



## Principal's Message

Dear Parents and Carers

We are looking forward to celebrating Harmony Day tomorrow in various ways around the school.

K-2 students are encouraged to wear orange or their national dress. Years 3-6 will be in normal school uniform and will complete activities in class.

The whole school completed activities about anti bullying last Friday as part of the National Day against Bullying. The children are very aware of what bullying is and they have many strategies to counter it should they ever experience it. They also know that they can tell a teacher or trusted adult if they are feeling they are being bullied.

Letters will come home very soon regarding parent teacher interviews for Term 1. This is a progress report and is anticipated to take around ten minutes. If you are in constant contact with the teacher I would suggest you maybe don't need to come at this time and you may like to schedule a meeting for Term 2. The meetings commence in Week 9 for Kindergarten and in weeks 10-11 for Years 1-6.

Please read the letter carefully. It will give available times and for shared classes the teacher that will be available on certain days.

Congratulations to the relay swimmers who received their belated ribbons yesterday. I was at a meeting in the city so sadly missed the presentation.

We are having issues with parking and collection at Kiss and Drop. **Please do not park in the school driveway in the cul-de-sac in Satterley Ave. This is an emergency exit and is not a car space.** The council ranger will be on patrol over the next months and will fine any drivers parked illegally. Parents must not leave their cars at Kiss and Drop and must wait for the teacher on duty to arrive to supervise the exit of children. The teacher will arrive straight after the bell and if they are the duty teacher they will not be available for a quick chat after school. I do apologise I know we have had some late arrivals to kiss and drop of late and we will be much more diligent with this.

The annual Easter Egg Hunt and craft activities are on this Saturday in the school hall and grounds. Please see the message from the P&C regarding this.

Our last Operation Art session for Year 6 was on Monday with 10 Year 6 students enjoying a very creative day. Thank you to Mrs Plasto for all of her planning and organisation of the sessions this year.

The Easter Service will be held in the hall for all students who attend Scripture. It will commence at 10 am. The children always look forward to having all the classes together for this service. Thank you to our Scripture teachers for their preparation.

A number of teachers will be attending further training to support our positive behaviour for learning program in the school. We will be training on Monday and Tuesday of next week and look forward to further

## Planning Ahead...

Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> March	- Harmony Day K-2
Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> March	- Scripture Service 10 am School Hall
Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> March	- Living Worlds Incursion Yrs 1 & 2
Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> March	- Good Friday
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April	- Easter Monday
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April	- Swim School Commences – Yr 2

strengthening our approach to positive behaviours in the school. We are very lucky to have minimal issues in the school and our hope is to further reduce these as a result.

Have a great week. Next week and Week 10 are short weeks for us and a much needed little break for our students especially Kindergarten who are doing so well.

**Margaret Foott**  
Principal

### Office

A reminder that statements will be going out over the next week, you can either pay by POP, (Parent online Payment) EFTPOS, cash or cheque. Any problems please call the office.

We have had a mobile phone handed into the office last Thursday afternoon. Please pop in and see us if you think this could be yours.

Thank you.

### P & C News

We have scheduled the first of 2018's P and C social events.

Please join us for the annual Easter Egg hunt and craft in the School hall on Saturday 24 March at 2:30pm. The cost is only \$5 per family. Please book using our try booking site or <https://www.trybooking.com/363890>

The kids always have a wonderful hour or two, so please join us.

Regards,  
**Briony Foster**  
P and C President

### K-2 Harmony Day Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> March



Harmony Day is a day of cultural respect for everyone who calls Australia home – from the traditional owners of this land to those who have come from many countries around the world. By participating in Harmony Day activities, we can learn and understand how all Australians from diverse backgrounds equally belong to this nation and enrich it. Read more at <https://www.harmony.gov.au/>

Please wear orange or your National Dress.

Orange is the colour chosen to represent Harmony Day. Traditionally, orange signifies social communication and meaningful conversations. It also relates to the freedom of ideas and encouragement of mutual respect.

### Achievement Awards: Years K-2

K Blue	Isaac Morris, Gemma Selby
K Yellow	Xavier Clutterham, Claudia Dean
K Red	Charlie Simont, Harriet Granger
K Green	Charlie Terzian, Lili Bayl
1L	Macy Whitehouse, Riley Chan
1H	Claire Payne, Archie Kroie
1S	William Ogilvy, Cerys Easton
2G	Rachel Padina, Eddie Wang, Hannah Warring, Emily Bounds
2M	Charlotte Kulmar, Ava Eke

### Sports Awards: Years K-2

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K Blue	Lula Morris
K Yellow	Xavier Clutterham
K Red	Joshua Smorenborg
K Green	Annabel Penna, Marylisa Mc Dermott
1L	Mia Lam, Jade Wilson
1H	Connor Bateman, Archie Kroie
1S	Oscar Machhaus, Annabelle Eldridge
2W	Zia Verster
2G	Xavier Winet
2M	Sigmund Bilyk

### Chess

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Representing Turramurra Public School, Makan Wang from IL achieved 4th place in a chess tournament for the 18 years and under age group on 18/03/18. The tournament was held by Sydney Academy of Chess.



Well Done Makan

### Achievement Awards: Years 3-6

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#### Week 6

4S	Stella Boyle, James Brown
5H	Leah Allan, Stephen Szentkuti
5S	Olivia Carson, Alex Chan, Isla Denne, Daniel Terzian
5/6D	Holly Welch, Ritesh Saini
6J	Charlotte Wass, Joshua Clayton

#### Week 7

4S	Lulu Bell Cooper Eagling
5H	Dexter Morris, Kiara Bouteloup
6J	Rory Shearer, Danny Rosen
6P	Tana O'Neill, Ben Howard, Abby Simpson, Jack Broadbent

### Canteen

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This week's helpers are:

**Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> March:**  
Simone McNaught & Elle Morris

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March:**  
Pushpa Kohli, Skye Cornish and Di Wilde

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> March:**  
Martine May, Vanessa Bosnich, Lydia Lucs  
and Joy

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> March:**  
Nat Fiander and Denise Sheldrick.

Have a great week.

**Liz**

### Banking News

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Congratulations to our lucky prize winners this week. K-2 winner is Harry Brown in 2M and our 3-6 winner is Lia Van Wyk in 4M.

Thank you

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## TPS Mother's Day Stall - Friday 11 May 2018



We are holding a Mother's Day stall at school for the students to select a special gift for their mum, grandmother or other special lady in their life.

**Total cost is \$7.00 per child – due Wednesday 4 April.**

**Payment options: 1. Return the below completed slip with the full amount and place in the P&C Box in the office or**

**2. Online ordering will be also be available shortly at [www.flexischools.com.au](http://www.flexischools.com.au)**

**Money is not required at the stall.**

NOTE: If you do not wish to participate, please select 'NO' below and enter child/children's details and ensure they are aware. This should reduce the number of reminder emails received as well as keeping misunderstandings to a minimum.



### Mother's Day Stall – Friday 11 May 2018

Opt in (please circle)      Yes      No

1<sup>st</sup> Child's Name:.....Class:.....\$7

2<sup>nd</sup> Child's Name:.....Class:.....\$7

3<sup>rd</sup> Child's Name:.....Class:.....\$7

4<sup>th</sup> Child's Name:.....Class:.....\$7

I enclose \$.....

**Payment: cash or cheque. Please make cheques payable to TPS P&C.**

Signed:.....

Date.....