

NEWSLETTER

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Term 4, Week 6

19 November 2020

Week	Date	Event	Time
7	Thursday 26 November 2020	Year 1 & 2 Timbertown	All Day
7	Friday 27 November 2020	Superhero Day – Say no to Bullying	All Day
8	November to 2 December 2020 Kindergarten Transition		9.30am to 11am
8	4 December 2020	Surf Education Program	All Day





















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'High achievement always take place in the framework of high expectations'

- Charles Kettering

Principals Desk

As we enter Week 6 we embrace the second half of what has been an extremely dynamic term, typified by the jam-packed week that has just passed at Telegraph Point Public School. Last week was an incredibly busy and significant week in our community as all students in our school recognised and celebrated NAIDOC Week. We enjoyed a huge range of significant activities on Friday which started with our Prime Minister and Deputy Prime Minister of our school, opening NAIDOC day celebrations with Acknowledgement of Country and acknowledging the significance of NAIDOC Day. After the opening address, students participated in a vast range of learning experiences. Our children certainly embraced all elements of learning linked to this year's theme of 'Always Was, Always Will Be'.

Week 5 was also significant for Remembrance Day.

Remembrance Day

Please find below story on Remembrance Day #HVCSProud



https://www.hastingssecondarycollege.com.au/news-and-events/hastings-valley-community-schools-commemorate-remembrance-day

As well as our school leaders (Lily and Hannah) going into Port Macquarie to be part of the scaled down community commemoration of Remembrance Day, the school also marked the occasion with a special assembly run by our Parliamentarians. The children laid poppies they had made themselves at the base of the flag pole. Please find some photos of this assembly below.













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NAIDOC Week

















Kindergarten Transition

This week is also significant for the announcement of the commencement of Kindergarten 2021 Transition during Week 8. Whilst a little shorter this year, we are very excited to have Transition taking place on Monday 30 November, Tuesday 1 December and Wednesday 2 December from 9.30am - 11.00am.

Telegraph Point Public School - Enrolment Boundary

Every NSW Public School has an enrolment boundary to ensure all local students are able to enrol in their local school. The boundary for Telegraph Point Public School can be found using the Department of Education's School Finder site.

All NSW Government schools follow the Department's <u>General Enrolment Procedures which provide</u> information on the entitlements, requirements and procedures to enrol students.

Telegraph Point Public School has reached the school's enrolment buffer, this means we must hold our remaining spaces for local students.

We are currently unable to accept non-local enrolments. Families who do not reside within our boundary are strongly encouraged to visit their local public school for enrolment. All public schools are committed to providing exceptional outcomes for all students.

Kindergarten Enrolments

We are now taking Kindergarten enrolments for the 2020 educational year. If you are intending on enrolling your child next year please contact the school office.

Enrolments can be taken on line. The link to do this is

https://enrol.education.nsw.gov.au/#/?schoolCode=3176&catchmentLevel=primary.

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When you follow the link scroll down a little bit to find the heading *Get started with your application*, then in the *enrolling for* box select 2021 (for kindergarten children starting school in 2021) Calendar Year, and then in the box underneath enter your address. This will bring up a box saying *Apply on Line*. Click that box and then you just complete information as requested.

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.

Superhero Day, Say No To Bullying.

In line with the Governments National Bullying Prevention program, Telegraph Point Public School will hold Superhero Day on Friday 27 November 2020. Superhero Day is to raise awareness about bullying, and the negative impact it has on students. Since children are inspired by their favourite superhero, this is the perfect theme to incorporate into our bullying prevention program. They understand the difference between heroes and villains, which will help teach some important lessons when it comes to bullying. Students are encouraged to dress as their favourite superhero on Friday 27 November.

Birthdays

At this stage no birthday cakes can be brought into the school during the current protocols. Your support with this is appreciated. Some of our families have brought ice blocks etc in, which are individually wrapped and meet protocols.

Uniform Shop

For school uniform needs please call the office and we will organise to get what you need and send it home with your child. Payment should be made, if possible online directly to the P&C account or alternatively by EFTPOS over the phone.

Communication

If you have an issue or concern please contact the classroom teacher, the Assistant Principal or myself. From time to time issues arise at school. This is perfectly normal for any school setting so if you have any questions, issues, enquiries or you want feedback on any aspect of your child's schooling please ring to make a mutually convenient appointment time with your child's teacher, Assistant Principal or myself.

Duncan Adams

Principal

Remembrance Day – by Lily and Hannah

On 11 November 2020, we went to the cenotaph at Town Green to remember the soldiers and the people who passed away harshly during all the wars as part of Remembrance Day commemorations. A wreath was laid down at the base of the cenotaph as a sign of respect. Lots of schools from the Hastings Valley community politely attended and joined us by singing the National Anthem.

We would like to thank Mrs Mavros for driving us there.







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Merit Award Recipients - Term 4 Week 4

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KW	Lucy C	Ryan H	Bjay D	Violet G
1C	Leeroy S	Lincoln A	Connor Q	Lylith W
	Will B	Tex H	Charlotte H	
2J	Tully C	Ellie R	Kobi G	Zack H
3/4H	Brock P	Evie C	Scarlett W	
4/5C				
5/6H	Blake C	Taelor W	Maya C	















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Merit Award Recipients - Term 4 Week 5

KW Evie P Meika T Vivienne M G Zoe C **1C** Lincoln A Connor Q Leeroy S **2**J Kobi G Bonnie-Jean S Neo B 3/4H Evie C Eli J Alannah L Jayce F 4/5C Toby R Montana R 5/6H Blake C Tiger S









Reading Award Recipients - Term 4 Week 4 § 5

50 Nights Reading Thomas K

75 Nights Reading Stella B

125 Nights Reading Taj M

200 Nights Reading Amelia R



EVERY DAY COUNTS....

