



NEWSLETTER

Telegraph Point Public School

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Term 4, Week 1

18th October, 2018

CALENDAR

Week	Date	Event	Time
1	Wednesday 17 th & Thursday, 18 th October	Life Education Van	
	Friday 19 th	Sundial Dentist Visit & Netball	
2	Friday, 26 th October	Public Speaking Competition – Library Van - Netball	11.30
	SATURDAY, 27 TH OCTOBER	P&C TRIVIA NIGHT	



Life Education Van
Visit this week



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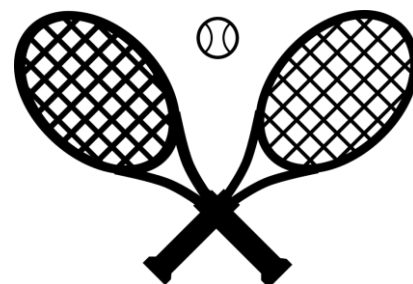
From the Principal's Desk ...

"Success comes from knowing that you did your best to become the best that you are capable of being." – John Wooden

Welcome Back! I hope all students and their families had a restful and relaxing holiday.

Tennis Court Resurface

Over the holidays our tennis court underwent a revamp with a new synthetic grass surface being laid. There are line markings for netball, basketball and tennis. The multi-purpose court looks amazing and will be a great resource for our school now and into the future. Thank you to the members of our P&C and school community for all their efforts in making this project realised.



Life Education Van

This week our school had a visit from the Life Education Van. The Life Education Van employs specially trained educators who present vital health and safety messaging through tactile and multisensory activities. Each session is designed to intrigue and excite children of all ages, which captures their imagination and has a lasting impact. Joined by Life Education's loveable mascot Healthy Harold the educators bring to life lessons that empower children to make safer and healthier choices, now and in the future.

Tacking Point Lions Club Public Speaking Competition

In each class all students are currently writing and preparing a speech on a topic of their choice for the Tacking Point Lions Club Public Speaking Competition. After the students present their speech to their class, two students from each class will then be chosen on merit to present their speech in the final on Friday 26th October. Members from the Tacking Point Lions Club will adjudicate the final. There will be a complimentary sausage sizzle for all students and parents at the conclusion on the competition.

Author Visit

Next Wednesday Jennifer Calvert a published children's author will visit our school to read her book *Polly Rocket* to our infants students and discuss what it is like to be an author. The following is Jennifer's synopsis of her new book.

"The Adventures of Polly Rocket, is a light-hearted, beautifully illustrated book, about a cat who defies expectations, teaching us that we are capable of being whoever we want to be. The Adventures of Polly Rocket, is more than an adventure story, it touches on the workings of a

team - amid the relationships of two furry-friends - loyalty, communication and collaboration. Because without our friends and families support life can, sometimes, be a little scary."

Sport

On Friday, all students will be involved in a 4 week netball program at the school. The school has engaged Kirsten Clarke from Netball NSW to deliver netball skills sessions to our students. The netball program will steadily teach students specific netball skills, whilst developing fitness, flexibility, and enhancing spatial awareness. All equipment will be provided. The school will cover the cost of the program.

Kindergarten Parents Meeting

On Thursday 15th November from 9.30am – 9.45am Karen White and I will conduct a meeting for new kindergarten parents. At this meeting Karen and I will outline the academic, social and emotional outcomes and experiences that students attending kindergarten will undertake next year. It will be an informal meeting where information will be presented and we can answer any questions that parents may have. The meeting will conclude with morning tea.

Kindergarten Transition

During Term 4, Telegraph Point PS will start Kindergarten Transition. Kindergarten Transition is an opportunity for students who are starting school next year to start to get to know their teacher, make new friends, engage in fun and exciting learning programs, and familiarise themselves to the routines and structures of primary school. The dates and times for kindergarten transition are outlined below:

Monday 19th November 2018 – 9.30am – 11.30am

Tuesday 20th November 2018 – 9.30am – 11.30am

Wednesday 21st November 2018 – 9.30am – 11.30am

Thursday 22nd November – 9.30am – 11.30am

Friday 23rd November 2018 – 9.30am – 11.30am

Kindergarten Enrolments

We are now taking Kindergarten enrolments for the 2019 educational year. If you are intending on enrolling your child for next year please contact the school office.

When to Start School

Your child can start Kindergarten at the beginning of the school year if they turn five on or before 31 July in that year. By law, all children must be enrolled in school by their sixth birthday.



Coding Club

Coding club continues on Wednesdays and will take place in the computer room between 3pm and 4pm. Coding club is recommended for students between the ages of 9 and 12. Thank you to Dave Reeves and Michelle Richards for volunteering their time to run coding club this term.

