Department of Education
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Tuart Rise Primary School
Summary of meeting 14 August 2026

Please find following a summary of the Tuart Rise Primary School Board meeting held on Friday, 14 August 2026.

Attendees
Parent members: David Henderson, Josh Heedes, Mary Toki, Jeandre Beukes
Staff members: Narelle Brierley-Scott, Melissa Paterson, Graham Rees
Principal: Melanie Buller

Summary of discussions
- The Board reviewed and noted the current financials, including the budget, current voluntary contribution collection rate (37.96%), and project updates (ninja playground, musical/sensory playground).
- The principal shared the summary report and outcome of the Public School Review. This included discussions of next steps and actions outlined in the School Improvement Plan to build on progress made.
- The principal presented the Student National School Opinion Survey (NSOS), which was completed in Term 2. The identified strengths and areas for development were discussed, along with how the data will be used to inform future planning.
- The board reviewed the survey feedback from parent-teacher interviews and noted the next interview date of 23 October 2026 (Term 4, Week 2). Communication with the community will commence on 17 August.
- The Board was provided with an update on P&C activities and fundraising planned for Term 3.

Principal's report
- Term 3 events were presented, including athletics training and carnivals, choir activities and festivals, Science Week incursions and excursions, and Book Week.
- Staff celebrated the successful outcome of the Public School Review and are looking forward to continuing the work identified in the School Improvement Plan.
- NAPLAN data has been received and the school achieved within expected range for all 10 tested areas. Further information will be presented at the next board meeting.
- The school has commenced planning for 2027 and is currently advertising for teaching staff to create a pool for use for any vacancies arising in the 2027 school year.
- Breakfast Club has commenced with approximately 23 students attending the first session. This runs on Wednesday mornings from 8:00am-8:20am in the science room. A review will occur toward the end of term with the aim of increasing available breakfast club sessions.