

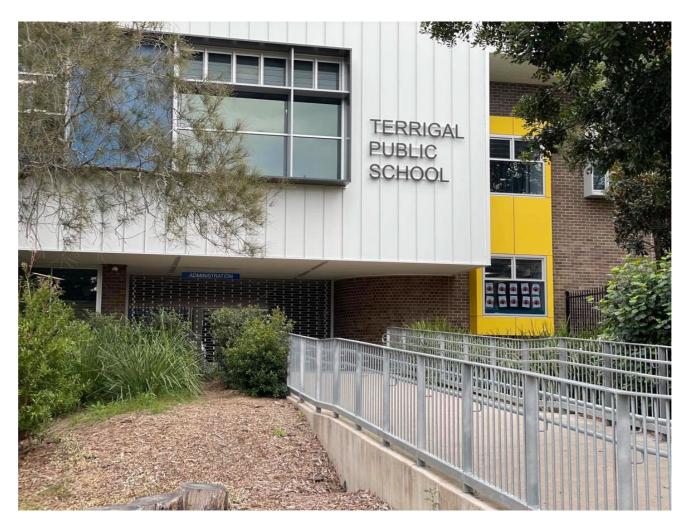


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2023 TERRIGAL PUBLIC SCHOOL CALENDAR TERM 3

MONTH /Week	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	17	18	19	20	21
JULY 1		Students return to school		Boys PSSA Knockout	
	24	25	26	27	28
JULY					NAIDOC Day
2					
JULY/AUGUST	31 Education Week Book Week	1 Education Week Book Week	2 Education Week Book Week	3 Education Week Book Week	4 Education Week Book Week
3	Book Parade (K-2)	S1 Walkabout Excursion	Belonging THS Yr 6	S1 Walkabout Excursion	THS Yr 6 Interviews
	7	8	9	10	11
AUGUST	Girls Basketball	Yr 5 Leadership Fundraiser for Koalas	Athletics Carnival	Debating	
4		Mufti Day	Belonging THS Yr 6		
	14	15	16	17	18
AUGUST	Boys Basketball	PSSA Touch Football	Belonging THS Yr 6	S2 Excursion 3B & 3C	Healthy Harold Zone Athletics Carnival
5					S2 Excursion 4A, 4C, 2/4M & 4/6L
	21	22	23	24	25
AUGUST 6	Healthy Harold	Healthy Harold School Leaders Parliament House	Healthy Harold	Healthy Harold S2 Excursion 3H, 3M & 3/4R	Healthy Harold S2 Excursion 4D, 4R and 3/4R
	28	29	30	31	1
AUGUST/ SEPTEMBER 7	Healthy Harold Girls PSSA Cricket	Girls AFL State Finals – Paul Kelly Cup	TGT Show K, Yr 1 & Yr 2	Father's Day Stall TGT Show Yr 3 & Yr 4	Fathers Day Breakfast and stall TGT Show Yr 5 & Yr 6
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SEPTEMBER	4 P&C Meeting	5	6 Great Book Swap	7 R U OK Day	8
8			Mufti Day	,	
SEPTEMBER	11	12	13	14	15
9					
SEPTEMBER	18	19	20	21 K-2 Athletics	22
10			S3 Camps	<i>Carnival</i> S3 Camps	S3 Camps

WHAT'S ON Week 6 Term 3

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
28 th August	29 th August	30 th August	31 st August	1 st September
Healthy Harold Girls PSSA Cricket	Girls AFL State Finals – Paul Kelly Cup	TGT Show K, Yr 1 & Yr 2	Father's Day stall TGT Show Yr 3 & Yr 4	Father's Day Breakfast and stall TGT Show Yr 5 & Yr 6

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Fathers' Day Breakfast and Stall



Next Thursday and Friday our P & C will hold their annual Fathers' Day Stall. Gifts can be ordered online through Flexischools. See further on in newsletter for more details.



Next Friday we will hold our Fathers' Day breakfast. Dads, grandfathers, uncles and others that fill a fathering role are welcome to attend with their child for a bacon and egg roll. A gold coin donation is appreciated. Bacon & Egg rolls will be served from 7.30am onwards to 9am.

Be At School On Time



It is important that every child is at school ready to start class at 8.55 am. Some parents have been noticing that they are receiving messages that their child was late to school. These messages arrive the day *after* your child was late. If your child is late you need to provide a reason for the lateness. The message prompts you to provide a reason.

In a recent audit the auditor highlighted that we needed to follow up all students who are late, even those that are only one or two minutes late.

The best way to ensure you <u>don't</u> receive a message is to ensure your child is at school ready for class by 8.55am.

