

Tamworth South Public School NEWSLETTER

Respectful, Responsible, Safe, Successful

Term 2 Week 9 27 June 2020

Calendar

At this stage, events which have been cancelled or postponed are indicated. You will understand that the current situation is changing rapidly. We will, of course, keep you fully informed as soon as possible.

June

Monday 29 Engineering Challenge

for students in Stage 2 (3 & 4)

Tuesday 30 Reports will be sent home to parents/carers

July

Tuesday 21 Athletics Carnival High Jump

cancelled

Wednesday 22 Athletics Carnival Shot Put

cancelled

Thursday 23 Athletics Carnival Discus

cancelled

Fun with Bubbles



A little fun to start the week with some bubbles at the gate.



'Project: Green Schools'.

TSPS entered a Schools Partnership Opportunity with Tamworth Square Charter Hall Shopping Centre called 'Project: Green Schools'.

Shoppers at Tamworth Square were given a biodegradable token when shopping at Tamworth Square which could be placed in a compost bin with TSPS's name on it.

From the wonderful community's contribution, TSPS were lucky enough to be presented with a compost bin and a \$500 Bunnings voucher as runners up.

We look forward to utilising our compost bin and purchasing plants and vegetables for our new vegetable gardens with the voucher.

Thank you to Mitch and Lisa from Tamworth Square Charter Hall Shopping Centre for presenting TSPS with a compost bin and \$500 Bunnings Voucher.



Leonie Byrne, Principal

Major Excursions

I have spent a great deal of time deliberating over whether our major excursions should go ahead.

Many schools cancelled major excursions last term but our executive team wanted to have a clearer view as to the impact of Covid-19 before a decision was made. If only we had a crystal ball.

Recent outbreaks in Victoria and the expected second wave of Covid-19 has led me to the decision to cancel our major excursions to Canberra and Point Wolstoncroft.

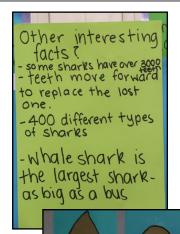
The impact of Covid-19 on accommodation, access to venues (whether they'll be open or not), an inability for us to provide compulsory training in CPR for staff, the safety of the children and staff should there be an outbreak leading to our groups being isolated for up to two weeks - is a risk I am not prepared to take. Whilst this is disappointing, for everyone no price can be placed on the health of our students and staff. A decision on term 4 excursions will be made next term.

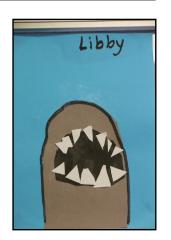
Reports

Reports will be going home Tuesday 30 June. Teachers will conduct parent/teacher interviews by phone by the end of Week 2 Term 3.









KIndergarten:

What busy bees our kindergarten students have been. Loads of wonderful animal art and new facts learned adorn the walls on animals such as Bees , Sharks and Geckos.

Well done kindy on another great week of learning.





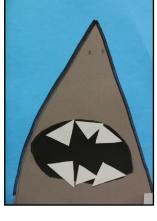


Sharks in carnivores.

Whales. Sharks also

eat dolphins and

hey eat turtles and





Principal's Ribbons

Week 9

Everyday they sit quietly at afternoon tea and always leave the area clean. When asked to help tidy the playground it is never an issue and they always do a good job of cleaning out the garden areas without any fuss.

Ryan Shanley - 5/6S-10 Jayden Doyle - 6B-12 Joshua Roach - 5/6J-36 James Knight - 5/6J-36 Corbin Norris - 6B-12

Joshua Koppers - 5/6J-36 Maverick Kemenyvary - 5/6J-36



Madison Apps - KB-16

Being safe when playing in the playground and good role models for others in the class.

Abigail Flores - 3L-08

Fabulous efforts in using figurative language in their writing.

Izaiah Lace - 3L-08

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Latrell Beale-Smith - KB-16

For excellent effort in becoming more independent writers

Brooklyn McMaster - KB-16

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MEDIA PERMISSION

Parents/Carers

Media permission is normally given at the time of your child's enrolment.

It is important that you notify the school office on 67658426 if your child's media permission circumstances have changed.

