



Tacoma Public School Newsletter

29 April 2024

Dates to remember

Wed 8 May

Mothers Day Stall

Fri 10 May

School Cross Country Carnival
Mothers Day Breakfast

Fri 24 May

Zone Cross Country Carnival

Wed 29 May

Stage 3 excursion payment
due

Wed 5 Jun

Walter & Friends Performance

Thu 6 June

Class/Grade Spelling Bee

Thu 13 Jun

Interschool Soccer Gala Day

Thu 20 Jun

School Spelling Bee

Wed 26 Jun—Fri 28 Jun

Stage 3 Canberra excursion

Thu 27 Jun

Didjeribone Performance K-4

Tue 2 Jul

K-2 Excursion Sydney Zoo

Acting Principal's message

Welcome back to Term 2! Another busy term; many fantastic educational and fun opportunities have been planned for students and families.

ANZAC DAY

We will hold our school service after the holidays, tomorrow Tuesday 30th April at 10:45pm in the hall. All parents and carers are welcome to attend our school Anzac service. Thank you and congratulations to all the students and families who attended last Thursday's service and march in Wyong, representing Tacoma PS. We are so very proud of you! Huge thanks to Mr Kirk for his organisation and attendance, both on Anzac Day and here at school.



TACOMA PS PRINCIPAL.

Ms Nicole Pattison, our new principal, will officially begin here next week (Week 2). I will continue as Acting Principal for this week until her arrival. We are all looking forward to a new chapter here at TPS!



CANBERRA AND SYDNEY ZOO EXCURSIONS (STAGE 3/K-2)

We need final numbers for the Stage 3 Canberra excursion by **the end of Week 3**. This includes medical/dietary forms, as I have to have all these details to the touring company during Week 4. **Please return these ASAP!** If you need another form please see the office. Final payment for Canberra is due on or before May 29.



The Canberra excursion is in Week 9 (June 26-28) and the K-2 excursion to Sydney Zoo is in Week 10 (July 2).

Please keep your eye on our communications – we have had some parents report they were unaware of different events. Check your child's bag for notes, as we still send notes home via students, as well as using Sentral, School Bytes, the newsletter, Facebook and email. If you have any issues receiving communications, please stop in at the office and they will assist you!



Have a great week!
Jo Stuckey

Stewart House

Stewart house donation envelopes will be sent home with children tomorrow. Please return these to the office by Tuesday 14th May 2024.

Over the years, Stewart House has supported and involved many Tacoma Public School Families and is a very valued program within our community. We do have spare envelopes at the office if you require another one.





CROSS COUNTRY

Our Cross Country run will be held at school on Friday May 10th, Week 2 of Term 2. Everyone is invited to come along to cheer on our runners. Please contact the office if you can assist on the day with timing, marking laps, being check points etc.

Time	Event	Distance
10.10am	7 Yrs Boys	2 laps (of oval)
10.15am	7 Yrs Girls	
10.20am	5/6 Yrs Boys	1 lap (of oval)
10.25am	5/6 Yrs Girls	
10:30am	8/9 Yrs Boys and Girls	2 km
Recess		
11:35am	10 Yrs Boys	2 km
11:45am	10 Yrs Girls	
12:00pm	11 Yrs Boys	3 km
12:10pm	11 Yrs Girls	
12:20pm	12/13 Yrs Boys	3 km
12:30pm	12/13 Yrs Girls	3 km
Lunch		

STAGE 3 CAMP

A reminder that full payment for Stage 3 Camp is due by Wednesday 29th May. Part payments of any amount can be paid online via the School Bytes app or via cash at the office. Stage 3 Medical forms MUST be returned to the office by Fri 17th May.

CASH PAYMENTS MADE IN OFFICE

As more people are making online payments we very rarely have change in the office. Where possible please bring the correct amount of money. We cannot have people leave money with us to collect change later.

MOTHERS DAY

- * Mothers Day Breakfast is Friday 10th May from 8am.
- * Mothers Day stall is Wednesday 8th May, prices starting from \$1.00. Please send your child with a bag for their purchases.


PREMIER'S READING CHALLENGE

Congratulations to Elijah, Sophia and Sebastian from Stage 3 and Mateo and Harrison from Stage 2 who completed their premier's reading challenge last term.

These students have been dedicated in their reading and borrowing and have read 20 books this year so far. Congratulations on this great achievement and looking forward to seeing who is next to complete the challenge and get their name up on our display



Mrs Johnston
Teacher Librarian



Happy Birthday!
Noah, Ryder, Tahlia, Huxley & Lucas

SHINING  BRIGHTLY

CENTRAL COAST KIDS DAY OUT

5th May 10-3pm

NARARA VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

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