

# NEWSLETTER

Telegraph Point Public School

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Term 1, Week 10

3<sup>rd</sup> April, 2019

## CALENDAR

Week	Date	Event	Time
10	Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> APR	2019 Big Vegie Crunch!	2pm
10	Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> APR	Our 1 <sup>st</sup> 'Fresh Food Friday'	
11	Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> APR	P & C Meeting	6pm
11	Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> APR	School Photos	
11	Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> APR	Easter Hat Parade	



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"We do not need magic to transform our world. We carry all of the power we need inside ourselves already."

— J. K. Rowling

## School Photos

*Save the Date:* **Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April**

School Photos will be taken on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April. Please ensure envelopes are returned to the school office on or before **11<sup>th</sup> April**. If you would like sibling photos to be taken you will need to collect a Sibling Envelope from the school office, which will also need to be returned on or before 11<sup>th</sup> April.

## Working Bee

*Save the date:* **Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> April** (note: date changed from April 13<sup>th</sup>)

The P&C will be having a working bee on Sunday 14 April. There will be a complimentary BBQ lunch at the conclusion of the working bee. Some of the actions proposed for the morning include:

- Constructing and filling garden beds
- Assisting with the installation of a watering system to the garden
- Forming up and concreting small section between the COLA and the front gate (to increase access for students walking to the bus)
- General tidy up of the gardens and playground.

## ANZAC Service and March

*Save the date:* **Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April**

Our school will once again participate in the Port Macquarie ANZAC March on **25th April**. We marched last year and had outstanding representation from our students, teachers and families. We hope to repeat that effort again this year as we join with the Hastings Valley Community of Schools.

*Arrangements for the day:*

For those students who wish to participate, we ask you to assemble outside the Thai Tastic Restaurant in Port Macquarie (98 Horton Street, corner of Horton and William Streets) at **9.15am** in full school uniform.

Marching order:

1. HVCS Banner - executive principal and college captains
- HVCS primary schools student bodies:
2. Telegraph Point PS
  3. Hastings PS
  4. Port Macquarie PS

5. Lake Cathie PS
6. Tacking Point PS
7. Westport PS
8. College Banner
9. Port Macquarie Campus student body
10. Westport campus student body

## Veggie Crunch

*Save the date: Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> April*

Don't forget, it is Vegetable Week this week and our 2019 Big Veggie Crunch will be held at 2pm on Thursday 4th April.

## Easter Hat Parade

*Save the date: Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April*

Our school is embarking on action to evaluate and ultimately reduce the amount of waste generated and to improve the waste management processes within our school. There are so many things we do well in our school however, as with anything we can always improve.

Over the year we will be focusing on: **REDUCE → REUSE → RECYCLE**

We will be brainstorming ways to incorporate these principles into our daily lives to help conserve natural resources, landfill space and energy. The upcoming Easter Hat parade will be our first opportunity this year to have fun with this theme. We invite all our families to join the creative fun and start to collect eco- friendly, recyclable materials to upcycle an Easter Hat for our parade on 12th April.

## Stewart House

*Reminder*

Envelopes were sent earlier this term with the youngest sibling enrolled at the school. These envelopes are for the Stewart House Donation Drive. All donations will be entered into a draw for a chance to win a \$4,000 holiday to a destination of your choice.

Donations should be for **at least** \$2.00 (may be more if you like). Please complete the envelope and insert your donation, seal it and return to the school office. Please ensure that you complete the details on the envelope in a legible way so that the envelope can be entered into the draw (if they can't read it, it won't be entered).

Please ensure that completed envelopes are returned to the school office by **no later than close of business on Wednesday 15 May 2019.**

Stewart House needs these donations to continue with the wonderful work they do. So many children have benefitted from their help and support, and your donation will help to ensure that their invaluable work will continue.

On behalf of Stewart House, we thank you in anticipation of your support.

## Fresh Food Friday

*Reminder*

Notes with order forms went home last Friday for children to be able to order their lunch for this **Friday 5 April.** Orders need to be returned to the school office by 3pm on Thursday 4 April.



Lunches will then be brought to the school by staff at Vege Out Café.  
This is the first of our Healthy Lunch Fridays, and we know the children love the food!

## Acknowledgement of Country

### Message

Friday 29 March Mr Jamie Donovan presented Telegraph Point Public School with an Acknowledgement of Country plaque. Jamie designed the plaque and wrote the words inscribed. He spoke to the students about the totems and meaning of the words. The plaque will now be displayed in the office foyer, and we thank Jamie for his time.

