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School
Community
News

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Welcome to Term 2- week 7 2017

OKR App – school online and mobile payment System

This system of purchasing and payment directly to the school was launched with a school sausage sizzle last week and will then move to provide direct ordering and payment for canteen orders and the uniform shop. Families need to download the app onto their devices in order to make school payments via this app - including fees. Information regarding how to download and use this application was included in the last Newsletter. Thank you to the PFA who assisted with the QKR launch: cooking sausages, dealing with the orders and then cleaning up after the sausage sizzle. It was another great community service, which was enjoyed by the children.

ARTs Trail

Education 'Open' Evening and the 'ARTs Trail' took place on May 24. It was a great success and very well attended by the school community. Parents enjoyed visiting classrooms and then walked the ARTs Trail to view work and join in activities that focussed on the specialist programs including, Visual Art, PE, LOTE (Italian) and Musical performances. It was a most enjoyable night and the children really enjoyed themselves. Thank you to the teaching staff and particularly the specialist team of teachers who spent months and months preparing for this event. It definitely showcased the talent of students and staff at TRBPS. A fabulous night!

The Building Project - Gym/Hall update

We have just received an artist impression of the new gymnasium/hall, which is pictured in this newsletter. It looks like the gymnasium/netball facility will be a very valuable asset to the school. It will contain toilets, a PE office as well as an equipment storeroom. The PE staff are really excited by this wonderful sporting complex and the rest of the staff are looking forward to a space for assembly and performances. We will need to commence work on building a portable stage in anticipation of the completion in 2019. It is hoped that the final paperwork will be completed and signed off by term 4 this year and work will begin on the site early 2018. The construction work should go out for tender during Term 4. Thank you to School Councillors for their valuable input and in particular the SC BaGs convenor Mr Darius Culvenor, for his assistance and support at the various project meetings.

School Walkathon 2017

Information and sponsorship forms were distributed a couple of weeks ago and need to be return by Monday June 5. The Walkathon will be held on **Tuesday June 6** between 1.30 and 3.00pm. Parents are very welcome to attend and walk with their children. Thank you to the PFA who are assisting Mrs Cyndi Wiltshire who is overseeing the Walkathon. We look forward to another great school community event!

The Life Education Van

The Life Education Van is scheduled to be at our school on Wednesday June 14. This program educates the children about healthy lifestyles and staying safe. The students will learn about many topics such as, healthy eating, healthy bodies, drug education, safety, decision-making, physical activity, cyber safety and relationships. The children look forward to exploring the Healthy Harold Van for their individual class session.

DATES TO DIARY 2017

TERM 2

- Monday 5th June**
Grade 5 Camp Information
Night 6.00pm
- Tuesday 6th June**
Walkathon
- Monday 12th June**
QUEENS BIRTHDAY
HOLIDAY
- Thursday 15th June**
Grade 2 Grandparents
Morning Tea
- Monday 19th June**
PFA Meeting 9.30am
- Tuesday 20th June**
School Council 6.30pm
- Wednesday 21st June**
Prep 2018 School Tour
9.30am - 10.30am
- Thursday 29th June**
School Disco
- Friday 30th June**
LAST DAY TERM 2

TERM 3

- Tuesday 12th September**
School Concert

School Camp Dates for 2017

Year 5 Camp
Tues 13th June - Thurs 15th June
Sovereign Hill

Year 4 Camp
Wed 16th Nov to Friday 18th Nov
Maldon



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School Council Presidents Report

Hello everyone, I'm very pleased to introduce myself to the Tucker Road School community as the newly elected School Council President. I have two children at the school and have been on School Council since 2014. For four years I was an active member of the Functions and Community Events Sub Committee and am passionate and committed to supporting the schools staff and fostering our schools fantastic community.

Each month I will be writing a newsletter article to keep you all updated on the work that the School Council are doing. This month I thought I would start by introducing our School Council members.

We have a fantastic team of volunteer parents and staff on the council this year and we are very lucky to have a wealth of experience from across different industries and areas of expertise. In March we elected our new office bearers including:

School Council Executive Officer –Robyn Farnell – Principal TRBPS

School Council President - myself, Genevieve Lazzari

Vice President - Bronwyn Warren. Bronwyn has been on school Council since 2014 and is a very active member of the community through the FaCEs sub-committee over five years and coordinating the Woolworths Earn and Learn fundraiser for two years.

Treasurer - Karen Griffiths. Karen has been a member of the Finance and Administration sub-committee for 4 years and brings a fantastic knowledge of finance and accounting from her professional life.