Muddle Top House – Early Learning & Out of Hours Care

The Muddle Top House – Early Learning & Out of Hours Care is now OPEN for business! Conveniently located on our school grounds its operating hours are as follows:

Long Day Care 6.30am - 6.30pm

Before School Care 6.30am - 9.00am

After School Care 3.00pm - 6.30pm

Vacation Care 6.30am - 6.30pm

Email: info@muddletophouse.com.au

Website: www.muddletophouse.com.au

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Financial Assistance

Please remember that if you require financial assistance to help pay for any school activity this year, to come and see me. We have a number of ways in which to help and please rest assured, all details are kept totally confidential. We would like to see all students involved in our planned activities and if finance is a problem please make contact.

Duncan Adams,

Principal

P&C News

Dates to remember:

Remember 27th October for the Trivia night which will be held at the Butter Factory (kid free night – will be limited babysitting spots at the location).

Kind regards your P&C 😊

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TERM 4

Term 4	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1 October	15 All Students Return for Term 4	16 Eye Testing - Kinder	17 Life Education Van	18 Life Education Van	19 Sundial Dentist Visit Netball
Week 2 October	22	23 Health Talks 9-1pm (Yrs 5/6)	24 Author Visit 2pm – K, 1 & 2	25	26 Tacking Point Lions Club Visit 11.30 Public Speaking Comp LIBRARY VAN Netball Saturday P&C TRICIA NIGHT
Week 3 October/ November	29	30 Health Talks 9-1pm (Yrs 5/6)	31	1	2 Netball
Week 4 November	5	6	7	8	9 Netball
Week 5 November	12 Intensive Swimming Yrs 1-6	13 Intensive Swimming Yrs 1-6	14 Intensive Swimming Yrs 1-6	15 Kinder 2019 Kinder Orientation Intensive Swimming Yrs 1-6	16 Intensive Swimming Yrs 1-6 LIBRARY VAN
Week 6 November	19 Intensive Swimming Yrs 1-6 Kinder Transition	20 Intensive Swimming Yrs 1-6 Kinder transition	21 Intensive Swimming Yrs 1-6 Kinder transition	22 Intensive Swimming Yrs 1-6 Kinder transition	23 Intensive Swimming Yrs 1-6 Kinder transition
Week 7 November/ December	26	27 PARLIAMENT SPEECHES	28	29	30 PARLIAMENT VOTING
Week 8 December	3	4	5 LIBRARY VAN	6	7
Week 9 December	10	11 Concert 5.30-6.30 BBQ 6.30 – 7.30	12 TALENT QUEST (Middle Session)	13 PRESENTATION DAY 9.30 am	14 Swimming Carnival Yrs 1 - 6 REPORTS HOME
Week 10 December	17 YEAR 6 DINNER – To be confirmed	18 PARTY DAY/YEAR 6 DAY OUT	19 LAST DAY TERM 4	20	21

Term 4 – 2018 – Monday, 15th October – Wednesday, 19th December

2019 – ALL STUDENTS YEARS 1 – 6 RETURN ON WEDNESDAY, 30TH JANUARY, 2019



Scholarship Applications are now open!

To acknowledge and encourage excellence Hastings Secondary College offers a number of scholarships to Year 6 entering Year 7 in 2019. Applications are online at <http://www.hastingssecondarycollege.schools.nsw.edu.au/enrol/2019-year-7-scholarships>

We are excited to once again offer four (4) scholarships at each campus, to incoming Year 7 2019 students in the areas of excellence in Academic, Sporting, Cultural or Community Involvement.

Scholarship Applications are due on Monday 19 November 2018

Year 7 2019 Orientation Day - Tuesday 4 December 8.30 - 2.15pm

We are looking forward to welcoming our Year 7, 2019 students to our College. We have also arranged for Parent Sessions for each campus from 8.30am - 10.00 am on Tuesday 4 December. Please register your attendance at:

<http://www.hastingssecondarycollege.schools.nsw.edu.au/news-and-events/year-7-orientation-parent-sessions>

Please note: Enrolment forms are now overdue. If you have not yet returned your child's enrolment form, please submit to your child's campus ASAP. Thank you.

VOX POP

'Voice of the people'

Name: Rex (Year 4)

What is the best thing about Telegraph Point Public School?

It's a small school.

Who is your hero and why?

Daniel Radcliffe for coping under the pressure of being Harry Potter.

What is the best thing about being a child today?

You don't have to work as physically hard as children in the past.

What do you want to be when you grow up?

A Farmer like my Dad because I have already learned how to do so much of it.



Name: Ceara (Year 5)

What is the best thing about Telegraph Point Public School?

Playing games with my friends.

Who is your hero and why?

My best Friends for sticking up for me.

What is the best thing about being a child today?

Nothing, it sucks haha I'd rather be an adult.

What do you want to be when you grow up?

A famous Soccer Player.



Name: Jacob (Year 4)

What is the best thing about Telegraph Point Public School?

It has lots of play equipment and the teachers are really nice.

Who is your hero and why?

My parents because they have been with me all my life and I love them.

What is the best thing about being a child today?

That you are young enough to muck around and not go to jail and also, children are very funny.

What do you want to be when you grow up?

I would like to be a Vet because I like animals.