## Playground Rewards Day

### Message

The Playground Rewards day will be held next Friday 12 April 2019 for those children who have earned it. This will take the form of an Easter hunt.

## Parents coming to school

### Message

We need to ask parents coming into the school to be respectful of our school procedures. We ask that you visit the office before going to your child's classroom, either to pick them up or to drop something off. It is essential that class time interruptions be kept to an absolute minimum.

### Birthday cakes

We are more than happy to help celebrate your child's birthday. To this end we hand out birthday certificates at morning assembly and the whole school sings happy birthday. We are also more than happy for you to bring in cakes for your child to celebrate with his/her classmates. However, we ask that cakes are in the form of cupcakes (therefore do not need to be cut up) so that interruption to class time is kept to a minimum. We appreciate your co-operation with this.

Kind Regards,  
Duncan Adams

*School Principal*



## Assembly

*Award Winners: Week 9*



<b>KW</b>	Mitchell, Will, Dexter, Leeroy	<b>3SC</b>	Caylana, Zac, Sam
<b>1/2J</b>	Orrick, Aurora, Maddison, Caylana	<b>4/5H</b>	Samantha, Ella, Sophie, Reuben
<b>1/2C</b>	Tully, Joshua, Santi, Dakota	<b>5/6C</b>	Kobi, Carl, Taelor



# FILM BY THE BREAKWALL

A Hastings Valley Community of Schools Event

RED CARPET 5:45 | SCREENING 6PM

WEDNESDAY 8TH MAY

THURSDAY 9TH MAY

MAJESTIC CINEMAS – PORT MACQUARIE

FURTHER INFORMATION WILL BE AVAILABLE ON YOUR SCHOOL SOCIAL MEDIA PAGES AND NEWSLETTER

Tickets available for purchase from Monday 8th April

[WWW.EVENTBRITE.COM.AU/E/](http://WWW.EVENTBRITE.COM.AU/E/)

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## PRC Suggestions: Available in our School Library

Week 9

- K-2:** 'The Gobbledygook is eating a book' by J Clarke & A Baysting  
'Florette' by Anna Walker
- 3-4:** 'The Waterhole' by Graeme Base  
'Horrendo's Curse' by Anna Fienberg
- 5-6:** 'Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone' by J.K. Rowling  
'A Series of Unfortunate Events' by Lemony Snicket



Kind Regards,  
Madison Auld

Book Club & Premier's Reading Challenge Coordinator

## Have you downloaded our free School App?

Details

Easily access all newsletters, reminders, notes and receive emergency alerts.

### SUBSCRIBE FOR EMAIL UPDATES

1. Visit our website at [www.telegrappt-p.schools.nsw.edu.au](http://www.telegrappt-p.schools.nsw.edu.au)
2. Click the "Newsletters and Notes" heading (top menu)
3. Click on "Subscribe to receive newsletters and notes"
4. Under the "Subscribe" heading, tick the "Newsletters List" and the appropriate year list for your child/children
5. Enter in your name and email address
6. Click Subscribe
7. IMPORTANT: An email will be sent to your email address. You MUST click the "Activate Now" inside the email that is sent to you

### GET SCHOOL NEWS VIA THE APP

1. Download the app called "School ENews" and open and search for "Telegraph"
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  - iPad app: <http://ipad.schoolenews.com.au>
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  - All other phones: <http://webapp.schoolenews.com.au>





## P&C Meeting

Save the date: **Monday 8th April** (note: date changed from April 1<sup>st</sup>).

### EASTER EGG RAFFLE

Thank you for the Easter Egg donations so far. Please drop off any Easter Eggs or Easter themed items to the front office by **Tuesday 9th April**.

Raffle tickets have been sent home and also need to be returned (including any unsold tickets) by **Tuesday 9th April**.

Thank you for your support.



### AGENDA

#### TELEGRAPH POINT PUBLIC SCHOOL P & C ASSOCIATION

#### GENERAL MEETING – MONDAY 8 APRIL 2019

To Be Held At: Telegraph Point Public School Library

Starting Time: 6.00pm



1. Vice President's welcome and opening remarks
2. Apologies
3. Minutes of the previous General Meeting
4. Business arising from the minutes
5. Correspondence
6. Business arising from the correspondence
7. Reports
  - President's report
  - Treasurer's report
  - Canteen Co-Ordinator's report
  - Uniform Co-Ordinator's report
  - Social Media Co-Ordinator's report
  - Principal's report
8. Filling of casual vacancy  
Ballot to fill the casual vacancy of President by current vice President, Mary Cas
9. General Business
  - Country Fair date
  - Update on soccer posts
  - Mother's day stall
  - Proposed school disco
10. Date of next meeting
11. Close



