

TURRAMURRA PUBLIC SCHOOL

Newsletter

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Term 2 Week 9

Principal's Message

Dear Parents and Carers

A reminder for Year 4 parents that the online applications for OC classes close on Friday, June 26th. There will be no late entries and the application will all be dependent on the test that the children sit. This is due to the late completion due to COVID restrictions.

Many activities will resume next Term. The activities are:

Lego Club 'Little Builders' on Tuesday and Thursday, Monday Art classes with Mrs Plasto, Wednesday dance with Sophia Vermass, Chess Club in the Library on Fridays at lunchtime. Dance Groups with Footloose dance teachers for Years 3-6, Karate Classes will resume in the holidays. Band is already up and running, Robotics after school starts this week, Code Camp will recommence next Term, 29th July, International Music School is also due to recommence next Term. I hope I have remembered them all!

Jason in the Uniform Shop will be returning to Wednesdays as his work schedule has reverted back to usual hours. The shop will be open from 8:30am -9:30am each Wednesday. Online orders are still very welcome and the delivery method will remain the same. (Collect from outside the Office.)

At this stage we are still required to limit all non-essential visitors to the School. This includes parents. We will continue to ask that you say goodbye at the gate and collect from the gates in the afternoon. I will let you know when this changes.

Mr DJ has planned a mini Athletics Carnival for Years K-2 and 3-6 on two separate days in Week 10. This will give the students an opportunity to run and participate in some of the events that they missed due to the Carnivals being cancelled. Years 3-6 will be held on Monday and K-2 on Friday of Week 10.

Year 6 will be completing Peer Support training this Friday. This is usually a Term 2 activity and was postponed due to COVID. This is a great leadership opportunity for Year 6 and an opportunity to reinforce our values and deal with our anti-bullying topics. The Year 6 students will present these lessons to all groups in Term 3.

I returned a great number of lost items of clothing to classes last week. It is difficult to do when names are not on items or they are very hard to read. Can I ask that you check and label/relabel these asap. I am happy to get these out to you while you are unable to come on-site but I do expect that students are very capable of looking after and checking for themselves especially in Years 3-6. Students will be reminded of their responsibility to take care of their belongings over the next few weeks as part of our positive behaviour values.

Year 5 have their first fundraiser for the Year 6 farewell this Thursday. This is Crazy Hair or Sock Day. \$2 to participate. This should be a fun day for all of us.

We had a lovely P&C Meeting last week in the Library. Thank you for all your input into the School and our Community. We have ordered netball rings for the 3-6 playground as suggested at the meeting.

We are now accepting enrolments for 2021. If you know of any families in your local area who may be enrolling next year please let them know. Orientation Evening for new Kindergarten students will be in Term 3, August 27th.

Healthy Harold will be visiting Turramurra in Term 3. This program is for students in K-4 and supports healthy choices and lifestyle. Students received a note on Friday of last week regarding the cost of the program and letting you know the topic for your Childs year level.

Have a great week

Margaret Foott - Principal

Planning Ahead...

Thursday 25th June

Friday 26th June

Friday 3rd July

- Crazy Hair or Sock Day - \$2 donation

- OC online applications close.

- End of Term 2

Sport News:

In Week 10 we will be holding an in house “Athletics Carnival” for students to partake in. On Monday Years 3-6 will compete and Friday K-2. Events will include;

Long Jump
High Jump
Shot Put
and 80m Sprint for 3-6.

For K-2

- 50m → 5yr olds
- 60m → 6yr olds
- 70m → 7 yr olds
- 100m → 8yr olds

Rotational Activities

1. Mini hurdles
2. High jump mat
3. Long jump in sandpit
4. Shot put with small balls
5. Discus with soft frisbees
6. Relays
7. Javelin with vortexes
8. Parachute
9. Balls
10. Fitness
11. Dance

Ribbons will be given to 1st, 2nd & 3rd places, for Years 3-6 only.

Unfortunately no spectators will be allowed and no results will be kept for school records.

This is to give students the opportunity to enjoy a bit of athletics due to the fact there will be no Athletics Carnivals in 2020 due to COVID 19.

Please make sure students are in sports uniform on these days in Week 10.

Katrina McGuire & Reg de Jager

Library News:

The 2020 NSW Premier’s Reading Challenge

The following students have now successfully completed the PRC !

Congratulations on your wonderful reading!

Orla Breslin Daniel McMartin
Eleanor McMartin Emma Fryer

The PRC challenges students to read **frequently** and to read **widely**. Students can complete the Challenge this year by reading 20 (Years 3-6) or 30 (K-2) books by 28th August.

Once read, books can be registered on the PRC reading log sheet or online. Students use their Computer lesson username and password to login. Please visit the following site to record books, view booklists and access other relevant information:

<https://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc/logon.html>

Overdue Notices

Overdue book notifications have been sent home. Please ensure all overdue books are returned to the school library as soon as possible.

