

Our News

August to May "Hats On" Day

Templestowe Heights

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News from Templestowe Heights Primary School

Newsletter Term 3 Week 9

9th September 2020

Templestowe Heights Primary School Values

Persistence

Respect

Courage

Responsibility

"inspiring learners for life"

Saturday 12th September

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LOCKDOWN



Term 3 End Friday 18th September – 2.30pm

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Returning in Term 4

Sunday's announcement has provided us with greater clarity about when students will return to Templestowe Heights Primary. While the Department of Education is yet to provide guidelines with how this will look, we are really excited about the prospect of returning to face to face teaching. What we know so far is that:

- (5th Oct) Term 4 week 1 all students will continue to participate in online/remote learning.
- (12th Oct) Term 4 week 2 Foundation and Yr. 1/2 students will return to face to face teaching.
- (26th Oct) Term 4 week 4 students in Yr. 3/4 and 5/6 will return to face to face teaching under the provision that new covid cases are within an acceptable, contained level (TBC).

These last two terms have been extremely challenging for everyone in so many different ways. We have continued to do our best to support one another and remain positive for our children. We also understand that we will have to reconsider how we approach aspects of school life when we return. Our 2021 transition program, year 6 graduation, assessments to monitor learning, school reports and most importantly how we continue to have a focus of wellbeing for our students to ensure we can reconnect and provide a positive experience on return.

Next week - last week of term

Our last week of term 4 will look a little bit different. During next week, year level teams will be participating in professional learning focused on designing assessment tools and curriculum planning for term 4. Your child's weekly schedule will show the changes, with myself, Mr Veal and our wonderful Specialist teachers taking some fun classes while the class teachers are engaged in their professional learning.

Tournament of Minds

Yesterday our two teams submitted their five minute videos for the Tournament of the Minds competition. These fourteen students have worked incredibly hard and shown resilience to work through the many challenges that collaborating online brings with it. Judging is taking place this weekend although regardless of how the outcome we are incredibly proud of them all. A massive thank you to teacher *Sylvia Petrovska* and *Sam Wang* for their guidance and time they provided for our students and the for the opportunity.

Hurricane Heights		Masked Fridge	
Jessica	5/6L	Sabrina	5/6P
Olivia	5/6C	Skye	5/6P
Yau	5/6W	Yvonne	5/6P
Amelia	5/6L	Sam	5/6S
Foti	5/6L	Alena	5/6S
Ella	5/6P	Phoebe	5/6S
Gizelle	5/6P	Alexandra	5/6L

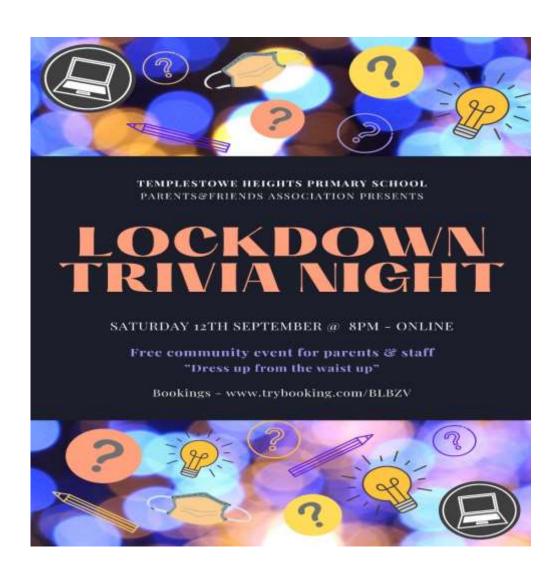
Lockdown Trivia Night

How good was Mr Veal at football? How good was Mrs Stacker in her stellar basketball career? These are two questions that will definitely not be asked at our *Parents & Friends* Lockdown trivia night this Saturday at 8pm. Numbers for this Saturday's trivia night are big and I am looking forward to battling it out with our community for the bragging rights for trivia champions. For those not as competitive as our THPS staff, it is a great opportunity to have some fun connecting and for having a laugh at those that are competitive. Thanks to our *Parents & Friends* fab-four of Oula, Fiona, Cecile and Sarah for organising the event.