Please call the school if this applies to your child.

Tamworth South Public School Sports Day

K - 2 Infants Kindergarten, Year 1 and Year 2 - Fridays

3 - 6 Primary Stage 2 Year 3 and Year 4 Wednesdays

Stage 3 Year 5 and Year 6 Wednesdays

Maverick Kemenyvary - 5/6J-36

Evidence of great research skills and use of technology in presentations.

Jody Ibrahim - 5/6J-36

Publishing work to a high standard in poe

Hunter Meyer - KT-17

Aways doing their very best.

Tristan Welch - KT-17

Always doing their very best.

Jesse Miller - KW-15

ALWAYS giving their best and having a go.

Kaiden Mitchell - KW-15

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Cailin Kate Balgoa - 10-18

Giving maximum effort everyday.

Katelyn Hagger - 6B-12

Detailed discussions, pushing each other and extending on their learning.

Aiden McDonald - 2W-21

Massive improvement in writing.

Remas Ibrahim - 3P-07

Excellent commitment to all class activities.

Chloe Kelso - 3P-07

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Contacting Staff

If you need to speak to a staff member please phone the office to leave a message.

Social media sites are inappropriate for parent teacher communications.

Office Hours

Front office opens at 8:15am to 4:00pm Monday to Friday

When the office is unattended our answering machine is available.

Catch it Awards Week 9

Brody Wheeler - 1H -19 Jesse Allan - 1M-20 Joyleigh Ward - 2W-21 Beau Lucas - 4G-05 Emily Hiscox - 5M-03 Saniya Maharaj - 3P-07





3P-07 had great fun after PE yesterday playing and exploring on the outdoor equipment.

Great to keep warm on a dull winters day!



PBL Awards



This week's PBL focus is to teach students how to be Respectful, Responsible, Safe and Successful under the bus shelter.

They do this by sitting in their correct bus lines, walking directly to their bus lines, and listening for the call of their bus name.

The following six students were caught making great choices in their classrooms, playgrounds and shared areas

Congratulations

Infants

Brody Wheeler, Jesse Allan and Joyleigh Ward.

Primary

Beau Lucas, Emily Hiscox and Saniya Maharaj.

Each of these students were presented with \$5 worth of canteen coupons in a fabulous new wallet from Mirii, the TSPS mascot at Monday's assembly.





2F-24

More fabulous artwork on display in Year 2 including artwork from the book The Paper Bag Princess, Winter water colours and colourful clowns.



1M-20 (shells)

1M-20 classroom was transported to the ocean this week with the room decorated in an under the sea theme.

In sensory circle time students had the opportunity to hear the ocean and touch various shells.



NAIDOC week postponed to 8 to 15 November 2020

The Department of Education has finally lifted restrictions and is now allowing currculum based incursions into schools!

Now is the perfect time to start replanning NAIDOC week and getting back to the 'new'

Fun Day Out offers an extensive range of curriculum based activities that ensure educational learning with FUN! Check out some of our featured NAIDOC activities below or head to our website for further inspiration!



Bee Weiss - NAIDO

Learn all things 'European Honeybees', beekeeping, pollination in our ecosystem, sustainability and 'living with bees'. Also includes historical applications and uses for beeswax and honey by Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Peoples.



Flight, Sound & Fire

An exciting show in celebration of NAIDOC. Discover the scientific principles of great inventions and environmental understandings of Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Peoples.



Bush Tucker

Learn about native trees and plants, what they are used for, as well as discovering their meaning and importance to our indigenous community.



Connect to My Country

Celebrate our Connection to Country through embracing our Aboriginal pastl

Develop an understanding of bush survival, bush tucker, dance and art from one of our ancient people.



Aboriginal Astronomy

There is nothing more fascinating than the mobile planetarium!

Explore Indigenious

Aboriginal Astronomy and the wonders of the sky.



Maori Culture

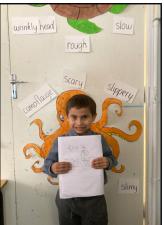
A unique experience discovering the Māori culture and heritage. Traditional Māori dance workshops also available to learn a well known Haka 'Ka Mate'.















