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2023 TERRIGAL PUBLIC SCHOOL CALENDAR TERM 3

MONTH /Week	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
JULY 1	17	18 Students return to school	19	20 Boys PSSA Knockout	21
JULY	24	25	26	27	28 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
AUGUST	7 Girls Basketball	8 Yr 5 Leadership Fundraiser for Koalas	9 Athletics Carnival	10 Debating	11
4		Mufti Day	Belonging THS Yr 6		
AUGUST 5	14 Boys Basketball	15 PSSA Touch Football	16 Belonging THS Yr 6	17 S2 Excursion 3B & 3C	18 Healthy Harold Zone Athletics Carnival 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
AUGUST/ SEPTEMBER 7	28 Healthy Harold Girls PSSA Cricket	29 TGT Rehearsal Girls AFL State Finals – Paul Kelly Cup Yr 6 Taster	30	31 Father's Day Stall Girls PSSA Cricket	1 Fathers Day Breakfast and stall
	4	5	6	7	8
SEPTEMBER 8	P&C Meeting		Great Book Swap <i>Mufti Day</i>		B&G Basketball
SEPTEMBER	11	12 Yr 6 Taster Day	13	14 R U OK Day TGT Show K, Yr	15 TGT Show Yr 5
9				1 & Yr 2 (10.30am) TGT Show Yr 3 & Yr 4 (1.25pm)	& Yr 6 (1.25pm)
SEPTEMBER	18 S3 Music Day -	19	20 S3 Camps	21 K-2 Athletics Carnival	22 S3 Camps
10	mufti		·	S3 Camps S2 Excursion	

WHAT'S ON Week 8 Term 3

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
4 th September	5 th September	6 th September	7 th September	8 th September
P&C Meeting 7pm		Great Book Swap Mufti Day		

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Great Book Swap

Next Wednesday (6th September) students are able to wear mufti (yellow, red, black, green blue and white)) in support of the Great Book Swap. If a student chooses to wear mufti they bring a gold coin to donate to the Indigenous Literacy Foundation.



Students are also encouraged to

bring a book along to swap for another book.

P & C Meeting

Our P & C will meet next Monday (4th September) at 7pm in the school staffroom. All parents or carers are welcome to attend.

Opportunity to Tour Terrigal High School

Mrs Klempert, Principal of Terrigal High School, has invited our families to a tour of the high school. This will give families a chance to see the high school and learn about its facilities and programs.

- THS School Tour Wednesday 6th September
- · Meet at front office at 3.30pm.
- · Please register your interest to attend via our office on 43844677.

Rugby 7s

On Tuesday, our girls played Copacabana PS and Narraweena PS in a rugby 7s gala day. For a lot of these girls it was their first time playing a contact sport. They were quite nervous before playing their first game. They all came off with a massive smile on their face, excited to play again! It was awesome to see how involved they got considering it was their first time playing for the majority of them. I think we have some superstars in the making. Unfortunately, the girls went down in the first game against Copacabana 3-2. The girls played a friendly match against Narraweena Public School and tied 4-4.

Thank you to Mr Delaney for coaching.

AFL State Finals

3rd BEST TEAM IN THE STATE! 3 3



What a fabulous day it was for our girls AFL team. We won our first game 29-0 against Nambucca Heads Public School. We won our second game against Albury Public School 27-7 and we then won our 3rd game against St Gregory's Primary school 14-2.

This then brought us to the semi finals where the girls fought extremely hard and displayed incredible resilience. Unfortunately we lost 4-1 against St Catherine's Singleton who then went on to win the grand final.

Our girls AFL team is officially the 3rd best

team in the STATE. The girls have dedicated so much time, effort and commitment into training and playing. We are so incredibly proud!

CONGRATULATIONS GIRLS!

Big thank you to all the parents for your support and to Miss Lucas & Mr Krisher for your coaching, organisation and support.

Spot the special guest on the bench ****

Stage 2 Excursions



In Week 5 and 6 students in Year 3 and 4 visited Brisbane Water National Park. This historical inquiry excursion allowed students opportunities to explore their natural environment and understand more about Aboriginal culture.

Staff from Rumbalara showed the students bush food, utensils and weapons. They even learned about fire! Students developed an understanding of the connection that Aboriginal people had with the environment.

World Athletics Championship

Congratulations to Terrigal Public School alumni Allanah Pitcher who raced in a 35km walk in 31-degree heat at the World Athletics Championships in Budapest last week.

She finished 21st in her first race in the Seniors at only 19 years of age. A great effort. Well done Alannah.

Terrigal's Got Talent

Due to an unforeseen conflict of dates (some performers will be unavailable due to high school transition activities), it has been necessary to change the date for Show 1 of Terrigal's Got Talent. Show 1 will now be performed on Thursday 14 September at 10.30am (NOT Wednesday 13 September).

Show 2 (Thursday 14 September, 1.25pm) and Show 3 (Friday 15 September, 1.25pm) remain unchanged. If you have already returned a slip indicating your attendance for Show 1, please select a new date/time and re-submit lower potion of the new note sent home.

