

Trevallyn Primary School

TOPICS II

4 May 2018

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday 8 May

Prep - Grade 2 Assembly
2:10pm - Multi Purpose Room

Wednesday 9 & Thursday 10 May

Kinder Mother's Day Stall

Friday 11 May

Mother's Day Breakfast
7:30am - 8:45am Max Fry Hall

Mother's Day Stall

8:30am - 12:00pm Multi Purpose Room

Friday 11 May

LSSSA State Athletics Carnival
St Leonards Athletics Centre

Tuesday 15 May

Grade 3 - Grade 6 Assembly
2:10pm - Multi Purpose Room

Tuesday 15 - Thursday 17 May

NAPLAN Grade 3 and 5

Tuesday 22 May

Trevallyn Cross Country Grades 3 - 6

2018 TERM DATES

Term 1

Wednesday 7 February - Thursday 12 April

Easter Break

Friday 30 March - Tuesday 3 April

Term 2

Monday 30 April - Friday 6 July

Term 3

Tuesday 24 July - Friday 28 September

Term 4

Monday 15 October - Thursday 20 December

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Welcome back to the first TOPICS of Term 2.

It is a joy to be back with students, parents and staff. I am feeling very healthy, motivated and revitalised. Thank you to everyone for the warm welcome back I have received. I went home on Monday afternoon with a warm and appreciative heart. The Term 1 outcomes and achievements are very impressive. I have returned to a very happy and, orderly school. I am highly appreciative of the leadership of all staff and senior staff, but in particular Ms Jane Hudson, Mrs Amanda Bird, Mrs Rachel Brown and Mrs Lyn Steel.

We are delighted to welcome the following students and their family members to our school family: Agamjot and Armand .

Thank you to those who participated in the ANZAC Day March. TPS was well represented by 32 people and we were able to lay our wreath on behalf of our school community at the service.

Cross Country is a feature of this term as is mid-year reporting to parents, Readers' Cup and Grade 3-6 Swimming Orientation. Next week Grade 3 and 5 students will complete NAPLAN testing.

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2018 PREMIER'S READING CHALLENGE



Trevallyn Primary School Students are getting behind the 2018 Premier's Reading Challenge to promote reading and literacy across the school!

The Premier's Reading Challenge (PRC) challenges students from Prep to Year 6 to read 10 books in 10 weeks and can be integrated with existing classroom reading programs.

This year, the Challenge begins on Monday 9 April and ends on Friday 15 June 2018.

By encouraging children to read, the Challenge aims to:

- Inspire children and young people to love books and reading
- Raise parent and community awareness about how important reading is as a life skill
- Encourage families and parents to read with their children every day

It's not a competition, but a challenge to each child to read, to read more and to read more widely, regardless of their current reading level.

[For Parents - encourage a life-long love of reading.](#)

The Premier's Reading Challenge encourages your child to read 10 books in 10 weeks:

- Sign your child's PRC reading log for the first 10 books they read during the Challenge.
- Make sure your child shows their log book to their teacher regularly during the Challenge and especially after they read their first 10 books. They must return their log book to their teacher by Friday 22 June to ensure they receive a certificate signed by the Premier and a prize pack.
- Take up the Challenge to read and explore books together.

ANZAC DAY - 25 APRIL



LEARNING ABOUT NUMBERS IN THE EARLY YEARS OF SCHOOL

Learning numbers is arguably the most important strand of Mathematics, as an understanding of number underpins all mathematics through the rest of school and throughout life. For this reason, developing strong understanding of the number system is a priority in the early years of learning.

During the next few weeks we will look at early counting skills and learning place value.

Place Value

An understanding of place value is essential to being able to work with mathematics at even the simplest level. Place value simply means that the value of a digit is different depending on where the digit is in the number.

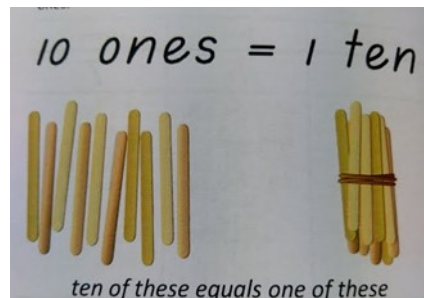
For example look at the 5 in each of these numbers:

57 and 35

In 57, the 5 is actually a 5 in the tens place and so it represents 5 tens or 50. In the second number, the 5 is in the ones place and so represents 5 ones or 5. Place value charts help students to work with numbers while they are developing this understanding and are often used in conjunction with concrete materials.

Regrouping

One of the important skills children learn at school around place value is that of re-grouping. Children will spend a lot of hands on time looking at the relationship between tens and ones.