# Drawn to Art

## APRIL 2019 SCHOOL HOLIDAY ART WORKSHOPS

with Art Teacher/Artist, Jane Whitfield. BA Fine Arts

### Everything you need to know

**Where:** Jane's NEW Art Studio  
21 Richwood Ridge, Crestwood Heights (off Crestwood Drive)

**Please Bring:** Snack, drink, paint shirt

**Tutor Supplies:** All materials, except where specified

**Cost per Workshop:** \$30.00 p.p.

**Contact/Bookings:** 0438 803 992  Drawn to Art

**Terms & Conditions:** Bookings before Thursday, 7th April please.  
\*\* WORKSHOPS MUST BE PAID WITHIN 24HRS OF BOOKING BY DIRECT DEPOSIT ONLY\*\*

Newcastle Permanent Building Society BSB: 650 300 Acct No: 500373508  
 Please confirm payment by photo message.  
\*\*Would you please use your CHILD'S NAME as a Reference on your deposit\*\*

Your child will not be able to attend classes unless they have paid. Payments are non-refundable or transferable as materials for the workshops are purchased for each student prior to the commencement of each workshop, and are included in the cost.

### Workshops 1 & 2 - Colourful Ink Landscapes

Monday 15th April, 2019  
10.00 am - 12.00 pm Cost:\$30 (includes materials & tutoring)  
2.00 pm - 4.00 pm Cost:\$30 (includes materials & tutoring)

Come along to this fun workshop and experiment with new acrylic inks and watercolours to create your very own vibrant landscape.




**PTO FOR MORE AVAILABLE WORKSHOPS**

### Workshops 3 & 4 - Tropical Fish Straw Art

Tuesday, 16th April, 2019  
10.00 am - 12.00 pm Cost:\$30 (includes materials & tutoring)  
2.00 pm - 4.00 pm Cost:\$30 (includes materials & tutoring)


Paint a colourful tropical fish using tempera paints and learn how to create effective straw effects on canvas paper.



### Workshops 5 & 6 - Forest Animal Pastel Art

Wednesday, 17th April, 2019  
10.00 am - 12.00 pm Cost:\$30 (includes materials & tutoring)  
2.00 pm - 4.00 pm Cost:\$30 (includes materials & tutoring)


Using black drawing paper, students will draw a forest animal of their choice with oil and chalk pastels. Discover how to draw texture, tone and animal fur.



### Workshops 7 & 8 - Design Illustrations

Monday, 22nd April, 2019  
10.00 am - 12.00 pm Cost:\$30 (includes materials & tutoring)  
2.00 pm - 4.00 pm Cost:\$30 (includes materials & tutoring)


Bring a photo of your favourite place and turn it into a detailed colourful illustration on paper.



### Workshops 9 & 10 - Spirit Animal Drawings

Tuesday, 23rd April, 2019  
10.00 am - 12.00 pm Cost:\$30 (includes materials & tutoring)  
2.00 pm - 4.00 pm Cost:\$30 (includes materials & tutoring)


Bring a photo of yourself to this workshop and draw your favourite spirit animal using coloured, lead pencils and Progresso pencils.



### Workshops 11 & 12 - Seal Art

Wednesday, 24th April, 2019  
10.00 am - 12.00 pm Cost:\$30 (includes materials & tutoring)  
2.00 pm - 4.00 pm Cost:\$30 (includes materials & tutoring)

In this exciting workshop we will be painting this cute seal using acrylic, watercolours, inks and texture paste.





# 'Voice of the People'

Taj



Year KW

**Q: What do you want to be when you grow up?**

*A: I want to be a Policeman*

**Q: What is your favorite thing about Kindergarten at Telegraph Point Public School?**

*A: Lego in class*

**Q: If you could turn into any animal, which would you choose?**

*A: A shark because I like sharks*

Leeroy



Year KW

**Q: What do you want to be when you grow up?**

*A: Spiderman*

**Q: What is your favorite thing about Kindergarten at Telegraph Point Public School?**

*A: Soccer*

**Q: If you could turn into any animal, which would you choose?**

*A: A sheep because they're fluffy*

Joshua



Year 1/2C

**Q: If you could add one extra subject to your school day, what would you choose to learn about?**

*A: All about animals*

**Q: If you could do one special thing for the world, what would it be?**

*A: Protect endangered animals*

**Q: Finish this sentence: When I grow up I...**

*A: want to deliver mail for the government.*