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14th August 2019

Term 3 2019

Sat 17 Aug

Trivia night fundraiser

Mon 19 Aug

Stage 1 excursion

Thur 29 Aug

Father's Day Stall

Tues 3 Sept

ICAS Digital Tech.

Wed 4 Sept

Coffee & Play

Stage 2 Excursion Botany

Bay NP

Thur 5 Sept

ICAS Science

Tue 10 Sept

ICAS Writing

Wed 11 Sept

Sticks & Stones Incursion

P&C Meeting

Thur 12 Sept

ICAS Spelling

16-27 Sept

Yr 2/3 Swimming Program

Tue 17 Sept

ICAS English

Thur 19 Sept

ICAS Maths

Fri 27 Sept

Last Day term 3

From the Principal...

Thank you to Mr Watson and Mr Flint for accompanying our Zone team on Monday. Congratulations to the students who have now made it to the wider area carnival. Thank you to parents who volunteered their time to help as well.

Tomorrow we have five teachers attending professional learning about approaches to teaching writing. When they have completed this day it will mean that all teachers have been trained in the Seven Steps to Writing Program, which is being used successfully in the classrooms of those already inspired by the process.

On Monday 19th August, Stage 1 students are off to the Field of Mars Environmental Education Centre.

Retirement

Yesterday I announced to the staff and the P and C that I will be retiring at the end of the term. It will be sad to leave Terrey Hills after 12 years in this friendly country-like school- and harder to leave teaching after 44 years but it will be a lovely change to devote quality time to my own family. It has been a joy watching the children grow into confident young people, proud of themselves, ready for high school and the wider world and I will certainly miss them all.

Book Fair

The book fair will be open tomorrow morning from 8:30 to 9:10am

All notes are available
via the school app under
"Notes and Forms"

Notes Home

2/3 Grasshoppers

Wellbeing week activity

Years K-2

Child Protection

Years K-6

Sticks & Stones Incursion

Canteen Closed

Next Monday 19th Aug

due to no volunteers

Open Day - classrooms

The children enjoyed showing their parents and special friends all the wonderful things they have been learning at school this year. Year 3/4 classroom was transformed into a ship as they had been studying our early explorers.



Night of Notables

Year 5 and 6 enjoyed researching a famous person of their choice to present to the class.



Book Fair

The book fair was a great success with everyone enjoying being able to purchase some very special books. If you were unable to come today the book fair will be open tomorrow morning from 8:30 - 9:10am.



Library

Lunch with the Stars – Year 5 and 6

A note went home last week inviting expressions of interest in attending “Lunch with the Stars”. If you are interested in this event your **note must be in by tomorrow**.

Premier’s Reading Challenge (PRC)

The PRC for 2019 **closes on August 31st**. If your child is in the process of completing a Challenge, could you please make sure it is handed in to the Library by this date. If your child has lost their reading record, they can access all the titles they have borrowed by using the **DET portal**, clicking on Oliver, then Orbit and My Library. They can then access their **Loan History**. If you need help with this, or would like their loan history printed so their PRC can be completed, please contact the Library.

We have achieved 100% participation in the PRC for the past 11 years and would like to continue with this fantastic reading achievement.

Help needed with Covering in Contact

If you are an expert at covering in Contact on paperback books we have a surplus of books waiting in bags to be covered. Due to the wonderful generosity of the P&C, we have been able to purchase lots of beautiful new books to be used as readers in the classrooms. Our fantastic coverers, Julie, Miriam and Karin have always been able to meet our covering needs. But this large influx of new, exciting books needs some extra help. If you could cover just one set of books (6-8 books) and you don’t produce bubbles in your Contact, would you please contact the Library? Even just a one-off effort would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you

Thank you to **Ms Parker and Mrs Synac** for the lovely Library bags they have made, with the help of one of our ex-students -Aggy - to be taken home – **and returned** – by students who have forgotten their bags. They are truly beautiful and we would greatly appreciate their return the following week so other students can access them.

Sports News

Athletics

Congratulations all Zone Athletes on your quality representation at this Monday's Zone Athletics Carnival at Narrabeen. Students stepped up and filled events when needed and walked away knowing they gave 100% in both effort and attitude. The support for one another throughout the day was inspirational

Special acknowledgement to Lucas L (Senior 2nd 1500m and 1st 800m), Grace C (1st Senior Girls High Jump), Declan B (MC 1st 100m, 200m, Long Jump and Shot Put) and Joshua W (11yr 2nd 200m and 1st 800m) who will be participating in the Area Athletics Carnival on Wednesday 16th October at Homebush. Best of Luck.

Special thanks also to Kay Worrell and Nicole Griffiths for your assistance as Managers.

Orienteering.

Also on Monday a troop of explorers participated in the Area Orienteering Program held at St Ives Showground. They were taught the tricks and skills needed to be able to read maps and use a compass to guide them around a set course. Well done on jumping into the Learning Pit and challenging yourself.

Thank you to Cathy MacNamara for your assistance on the day.

Snow sport

Congratulations to Tasman and Jarrah Harrington on their recent success at the Interschool SnowSports Competition at Perisher. Both boys have qualified for the State Boardercross Competition to be held in Week 5. We wish them both every success at this competition.

What's Going on with the P&C?

Term 3 is well underway and our P&C are excited to be moments away from our major fundraiser for the year. As always, we are so grateful for the support of our incredible community who generously donate prizes year after year. Thank you!! The night is going to be a lot of fun and we are looking forward to seeing so many of our parent + teacher community there.

The P&C would like to contribute again to the Father's day morning - and we are looking for 2 or 3 volunteers on the morning to assist with giving out tokens for the coffee van and preparing the morning tea. Any mum's available to lend a hand on Thursday 29 August in the morning from 8-9.30am it would be greatly appreciated. Please send me a message via email or text on 0418 956 336.

