

Our News



News from Templestowe Heights Primary School

Templestowe Heights
Primary School

9850 1796

Newsletter Term 1 Week 3

16th February 2023

Templestowe Heights Primary School Values

Persistence

Respect

Courage

Responsibility

“inspiring learners for life”

School Photos Tuesday 21st February

Information Nights

Foundation - Thursday 16th February

Year 1 to 6 - Tuesday 21st February

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Congratulation to our Year 6 students who have been appointed to captain roles.

Bradman House	Cuthbert House	Newcombe House	Goolagong House
Angus 6JA & Camilla 6KS	Viraaj 6LS & Rose 6KS	Arjun & Talia 6KS	Zach & Matisse 6JA

Art	Performing Arts	Environmental	STEM
Chizzy 6KS & Edie 6JA	Hannah 6JS & Cooper 6LS	Andy & Eloise 6LS	Edward 6LS & Anthea 6KS

Assembly Postponed – until Monday 27th February

We will be hosting our first face to face assembly for the year on Monday 27th February at 2:45pm. Students who were elected as JSC/Enviro Leaders and Year 6 Captains will receive their badges at this time.

Edie – Greatest Shave

Edie (6JA) is participating in The World's Greatest Shave to raise money for research and support families going through Leukaemia (blood cancer). We are so proud of Edie wanting to make a difference to those less fortunate and we can't wait to see the before and after shot. Edie will be shaving on 17th March, for those wanting to donate to Edie's worthwhile cause, please click on the link:



<https://secure.leukaemiafoundation.org.au/registant/FundraisingPage.aspx?RegistrationID=876980>

Parent/Carer - Teacher Discussions

In the week commencing Monday 6th March we will be holding our first semester parent/carers-teacher discussions. The purpose of these 10-minute catch ups are for families to meet their child's teacher and discuss their progress settling in. Parents and carers will have the option of having them face to face or online. Information will be coming out next week explaining how to book a preferred time.

2023 Parent Payments

Parent Contributions 2023 notices are available from the school office. Payments can be made via cash, visa, Mastercard, EFTPOS or BPay. Please contact the office if you have any questions or would like to make alternative payment arrangements. Payment is due by Tuesday 28th February.

Hot Weather Timetable

As part of our extreme weather policy, we are continually monitoring the immediate, short and medium-term weather forecast. With the recent high temperatures we will continue to encourage all students to drink water regularly and restrain from high energy outdoor play activities. Tomorrow's forecast is set to reach 39 degrees, we will closely monitor it but at this stage we are planning to have the students out for half of outdoor play times for passive activities only, and then inside in cool, airconditioned spaces.

Rhys Coulson

Principal

CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2023	
TERM 1	
Thursday 16 th February	Foundation Information Night 7.00pm via Webex 579 980 226 Year 5 & 6 Summer Sports begins – 9 - 11am Every Thursday until : 
Monday 20 th February	District Swimming School Assembly Online via Webex No. 579 980 226 – 3.10pm
Tuesday 21 st February	School Photos Year 1 to 6 Information Night 7.00pm via Webex 579 980 226
Monday 27 th February	Whole School Assembly – Gym -2.45pm
Tuesday 28 th February	School Fees Due
Wed 1 st to Thurs 2 nd March	Life Education Sessions – Foundation
Friday 3 rd March	Welcome Picnic - 5.30 to 8.00pm
Mon 6 th – Fri 10 th March	Parent/Carer Teacher Discussions
Monday 13 th March	Labour Day Public Holiday 
Wednesday 15 th March	School Council
Thursday 6 th April	Term 1 Ends
TERM DATES 2023	
Term 1	Last day of term 1 Thursday 6 th April
Term 2	Monday, 24 th April - Friday, 23 rd June
Term 3	Monday, 10 th July - Friday, 15 th September
Term 4	Monday, 2 nd October – Wednesday, 20 th December

FROM THE OFFICE

Payments Due

School Fees – Tuesday 28th February

We Are a Sunsmart School

As a sunsmart school we encourage all students to Slip. Slop, Slap, Seek and Slide. Please see the families information flyer attached to this message.

CAMPS, SPORTS AND EXCURSIONS FUND APPLICATIONS

The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund helps eligible families to cover the costs of school trips, camps and sporting activities.

