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Thursday, 21<sup>st</sup> September

Happy Holidays!

From Pepper

See you all back at school Monday 9<sup>th</sup> October.

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### 2023 TERRIGAL PUBLIC SCHOOL CALENDAR TERM 4

MONTH /Week	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	9	10	11	12	13
OCTOBER	Dental Visit	Dental Visit	Dental Visit	Dental Visit	Dental Visit
1					
	16	17	18	19	20
OCTOBER	Dental Visit	Dental Visit Kinder Tours Yr 6 Taster	Dental Visit	<b>Dental Visit</b> Kinder Tours	Dental Visit
2		Lessons			
	23	24	25	26	27
OCTOBER	Dental Visit	Dental Visit	Dental Visit	Dental Visit	Dental Visit
3	P&C Meeting	Yr 6 Taster Lessons			
	30	31	1	2	3
OCT/NOV		Yr 6 Taster			
4		Lessons			
	6	7	8	9	10
NOVEMBER		Kinder		Kinder	
_		Orientation		Orientation	
5					
	13	14	15	16	17
NOVEMBER		Kinalan		Kinder	
		Kinder Orientation	Belonging THS	Orientation	
6		onentation		Primary Chess Competition	
	20	21	22	23	24
NOVEMBER	Swim School	Swim School	Swim School	Swim School	Swim School
7		Kinder	Belonging THS	Kinder	
		Orientation	5 5	Orientation	
	27	28	29	30	1
NOV/DEC	Swim School CC B/Ball	Swim School	Swim School	Swim School	Swim School
	CC B/Ball Challenge	THS Open Day			
8	P&C Meeting				
	4	5	6	7	8
DECEMBER		Helpers Morning Tea			
9					
	11	12	13	14	15
DECEMBER		TPS	Yr 6 Graduation	End of year	Last day for
10		Presentation	Ass	outings	Students
		Day		Yr 6 Movies	Yr 5 Surfs Up
	18	19	20	21	22
DECEMBER					
11					

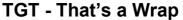
#### WHAT'S ON Week 1 Term 4

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9 <sup>th</sup> October	10 <sup>th</sup> October	11 <sup>th</sup> October	12 <sup>th</sup> October	13 <sup>th</sup> October
Dental Visit Staff and students return to school	Dental Visit	Dental Visit	Dental Visit	Dental Visit

#### PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

We have made it to the end of Term 3!

It has been extremely busy but very productive. All students and staff have earned a wonderful spring break.





https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ISoW6KvXkIQ

A huge thank you to Mr Krisher and Mrs Bolte for the 2023 Terrigal's Got Talent showcase. you lf were unable to make the show. please check out the YouTube clip below, developed by Mrs Lythall.

#### Stage 3 Excursions

On Wednesday, Year 5 and 6 excitedly loaded the buses to head off to their respective school camps. Year 5 off to Great Aussie Bush Camp and Year 6 to Canberra. We look forward to hearing all the wonderful stories and the fun memories created. Please keep an eye on class dojo for any bus arrival updates. Thank you to all the staff who have left their own families to volunteer their time and support our Stage 3 students to have such a great experience. We are very grateful!

#### Building update – WE ARE IN!!!!

Students and staff have moved into their own, individual classrooms for the remainder of 2023. Thank you to the amazing team of students and teachers who have worked together, shared spaces and supported each other whilst new rooms were set up ready for learning.

The repair of the top playground has also begun to take shape. New turf is being laid, retaining walls have been put back in place and excavation has levelled the area. Obviously, we will need to keep the water up to establish the grass and promote its growth, but hopefully it won't be long until our space can be used once more.

A huge thank you to Mr Burgess who has been the driving force behind our school refurbishment since 2017. He has worked tirelessly with the Department of Education, building companies, P&C, staff, and students to design and oversee the reshaping and redesign of our school. This enormous project has seen such a wonderful improvement to our learning spaces and the whole school environment, benefiting us all.

#### No School assembly this Friday

On Friday we will not be having our weekly school assembly.

#### Term 4 - return

Students and teachers will both be returning on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> October 2023. We wish you a safe and happy holiday.

