

Our News

News from Templestowe Heights Primary School



9850 1796

Newsletter Term 1 Week 6

5th March 2020

Templestowe Heights Primary School Values

Persistence Respect Courage Responsibility
"inspiring learners for life"

Monday 9th March – Labour Day Public Holiday

No School

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Public Holiday this Monday

Just a reminder that this Monday (9th March) is the Labour Day public holiday. School will resume on Tuesday 10th March.



Foundation students first assembly

This Friday our Foundation students will participate in their first school assembly. What an exciting time this will be, as they are officially welcomed to our school and presented with their starting school certificates.

Hat Parade on last day of term 1

On Friday 27th March we will be hosting our hat parade. The purpose of this event is to celebrate different cultural events that happen throughout the year. Children are able to make any themed hat they like. The parade will take place in the gym from 9:15am.



Put it in your diaries – Our 50 years celebrations



This year we will be celebrating 50 years since our doors first opened as Templestowe Heights Primary. On Saturday 21st November we have scheduled a carnival day with rides, entertainment, silent auctions, gift stalls, food stalls and a 'Trip Down Memory Lane' exhibition. We will also be hosting an Alumni night time event for past students (who are 18 years or older) on Thursday 19th November. To register for our Alumni please contact the office on 9850 1796 or email at

templestowe.heights.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au

Parent workshops

Next Tuesday the Wellbeing Team will be hosting a parent workshop on Empathy and Team Work. The workshop is at 2-3:30pm and repeated that same night at 7-8:30pm. Please contact the office on 9850 1796 to book a place.

Lunch time activities

Please see in this newsletter the schedule for our lunch time activities being facilitated this term. Thank you to our amazing teachers for giving up their lunch breaks to provide these opportunities for our students to participate in learning experiences they may be interested in pursuing outside of school hours.

Rhys Coulson

Principal

CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2020

Term 1

Monday 9 th March	Labour day - Public Holiday
Tuesday 10 th March	Wellbeing Parent Workshop 2-3.30pm and 7-8.30pm
Tues 10 th to Tues 24 th March	Hot Cross Bun Drive – with Bakers Delight
Wednesday 18 th March	School Council Meeting 7.30pm
Monday 16 th March	Foundation Dentist Visit
Wednesday 18 th March	School Council Meeting 7.30pm
Friday 27 th March	Easter Raffle Drawn Hat Parade - Gym End of Term 1 Assembly at 1.30pm Students Dismissed at 2.30pm

TERM DATES 2020

Term 1	Thursday 30 th January - Friday 27 th March
Term 2	Tuesday 14 th April – Friday 26 th June
Term 3	Monday 13 th July – Friday 18 th September
Term 4	Monday 5 th October – Friday 18 th December

FROM THE OFFICE

School Helpers and Visitors

All parent/guardian helpers and visitors to the school must hold a valid WWC (Working With Children Check). Go to <https://www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au> to apply and present your card to the school office.

CSEF Applications

CSEF is provided to eligible families to assist with the cost of school trips, camps and sporting activities.

Parents and carers may claim the CSEF of \$125 per year, if you hold an eligible concession card. To apply please contact the office or download a CSEF application form from www.education.vic.gov.au/csef and provide us with a copy of a current concession card. Closing date for application is Friday 3rd April 2020. For more information visit the above web site.

You will only need to submit an application form in 2020 if any of the following changes have occurred:

- **new student enrolments:** your child has started or changed schools in 2020 or you did not apply at the same school in 2019 or
- **changed family circumstances:** such as a change of custody, change of name, concession card number, or new siblings commencing at the school in 2020.

ARTROOM NEWS



Art room urgently needs more newspapers for this term. If you have newspapers at home could you please bring them to school ASAP.





Thanks Joy Birrell (Art Teacher)

SCHOOL SPORTS VICTORIA TRACK AND FIELD

School Sports Australia present the SSA 10-12 years Track and Field Championship on an annual basis. The 2020 Victorian Team will be selected at a track and field selection trials day to be held on **Sunday 4th October at Lakeside Stadium**. The team will be selected by the Teams Officials selection committee. If you would like your child to participate please register at the link below. Registrations close Thursday, 24th September 2020.

<https://ssv.vic.edu.au/team-vic/pages/track-field.aspx>

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES - LUNCH TIME TERM 1 2020

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
DASH ROBOTS		Chess Club 1.00-1.45	LEGO/DUPLO	REMOTE CONTROL CAR CLUB
HIP HOP		SRI ART Room	CHOIR	
		YOGA		GARDEN



Bakers Delight Lunch Orders

Classroom Cuisine does not deliver lunch orders to school on Tuesdays, so we have partnered with our local Bakers Delight to trial Tuesday lunch orders to fill this gap for our families.