If you have a valid means-tested concession card, such as a Veterans Affairs Gold Card, Centrelink Health Care Card or Pensioner Concession Card, or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible. There is also a special consideration category for asylum seeker and refugee families.

Payment amounts this year are \$125 for eligible primary school students. Payments are made direct to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions and sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

If you applied for CSEF through our school last year, you do not need to complete an application form this year, unless there has been a change in your family circumstances.

If you would like to apply for the first time, please contact the school office on 9850 1796 and ask for an application form.

VOLUNTEERS AND VISITORS TO THE SCHOOL (WWC)

All parents and carers wishing to visit or volunteer at the school need to hold a valid Working With Children Check (WWC). This can be done online at <https://www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au>. Once you have received your card please present it to the office.

PE NEWS!

This week we were fortunate to have the Bulleen Templestowe Junior Football Club, along with the AFL and their coaches, run awesome footy clinics for our F-6 classes. We practised the skills of handballing and kicking in fun activities and games. Everyone from the brand new Foundation students all the way to our Grade 6 students joined in and had so much fun!





Welcome Picnic – Friday 3rd March

Lock in the date, our annual school Welcome Picnic will be held on Friday 3rd March from 5.30-8pm on the school oval. Bring a picnic dinner or buy a sausage in bread from the teachers' BBQ. Meet new families, meet all our new staff and make new friends, it'll be a great night! Thank you to our OSHC provider TheirCare who are providing the sausages.

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 Gardening Group facebook page

Join the THPS closed facebook group by searching for THPS Gardening Group or using the link. The Gardening Group is run by the lovely Laura David (Helena Hutchison) and manages the roster over weekends and school holidays to water and take care of our school vegetable garden.

<https://m.facebook.com/groups/758762184247385/?ref=bookmarks>

THPS Chicken roster

If you would like to be included in the chicken roster to help look after our school chickens over weekends and school holidays, please contact the office to join the WhatsApp group.

THPS Parents & Friends Community Facebook page

Join the THPS closed Facebook group by searching for THPS Parents & Friends Community and answering the question. <https://www.facebook.com/groups/758762184247385>

P&F Team – Lauren & Oula thpspaf@gmail.com



COMMUNITY NEWS



Ph. 1300 858 911

Musicorp holds weekly group lessons at your child's school. The term fee includes the lessons, book, music stand and instrument to take home and practice with.

Scan the QR code for full details, including pricing, available instruments and to enrol.

Or go to:
www.polygon.ws/lessons



**Bring out the best
in your child with
singing.**

Enrolments for 2023 with the
Australian Youth Choir are
now open to boys and girls from 8
years of age.

A great opportunity to develop singing,
build confidence, self-esteem and make new
friends in 2023.

Weekly rehearsals in Canterbury during
school Term with concerts included in the
year.



AUDITION NOW FOR 2023
EMAIL OR CALL TO LEAVE MESSAGE

office2@niypaa.com.au or 98362877

**Take your child's singing from the
shower to the stage!**

Diamond Valley Singers
production of

Seussical JR.

Music by STEPHEN FLAHERTY **Lyrics by LYNN AHRENS**

Book by LYNN AHRENS and STEPHEN FLAHERTY
Co-Conceived by LYNN AHRENS, STEPHEN FLAHERTY and ERIC IDLE
Based on the Works of DR. SEUSS

Licensed exclusively by Music Theatre International
(Australasia). All performance materials supplied by
Hal Leonard Australia.

MARCH 24 – APRIL 1
TICKETS ON SALE NOW
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ENQUIRIES 9439 7843 www.dvsingers.org



TEMPLESTOWE JUNIOR DOCKERS

A PARTNER CLUB OF THE FREMANTLE DOCKERS FOOTBALL CLUB

19 FEB REGISTRATION DAY

GOTTA BE A DOCKER!!

JOIN US FOR
FUN - FITNESS - FAMILY
Sunday 19 February

Templestowe Reserve, Porter Street

11am - Come and Try Footy with
AFL Victoria coaches

Player registration+free BBQ lunch
Veg and halal options

From 12pm - Activities for kids
Specy competition, obstacle course

1pm - 'Templestowe Gift footrace'
handicapped 100m sprint

Contact us!