AFL Paul Kelly Cup State Finals

Our girls' AFL team plays next Tuesday in the Paul Kelly Cup finals. The Paul Kelly Cup is played by public and non-government schools across NSW and the ACT.

Teams play locally and advance through to a regional final. The regional finalists then move on to the state finals. Our team are the Central Coast regional

champions and now will compete against the other 11 regions for the chance to move into the state final.

Our team will play against Northern NSW, ACT and Albury/Murray regions on their pathway. The finals will be held at the Giants Stadium and training ground at the showground in Sydney. We wish the team all the best for Tuesday's games. Thank you to Miss Lucas for coaching the team.

Environment fundraiser Follow Up

Today, Tassin from Walkabout Park Wildlife Sanctuary attended our whole school zoom assembly so we could present her with a cheque of \$1091.60. This money was raised last Tuesday during our native animal dress up day.

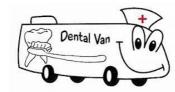
Tassin educated our students on how they would be using this money to create new 'bedrooms' for the koalas (safe and comfortable perches in their trees) and how important it is to educate people about the importance fruit bats play in pollenating the gum trees. Without gum trees, Koalas wouldn't survive. They are also going to be purchasing new signs for their sanctuary to provide information to the public.

Stewart House

Over the next two weeks some of our students will be attending Stewart House in Sydney. Stewart House has provided support to students in public schools for more than 90 years. Students attend for a range of reasons.

Each year our school supports fundraising for Stewart House so that it continues to provide services to students.

Dental Van Visit



Early next term the Central Coast Health District Dental Health vans will be at school. Students can have their teeth checked for free and then parents are informed if any necessary follow up actions are required.

A note explaining the service and seeking permission for your child to attend will be sent home in the next week, an information sheet has also been attached to this week's newsletter.

Year 6 Transition to High School – Taster Lessons

As part of our transition program, for Year 6 students moving to Terrigal High School, Year 6 students will be attending the high school to undertake 'taster' lessons. These lessons are designed to give students a taste of the different subjects on offer and help them become more familiar with the school environment and high school staff.



Cricket

Good luck to our girls' cricket team as they play in the regional semi-final next week. The team will take on Gosford PS in a bid to progress to the Sydney North Final. Thanks to Mr Bridge for coaching.

Leaders To Parliament

This week our student parliament members took part in a leadership excursion with a visit to NSW Parliament House. There they were hosted by our local member for Terrigal, Adam Crouch MP who took the students on a tour of the building, followed by a visit to the Legislative Assembly for Question Time. Thank you to Mr Crouch for hosting the students, and thank you also to our two parent helpers, and to Mrs Shelley and Mr Lowe who assisted on the day.



Tennis

This week we had three teams of Stage 2 students compete in the 'Todd Woodbridge Cup' tennis tournament at Gosford Tennis Club. It was a wonderful day with great sportsmanship shown, lots of laughs and fabulous weather. Two of these teams have now progressed through to the regional finals in September. Good luck students and coach Mrs Murphy.







Michael Burgess
Principal













NSW Health Primary School Dental Program

NSW Health is working with the Department of Education and public primary schools to offer free dental check-ups and preventive care, to all students as part of a school-based mobile dental program. Our school has been selected to participate the program.

Many parents may not realise two important things about their children's teeth:

- 1. Good oral health is essential for children to successfully learn and participate at school, and
- 2. NSW Health offers free public dental health services to all children under 18 years of age.

Learning and behaviour difficulties at school can start with tooth and gum problems. That's because decay and gum disease can cause pain and difficulties in eating, sleeping, talking, concentrating, and learning, which can in turn affect a child's behaviour in class. A child with tooth decay may feel self-conscious about the way their teeth look and feel, making it harder for them to join in class and social activities.

Our school is participating in the program and offering students the opportunity to have free dental check-ups in a comfortable and familiar environment at school. With a parent/carers consent, students are able to have a free dental check-up and free preventive care.

The program is scheduled to visit our school from 9/10/2023 to 27/10/2023.

A Parent Information and Consent Pack will be sent home with each student, and includes information sheets, consent forms and the program privacy statement. Parents/carers who want their child to receive care are advised to:

- 1. Read all the information provided in the pack
- 2. Carefully complete all the fields of the consent forms
- 3. Return the consent forms to the school as soon as possible

More information about the program or how to access public dental clinics is available on the NSW Health website at: https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/oralhealth/primaryschooldental or https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/oralhealth/Pages/default.aspx

If you have any questions, please contact CCLHD Primary School Mobile Dental Program – Wyong Hospital on 4394 4842 or email CCLHD-MDC@health.nsw.gov.au



Kindergarten 2024



Enrolments are now being taken for students starting Kindergarten 2023. Enrolments can be made online https://ehub.enrol.education.nsw.gov.au/schoolenrolment/?schoolCode=3191

To ensure that all relevant information can be sent to enrolling families, we are hoping that all enrolment documentation can be returned to the office by the end of August.