A day here or there doesn't seem like much, but...

When your child misses just	that equals	which is	and therefore, from Kindy to Year 12, that is	This means that the best your child can achieve is
1 day each fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 ½ a years of school	Equal to finishing Year 11
1 day a week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	Over 2 ½ years of school	Equal to finishing Year 10
2 days a week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	Over 5 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 7
3 days a week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly 8 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 4

Give your child every chance to succeed...

Every day counts!



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'Voice of the People'



Tiger S 5/6H



- Q. If you could tell your younger self something what would it be?
- A. Enjoy it while it lasts.
- Q. What are you going to miss about Primary School?

 A. Mrs White! She's my favourite.
- Q. What are you most looking forward to, going into High School?
- A. New friends and meeting chicks!
- Q. What has been your most memorable moment at Telegraph Point Public School?
- A. The athletics carnivals.
- Q. Where do you see yourself in 10 years' time?
- A. Entrepreneur trading businesses!



- Q. What is one thing you really love doing and why?
- A. Looking for snakes in the bush and watching from a safe distance.
- Q. If you could tell your younger self something what would it be?
- A. Make friends quickly I took 3 years to make friends.
- Q. What are you going to miss about Primary School?
- A. Not much!
- Q. What are you most looking forward to, going into High School?
- A. Reuniting with old mates that went to high school.
- Q. What has been your most memorable moment at Telegraph Point Public School?
- A. The Red Belly Black snake in the quad in Kindy.
- Q. Where do you see yourself in 10 years' time?
- A. My dream job will be breeding snakes!



Jack T 5/6H





Ellyse O 5/6H

Q. What is one thing you really love doing and why?
A. I like to play Oztag!

Q. If you could tell your younger self something what would it be?

A. FOCUS!

Q. What are you going to miss about Primary School?

A. I will miss being in a small school.

Q. What are you most looking forward to going into High School?

A. Nothing.

Q. What has been your most memorable moment at Telegraph Point Public School?

A. The Great Aussie Bush Camp was good.

Q. Where do you see yourself in 10 years' time?

A. At the Billabong zoo working with the Meerkats!





Q. What is one thing you really love doing and why?

A. Gaming – Minecraft and Roblox

Q. If you could tell your younger self some

Q. If you could tell your younger self something what would it be?

A. Work harder and don't be silly.

Q. What are you going to miss about Primary School?

A. I'll miss my friends.

Q. What are you most looking forward to, going into High School?

A. Meeting all those new people.

Q. What has been your most memorable moment at Telegraph Point Public School?

A. Making new friends when I came here a year ago.

Q. Where do you see yourself in 10 years' time?

A. In a 'Gaming Chair' – a professional gamer!



Caleb M 5/6H





Chris M 5/6H



- Q. What is one thing you really love doing and why?
- A. Driving my paddock basher, it's heaps fun!
- Q. If you could tell your younger self something what would it be?
- A. Try harder.
- Q. What are you going to miss about Primary School?
- A. Not a thing.
- Q. What are you most looking forward to going into High School?
- A. All the new teachers there.
- Q. What has been your most memorable moment at Telegraph Point Public School?
- A. My favourite time was when I was in Year 2.
- Q. Where do you see yourself in 10 years' time?
- A. I want to be an excavator operator!



- Q. What is one thing you really love doing and why?
 A. Hanging out with my friends.
- Q. If you could tell your younger self something what would it be?
- A. Don't mess around in class.
- Q. What are you going to miss about Primary School?
- A. I've really liked being a 'Leader'!
- Q. What are you most looking forward to, going into High School?
- A. Being in the Zenith program and learning
- Q. What has been your most memorable moment at Telegraph Point Public School?
- A. Last years' swimming carnival was so much fun!
- Q. Where do you see yourself in 10 years' time?
- A. I'd like to be a Tattoo Artist making heaps of money.



Hannah M 5/6H

VACCINATIONS AT SCHOOL



WHAT TO EXPECT



A nurse will shortly call you over for your vaccinations.

Your nurse will ask you a few questions to confirm your Identity as written on your signed consent form, such as:

- > Your name
- > Date of birth
- > Home address

2 What's next?

Your nurse will then ask you questions about your health:

- > Do you have any allergies or
- in the last 12 months?
- > Are you feeling well today? > And for female students only: Are you pregnant or do you any past reactions to vaccines? think you might be pregnant?

> Have you received any vaccines (This may seem a silly question, be given during pregnancy.)

Your nurse will explain what vaccine/s you will receive today

But does it hurt?

- > What you may feel
- > How best you can relax your arm and
- > Tips on how to distract yourself
- Afterwards you can tell the nurse how it felt

Congratulations - You did it!

- of your vaccination is completed (should only take a minute)
- > Join your class mates sitting quietly in the recovery area for 15 minutes before returning to class
- > Tell a nurse or teacher if you're feeling unwell
- Sit with your nurse while a record > Eat and drink well during the day.
 - > Support your fellow class mates
 - > Give your parent/guardian your Record of Vaccination card
 - > Remember to keep moving your arm/s throughout the day
 - > See you next time!

HEALTH INFORMATION

In most instances, unless you give permission, health workers cannot share your health is other people. For example if we have any concerns about your safety, walfare or wellbox

FOR MORE INFORMATION