Bakers Delight will join with Woolworths to provide fruit with the bakery item(s) in the lunch order. We were unable to start it this week, so Tuesday lunch orders will commence next Tuesday 10th March. Please use the link to order <http://bit.ly/thps-lunches> . 20% of each order will be donated back to our school. Orders close each week at 5pm on Sunday, and will be delivered to school before lunchtime.

Easter Raffle donations

The highly anticipated annual Easter Raffle will be drawn in the final assembly of term. Please bring donations into the office anytime from now until the last week of term. Please check ingredients and ensure all items are NUT FREE. Any Easter themed items welcome – eggs, bags/baskets, easter craft & colouring books, easter trinkets.

Hot Cross Buns

We are *delighted* to be having our annual Hot Cross Bun Drive in partnership with our local Macedon Plaza Bakers Delight leading up to Easter. \$2 from every pack sold will go towards our school fundraising. Orders close 5pm Tuesday 24th March, for delivery to school Thursday 26th March. To order click on <http://bit.ly/thps-easter>

Working With Children Check

Anyone who helps in any capacity at school must have a WWCC. It's free and easy to apply for online <https://wwwcv.auspost.com.au/>

THPS Social Events facebook page

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P&F Team - Cecile, Fiona, Oula & Sarah thpspaf@gmail.com



Templestowe Heights
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Templestowe Heights Primary School Fundraising Easter



Templestowe Heights Primary School is being supported by **Bakers Delight Macedon Plaza** to help raise some funds for much needed equipment for our school.

The school will receive \$2 for every 6 pack of Hot Cross Buns purchased.

Help us to achieve our goal by purchasing some Hot Cross Buns. Ordering is easy as it's all done online and you can collect your products from our school.

Orders close: 5pm Tuesday, 24th March 2020

Collection: 3pm - 4pm Thursday, 26th March 2020

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Bakers Delight Macedon Plaza

HIGH FLYERS WEEK 4 & 5 TERM 1

Year	Name	Received Award....
1/2B	Will	Will, you are working so so HARD! Sometimes you feel worried but now we see you give things a go and SUCCEED! You are one kind and grateful little fellow. Thank you for all the 'THANK YOUS' and HUGS!
1/2F	Luca	For your ability to work cooperatively with all members of the class. This week you demonstrated your team work skills when building graphs with a partner on excel to demonstrate the rubbish data we collected. You always make sure that everybody gets a fair turn and never hesitate to help your peers if they have a question. Thank you for being a valuable member of our class.
1/2P	Diego	This week, you were nominated by your teacher for demonstrating the character strength of gratitude. You are kind and show appreciation for others. You have started year 1 with zest and enthusiasm to learn, often taking home your ideas and filling them in your notebook. Diego, you always consider others and help out when they need it. 1/2P are grateful to have such an enthusiastic, kind and helpful class member. Keep up the amazing work Diego! You shine.
1/2V	Logan	Logan, you have made a fantastic start to your time at Templestowe Heights Primary School. You have shown the character strength of bravery by pushing yourself beyond your comfort zone. Already you have made so many friends and we all feel as though you have been with us since Foundation. I have been so impressed with your willingness to participate in class discussions and share your ideas. Thank you for being a welcome member of our class. Don't stop being you!
1/2W	Elvis	Congratulations to Elvis on a fantastic start to year one! He has demonstrated a positive attitude towards his learning and showed enthusiasm during our Writing Trait lessons. His piece on his brother's "stinky, smelly socks" highlighted his strong word choice and humour. Thank you for caring about your classmates and being willing to give everything a red hot go!
	Taneen	Taneen, thank you for being such a thoughtful, bright and kind addition to 1/2V. This week you have shown the character strength of creativity in your work when writing a narrative. Your ideas were outstanding and you were able to create a fantastic piece of writing with a strong beginning, middle and end. I can always count on you to help those around you, and do your best in every task you are given. Fantastic work Taneen!
3/4A	Paul	You have been spotted showing compassion and kindness! Well done on showing your peers compassion, thoughtfulness and kindness this week when you supported them in their learning. Without hesitation offered to sit with them and help them with a task they found challenging. You were patient, understanding and considerate. Such a fantastic effort Paul! Keep it up!
3/4H	Emilio	Congratulations Emilio on another fantastic week. You put maximum effort into every session and it is great to see you asking so many clarifying questions. This week 3/4H have enjoyed seeing your smile and great sense of humour which lights up our whole class. Thank you for sharing this great character strength with us! Keep up the great work.
3/4J	Ethan	Ethan, your courage is beginning to shine through in class as you think more about having a go at learning activities. The character strength of Bravery serves a person well and will enable you to try many and different activities. Keep on being brave, Ethan. ☺☺☺