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.

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 has been sent home, and an information sheet has also been attached to this week's newsletter.

Michael Burgess
Principal

NSW Health Mobile Dental Program

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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.

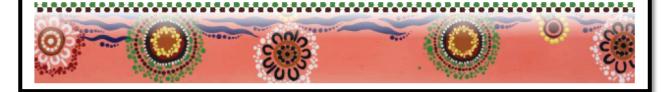
The program is scheduled to visit our school from 9/10/2023 to 27/10/2023.

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 **2**S Aria 6T Willow Freddie Brodie 2M Sarah 6R ione Tilly Zac 2J Ella 6H Axel Milan Louis 2H Luna 6G Dustin Leo Cameron 2B Henry 5S Millie Zeke 5L Riley 1W Savannah Harley Finn 5K Harper 1N Indiana Charlie Adeline 5E Madeleine **1FB** Archie Manon Huxley 5B Archie 1D Beau Elise Charlie 4-6S Lachlan 1C Leni Stage 2 Kai 1A Holly Sienna 4C Zoe Caitlin K-2J Dominic 3/4RMFreja Ky 3M Spencer Early Stage 1 Jasper 3H Angus KS Kiana Harper Ari 3C Giselle KR Cooper Kalais Isaac 3B Akira KP Bjorn Curtis Casper 2-4M Mason KJ Zak Archer KH Everly Liam KD Aurora

Radley

PRINCIPAL AWARD



The Principal's Award is presented to a student who has helped to make our school a happy and safe place to learn.

Congratulations Edie – 5E



CITIZEN AWARD



Isaac always goes above and beyond to show kindness and compassion. He is always happy to help out in the classroom and the playground. He cares deeply about his friends and is inclusive of all. Isaac is a wonderful role model to his peers, we are so lucky to have him in 1FB!

Congratulations Isaac - 1FB



Julie's Corner Student Wellbeing Officer



6 THINGS TO SAY <u>INSTEAD</u> OF "GOOD JOB!"





"LOOKS LIKE YOU HAD FUN! WHAT PART DID YOU ENJOY THE MOST?"



"I SEE YOU WORKING HARD. YOU'RE MAKING A LOT OF PROGRESS."



"THIS WAS NEW! HOW DID YOU FEEL WHEN YOU WERE MAKING THIS?"



"THIS MUST HAVE TAKEN A LOT OF PRACTICE. ARE YOU PROUD?"



"YOU WERE SO FOCUSED ON YOUR WORK: CAN YOU TELL ME ABOUT IT?"



"YOU LOOK VERY EXCITED ABOUT COMPLETING THIS PROJECT! WHAT DID YOU LEARN?"

SHIFTING FROM EXTERNAL PRAISE TO INNER AWARENESS

- Allow time prior to praise ("You were great!") and evaluation ("Amazing presentation!") to make room for kids to process their own feelings and opinions.
- Ask open-ended questions and invite children to notice how they feel about their efforts: both the process and the outcome.

THIS LEADS TO SELF-RELIANCE AND EMPOWERMENT

As you encourage their reflection, children learn to appreciate their own strengths, which contributes to their confidence and resilience.



In turn, they learn to rely on themselves instead of seeking external praise or evaluation, making them more empowered.







Canteen Roster

Term 3	Week 8	
Mon 4	Cheryl	
Tues 5	Hitomi	
Wed 6	Alexandra	
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	
	Week 10	
Mon 18	Michelle B	
Tues 19		
Wed 20	Lisa	
Thurs 21	Michael	
Fri 22	Amy, Jen, Jodie	

Contacting the Canteen

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

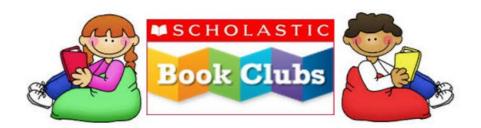
Please try not to call directly on our mobile phones or message on Facebook Messenger, especially as I will be away on holidays in the last week of school this term. I may not see your message and be able to help out when you need it.

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



Term 3, Issue 6, 2023

Online ordering only

https://mybookclubs.scholastic.com.au/Parent/Login.aspx

Orders close

Monday 4th September 2023





A CHANGE IS COMING

Tuesday 29th August 2023

Dear Parents,

We are in the process of transitioning from Flexi-schools to Spriggy Schools for managing our Canteen, Uniform Shop, and P&C Events.

WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?

All P&C run activities, including the canteen, uniform shop and P&C organised fundraising events (such as the Mothers's Day stall, colour run etc) going forward all ordering will be through Spriggy Schools and not Flexischools. Flexi-schools will continue to run up to and including Friday 22nd September, the last day of Term 3.

WHAT DO PARENTS NEED TO DO?

Please use all your available funds in your Flexi School accounts by the end of this term (22nd September). Parents can CLOSE their flexi-school account via PROFILE Icon and Manage my details, select refund my balance back to me.