Rhys Coulson

Principal

CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2020			
Term 3			
Saturday 12 th September	Lockdown Trivia Night 2020 - 8.00pm		
Friday 18 th September	Term 3 Ends		
Term 4			
Monday 5 th October	Term 4 begins		
Monday 12 th October	Onsite learning Commences for Foundation, Year 1 and Year 2 Students		
TERM DATES 2020			
Term 4	Monday 5 th October – Friday 18 th December		





Lockdown Trivia Night 2020 - Community Social Event – 8pm Saturday 12th September

Tickets are still available for our Trivia Night. It is a FREE ONLINE event to connect the adults in our school community. All you need is a screen. More information is attached to the newsletter and on Compass. Tickets can be booked on www.trybooking.com/BLBZV Prizes generously donated by Vifor Pharma, Bakers Delight, Dan Murphy's, Krispy Kreme and the P&F freezer. If you don't know anyone but would still like to join in, please book into the 'All in This Together' group to connect with others in the same situation.

For those who have booked tickets, you will be emailed more information on how to log into the Zoom meeting on the night. Please contact us if you haven't received this by Saturday morning. Come armed with your best joke, and dress up from the waist up (if you want to).

While this event is free for everyone to attend, if you are able to and would like to make a donation, we have selected a charity we are supporting for this event. State Schools' Relief is a not-for-profit organisation that improves the lives of tens of thousands of disadvantaged Victorian students, and their families, each year. https://stateschoolsrelief.org.au/fundraising/

This essential fund will assist THPS families affected by the current crisis. If you would like to make a donation, please Bpay the amount to school and let the office know it is a donation for the State Schools' Relief Fund. The office will make a group donation to the Fund. Let's see how much we can raise for families in need.

We can't wait to see you there!

THPS Parents & Friends Community Facebook page

Join the THPS closed facebook group by searching for THPS Parents & Friends Community and answering the question. We have now changed the name and added the group guidelines.

https://www.facebook.com/groups/758762184247385

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





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Enter the Coupon code: THPS10% and select Templestowe Heights PS as your school to get your discount online or mention the code and school for over the phone orders.

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Templestowe Heights Primary

8:00 AM - 6:00 PM

ARRIVE BY SAM ON INCURSION DAYS











*Child Care Subsidies may apply. \$5 Admin Fee per family. \$5 Late Fees apply within 7 days per child. Payment plans available.

**Experience/Activity Fee. Programs may be subject to change. Third Party Payment Fees apply. See Terms and Conditions for cancellation policy.



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Getting Ready to Attend



ARRIVAL TIME



Please ensure children are signed in no later than 9am.



Booking and cancellations

Bookings are subject to availability and may be placed/ amended until 11:59 pm the night prior to attendance via your TeamKids online account. An additional fee of \$5 per child applies to bookings made inside 7 days of attending. Cancellations must be received before 8am the day prior to attendance. If inside this time frame, full fee will be charged. Please refer to our website for full cancellation T&C's.



Double Check Teamkids Room Location

It is very important to double check our website prior to attending, in case of a room change. We are sometimes required to temporarily change rooms due to school building maintenance over the school holidays. Last minute changes will be announced via SMS to attending families.



Medical Information? Have a Plan

If your child has Asthma, Anaphylaxis, an Allergy or any other medical condition, upload plans to your TeamKids account and bring along a completed Risk Minimisation Form, found on our website. Please provide required medications to your venue coordinator on the first day of attendance - In their original packaging, clearly labelled with your child's name and a use-by date.

**Please note children are unable to attend our venues without their medication and action plans.



CCS Receiving child care Subsidy

After your TeamKids booking is placed, you must log into your MyGov account to check you have a confirmed enrolment.



Extended Hours of operation

During the school holidays, our customer service team are available from 7:00 am till 6:30 pm.

What to wear

At TeamKids we love to get outside, so please remember to pack a hat - clearly labelled and wear suitable footwear for running around. Where possible avoid wearing singlets, thongs and open-toed shoes.

The mornings can be chilly, so please make sure you bring a warm top (clearly labelled) and keep an eye on the weather so your child is dressed appropriately. Some of our venues are particularly large and take time to warm up on the cooler mornings, so make sure the kids are rugged up.



Electronic Sign-In/out

All TeamKids venues require electronic sign in/out, Any person signing your child in or out from TeamKids care MUST be listed on your TeamKids account and know your TeamKids account pin number, if this has been activated. These details can be updated via your TeamKids account at any time.



Pack a Healthy Lunch

A delicious, nutritious, morning and afternoon tea are provided in all programs. Children are required to bring a packed lunch and refillable water bottle.

When packing your child's lunch, please consider that some children in attendance have been diagnosed with food allergies or the risk of anaphylaxis.



Additional Needs

For new families, our TeamKids Inclusion Manager will discuss attendance options for children with additional needs before they attend. Please contact Customer Service on 1300 035 000.

Please note: We require a minimum of four weeks' notice for funding applications for children requiring an extra staff member to help support their time with us. Places cannot be guaranteed if less notice is given.

Please call with any questions: 1300 035 000

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