Brooke Walkaden
Assistant Principal – ES1



ADMINISTRATION CORNER

School Bytes

School Bytes is now up and running. You are now able to register for access to the Parent Portal via this link: https://portal.schoolbytes.education

Please give me a call if you have any questions or feedback.

Money Currently Due

Early Stage 1 (Kindergarten)

• Book Pack - **\$50**

Stage 1

• Book Pack - \$50

Stage 2 (Years 3 & 4)

- Book Pack **\$50**
- SAKG \$20 for the whole year or \$5 per term
- Brisbane Water National Park Excursion \$20

Stage 3 (Years 5 & 6)

- Book Pack \$50
- Year 5 Aussie Bush Camp Deposit- \$100
- Year 5 Aussie Bush Camp Remainder \$250 (camp cost total of \$350)
- Year 6 Canberra Excursion Deposit \$100
- Year 6 Canberra Excursion Remainder \$295 (camp cost total of \$395)

Support Unit

• Book Pack - \$15

Whole School

• Life Education - \$12 for Year's Kindergarten, 2, 4, 6 and the Support Unit

Ulrike Myers Admin Manager

MERIT AWARDS

Stage 1 Stage 3 **2S** Willow **6T** Bindu Aiden Lukas 2M Carter 6H Layton Cleo Willow 2J Mason 6G Lilly Gabrielle Matthew 2H Brax **5**S Allegra India Reegan 2B Sophie 5L Evie Hamish Jack 1W Evie 5E Gabrielle Noah Madeline 1N Cruise 5B Ashley Harley Tavian 1FB Zach 4-6S William Evie Stage 2 1D All of 1D 1C Myla 4J Hugo Lola Thora **1A** Leili 4D Jack Gracie Chilli K-2J Harper 3/4RMFlo Ruby 3M Hudson Early Stage 1 Zander 3H Zara KS Sahri Flynn Lucian 3C Blu KR Mila Oliver Sophia 3B Penny KP Eli John Laitham 2-4M Olivia KJ Heath Harry KH Lily Mason

KD

Toby Hugo

CITIZEN AWARD



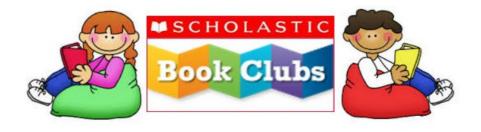


Hamish is an outstanding role model.

He wears his uniform with pride and consistently abides by the school rules.

Hamish has a heart of gold and always looks out for his friends. He displays an enthusiastic and positive attitude towards learning and contributes valuably to the class.

Congratulations Hamish - KJ



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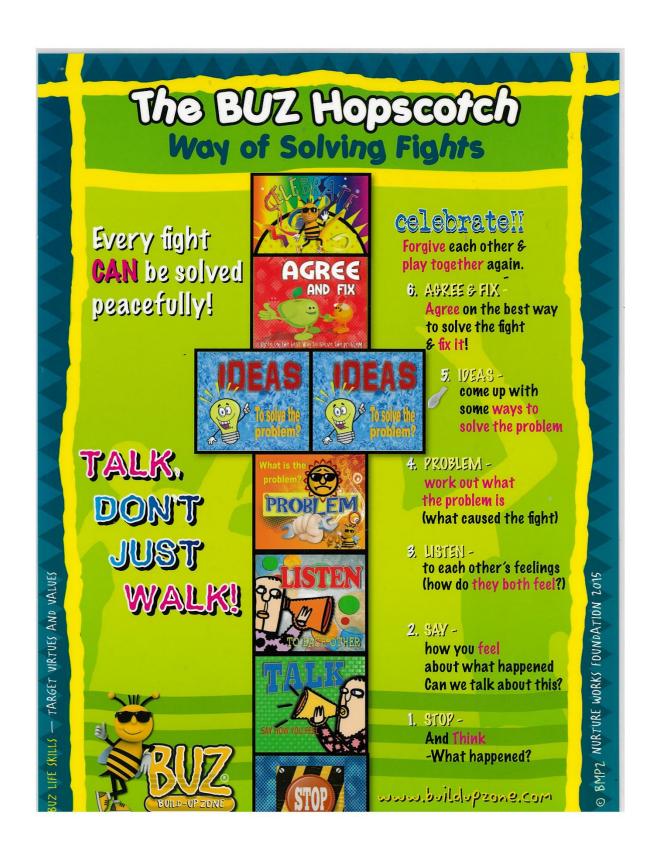
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Orders close

