

Valley Views

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK – DAVID JENES

School Council President – Pariece Nelligan

Cultural Day

On Wednesday 4 September, we held our Cultural Day. Students participated in different cultural activities throughout the day and it was great to see so many students dress in their traditional cultural outfits on the day.



Playgrounds

The playgrounds are progressing well. We are hoping they will be finished by the end of next week.



Calendar

September

9/9	Yr5/6 Puberty Education Prep Grandparent Day Yr4 AV Cooking Demo Yr5/6 Reproduction Family Forum @ 5pm-6:30pm
9-10/9	Yr5/6 Sweet Valley High
10/9	Whole School Photo and Graduation Photo Gymnastics Prep and Yr2 Yr4 SM Cooking Demo
11/9	District Athletics
12/10	RUOK Day
12-13/9	Yr5/6 Sweet Valley High
13/9	Gymnastics Yr1 Pyjama Day
16/9	School Council 6:30pm
17/9	Yr4 Asian Expo
18/10	P-2 First Aid Incursion
20/9	Footy Day Parade @ 9am-10am Term 3 ends @ 2:30pm

October

7/10	Term 4 begins
10/10	Division Athletics
11/10	Yr3/4 Science Show
15/10	Yr3 Incursion
18/10	Yr3 Claymation Incursion

2024 Term Dates

30 January to 28 March

15 April to 28 June

15 July to 20 September

7 October to 20 December

Working Bee

We held our Term 3 Working Bee yesterday with the focus being the Sustainability Garden. We managed to fill most of the garden beds ready for planting seedlings during Spring. A big thank you to Andrew Venables who organised the Working Bee and all the equipment, soil etc. Thank you to Clementina, Bobbi, Joey, Cassidy, Gabby, Rob and Andrew.



School Saving Bonus

The Victorian Government is making life that little bit easier for families by providing a one-off \$400 School Saving Bonus.

This support will help cover the cost of school uniforms, textbooks, and school activities like camps, excursions and sports.

The School Saving Bonus is in addition to existing and continuing means-tested supports for Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF) and the Affordable School Uniforms Program.

The School Saving Bonus will be provided to schools and families in Term 4, 2024.

More information is contained in the letter we have attached on Compass from the Victorian Government.

Please note: It is important that your email and phone number is up to date in our records for families to receive the School Saving Bonus. If you would like to check these details, you can view them through Compass or contact the school office.

Fun Run

Our 2024 Colour Fun Run – Fundraising event has now opened and we are raising money to help pay for our new school play equipment!

Our Colour Fun Run will be on Friday 25 October!

- Students will come to school ready for an afternoon Colour Fun Run wearing a white t-shirt (or light plain colour t-shirts will also work) and closed-toe shoes / sneakers.
- Students will be given free sunglasses and a rainbow headband for the event.
- Students will be covered in non-toxic, biodegradable colour powder from head to toe. Colour Powder is made of high-quality corn starch and permitted food colours. Safety data sheet is available upon request.

How to Fundraise?

The students will raise money for the school and they also get incentive prizes and gifts to make fundraising more fun!

Fundraising for our Colour Fun Run is entirely online. Follow the instructions in your child's sponsorship booklet to create an online profile page at <https://myprofilepage.com.au>.

Incentive Prizes!

- You only need to raise a minimum of \$10 to receive an incentive prize
- Choose from a huge range of great incentive prizes such as slime kits, light up speakers, lava lamps, razor scooters, instant cameras and Nintendo Switch consoles.
- Online Golden Coins – complete fun online tasks to redeem an extra \$75 towards your prize credit.

- Monty Hatching Egg: Achieve all virtual badges on online platform
- Top 3 fundraisers will be able to slime a teacher!

Pyjama Day

The students have managed to fill the token collector for a whole school Pyjama Day as part of our SWPBS program. The Pyjama Day has been scheduled for Friday 13 September. Students may wear their pyjamas for the day. Please note: Students will need to wear runners or school shoes on the day for safety.

Footy Day

We will be holding our annual Footy Day on Friday 20 September. Students may come dressed in their favourite team colours.

Parent Survey

The annual parent survey is currently open for your feedback. There is a link and a unique PIN for our school to access the survey which all parents received by email on Tuesday. The survey closes on 20 September. We look forward to your response.

Car Park

At the end of last term, we noticed a few families driving into the Birchwood Avenue car park or cutting through when entering the school. Just a reminder that this car park is for staff and for deliveries. Please use the designated entrances when entering the school for yours and your children's safety.