Sandy Knowles **Deputy Principal** 



#### **REPTILE PARK COLOURING COMPETITION WINNERS**

We had a huge display of creative and artistic talent on show in the Reptile Park Colouring Competition. Thank you to all students who entered. A special congratulations to the following students:

Kindergarten winner: Radley Stage 1 winner: London Stage 2 winner: Willow Stage 3 winner: Nirmala Support Unit winner: Olivia Kindergarten runner up: Roxy Stage 1 runner up: Aurora Stage 2 runner up: Milla Stage 3 runner up: Lilly

Each winner received a family pass to the Reptile Park and each runner up received 1 adult and 1 child ticket to the Reptile Park. We hope they enjoy their prizes! The winning entries will be displayed at the Reptile Park from 23rd September - 8th October. Thank you to the Reptile Park for providing these fabulous prizes for our students.

*Tamara Slattery* Assistant Principal

## <u>Kindergarten 2024</u>



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

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



### MERIT AWARDS

#### <u>Stage 3</u>

6T	Taimania Noah
6R	Lola
6H	Vedder Hamish
6G	Zander Imani
5S	Finlay Roark
	Owen
5L	ALL OF 5S Nickolas Charlotte
5K	Matiaz
5E	Sareisa Edie
5B	Tayla Elle
4-65	Tavian Tyson
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- <u>Stage 1</u>
- 2S Heath Mia2M Grace
- Cleo 2J Ava Ayla
- 2H Quang Evie
- 2B Clementine Carlos
- 1W Jacob Clae
- **1N** Zayn Vienna
- **1FB** Willow Imogen
- 1D Elsie Rocky
- 1C Jax
- Aimes **1A** Oliver
- Jukka
- 2-4M Nate

#### Early Stage 1

KS	Kai
	Quinn
KR	Isaac
	Ekari
KP	Opal
	Asher
KJ	Whole class
KH	Luna
	Xander
KD	Tilly
	lvy
<b>K</b> 21	

K-2J Lachlan

#### **CITIZEN AWARD**



Andreas is a positive, kind and persistent member of 6T who joined TPS all the way from France this year. He has proven himself to be a reliable, helpful and wonderful friend to all those he meets. Andreas has done an outstanding job of developing his English skills, confidently facing challenges with maturity. He is sadly leaving TPS embarking on his next adventure of travel. Congratulations on all you have achieved Andreas!

Congratulations Andreas – 6T

#### ADMINISTRATION CORNER

#### School Bytes

School Bytes is now up and running. You are able to register for access to the Parent Portal via this link: <u>https://portal.schoolbytes.education</u> or by going onto the school's website on <u>www.terrigal-p.schools.nsw.edu.au</u> and following the 'Make A Payment' link.