Amanda Kynaston and Shelley Warren

Teacher Librarians

Impetigo (School Sores):

We have had a case of Impetigo reported to us. Symptoms include small red spots that change into blisters and fill with pus and become crusted. Usually appear on the face hands or scalp.

Please keep children home until treatment starts and keep sores covered.

UniformShop:

Please note the upcoming times for the Uniform Shop:

Friday 26th – 1.30pm – 3.30pm

Wednesday 1st July – 8.30am -9.30am

Term 3 and onward Wednesdays 8.30am – 9.30am.

Thanks

Jason

Canteen News:

A big thank you for last week's helpers.

Helpers for this week:

Wednesday 24th June 2020

Helen Easton & Sheridan Hodges

Thursday 25th June 2020

Vicky Pirolo

Friday 26th June 2020

Alex Murdocca & Sam Holt

Monday 29th June 2020

Narelle Granger

Thank you from TPS CANTEEN

Laura and Haylee

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GIRLS SUNDAY FOOTBALL

CALLING ALL GIRLS AND WOMEN
Discover Kissing Point FC where it's all about positive football - for everyone. Register now for Sunday matches starting in July. All ages and abilities welcome.

FUN, FITNESS & FRIENDSHIP

NEW G6/7 PROGRAM
If your daughter turns 5, 6 or 7 this year, she will love this! Girls only, Sunday morning games in a flexible environment (no set teams). Alternate weeks at Auluba (South Turramurra) and Montview (Hornsby). Friday night training. Free for girls already registered to play Saturdays. Enquiries vpminiroos@kpfc.asn.au

MATCHES ON SUNDAYS

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Positive football. For everyone.
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DanceKidz @ TPS!

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Wednesdays 3.30-4.30pm in the school hall

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Class Time: Monday 3.15- 4.15pm (ages 5-8)
Monday 4.30- 5.30pm (ages 9-12)

Place: Annex, Turramurra Public School (Opposite the School Library)

Cost: \$30.00 per lesson, includes all materials, payable at the beginning of the lesson

For more information and registration
<https://afternoonart.wixsite.com/afternoon-art>
or contact:
afternoonartprimary@gmail.com
or Lee-Anne Fast on 0414 723939



Due to current restrictions we are unable to sell cupcakes and lollies for our Fundraiser, please support our Year 6 Event by bringing in your \$2 donation. Many thanks Year 5 Committee.



Band News 2020 -Term 2

Week 9

REGULAR BAND REHEARSALS THIS WEEK!

Day	Morning Rehearsal (7.50am sharp-8.50am)	Afternoon Rehearsal (3.15pm sharp-4.15pm)
Monday	Junior Jazz	Performance
Tuesday	Junior	Senior Jazz
Wednesday	Intermediate	Junior
Thursday	Performance	Intermediate

**** PLEASE REMEMBER TO PICK UP STUDENTS AT THE SCHOOL GATES IN THE AFTERNOON - NO PARENTS ARE TO ENTER THE SCHOOL GROUNDS ****

BAND CONTRIBUTIONS 2020 OVERDUE - Thank you to all who have paid promptly. Contributions for the band program are now overdue, please make outstanding payments immediately. If the first instalment is not paid by the end of Term 2, please note that an **additional processing charge of \$10 per student** may be applied to your account (unless you have the prior approval of the Band Treasurer). If you have any questions or concerns, please contact our Band Treasurer, Neroli at tpsbandtreasurer@gmail.com

Upcoming Band Calendar Dates		
		BAND CONTRIBUTIONS OVERDUE - PLEASE PAY NOW
Week 9		Regular Band Rehearsals resume for ALL bands
TERM 3 (21 July - 25 September)		
SAVE THE DATE	Friday 11 Sept & Saturday 12 Sept (TBC)	North Shore Music Festival - TBC (Chatswood High School) Junior band (Sat 12/9 approx. 2.30-4.30pm) Intermediate band (Fri 11/9 approx. 7-8.30pm) Performance Band (Sat 12/9 approx. 4-6pm)
Week 2	Thurs 30 July	Band Committee Meeting, 7pm
Week 3	Date TBC	COUNTRY BAND TOUR planning meeting - all Performance Band parents welcome - we will be planning a tour for early Nov 2020

TPS School Calendar: <https://turramurra-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/about-our-school/calendar.html>

P&C BAND CONTACT DETAILS

Band Director - Mr Tim Rowland: tpsbands@outlook.com

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Band Treasurer - Neroli Sunderland: tpsbandtreasurer@gmail.com

Band Secretary - Alison Barnett: tpsbandsecretary@gmail.com



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afternoons

29 Jul - 16 Sep

3:15 PM - 4:30 PM



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\$260 for 8 weeks

Computers
Provided



Years 2-6

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