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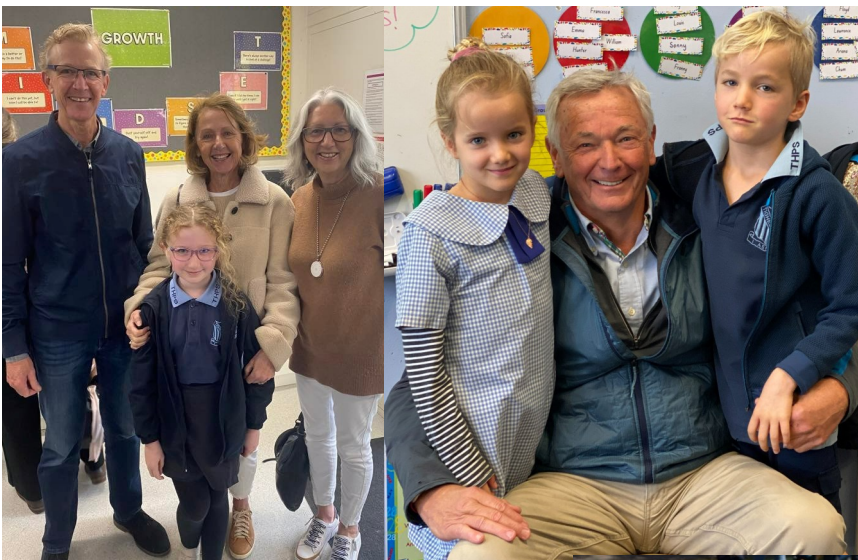
Newsletter No. 12

Term 3 Week 4

10th August 2022

Education Week Celebrations

I would like to thank all the students, parents and staff for making our Education Week celebrations last week such a success. A special mention to all the grandparents who joined us on the day to make it so special – we loved having you here for the day and hope to see you all more regularly. What an amazing showcase of talent that was displayed. Special thanks to Ms Armstrong for your planning and organisation of this event.



Dates for the Diary

Wednesday 10th August

ICAS Writing

Thursday 11th August

ICAS Digital Technologies

Friday 12th August

Zone Athletics

Tuesday 16th August

Stage 3 Zone Public Speaking

Bright Sparks: Year 7 2023

CCWTC Aspire class transition

Wednesday 17th August

SRC's Pyjama Day!

Stage 1 Zone Public Speaking

ICAS English

Thursday 18th August

Stage 3 Chess event

Stage 2 Zone Public Speaking

Monday 22nd August

ICAS Spelling

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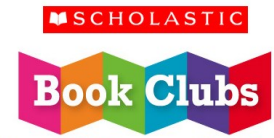
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Education Week - Grandparents' Day



Book Club Orders

Issue 5 orders arriving soon!



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NO PEANUTS OR NUT PRODUCTS

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Assemblies

Our assemblies will be held Mondays at 2pm in the upper hall.

Years 3-6 Primary: odd weeks

K-2: even weeks

Whole School Recognition assembly Wk10



Next meeting...

Monday 5th September at 6pm

School News

Good luck to all students who will represent Tighes Hill PS at the Zone Athletics Carnival this Friday. We are extremely proud of you. Well done!

Merit award recipients: Weeks 2 & 3

KD	Jackson, Giuliano, Albert and Poppy
KH	Curtis, Charlie, Georgia and Sierra
1C	Sofia, Alexandra, Francesca and William
1I	Aria, Joe, Jonah and Dylan
2RW	Bianca, Evie, Harlan and Archer
2SW	Quinn, Helena, Cooper and Jarvis
3E	Agnes, Eve, Django and Bentley
3N	Hugh, GG, David and Phoebe
4S	Grace, Ollie and Eyla
5MS	Max T, Luke, Tyler and Liam
5/6O	Peter, Luke G, Tobias and Rama
6B	Ethan, Willow, Archie L and Charlie
5/6AOC	Liz, Linh, Orli and Chelsea

Congratulations to all our children and staff.