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

#### Money Currently Due

#### Early Stage 1 (Kindergarten)

• Book Pack - **\$50** 

#### <u>Stage 1</u>

• Book Pack - \$50

#### Stage 2 (Years 3 & 4)

- Book Pack **\$50**
- SAKG \$20 for the whole year or \$5 per term

#### Stage 3 (Years 5 & 6)

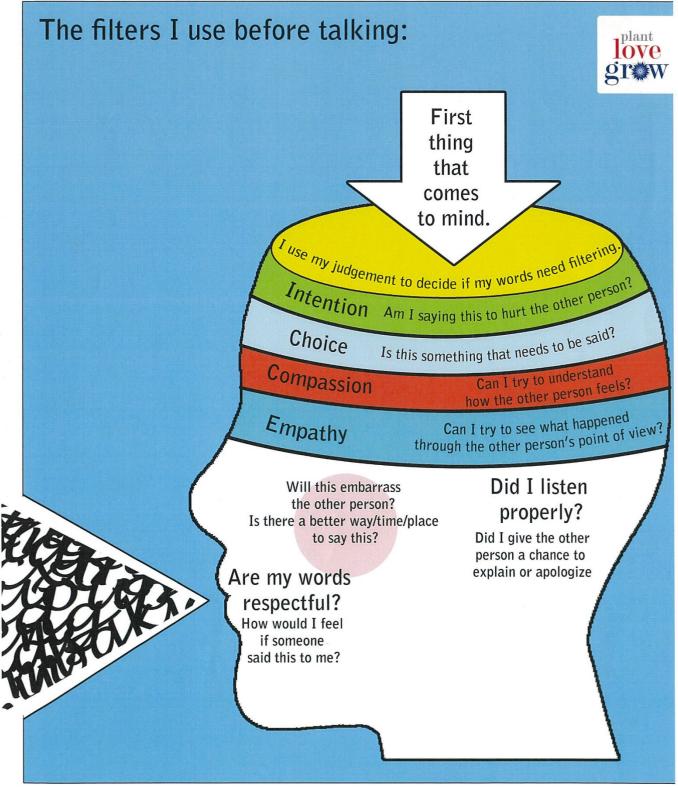
• Book Pack - **\$50** 

#### Support Unit

• Book Pack - \$15

Ulrike Myers Admin Manager

# Julie's Corner Student Wellbeing Officer







#### SPRIGGY SCHOOLS will be LIVE - Week 1 Term 4 MONDAY 9<sup>th</sup> October.

#### 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) will change over to our NEW online platform provider SPRIGGY SCHOOLS from Monday 9<sup>th</sup> October (Week 1 Term 4)

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?

Rundown your FLEXI- SCHOOLS ACCOUNT BALANCE BY FRIDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> September OR Parents can CLOSE their flexi-school account. Choose PROFILE and Manage my details, Close Flexi-schools account and select refund my balance back to me or donate to charity.

To ensure a smooth transition, 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. **(QR CODE PROVIDED)** WE STRONGLY ENCOURAGE PARENTS TO ACTION THIS TASK ASAP so your ready for when you may need it in Term 4.

#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

TERM 3 FINAL DATE TO ORDER UNIFORMS ITEMS on FLEXI-SCHOOLS FLEXI-SCHOOLS will be NON-OPERATIONAL TERM 4 SPRIGGY SCHOOLS LIVE AND OPERATIONAL

TUESDAY 19<sup>th</sup> September. Saturday 23<sup>nd</sup> September

MONDAY 9<sup>th</sup> 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

#### <u>YEAR 6</u>

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.

Students transitioning to high school in 2024 may consider keeping your Flexi schools account if their new high school uses this platform. Terrigal High uses Flexi-Schools for the Canteen.

Spriggy Schools is a different business to Spriggy cards. 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.

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# McKillop Seasons

## at Terrigal Public School

Change happens to each and every one of us.

We all have a story to tell.

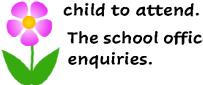
Sometimes the change is completely unexpected and leaves us feeling lost, empty, angry ..... unable to explain how we feel ..... but thinking, "no-one understands".

McKillop Seasons is an educational, peer-support, grief and loss program, that aims at increasing our kids resilience to cope when unexpected change happens, and the people we love are just not there anymore.

McKillop Seasons focuses on the health and wellbeing of those who choose to participate, and the effects that 'change', associated with death, divorce and/or separation, can have on the child.

The program is an early intervention program offering continued support, it will be commencing in Term 3 at our school.

Please let your class teacher know if you would like your



The school office will also be able to help anyone with enquiries.









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 0432 453 726





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.











Terrigal Surf Club Nippers Registration



Registration is open now click <u>here</u> to register. Our Nippers program is available for children between the ages of 5 - 14.

Nippers at Terrigal is all about providing children with confidence, skills and understanding of the beach and surf environment. We are highly focused on providing an environment that is fun, family-friendly and focused on developing each of our nippers throughout the season.

- Face to face rego support is available on 17th and/or 24th September from 9am-12noon at Terrigal Surf Club.
- New members-bring your Childs Birth Certificate or passport and remember one parent needs to sign up also
- Nippers proficiency floats/swim will be done on the 17th and/or 24th September from 9am-12noon (8's and up)
  Nippers will start on the 8th October, U6s and U7s will start at 8am. All other ages will start at 8:30am



www.terrigalsurfclub.com.au



## Making a move? Score \$250 - \$2,000 for Terrigal Primary.

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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