Finally the Stage 1 Playground we hope will be approved to open by the end of the week pending a final inspection. Thank you again to our wonderful community for contributing to this addition to our school - it took us a few years to see this project come to life but the kids are going to have so much fun in this space, that it will be worth the wait!

See you Saturday night!

Amie Frankel & the P&C team

Your
P&C
2019

Do you have Landscape or Outdoor Sports field design / construction experience?

We'd love to get your thoughts on our multipurpose learning space upgrade goal and we'd love to tap into our parent community for ideas and input.

Contact Amie at
terrehillspandc@gmail.com

A few things you should know from our last p&c meeting

- The **Treasurer** would like to put a call out - if any one has any bookkeeping / accounting experience, we'd love to hear from you. Curt has been in the role for many years, and it is time to hand over the baton. The role has been simplified, as our wonderful external bookkeepers carry out the day to day functions of our P&C. However we still very much need a treasurer to oversee, report and advise our committee on financial matters.
- The **Canteen** is has been struggling to find enough volunteers to fill all the shifts and will need to continue to look for ideas to keep it viable on the three days. Keep a look out for a survey coming out soon for feedback - all ideas welcome!
- The **events committee** has been very busy with all the last minute preparations for the annual fundraiser on Saturday night. Remember this is our biggest event of the year and it is going to be wonderful night - last minute tickets still available!
- **Uniform shop** needs some bags - plastic / paper whatever. If you have any lying around at home please drop into the office or uniform shop when it's open.
- **Principal** reported on all the wonderful activities around the school over the coming weeks including the fathers day morning on Thursday 29 August. Please ensure to pop the date in your diary!

• P&C's next big project - fundraising goal for 2021 - MULTIPURPOSE LEARNING SPACE

Preliminary quotes and ideas were presented and discussed for the upgraded area at the courts. It's a big project, and very exciting. We will continue to discuss and ask for input over the coming months. It is agreed that the area is in desperate need for some upgrades to make it a safer and more versatile learning environment.

Next P&C
Meeting **TERM 3**
Tuesday 10 Sep
at 7.30pm in the
staff room

terrehillspandc@gmail.com

Canteen

Roster Week 4-5

Fri 16 Aug	Line Anderson	Rebecca Jones	Dearne Reid
Mon 19 Aug	CANTEEN CLOSED DUE TO NO VOLUNTEERS		
Wed 21 Aug	Georgie Traynor	Tamara Moroney	
Fri 23 Aug	Chanel Crowley	2 x volunteers required 9-2pm	

Any questions regarding working at the canteen please speak with Georgia Wilson or Sarah Gerdovic, or you can email them at terreyhillscanteen@gmail.com.

To sign up for the roster simply click on the sign up genius link:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0544a8a82da0f85-canteen2>

Uniform Shop

Opening Times term 3

Wed 14 Aug	2:45 – 3:15pm
Wed 28 Aug	2:45 – 3:15pm
Wed 11 Sept	2:45 – 3:15pm
Wed 25 Sept	2:45 – 3:15pm

Student of the Week

5/6 Fireflies	Luka K	5/6 Phasmids	Thomas W
3/4 Crickets	Isabelle D	4 Dragonflies	Willow K
2/3 Grasshoppers	Melia S	2 Butterflies	Toby H
K/1 Beetles	Liam R	K Ladybugs	Samuel D

Choose Kind

5/6 Fireflies	Jess T	5/6 Phasmids	Lalo R
3/4 Crickets	Charlotte T	4 Dragonflies	Eve O
2/3 Grasshoppers	Jacob O	2 Butterflies	Evie W
K/1 Beetles	Alfie M	K Ladybugs	Jessica W

Live Life Well @ School

MEAL TIME CONVERSATION

Meal time conversations can be a time to develop healthy eating behaviours and encourage food exploration.

Child centred nutrition phrases and repeated exposure to foods can develop kids willingness to try healthy foods.



Try some of these:

- Eating your greens will make you run faster
- Whole grains help you jump high
- Broccoli trees make you strong

More healthy eating tips at healthykids.nsw.gov.au



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Terrey Hills School has for some time supported the work of Bushlink at our school. Bushlink employs young people with intellectual disability to work in the area of bush regeneration and gardening. Once a term they come to our school to work in our grounds and sometimes classes come out to help. The Bushlink program ticks so many boxes: ***promotes healthy living, galvanises the school community, connects the students with a great social and environmental cause.***

Bushlink are currently fundraising to purchase another ute so that they can offer more employment to young people with intellectual disability. They will be participating in the Manly Fun Run on September 1st. If you would like to make a small contribution to this great cause click on the link to make a donation:

<https://manlyfunrun.grassrootz.com/bushlink>

Also worth a watch is the promotional video in this link. You'll fall in love with the Bushlink team. Lots of fun!

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GIANT BOOK FAIR

Warriewood

Ted Blackwood Hall
Jacksons Road

August 23-25

Friday 12-8
Saturday 9-5
Sunday 9-2



NIPPER REGISTRATION DAY

8th & 15th September 2019
9am till 11:30am
Dee Why Club House
U6 through to U14
(U6 must turn 5 by 30th September 2019)

PRELIMINARY EVALUATION SWIM DATES
15th & 22nd September 2019
3pm till 5pm at Pittwater House
(Gold Coin Donation)

NIPPER SEASON STARTS
13th October 2019
U6 & U7 \$75 / U8 to U13 \$90 / U14 \$120
Nipper Parent \$60
Family Membership \$250



(Surf Life Saving are an eligible sport as part of the Active Kids Rebate program)

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