We encourage you to prepare by downloading the Spriggy Schools app onto your devices and completing the registration process as a parent and add your children to their respective classrooms within the app, further details follow.

IMPORTANT DATES

FINAL DATE TO ORDER UNIFORMS ITEMS on FLEXI-SCHOOLS FINAL DATE TO ORDER CANTEEN ITEMS ON FLEXI-SCHOOLS FLEXI-SCHOOLS WILL CLOSE

TUESDAY 19th September. THURSDAY 21st September. FRIDAY 22nd September

TERM 4

SPRIGGY SCHOOLS LIVE AND OPERATIONAL

MONDAY 9th October

Please contact Flexi-schools or Spriggy Schools if you need any assistance. SPRIGGY SCHOOLS www.spriggyschools.com.au FLEXI-SCHOOLS SUPPORT www.flexischools.com.au

CURRENT YEAR 6 PARENTS

Unfortunately, we understand your year group will utilise Spriggy Schools for 1 term. We have made the decision to transition at this time of year as it is the slower season for uniforms, families moving in and out of the school and less disruption to the school overall. We THANK YOU in advance for your understanding and co-operation.

Please note that Spriggy Schools is a different platform to Spriggy cards. We note that you do not need a Spriggy card to access or use Spriggy schools.

We are looking forward to working with our new partner SPRIGGY SCHOOLS, and we THANK YOU for your ongoing support and cooperation we hope you enjoy the benefits this will bring.

Regards

Nicole Hilder - President Terrigal Public School P&C

The canteen has partnered with Spriggy Schools for online lunch orders!

Creating your account

- Download the app
- Register your details
- Create a profile for each child

Placing your first order

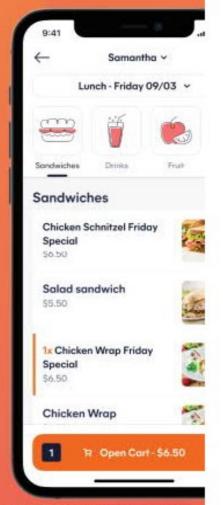
- View the canteen menu on the home screen
- Browse the menu and tap 'Add to Cart' on any item
- Go to cart and tap 'Place Order' to confirm
- You can edit or cancel your order before the cut-off time



Download the app now!







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Next P&C Meeting

Term 3 Week 8 Meeting

Monday 4 September 2023

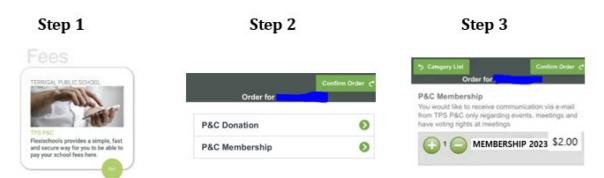
Everyone in our school community is welcome to join us at our next meeting on Monday 4 September 2023 at 7pm in the old staff room (building opposite the school hall). We would love to see some new faces come and join us to see what we do!

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.

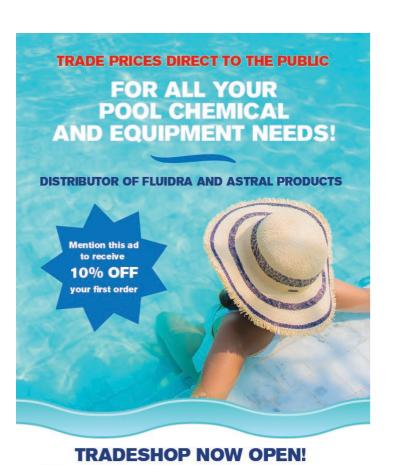
P&C MEMBERSHIP 2023

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.









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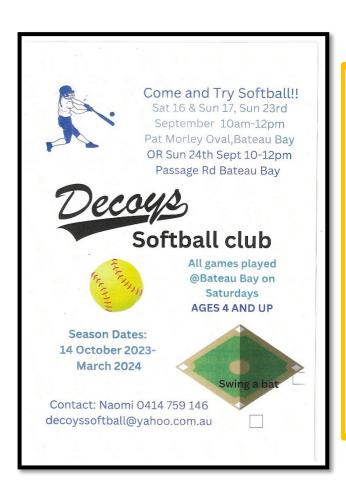
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We're always exploring new ways to give back to our local community. This season we'll be donating \$250 to Terrigal Primary when you sell your property through us - OR make a donation of up to \$1000 from the proceeds of your sale and we will match it in kind*. It's all part of our commitment to live, love, support #local.

* terms of offer will be met upon property settlement.

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Central Coast
Spring Holiday
Junior Chess
Tournament
(ages 6 to 17)

Entry fee \$10

For full entry details please email, not text: Gary Losh

glosh6090@gmail.com

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For NSW country players. Limited to 140. Please don't pay until entry confirmed.

Friday 6 October

Must pre-enter by Wednesday 4 Oct.

Central Coast Grammar School 9.30am – 4.00pm

Minimum ability: Must know how to move the pieces and complete games independently.