Other parent members of School Council include Camilla Brockett, Darius Culvenor, Justine Coleman, Naomi Hoewel and our Community Representative (PFA) Alexis Martin. These parents all volunteer their time in a number of ways across sub-committees, events, fundraising, facilities and special projects.

We are also lucky to have a dedicated group of teachers and staff on committee including Principle and Executive Officer of School Council Robyn Farnell, Assistant Principal Peter Seddon, Leading teacher Debbie Walters and Cyndi Wiltshire. Davina Gebert does a fantastic job as Minute taker for School Council.

I'm excited to be working with such a great team for what is going to be a busy year for TRBPS.

Genevieve Lazzari

Students nominated for the TRBPS Values Award for the 8th May 2017

Lilianne Kotov	Zoe Bartlett
Ethan Goh	Jordan Crawford
Sam Coote	Ruby Blundell
Charlie Craig	Annie Wiltshire
Jessica Bell	Mason Leech
Joseph Nazaretian	Scarlett Moss
Adam Tabachowitz	Madi Oldenburg
Cameron Lai	Cooper Bryant

Students nominated for the TRBPS Values Award for the 15th May 2017

Vin Arnheim	Lily Silverman
Lucas Gabler	Jack Ward
Benjamin Shoykhet	Xavier Parris
Madison McShae	Archie Owens
James Savage	Jaimie Kearney
Taine Workman	Aurelia Martin
Ava Krinelos	Jason Raymer
Thomas Smith	Ella Weinstein
Imogen Martin	Wyatt Thomas
Ena Kennedy	Jack Loiacono
Miles Trowbridge	Kaitlin Parrish
Reily Maurice	
Emilia Mansuino Podadera	
Amelia Polymeropolilos	

Students nominated for the TRBPS Values Award for the 22nd May 2017

Mia Pantelic	Anna Savage
Matilda Forbes	Chloe Steenburg
Alexandra Jaber	Poppy Mita
Sean Madison	Rohan McMaster
Lily Barthelson	Thomas Fiket
Rey Nagayama	Maya Jaworski
Rita Kon	Emily Richards
Jade Knight	Michael Chen
Jackson Morrissey	Miles Trowbridge
Lucas Govranos	Damon Hill
Ned Brabner	Anika Deshmukh
Charlotte Bodenstaff	

CURRICULUM DAYS 2017

Friday 28th July

Monday 6th November

Canteen News

Reminder

Orders are to be written clearly on a lunch bag in blue, black or red ink, any other marker is difficult to read. Please do not sticky tape lunch bags up. A reminder to enclose .10 cents for a bag if an envelope is used.

***Please note 'Fruit Tubes' are now 0.60c
Incorrect money could result in disappointed children.**

Canteen Roster

	Carmela
Tuesday 6th June	Kath Esdaile
Thursday 8th June	Anneshree Moodley
	Anna Leech
Tuesday 13th June	Carol Harrison
Thursday 15th June	Kate/Noelle Wengier
	Jian Tang
Tuesday 20th June	Paula Howard
Thursday 22nd June	Natalia Tripp
	Lauren Geller
Tuesday 27th June	Lynne Kyd

Term Dates - 2017

Term2

18th April
To
30 June

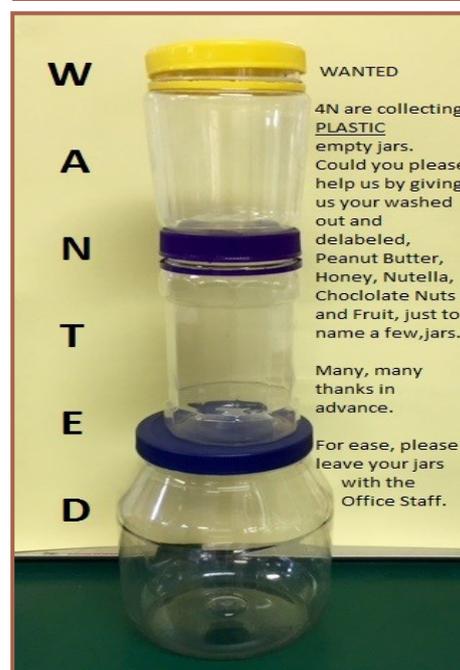
Term3

17th July
To
22nd September

Term4

9th October
To
22nd December

JARS WANTED
Please only Plastic no glass





Tucker Rd Cross Country

On Monday 22nd Tucker Rd held its annual House Cross Country carnival where all children in Grades 3-6 ran over a 1 or 2km course at school. Lots of fun was had by all and it was amazing to see the efforts put in by everyone trying to achieve their goals.

