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Taree Public School Newsletter

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Bilinga Term 3 - Week 10 Monday 24th September 2018

TERM 3 IMPORTANT DATES

Week 10

Friday 28th September

LAST DAY TERM 3

Assembly @ 2.30pm

TERM 4

Week 1

Monday 15th October

FIRST DAY TERM 4

Friday 19th October

Touch Football Gala Day

Week 2

Friday 26th October

Netball Gala Day

Week 3

Monday 29th October

Grandparents Day

REMINDERS:

EARLY ARRIVERS

We have a number of students arriving to school before 8.40am with some arriving as early as before 8.00am.

It is unsafe for your child to be here unsupervised so please don't drop them off prior to 8.40am.

SCHOOL BELL TIMES

8.40am	Playground Supervision
9.10am	Class
11.10am	Recess
11.30am	Class
1.00pm	Lunch
1.40pm	Class
3.10pm	Home Time

BEHAVIOUR

We seek your support in speaking to your child regarding what is acceptable behaviour at school

and how they can make our school environment a safe and happy learning place for themselves, their peers and staff.

CHANGE OF ROUTINE

If your child has a change of afternoon routine, e.g. going home with someone else or catching a different bus, **you must notify the school office.**

HOLIDAYS

This is the last week of term 3 with school finishing up on Friday.

I would like to wish you all a safe happy holiday and look forward to seeing you all back refreshed and ready for term 4.

First day back next term is Monday 15th October for both students and staff.

Mrs Karen Clark
Principal



were all well behaved and made lots of new friends, and had a load of fun learning their way around the High School.

Most importantly, have an enjoyable and relaxing holiday.

Ms Raymond

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Wow! What a busy term it has been.

Thank you to all the students who attended the Science Enrichment Day at Taree High School. The lab visit was a STEM and Problem solving activity similar to the science and engineering challenges.

Specifically:

- Students had a list of materials to use. The aim was to 'save' as many peg people as possible from an unspecified natural disaster.
- Students had 40mins to build their shelter.
- The rest of the lesson was testing their shelter under the 'disaster conditions'.
- Conditions included flash flooding, landslide, cyclonic winds and torrential rain selected randomly using an electronic spinner on the board.

All this fun helped to reinforce the learning we have been doing in class about Natural Disasters.

The PSSA Touch Gala Day will be held at Chatham Recreation Ground on Friday the 19th October (Week 1, Term 4). Notes for this will be going home this week.

The Netball Gala Day has been rescheduled to Friday 26th October 2018 (Week 2 Term 4). Notes will go home after the holidays.

Taree High School held its Orientation Day on Tuesday 18th September. The students who attended



2/6V

It has been a busy and exciting term in 2/6V.

Over the past couple of weeks students have been reading a variety of different books relating to ants. Students had to write a narrative, persuasive and information report about ants. Students also made an ant nest chamber in art.

In Mathematics we have been learning about patterns, algebra and chance. Students identified odd and even numbers.

Next term we have another busy term. In Geography we are learning about our connections to places. In PD/H/PE we are learning about safe living.

We are very excited for Term 4, I hope everyone has a safe and happy holidays.

Miss Visser.



3/4M

This Term, Year 3/4 M have been learning about a variety of 3D Art. They designed and created some beautiful mosaics using ceramic tiles and experimented with abstract materials to create 3D pictures.

Below are just a few examples of their amazing work. So talented! Well done 3/4 M!



Mrs Mitchell

1/2H

Over the last couple of weeks in 1/2H students have been learning about ants and writing some fantastic information reports.

During Mathematics we have been learning about number patterns, odd and even numbers and chance. The students enjoyed making a class book about things that would never ever happen.

We cannot wait for Term 4 and I wish everyone a safe and happy holiday.

Miss Hook.

GETTING IN CONTACT WITH THE TEACHERS

If you need to get in contact with one of the teachers these are the best times:

Monday

11:30—Melissa Raymond Year 6

Tuesday

11:30 — Narelle Clapson Year 5

Wednesday

11:30 — Renae Mitchell Year 3/4

11:30 — Alice Green Year K/1

Thursday

11:30 — Ashely Visser Year 2/6

11:30—Linda Hook Year 1/2

Friday

11:30— Rosemarie Kelly

Emergency Contact Numbers

Please ensure that the emergency contact phone number we have for your child is correct and working. As we have a number of parents that we can not reach.



SkoolBag



Don't forget to download our school's SkoolBag app to ensure that you are kept in the loop on:

- * School newsletters
- * Notices
- * Events
- * Cancellations
- * Reminders
- * ...and more!

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