



TATURA PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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9 October 2019 Week 1 Term 4

PRINCIPAL'S PIECE

Welcome back to Term 4. I hope you've had a great holiday and I know that you're all looking forward to our TPS Colour Explosion this Friday!! The fund raising is going very well – we are on our way to hitting our target of \$5000!!

Note that due to the run on Friday, we won't be having Free Fruit Friday this week. Please send a piece of fruit with your child for their morning fruit snack.

Works during the holidays

You will have noticed that a lot of work happened at school during the holidays. We had an old oil tank removed from the basketball court area. Fencing was erected around the sensory playground and we are now ready to sell pickets to families for painting. They can be purchased from the office for \$10 each. You then take them home, decorate them with exterior paint and return them to have them constructed as part of our grand entrance to the sensory playground near the train.

The other major works are continuing in the central area. We are looking forward to the circular seating area where classes can work outside in a new learning space. The playground at the eastern end will have play equipment, a sand pit and garden area. Our new flagpoles will be located at the Albert Street entrance where we will proudly fly our flags. We are looking forward to the formal garden to be constructed at the new entrance to the school too. See our plans on display in the reception area.

Coffee Van

As some of you would be aware, we have had a coffee van selling hot drinks before school occasionally. The proprietor, Lisa, is one of our parents and has been in discussions with me about the running of her business near our school for the benefit of our parents and staff.

We have developed the following guidelines that take into account all the safety and duty of care considerations for us as a school.

- The van will be located just outside the school's boundary
- Parents and teachers will be served hot drinks
- Children will not be served hot drinks
- Parents may purchase a drink for their child on the understanding that it is consumed outside the school whilst with the parent
- All rubbish must be disposed of thoughtfully

Please note that Lisa is fully registered as a business and has a 'roving' business licence for the purposes of operating in our area. She is currently scheduling her visits on Tuesday and Thursday mornings. She will be located near Lake Bartlett.

STOP PRESS: Lisa will have her van at the TPS Colour Explosion from 1:30pm on Friday. For this event she will be located near the basketball courts.

Susanne Gill, Principal



Middle Section News



Maths is fun!

We are currently working on a Chance and Data unit. If anyone has any fidget spinners that we could borrow for a few weeks can you please send these to your child's teacher. Thank you!



Welcome back to Term 4!

It will once again be a busy term full of exciting events and learning.

Our theme for the Term is Sustainability.

We will be learning about how to be more sustainable at home, at school and in our community.

In literacy we are enjoying writing using the Writer's Notebook approach. Don't forget to bring in any seeds for writing ideas. Ms Ritchie has purchased some terrific new books for us to use and practise our comprehension strategies when reading.

Miss Aburrow has organised some fantastic art opportunities for us in the coming weeks. We will have visiting artists from Kialla Art running two exciting art sessions with all students.

Times Table Challenge

Many students have achieved great success in our times tables challenge. This term we will be working on our division facts that link directly to the multiplication facts. Keep practicing these at home!



Term 4 is a Sunsmart Term. Make sure you have your wide brimmed school hats each day.

Important Dates:

Friday October 11th: Colour Explosion

Week 2 and 3: Kiaella Art Activities

Monday 28th October: 3/4A & B Quantam

Tuesday 29th October: 3/4C Quantam

Tuesday 5th November: Melbourne Cup Day

Monday 11th-

Friday 15th November: Class Talks

Thursday 21st November: Tabloid Sports

Friday 29th November: LARP

Friday 6th December: LARP

Friday 13th December: LARP

Reminders:

Don't forget to complete your nightly spelling and reading homework.

Many students are not using their blue reader pocket to keep their homework booklet in and it is therefore falling apart!

Please look after your homework book as it needs to last the whole term.



This term the 3/4 theme is



The **Colour Run** is this Friday! We hope family and friends can come along to join in the fun on the school oval and support students with their fundraising efforts.



Students can come out of uniform, in sports clothes and will change into their white t-shirt before the run. Don't forget to wear your runners.



News from the Middle Section!

Zone Sports

Congratulations to all the students who will be representing our school at the Zone sports at McEwen Reserve Shepparton next Monday.



As we head towards the end of the year, please support your child to maintain strong work habits at home by read-

ing regularly, working on their spelling, improving on the speed and accuracy of their times tables and related division facts.