Uniform

PLEASE NOTE THE WEARING OF SCHOOL UNIFORM IS COMPULSORY. THE TVPS SCHOOL COUNCIL HAS APPROVED AN ATTRACTIVE UNIFORM, BASED ON THE SCHOOL COLOURS OF NAVY BLUE AND GOLD! – NO BLACK TRACKSUIT PANTS ARE TO BE WORN.

If you need to purchase new uniform, you can attend the uniform shop next to the canteen on a Monday from 9:30-10:30. If you need to order at any other time, please contact Sam Smith who looks after all uniform requirements. Order forms are available at the office and on the website.

Second Hand uniform is available for purchase from the Hall with Donna and Dora on a Monday morning 9:30-10:30.

Teamkids Holiday Program

We are excited to let you know that bookings are now OPEN for our amazing TeamKids ONSITE Spring Holiday Program @ Templestowe Valley Primary School that will be running from Monday 23 September to Friday 4 October 2024.

TeamKids Templestowe Valley Primary

7:00 AM START 8:00 PM END PLEASE ARRIVE BY 6AM ON EXCURSION DAYS

IN-HOUSE INCURSION EXCURSION

MON - 23rd SEP	TUE - 24th SEP	WED - 25th SEP	THU - 26th SEP	FRI - 27th SEP
Energy Engineers Become an Energy Engineer for a day! Build potato clocks, create mini windmills, and explore sustainable energy in a fun, hands-on adventure. Discover how you can power the future!	Color Healthy Kicks Klub Ready to kick into action and have fun with your mates? Hours to kick! TeamKids has teamed up with AFL Footy for a fun, hands-on adventure. Always healthy eating, mindfulness and exercise! Wear your footy colours!	Harold and the Purple Crayon Join TeamKids for a fun-filled adventure as we watch 'Harold and the Purple Crayon'! Experience the magic as Harold's crayon brings his wildest dreams to life as he decides his way into a world full of fun! *PG Film. Allergy Alert - Cinema popcorn provided	Ultimate Boomerang Games Journey into Aboriginal culture, storytelling and mastering boomerang throws. Experience a one-of-a-kind adventure combining tradition with exciting activities!	CLOSED
Daily Fee \$13	Daily Fee \$10	Daily Fee \$10.5	Daily Fee \$12	
After Rux CCS* \$1.50	After Rux CCS* \$1.00	After Rux CCS* \$10.50	After Rux CCS* \$8.20	

MON - 30th SEP	TUE - 1st OCT	WED - 2nd OCT	THU - 3rd OCT	FRI - 4th OCT
Balloon Fusion Twirl, turn and shape! Watch as we transform ordinary balloons into extraordinary shapes, animals, hats and much more.	The Wild Robot Join TeamKids to follow Rox, a curious robot, as she explores the wilderness, makes animal friends, and discovers the true meaning of home. Adventure awaits! *PG Film. Allergy Alert - Cinema popcorn provided	Wanyara: Play Today we will be playing a mixture of Indigenous games including Barrogin, Jarrigin, Malgija and many more. Come along to see what these are!	Mini Golf We're putting our skills to the test in a TeamKids Mini Golf Tournament! We'll experience a labyrinth of challenges that are sure to amaze all our senses. Will you score a hole-in-one? *Closed on these requests.	Animal Adaptations Join TeamKids as we encounter a truly original experience! We'll learn all about reptiles and how they survive in the harsh Aussie arid environment before meeting and greeting some hand-reared scorpions!
Daily Fee \$18	Daily Fee \$12	Daily Fee \$18	Daily Fee \$12	Daily Fee \$15
After Rux CCS* \$8.80	After Rux CCS* \$10.50	After Rux CCS* \$8.80	After Rux CCS* \$10.20	After Rux CCS* \$8.50

*Child Care Subsidies may apply. \$5 Admin Fee per family. \$5 Late Fees apply within 7 days per child. Payment plans available.
**Experience/Activity Fee. Programs may be subject to change. Third Party Payment Fees apply. See Terms and Conditions for cancellation policy.

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Allow 10-15 minutes to set up your account.
Please Note: In order to make a booking, we require the entire registration process to be completed, this includes all emergency contacts, payment details & upload forms for medical conditions or additional needs.
- MAKING A TEAMKIDS BOOKING**
Congratulations, you've completed setting up your account!
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2. Click LOG IN in the top right hand corner of the website.
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4. Select the following:
 - Add/change bookings
 - Care Type
 - Child's Name
 - Date (it will turn green)
 5. Scroll down to the bottom & click **NEXT**.

CONFIRMING YOUR BOOKING
Review and confirm your booking details. Please read the information on this page carefully.

- Are the dates and care type correct?
- Have you chosen the correct venue?
- Do you understand the cancellation policy?

Once happy with your dates, scroll down & click **CONFIRM CHANGES**.

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