Tony Selwood
Principal

Positive wellbeing
message
Weeks 3 & 4



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Sentral App



Please see our office staff if you are unable to access or use our school app

Chess Coaching
is back!
See Ms Armstrong for more details



School News

Kindergarten Enrolments for 2023

To enable us to correctly estimate enrolments and staff the school accordingly for 2023, I need all parents enrolling children K-6 to complete enrolment forms and leave their details at the office. Please let me know of any neighbours and friends, who may not have children already at this school but will have school age children for 2023, so we can then contact them and include them on our numbers for next year.

Head lice

Head lice have been problematic in the past few months. Please take the opportunity to treat your child's hair and remember to retreat after 7 days as lice have a 5-7 day cycle and if you miss even one egg you will find that re-infestation occurs very quickly.

Office Times

The school office opens at 8.30am each morning and closes at 3.15pm. Outside of these operating hours the office cannot process financial activities or administer first aid treatment in the sick bay. Those families staying onsite after the school day has finished take full responsibility for their children's wellbeing and safety. Access to the sick bay outside of the office operating hours is not permitted. Thank you for supporting the school with this endeavor.

PEANUTS/Anaphylactic reaction reminder

The number of children at Tighes Hill Public School with allergies to different food products and substances is growing. At this school we have students with severe (life threatening) reactions to peanuts and all tree nuts enrolled. To maximize the wellbeing and safety for all students, parents are asked not to pack peanut butter sandwiches or nut products for your children and to make sure that you are vigilant in reading labels of all pre-packaged foods. Please let's work together to provide a safe environment for all students.

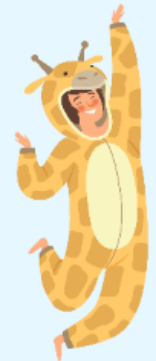
Year 5/6 Canberra excursion

Our 3 day excursion to Canberra is fast approaching! Thank you to all the families who have returned their permission notes and paid in full. The total cost of the excursion is \$380 per student, which is a reduced amount thanks to the PACER subsidy. Please ensure you've finalised your payment at the office ASAP. All the information about our excursion, including the itinerary and what to bring, can be found in the Sentral for Parents app in the Resources section.

Pyjama Day - next Wednesday 17th August!



PYJAMA DAY!



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TO DONATE AND SUPPORT
OUR GIRL, ROXY!



zzz



**WEDNESDAY
17TH AUGUST
WEEK 5**



<https://fundraise.campquality.org.au/fundraisers/teamRoxy>

Save the Date for the Book Parade: Friday 9th September

BOOK WEEK 2022

Save the date and get your costumes ready!

Our Book Fair will be set up in the library with lots of amazing books to purchase

Shared lunch, parade, prizes for best dressed and performances from K-2 students

All the fun begins at 12.20pm!



Write a Book in a Day!

The OC are excited to be taking part in Write a Book in a Day! Our student teams have 12 hours to write, illustrate and publish a book which is then shared with hospitals around Australia for families and children undergoing cancer treatment. All money raised goes towards much needed childhood cancer research through The Kids' Cancer Project. Each team needs to raise a minimum of \$240. Click on the team name links below for the sponsorship page for each team.



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The Year 5/6 Fair is back!



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YEAR 5-6 FAIR FRIDAY 16TH SEPTEMBER

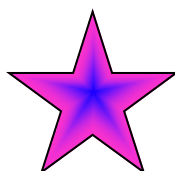
Students in years 5 and 6 are busy planning our
2022 Year 5/6 Fair for Friday 16th September,
which is our major fundraising event for the year and a fun day for all
students to take part in.

We've missed the Fair these last few years, so can't wait for all the fun with
lots of exciting stalls being organised by our creative senior students for our
younger students to enjoy.