Class 1H-19

Things we know about the Ocean



Canteen News

Late lunch orders

Due to large numbers of late lunch orders and emergency lunches, the Canteen Committee has decided that any orders after 9:30am will be sandwiches ONLY **NO exceptions.**

NO Phone Orders Accepted:

Unfortunately due to the large numbers of lunch orders the Canteen is unable to process anymore phone orders. All orders are to be placed at the Canteen.

REMEMBER download the flexischools App for easy ordering.

Canteen Meeting- <u>Wednesday 19 August</u> in the Hall for social distancing at 5:45pm (new time).

Date may change a short notice.

Tamworth South's Canteen is now online!

Our canteen is now set up for online ordering through the Flexischools App.

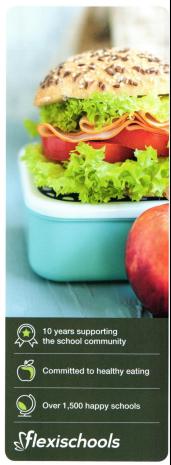
Set up your account

- Download the Flexischools App
 Note: for iPhone and iPad please select
 'Allow' notifications.
- 2 Login/Register
 - Already a Flexischools user Enter your details and login.
 To save your login details select 'remember me'.
 - New Flexischools user –
 Click 'Register', enter your email
 address and follow the instructions
 in the email to set up your account.
 Once your account is set up, add
 new student; search for their school,
 enter student details and select
 their class.
- Top Up Your Account
 To make ordering fast and simple,
 you can set up automatic top ups

Order

- Place your Order
 In the Flexischools App, click the
 'Order now' button located in the
 bottom right-hand corner of the app
 and select your student.
- 2 Make your Selection Select the items you wish to order.
- Make Payment
 Select your payment option and complete payment to place your order.

Alternatively you can sign-up at **flexischools.com.au**



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P&C

Parents and Citizens

Our P&C meetings are held in the Library on the third Wednesday of the month at 6:00pm (new time).

All Parents, Grandparents and Guardians are welcome to attend. We welcome new volunteers and members.

Next P&C Meeting <u>Wednesday 19 August</u> in the Hall for social distancing at 6:00pm. <u>Date may change at short notice</u>.

We hope that you are able to join us and become part of our P&C team. Everyone is Welcome!

P&C Clothing Pool

The school clothing pool will now be open from Tuesday to Friday each week. Opening time 8:45am - 9:10am.

In you would like to know more information please connect us on **tspspandc@gmail.com** or you can leave a message at the office and it will be passed on to the Clothing Pool.

BREAKFAST CLUB

Breakfast Club is running out of Long life milk and Milo. If you would like to donate any of these items to our breakfast club it would be very much appreciated.



Green Scrunchies Green Beanle

P&C Clothing Pool Prices



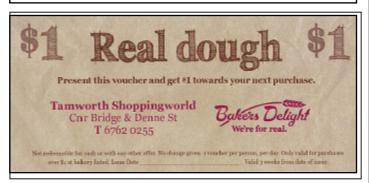
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Uniforms Vinter Dress / Green Tunic \$25 White / Grey Shirts \$5 \$10 Grey Pants \$5 \$20 \$5 \$15 S/M \$55 ckets \$25 oorts Shirts ŚS \$20 Sports Shorts \$5 Sports Skortz \$35 \$5 orts Skirts ireen Trackpan \$5 reen Slacks / Pants \$20 \$15 \$10 Hats / Bags / Shoes reen Tights / Stocking \$10

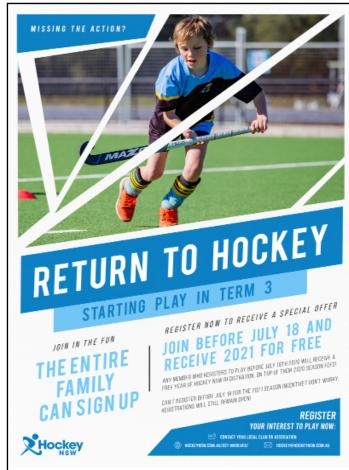


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