Later in the term we will have two transition sessions, practising being in

This term we are learning about:

Reading

- making connections (text to text, text to self and text to world)
- inference, synthesising and questions

Writing

- writer's notebook
- procedural writing
- explanations

Maths

- Rounding
- Chance
- Place value
- Location and Transformation
- Time
- Fractions and Decimals



EXCURSIONS COMING UP

There are a number of excursion occurring in the next month or two. Please note that payment is required in order for your child to attend.

Invoices for term 4 music have been added to family accounts. Please pay these outstanding amounts in order for your child to continue with music lessons.

Tennis Coaching

Learn how to play tennis the correct way.

Tennis coaching will commence in the first week back in term 4 for anybody interested in starting or improving their game. You can choose from Group or private lessons. Squad sessions available for competition players. All lessons will be held at Tatura Lawn tennis club. Any questions or bookings please call David on 0427 004457

ANZ Tennis Hot Shots

The ANZ Tennis Hot Shots is back again. This program is a fun and easy way for primary school-aged children to start rallying from the first lesson. The first week of the program starts on Saturday the 12th of October at 10.30am at the Tatura Lawn tennis club.

For more information please call David Starling on 0427 004457

Tennis Through Winter

Over the winter months there are a number of options if you want to start or keep playing tennis.

Tennis coaching is available for all those wishing to improve their game. There is also squad training and monthly tournaments to sharpen your match playing skills for next season.



RECYCLE 1,000,000 BOTTLE TOPS

How you can assist us

Target 1,000,000 is a joint initiative between Grow With Joe, Envision, Wyndham City, Rotary and Lions. Together we will be gathering **1,000,000** bottle caps from a network of schools and community groups and transforming them into 3D filament, prosthetic hands, and other usable STEM items.

Check us at www.growwithjoe.org and www.envision.org.au

Plastic bottle caps are an essentially non-recycled waste product, also one of the top polluters in our oceans. We need you to collect as many as you can, then email us with your school's details. We will organize to pick them up and recycle them into 3D filament, prosthetic hands, and other usable STEM items for your school and others in the community.

School talks and demonstrations can be organized please, [email us](#)
School poster and info download packs available [here](#)



SCHOOL BOTTLE CAP RECYCLE COLLECTION PROGRAM WYNDHAM CITY



RECYCLE PLASTIC BOTTLE TOPS
AT YOUR SCHOOL AND SUPPORT
BUILDING A HAND AND HELPING
THE ENVIRONMENT

BOTTLE CAPS ARE FULLY
RECYCLABLE. UNFORTUNATELY,
AS REPORTED ON ABC'S 'WAR ON
WASTE' THEY AREN'T RECYCLED.
BOTTLE CAPS FALL THROUGH
MACHINERY AND GET SENT TO
LANDFILL

GET THE BOTTLE CAPS BACK
TURNED INTO 3D FILAMENT OR
OTHER RECYCLED ITEMS

ENVISION

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FRIDAY FRUIT ROSTER

TERM 4, 2019

Sponsored by Tatura Medical Centre



11/10/2019	NO FRUIT—COLOUR RUN
18/10/2019	Mel Wright & Chris Court
25/10/2019	Sally Beale & Lou Normington
01/11/2019	Alana Cope & Dannielle Kay
08/11/2019	Lyana Speed & Pat Robinson
15/11/2019	Helen DeZilwa & Chantelle Gould
22/11/2019	Mel Wright & Chris Court
29/11/2019	Sally Beale & Lou Normington
06/12/2019	Alana Cope & Dannielle Kay
13/12/2019	Lyana Speed & Pat Robinson

SICK BAY WASHING ROSTER

TERM 4, 2019



11/10/2019	Lyana Speed
18/10/2019	Marni Stevens
25/11/2019	Fiona Shepperbottom
01/11/2019	Simone Dunne
08/11/2019	Cheryl Boyd
15/11/2019	Lyana Speed
22/11/2019	Marni Stevens
29/11/2019	Fiona Shepperbottom
06/12/2019	Simone Dunne
13/12/2019	Cheryl Boyd

If you are unable to assist, please attempt to find a replacement.
Fruit duty (cutting up fruit and delivering to classrooms) takes
approximately 1 hour.

Please collect washing on Friday afternoon.



Tatura Primary School

Uniform Requirements

2019

Please ensure that your child is dressed appropriately for the weather conditions of the day.

A combination of the items below can be worn according to their comfort needs.

