Tuesday, we have the pleasure of acknowledging the dedication of students who consistently demonstrate the GHS Core Values of Respect, Responsibility and Personal Best, and those with outstanding attendance. I look forward to seeing you there to join us in celebrating their wonderful achievements. Invitations have been emailed to families with students receiving awards and can be checked through School Bytes.

Next Wednesday, eligible students will be attending the PBL Rewards Excursion to Central Coast Leagues Club, Gosford, to enjoy a day of Laser Tag and Clip and Climb. Handing in 100 Goro Golds, in addition to meeting the behaviour requirements qualifies your child/ward to attend the excursion. Places are limited to 150 students and there is a \$5 payment to be made online through the link sent via email to eligible students, on School Bytes, or to the front office.

#### Student Representative Council (SRC) Badge Ceremony

On Thursday, the GHS SRC held its official badge ceremony to present to the members of the SRC. The SRC does an amazing job of representing the students, organising and running fundraising events such as Pink Day, PBL assemblies, day-to-day social justice initiatives and school improvement. Well done to Year 7 for having wonderful representation and these courageous students for stepping up for themselves, their peers, the school, and the community.

Well done, and congratulations to the Year 7 SRC students of 2023: Aydin C, Alex S, Sawyer W, Rebecca K, Mira D, and Elizabeth B. Not pictured: Olivia M, Elyssa M and Grace W.



# Tut Roadshow – Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> of June

On Wednesday the 26<sup>th</sup> of July students will be treated to a unique experience in the Tutankhamun Roadshow. A purpose-built semi-trailer that brings the wonders of Ancient Egypt into Australian schools. Students will experience a state-of-the-art multimedia display of authentic artefacts from Ancient Egypt and will be able to handle objects that were made thousands of years ago, examine accurate replicas and learn their significance today. Permission notes have been e-mailed home and the cost of the incursion is \$5.







## Pink Day – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> of June











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#### UNIFORM

Please see the following link for the school's uniform policy and online ordering. With the colder months upon us, it is important for students to wear the correct winter uniform. If there are any clothing issues, please write a note and have your child/ward bring this to me in my staffroom, G1.11, in the morning.

https://gorokan-h.schools.nsw.gov.au/about-our-school/uniform.html

#### SCHOOL CONTACT

Please call the school on 4393 7000 or email me at <u>mark.finlayson9@det.nsw.edu.au</u> with any questions, concerns, or feedback you have.

Additionally, please look at our school's website to find more information regarding assessment, wellbeing, news and more: <u>https://gorokan-h.schools.nsw.gov.au/</u>