5/6C	George	George, 5/6C have spotted you using the character strengths of 'teamwork', 'persistence' and 'humour' this week. You showed great leadership when you helped to resolve an issue on the Tiger Turf at lunchtime and it was fantastic to see you put your hand up to support the cricket team when they were down to 5 players for Inter-School Sport! You enjoy making the class laugh and we appreciate your sense of humour. Congratulations, George! Keep it up!
	Alex	Alex, 5/6C have spotted you using the character strengths of humour, zest and teamwork! We love the way you spread enthusiasm and positivity throughout our classroom and how you make us laugh! You are supportive and encouraging of others, and you continue to celebrate and cheer us on and remind us of the good things in any situation. A wonderful start to Grade 5! Well done.
5/6L	Adah	Congratulations Adah! This week your peers nominated you for showing fairness. You are demonstrating your ability to understand different people's perspectives and understand the best way to react to difficult situations. You are able to reflect on situations with honesty and kindness. Well done Adah!
5/6P	Nicole	Nicole, 5/6P have voted you as there high flyer this week for your outstanding leadership and teamwork as captain of the rounders team at Inter-school Sport. You supported, encouraged and demonstrated sportsmanship, which are all the qualities a leader should have. The opposing school and all your teammates appreciated this. Continue to be a leader at THPS! Congratulations, Nicole!
	Shay	Shay, 5/6P have loved the way in which you helped fellow students overcome obstacles and finish building their 3D shapes in Maths this week. Your patience and expertise was appreciated by all, but mostly, your ability to teach others how to finish was the most pleasing thing to see. Congratulations Shay!
5/6S	Rosie	Congratulations to Rosie Young for displaying the character strengths of Perseverance & Self-Regulation. Maths can be infuriating when it doesn't make sense, but not only did you persist forwards when it was challenging, you were also able to regulate your frustration and anger towards it! Well done Rosie, keep it up and never give up!

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March 10, 17 and 24, 2020

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3 year old program – Caterpillar Group

Term 1 and 2

Monday & Friday
9:15 am – 12:15 pm [6 hours]

Term 3 and 4

Monday & Friday
9:15 am – 1:15 pm [8 hours]

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Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
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8:00 AM - 6:00 PM



Incursion



Excursion



In-House

Arrive by 9am on Excursion days

MARCH/APRIL

30 Monday	31 Tuesday	1 Wednesday	2 Thursday	3 Friday
SQUIBBLING SKETCH GAMES	MAKE IT 'TIL YOU BAKE IT & LEFT, RIGHT, UP, DOWN	INFLATABLE WORLD & RAINBOW WEAVING	HIP HOP GROOVES & FELT BOOKMARKS	PETER RABBIT 2 & PLUSH BUNNY
We'll be putting our drawing & speed skills to the test today in Squibbling Sketch Games. So, pick up a pencil & gather your friends! How quickly can your team guess your drawing correctly?	We'll roll up our sleeves before rolling up our pastry to create edible Pinwheels. We'll even get to pick our own fillings! *Allergy Alert. *GF & Vegan options available. Please select when booking.	How high will you jump at Inflatable World? Today, we'll get to climb, leap & crawl through many different obstacles. Later, we'll do some colourful Rainbow Weaving to take home & display. *Socks required.	5, 6, 7, 8... today, our dance moves will be great! TeamKids will learn the latest dance moves from Hip Hop, Grooves, Breakdance & Jazz styles. Later, we'll make Felt Bookmarks to take home.	Today, we're off to the movies to see this season's blockbuster - Peter Rabbit 2! Afterwards, we'll make Plush Bunnies to take home with us. *Popcorn provided. *Allergy Alert.
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APRIL

6 Monday	7 Tuesday	8 Wednesday	9 Thursday	10 Friday
AUSTRALIAN SPORTS MUSEUM & MCG TOUR AND ANIMAL GAMES	LIGHT UP WITH ELECTRICITY & WOODEN PROPELLER CARS	CARDBOARD MAYHEM BY BOXWARS & ANIMAL BAG TAGS	LAQ	PUBLIC HOLIDAY
Howzat! TeamKids gets to go behind-the-scenes of the MCG & explore one of the world's most iconic stadiums! Also, we'll be immersed in exciting & interactive exhibits at the Australian Sports Museum.	Today, we'll spark your imagination as we discover the way electricity works! We'll conduct some electrifying experiments guaranteed to be hair-raising. Afterwards, we'll make Wooden Propeller Cars.	Cardboard Mayhem is the perfect combination of art & destruction. We'll use nothing but cardboard to make mega creations that we'll use in the ultimate endgame. Then, we'll make Animal Bag Tags to take home.	LaQ is the hottest thing on the block! These unique Japanese pieces can be locked together to create 2D, 3D & 4D masterpieces! Get creative & innovative today as you construct your very own creation.	
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