(Please note that girls must not wear trousers under the summer dress)

- Summer dress in school fabric blue/white check with navy thread
- School Shorts- navy blue
- Plain navy blue long trousers- gabardine or trackpants
- Skort- navy blue
- Short-sleeved polo shirt- navy blue & sky blue with school logo – (make – Winning Spirit, style PS31)
- Skivvy- navy blue
- Polo shirt specific to Grade 6 students
- Navy blue or white socks
- Navy blue tights
- Black school shoes/boots or all black school sneakers suitable for PE.
- Windcheater- navy blue with school logo
- Windbreaker jacket- navy blue with sky blue sleeve stripe with school logo
- A plain navy fleece jacket or sleeveless vest with school logo is an option to supplement the uniform in winter
- Hat- navy blue broad-brimmed/bucket (Terms 1 and 4)- optional school logo
- Navy blue beanie- optional school logo

Notes:

- All uniform, including hats, windcheaters and jackets must be named. Name tapes or machine embroidered names make the easiest identification.
- Variations of uniform (eg: netball skirts, leggings, coloured shoes, visible slogans on clothes) are not acceptable. Please ask at school if you are unsure.
- Students may wear gold/silver earring studs or sleepers or a watch. Girls may wear navy blue or sky blue hair accessories.
- Note that all uniform items are available from Tatura Logos and Promos. Parents are also able to purchase general navy clothing items that can then be embroidered at Tatura Logos and Promos.

**TATURA PRIMARY SCHOOL
CANTEEN PRICE LIST – as from 29 January 2019**

HOT FOOD	
Pies	4.80
Party Pies	1.50
Large sausage roll	3.80
Pastie (meat & veg)	4.80
Pastie (veg only)	4.80
Ham, cheese & pineapple focaccia	2.70
Ham & cheese focaccia	2.50
Sauce	0.30
SANDWICHES	
Ham	4.00
Ham & cheese	4.70
ROLLS ONLY	
Ham & salad**	5.80
Chicken & salad**	7.00
Chicken only	5.00
Ham only	4.00
Ham & cheese	4.70
**salad includes: lettuce, tomato, beet-root & cheese	
CAKES	
Apple cake	3.40
Hedgehog	3.40
Vanilla slice	3.90
Coffee scroll	2.10
Caramel slice	3.40
YoYo (gluten free)	3.70
DRINKS	
Keri Fruity Juice (orange or apple/blackcurrant)	3.20
Paper bag	0.05

**LUNCH
ORDERS ONLY
AVAILABLE ON
THURSDAY &
FRIDAY**

**JOHN SMITH
ROOM 12**

1 Pie \$4.80

Total \$4.80

Money in bag \$4.80

Money is in Mary Smith's
bag/Room 14.

**ALL ORDERS MUST BE PLACED
AT THE SCHOOL.
NO ORDERS WILL BE TAKEN AT
TATURA HOT BREAD.**

*Order to be written on a brown
paper bag

*Please write your NAME and
ROOM NUMBER on the bag

*Write the price of each item on
your order and total the amount

*Indicate how much money has
been placed in the bag or

*Indicate if money is with a sibling's
lunch order

***NO CREDIT WILL BE GIVEN**

TERM FOUR 2019

WEEK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1	7 OCTOBER TERM 4 STARTS	8	9	10	11 School Council Fundraiser!!!! TPS Colour Explosion
2	14 Kaiela Art Division Athletics in Shepparton	15 Kaiela Art	16 Grade 5 ASPIRE leadership 'Nude Food' day	17	18 Kaiela Art Regional Aths-Albury
3	21 Kaiela Art	22 Kaiela Art	23	24	25 Kaiela Art
4	28 Quantum 3/4s Day for Daniel	29 Quantum 3/4s Day for Daniel	30	31	1 NOVEMBER
5	4	5 MELBOURNE CUP DAY HOLIDAY	6	7	8 2020 Foundation transition 9.30-10.30
6	11	12	13	14	15 2020 Foundation transition 9.30-10.30 Gr 1/2 Excursion
7	18	19	20	21 Tabloid Sports	22 2020 Foundation transition 9.30-10.30
8	25 Junior Dress Up Day	26	27	28	29 LARP
9	2 DECEMBER	3	4 2020 Foundation Information evening 7pm	5	6 LARP
10	9	10 Orientation Day	11	12 Grade 6 Graduation	13 LARP
11	16 CONCERT	17 Swimming	18 Swimming Carols	19	20 Last day of term