MYTERN (TAKE EMOTIONAL RESPONSIBILITY NOW)

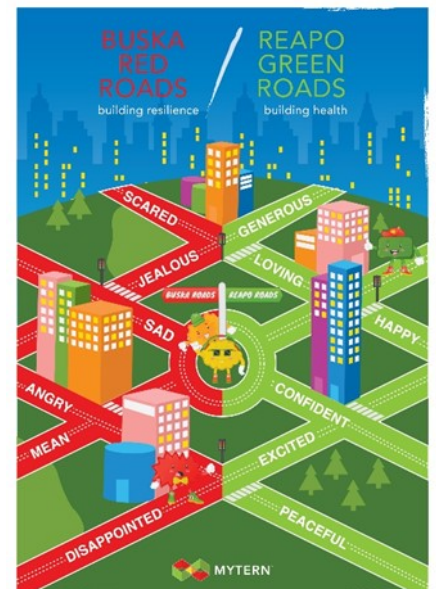
MYTERN is a powerful communal language that helps students, staff, parents, carers and grandparents handle the daily stresses of life. The effect of minor stresses such as an argument with a friend, a nasty look or nasty word, lower test results than anticipated, not looking good, or not being chosen for a team, can easily go unnoticed, resulting in the development of more serious problems.

We cannot eradicate the daily stresses of life. Therefore, MYTERN combined with other strategies that we already have in place, will strengthen our community's ability to handle these everyday stressors.

MYTERN focuses on creating emotional intelligence, health and resilience, helping all of us deal with everyday situations (be they positive or negative) in a realistic and practical manner. Like reading and writing, this skill is acquired through daily practice, and is just as essential a skill to master as literacy and numeracy.

That is why it is so important that the language of MYTERN is practised both at school and at home. To help us facilitate this at home, we recommend that you also download the MYTERN App which will not only help embed the language into your vocab, but also assist in applying the skill daily as the app delivers a message from Monday to Friday at random times within the hours of your choice.

We will also be providing a weekly/fortnightly post, educating our community on what MYTERN is and how we can embed the language in our everyday experiences.

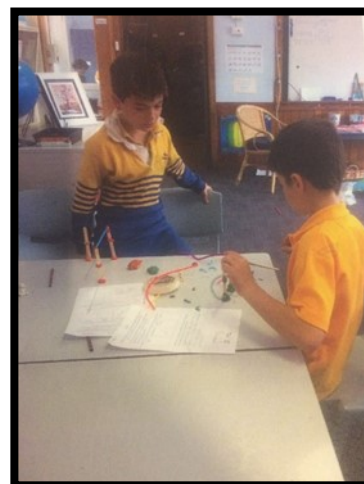


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2018

Grade 3 has been a wonderful experience for all of us.

We had a very busy Term 1 and Term 2 looks to be even busier. We all aim to do our very best, support and care for each other. Enjoy the photos of some of our experiences so far. Brixhibition, STEM, athletics carnival, excursion to the Town Hall and class work.



School Banking 2018 is off to a super start.



This year's School Banking Super Savers adventure is well underway, giving children an engaging way to learn good saving habits that will last a lifetime. Check out the latest rewards below to encourage super saving behaviour from students in Term 2.

If you'd like to find out more about School Banking, or if you'd like to explore fun activity sheets for your child, visit commbank.com.au/schoolbanking

New Super Savers reward items.

To encourage regular saving behaviour, children can redeem a reward after they've made 10 School Banking deposits. There are two new reward items available in Term 2 (while stocks last):

- Sparkle Glitter Pens
- Glow Light



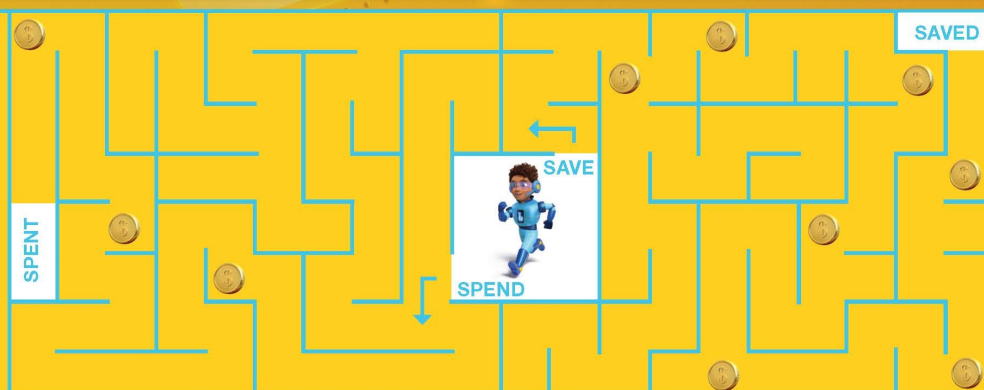
Good saving habits support your school.

Your school will receive \$5 for every 10 School Banking deposits made per student.

This Regular Savers Contribution can be used for new school resources like learning materials, such as books and sports equipment, or other school fundraising needs.

Activity.