All children wishing to purchase from the various stalls are asked to bring in
their money prior to the Fair as no money will be used on the day at any of
the stalls. Children will be given tokens (Fair money) in exchange for their money
which will then be used to make purchases at the stalls. Money will be collected
from classes by student leaders every day leading up to the Fair.

You can help make this day a success by donating cakes, lollies, drinks,
pizza ingredients, ice cream cones and any bits and pieces for trash and
treasure. Any donations can be brought to the upper hall.

Don't forget - Fair day is also a mufti day! You can wear out of uniform,
comfortable clothing and closed-in shoes.





Term 3 - Calendar 2022

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3	1/8 Chess Coaching Junior Band Y3-6 assembly 2pm P&C meeting 6pm	2/8 Scripture/Ethics Creative Writing Workshop Year 6 Debating	3/8 Senior Choir Creative Club Education Week Celebrations: Grandparents' Day	4/8 Newspaper meeting 8.15am Junior Choir St3 Australian Maths Competition Stage 3 Sport	5/8 Band K-2 Gymnastics St2 Australian Maths Competition
4	8/8 Chess Coaching Junior Band K-2 assembly 2.15pm	9/8 Scripture/Ethics Creative Writing Workshop PSSA Basketball	10/8 Senior Choir Creative Club ICAS Writing	11/8 Newspaper meeting 8.15am Junior Choir ICAS Digital Tech Stage 3 Sport	12/8 Band K-2 Gymnastics Zone Athletics
5	15/8 Chess Coaching Junior Band Y3-6 assembly 2pm	16/8 Scripture/Ethics Creative Writing Workshop Brights Sparks 2023 HS transition St3 Zone Public Speaking	17/8 Senior Choir Creative Club ICAS English SRC: Pyjama Day St1 Zone Public Speaking	18/8 Newspaper meeting 8.15am Junior Choir Stage 3 Sport Stage 3 Chess teams event St2 Zone Public Speaking	19/8 Band K-2 Gymnastics
6	22/8 Chess Coaching Junior Band ICAS Spelling Bee K-2 assembly 2.15pm	23/8 Scripture/Ethics Creative Writing Workshop	24/8 Senior Choir Creative Club	25/8 Newspaper meeting 8.15am Junior Choir Stage 3 Sport	26/8 Band K-2 Gymnastics ICAS Science St3 Zone Public OC Chess semi-finals
7	29/8 Chess Coaching Junior Band Y3-6 assembly 2pm ICAS Maths	30/8 Scripture/Ethics Creative Writing Workshop	31/8 Senior Choir Creative Club	1/9 Newspaper meeting 8.15am Junior Choir Indigenous Literacy Day OC: Write a Book in a Day! 8am-8pm	2/9 Band K-2 Gymnastics
8	5/9 Book Week begins! Chess Coaching Junior Band Stage 1/2 Chess event K-2 assembly 2.15pm P&C meeting 6pm	6/9 Scripture/Ethics Creative Writing Workshop K-2 Murook excursion	7/9 Senior Choir Creative Club Stage 2 TreeTops excursion	8/9 Newspaper meeting 8.15am Junior Choir Stage 3 Sport	9/9 Band Book Week Parade!
9	12/9 Chess Coaching Junior Band Y3-6 assembly 2pm	13/9 Scripture/Ethics Creative Writing Workshop	14/9 Senior Choir OC excursion: Science & Engineering Challenge	15/9 Newspaper meeting 8.15am Junior Choir Stage 3 Sport	16/9 Band Year 5/6 Fair!
10	19/9 Chess Coaching Junior Band Recognition assembly 2pm	20/9 Scripture/Ethics	21/9 Stage 3 Canberra excursion	22/9 Stage 3 Canberra excursion	23/9 Band Stage 3 Canberra excursion K-2 Gymnastics Last day of term 3!





Let's work together on our new attendance mantra:
Missing school is missing out!


Well done, THPS students and families. It's great to see so many happy, smiling faces at school each and every day ready to learn and play.