Text/ph: 0400 980 707
E: secretary@
templestowejfc.com.au

Register @ www.templestowejfc.com.au

beginning 2 March, 2023

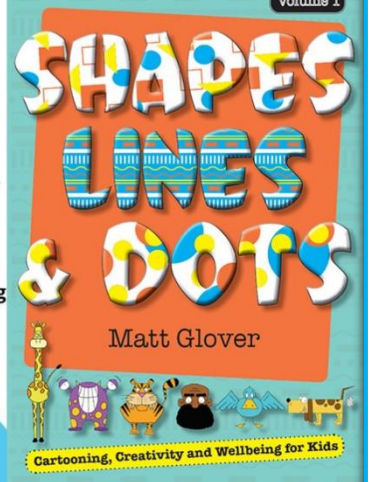
4:30pm - 5:30pm

\$72.00

Join Australian Cartoonist Matt Glover
for an hour of cartoon drawing fun!

Learn to draw animals and monsters,
plus come up with your own cartooning
creations.

Materials are supplied - just bring your
enthusiasm and creativity!



Kids Mindful Cartooning Workshops
for children 8-12 yrs



ST KEVIN'S PARISH TEMPLESTOWE
"That all may live life to the full"



Confirmation Eucharist Reconciliation

Applications are now being taken for students to enrol for preparation to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation, First Eucharist and Confirmation in 2023. Each student will be given a family friendly book to work through in conjunction with a series of meetings with our Catechist Ana. If you would like to enrol your child/children and have any queries please ring the Parish House on 9850 5983 Tuesday to Friday 9am to 4pm or email templestowe@cam.org.au

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BORDERLINE PERSONALITY DISORDER

DATE TUESDAY, 28 FEBRUARY 2023

Presented by:	Natalie Bischof (Clinical Psychologist) Clinician/ Case Manager	Jacqui Lye (Registered Mental Health Nurse) Team Leader, Clinician/ Case Manager
	Intensive Mobile Treatment Team	Intensive Mobile Treatment Team

This workshop will focus on:

- Exploration of the challenges of working with people with a diagnosis of Borderline Personality Disorder (BPD).
- Building awareness and understanding around BPD.
- Understanding some differences between BPD and Complex Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder
- Considering BPD through a developmental and attachment lens.
- System and individual treatment approaches.
- Recognising the unhelpful patterns, we fall into when working with people with BPD and what to do then
- How to think about, and respond to risk, in YOUR role.
- How to avoid iatrogenic (treatment-related) harm.
- To reflect on how our new understanding of BPD can assist us to have positive, helpful interactions with people with BPD

Target audience:	Staff working in a range of settings including education, housing (including out of home care), youth justice, health and child and family services.
Time:	9.30 AM to 12.30 PM
Cost:	\$40.00 (exclusive of fees)

PAYMENT DETAILS

Eastern Health Community Seminars has now made it easier for you to make your direct payments via Eventbrite.

- For all individual bookings, book and pay directly via Eventbrite: **Option 1**
- For all group bookings from organisations wishing to make a booking for a number of people: **Option 2**

TWO OPTIONS Bookings & Registration:	Option 1	INDIVIDUAL PAYMENT DIRECTLY VIA EVENTBRITE Payment made directly online Link : https://www.eventbrite.com/e/borderline-personality-disorder-tickets-513554624707
	Option 2	GROUP PAYMENT Obtain a registration form and receive a group account via Eastern Health Email: CommunitySeminarCYMHS@easternhealth.org.au

Location:	ONLINE DELIVERY  via Zoom	
Contact:	Marion Bernard Community Engagement Seminars	on 9871 7710

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UNDERSTANDING & WORKING WITH SCHOOL ATTENDANCE CONCERNS – primary school focus

DATE THURSDAY 30 MARCH 2023

Presented by: School Engagement Team

This workshop will focus on:

- *Understanding and mentalising school attendance difficulties*
- *Working with parents, families and the broader system to support re-engagement*
- *The importance of early intervention and prevention*

Target audience: Staff working in a range of settings including education, child and family services and youth services

Time: 9.30 AM to 12.30 PM

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