Monday 4th September 2023

Julie's Corner Student Wellbeing Officer







Canteen Roster

Term 3	Week 7		
Mon 28	Sally		
Tues 29	Leanne		
Wed 30	Sarah, Lakiah		
Thurs 31	Alexandra		
Fri 1/9	Michael, Aaron, More Dads		
	Wanted!!		
	Week 8		
Mon 4	Cheryl		
Tues 5	Hitomi, Candice		
Wed 6			
Thurs 7	Jo M		
Fri 8	Kate, Eliza		
	Week 9		
Mon 11			
Tues 12	Mary Ann		
Wed 13	Katja		
Thurs 14			
Fri 15	Emma, Skye, Kelly		



Specials for this Term

We will not be having a Meal Deal day this term, as I will be away in the last week.

To make up for this, we have been offering burger specials each week, and we will have some other special items throughout the term.

Next week our burger special will be 'The Randall' – a bit of a spicy sauce marinated chicken breast with salad – can you handle The Randall? You can find this online under the weekly items menu or order with cash or a card in the mornings before school. This week's special has been the Hawaiian burger.

We have also been offering Moosie iceblocks and jelly cups this week, which have been very popular! We will have some more specials through the rest of the term, so keep your eyes on our Facebook page and online menu for details.

Contacting the Canteen

Please contact the canteen by phoning the school office and being put through to us.

Please try not to call directly on our mobile phones, especially as I will be away on holidays in the last week of school this term. I may not see your message and be able to help out when you need it.

If you call through the office, the canteen staff working can make sure you get the help you need on the day.

Thank you for this!

Please remember, if you have any questions about the canteen, including ingredients, feedback or to discuss volunteering, you can contact us at the canteen from 8am-2pm Monday to Friday.

Thanks, Lyn



Next P&C Meeting

Term 3 Week 8 Meeting

Monday 4 September 2023

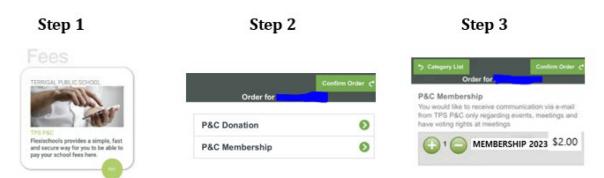
Everyone in our school community is welcome to join us at our next meeting on Monday 4 September 2023 at 7pm in the old staff room (building opposite the school hall). We would love to see some new faces come and join us to see what we do!

The P&C Committee meets twice a term in Week 3 and Week 8.

For those wanting to become a member, the P&C Memberships for 2023 are now open on FlexiSchools.

P&C MEMBERSHIP 2023

If you would like to join the P&C for 2023 it is easy as 1,2,3. To make life easy we have setup P&C membership through FlexiSchools.







FATHER'S DAY STALL

Terrigal Public School P&C will be hosting the annual Father's Day Stall on Thursday 31st August and Friday 1st of September.

Thursday Friday Kinder, Support Classes, Year 1, Year 2

Years 3 – 6.

Children will be able to choose a Father's Day present from the stall on their specified day. There will be \$5 and \$10 gifts available for pre-purchase via Flexischools.

Children can bring money on the day or parents are encouraged to prepay for their child/ children on Flexischools.

For families with multiple students please ensure you purchase from Flexischools under each child's individual name and not per family.

Please complete Flexischool payment by Monday 28th August.

We ask that on the day families provide each child with a bag to bring their chosen gift home in.

The P&C are very excited with the quality of gifts this year and look forward to another special Father's Day stall.

Volunteers Needed

We need volunteers for the stall. If you would like to volunteer, please visit this link: volunteersignup.org/PWEQA

HOW TO PURCHASE

OPTION 1

FlexiSchools – pay online for each student \$5 or \$10. https://www.flexischools.com.au

OPTION 2

Children to bring \$5 or \$10 to purchase gifts on their specified day.

*As this is a P&C run event please do not pay online directly to the school.









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Remember to bring

Audiology

Speech Pathology

Immunisations

Milestone Education

your child's Medicare card Blue Book

Who: Children aged 6months - 6Years

Where: Nunyara Aboriginal Health Unit

2 Ward St, Gosford

When: Wednesday 06/09/2023

10:00am - 2:00pm

Bookings preferred, walk-ins accepted Limited parking available onsite

Please contact Nunyara on 4320 2698

for more information

Transport available through YERIN 4351 1040





Health Central Coast Local Health District