Attendance and punctuality:
Where does your child sit on the attendance ladder?



Every Day Counts





EVERY DAY COUNTS....

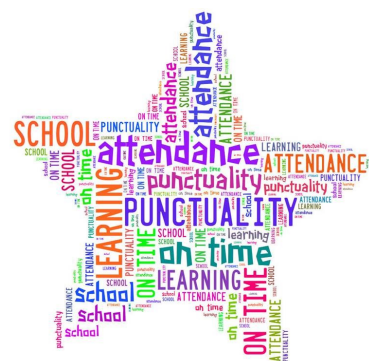
A day here or there doesn't seem like much, but...

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!

Monday
 Tuesday
 Wednesday
 Thursday
 Friday



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FETE '22

HOLA
FRIDAY 28TH OCTOBER
4PM-8PM

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VISIT **THPS FIESTA FETE '22**

CALLING FOR CLASS STALL LEADERS!
Wanted 5/60C

WE'RE LOOKING FOR 5/60C FAMILIES TO LEAD A STALL!

At the fete, each class will be running a stall organised and run by, our families. You are not alone in this role, you will work with our stalls team who will assist you all the way. So far we have some wonderful stall ideas... bracelets, books, hair braiding, flower crowns, lollipop trees, corn on the cob, plants, nachos, cake pops, cakes and bottle stall!

THANK YOU...
This event could not happen without the support of you, our wonderful families!

BECOME A CLASS STALL LEADER! CONTACT thps.pnc@gmail.com

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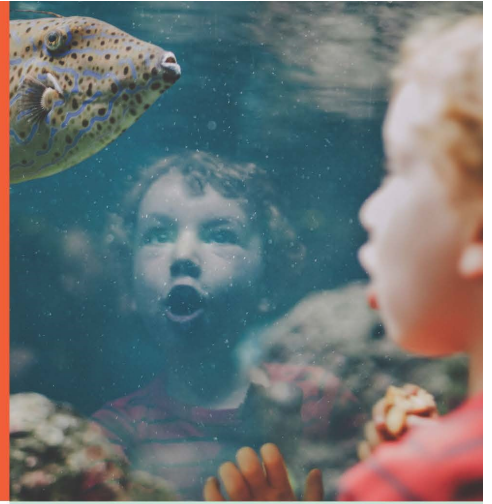


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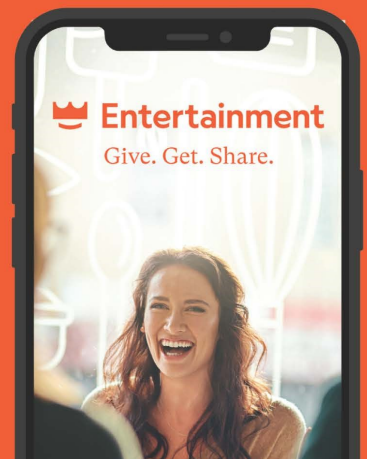


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 Tuesday Evenings
 Starts 6th September
 10 Rounds
 Boys and Girls competitions
 Under 7's
 Under 9's
 Under 11's
 Under 13's
 Under 15's

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Screen time and physical play

Movement and play are important for kids development



Choose small screen games and Apps that reduce kids sitting time and encourage physical activity.

-  Choose videos, games or Apps that get your kids moving e.g. dancing, sports, yoga. Join in using the App or game with your kids
-  Plan a walk using a digital map. Take photos of interesting things along the way
-  Video your kids learning a new skill e.g. hopping, a new skateboard trick. Replay the video to track their progress over time
-  Be a role model! Show your kids how to track their physical activity. Talk about how being active is fun & feels great! Show them how far you walked or swam last week!

Source: Screen time & physical activity, kids|Raising Children Network: <https://raisingchildren.net.au/school-age/playing-media-technology/screen-time/healthy-screen-use/screen-time-physical-activity>



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