Lucas received \$10 for his birthday. Help Lucas through the maze and count the \$1 coins to find out how much of his birthday money he spent and saved along the way.



4 - JM EXTENDING THEIR SKILLS IN THE STEM ROOM



UTAS STUDENTS

During Term 2 we will be welcoming the following UTAS students to Trevallyn Primary School to undertake a number of structured classroom observation sessions with a designated colleague teacher.

We hope they have an enjoyable time working with the staff and students.

The placement details are as follows;

Aimee Costain-Cooper - working with 3-Rodrigues

Connor Smythe - working with 3-4 Claxton

MOTHER'S DAY STALL

The Mother's Day Stall will be available on Wednesday and Thursdays for Kinder students and Friday for all other grades during class time. Students are asked to bring no more than \$5.00 to purchase a gift.

TASTE THANK YOU



In our thank you article last term – we inadvertently missed one of our major supporters.

The team at Lister Electrics offered their time and assistance to us with our substantial electrical requirements. We are truly grateful for their assistance and time on the day.

Also thank you to Brian Dunham, Oscar Purtell, Will Elliott, the House of Bounce, Tassie Sweet & Savoury Stix, Candy Jar Confectionery and Kath & Eric Collins for their support of our event.

Many people have been asking for a money raised figure – with money still coming in we are looking at a total around \$15,000 raised on the night. Thank you all so much for supporting us and we look forward to putting on another successful "Taste" next year.

Taste of Trevallyn Committee

SCHOLASTIC BOOK CLUB

Issue 3 brochures for Scholastic Book Club have been sent home with students this week.

Orders must be processed online via LOOP or order forms and payment returned to the School Office with the child's name and class on an envelope/snap lock bag by **Monday 14 May.**

NO LATE ORDERS WILL BE ACCEPTED.

If you are paying by cheque or money order, please make it payable to Scholastic Australia Pty Ltd. (not Trevallyn Primary School).

If you are paying by cash, please make sure that you have the correct amount of money enclosed in the sealed envelope/snap lock bag – we cannot give change or be responsible for lost money.

TREVALLYN CRICKET CLUB - PARKING

Trevallyn Park wish to advise that parking at Trevallyn Cricket Club carpark will be limited on Monday 14 and Tuesday 15 May due to redevelopment.

40+ Contemporary Dining Offers!	 \$45 value	 \$40 value	 \$40 value	 \$50 value	 \$55 value	 \$35 value and many more..
100+ Casual Dining Offers!	 \$30 value	 \$20 value	 \$35 value	 \$30 value	 \$25 value	 \$20 value and many more..
115+ Takeaway and Attraction Offers!	 25% off	 2 for 1	 25% off	 2 for 1	 25% off	 2 for 1 and many more..
2,000+ Retail and Travel Offers!						

Up to 50% off Retail, Travel, Leisure and Accommodation

TREVALLYN 5/6 SPORT—FRIDAY 11 MAY 2018

Hockey Bye with Mr Partridge

Netball vs Summerdale @ Summerdale with Mrs Bransden

Soccer vs Glen Dhu @ Glen Dhu with Mr O'Brien

Football vs East Launceston @ East Launceston with Mr Ralph

Bootcamp @ Royal Park with Mrs Price

COMMUNITY NEWS

Enchanted Evening - Tailrace Centre

Dates: 11 May 6:30pm & 12 May 10:30am

Tailrace Centre on: 03 6327 4538 or info@tailrace.com.au

Hockey Tasmania

Mini Games - Friday Nights 5-6pm (11 May - 29 June)

Contact tbarry@hockeytasmanian.com.au or

www.hockeytasmania.com.au

7:30am-8:45am

FRIDAY
MAY
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Mother's
Day
BREAKFAST

\$5
per person

PAYMENT
REQUIRED
WITH
FORM

Bring your Mum/Grandma/Nanna/or older sibling to school and celebrate all things Mum!

Breakfast will be available in the Max Fry Hall from 7.30am. For \$5 per person, your choice will include -

☐ Roasted tomato, herb infused mushrooms and parmesan frittata served with bacon & tomato relish;

☐ Tasmanian yoghurt served with fresh fruit salad & granola.

(Indicate the number of serves for preferred breakfast.)

All breakfasts come with a choice of juice, hot chocolate, tea or coffee.

Payment is required when you return this form.

RSVP by Tuesday 8 May.

Family Name: _____

Number of people attending: _____

PLEASE
DONATE
TO THE
STALL

MOTHERS DAY STALL - We will also be holding a stall during school hours and your children will have a chance to purchase gifts. We are asking for any items suitable for the stall to be donated. These items can be left at the school office prior to the day. The same rules as usual apply - no nut products or second hand items! Thank you!



Trevallyn Primary School

UNIFORM OPENING HOURS

Monday afternoons 2:30pm – 3:30pm and
Tuesday mornings 8:30am– 9:30am

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