Three days later the school Cross Country team travelled to Karkarook Park to race over a 2 or 3km course in the Moorabbin District event. As the competition stepped up a notch, the racing got faster & harder over the longer course. Of the 48 runners who began the day, 9 will progress to the Kingston Division day on June 7. Well done to everyone for the amazing effort they put in. We wish those still in the competition the best of luck in the next round.

10 Boys: Will Orchard, Jackson Morrissey

11 Boys: Andrew Langworthy, Dylan Leech & Sunny Doyle McCartin

11 Girls: Kaitlin Parrish & Megan Medland

12 Boys: Alex Reubenicht

12 Girls: Abby Stuber

Dear Mr Taylor.

Every once in a while we as parents are blessed to witness something truly remarkable in the lives of our children and today at the cross country event down at Karkarook park, I experienced a moment like that.

During the last race of the day all the 12 year old boys were competing and the Tucker Road students were doing very well, when suddenly Aleksey fell. The Tucker road teachers immediately went over to him, to make sure that he didn't need any first aid or assistance of some kind. After taking a while to recover, it looked like Aleksey was finished for the day. But he didn't want to end his race that way. He wanted to complete the race, even if it meant he had to walk the last kilometre. Supported by two lovely Tucker Road friends, Aleksey and the other boys started walking.

The cross country event was coming to an end and the organizers were calling on all the students to sit in their school groups in order to receive the event results. All around us students from all the different schools at the event hurried to their schoolbags and started getting things together to go home. The Tucker Road athletes decided that they wanted to support their team mate and began walking down the race track, looking for Aleksey. As they were walking along the track, Aleksey and his 2 supporters next to him appeared round the bend and at once you could hear a magnificent wave of encouragement from all the Tucker Road athletes swell up over the park grounds. They were cheering Aleksey on, forming a guard of honour for their team mate.

From a distance it looked like Aleksey received an amazing jolt of energy and started running passed all the Tucker road students while they were cheering him on all the way. And then the whole cross country team joined in behind him as he continued on his way to the finish line, with cheers of joy and encouragement all around.

Well done Tucker Road! What an amazing display of sportsmanship - caring about a friend and team mate in need.

Well done Aleksey for hanging in there and completing the race.

Thank you to Mr Taylor and all the teachers at Tucker road, for instilling such lovely values in our children.

From an appreciative parent



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Hi guys!

This week the children have been very busy making their own key rings.

The children used an assortment of paints, glitter paints, jewels and sequins to decorate and create their own unique key ring. Some of the children even made a special key ring for their mums for mother's day.



We received brand new sport equipment last week and played our first proper group game of dodge ball.

Which was a huge success and we are excited to do it again when it isn't raining. The children played for a good hour until the game was over and thoroughly enjoyed it.

Reminders:

- Holiday club is ready for bookings. Holiday fun at Spoks Party will include but not limited to: Silent disco party, trip to the movies to see despicable me 3, Mask-erade Parade and Spoks science lab plus many more fun filled activities for you to enjoy on the holidays at Tucker Road.

From the Rainbow House Team

Camp Australia Tucker Road
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Your kids are invited to... Spok's Party!

It's going to be one big party these school holidays with a celebration that has been planned for your kids by our friend Spok, all inspired by his most favourite things to do and see. Some of the feature party days coming up include:

	<p>Build and take home your own Planetarium. Get ready for Planetarium FUN as we get out-of-this-world creative! Build, design and decorate what your solar system will look like. And of course, every solar system needs a story - create your own to share.</p>
	<p>Introduction to Coding. Pop on your code creation caps, it's programming time in a highly interactive and fun workshop. In groups, we'll learn about the fundamentals of coding with 4 separate stations including: algorithms, programming, functions & variables and an experience with Ozobots (advanced robotics packed in a cubic inch)!</p>
	<p>Build and take home a Terrarium. You'll give two (green) thumbs up today because we are building our own indoor garden to take home and watch bloom in our own room! We'll learn about plant life-cycles and the environment and then create our own piece of green.</p>
	<p>At the Movies. We're off to the movies to see the latest kid's films. Check out the program to see what movie we are going to see!</p>

To find out what other awesome activities are coming up at your school these holidays and to register and book visit: www.campastralia.com.au/holidayclubs

We look forward to seeing you soon!
The Camp Australia Holiday Club Team