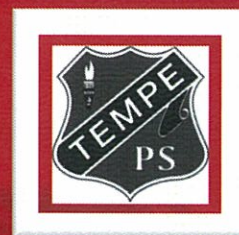


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Thursday 19th September 2013

Term 3 Week 10

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S OFFICE

Tempe is Hot for Tim's Daily Bailey Weather

Thank you to everyone for turning up yesterday afternoon and supporting Tempe Public School hosting TEN at school, Daily Bailey Weather.

Everyone was extremely impressed with the behaviour of students and the positive vibe that we enjoy every day at our school.

A special thank you to all the parents who made the effort and adjusted their busy dinner time schedule to attend. Special thanks to Lisa Newey who secured our segment. Well done Lisa!

Once again congratulations to our school captains, Harry and Skye, who were again great ambassadors for our school with our visitors.

Last but not least, congratulations to Jacob and Zoe. A job very well done in a new and unique situation.

For those of you who missed it here is the link for last night's weather <http://youtu.be/Pindj8fdm6M>.

Premier's Spelling Bee Winner

Last week I was alerted to a piercing sound in the school foyer. As I rushed out as a matter of urgency I was pleasantly surprised to learn that no one was hurt but in fact Tempe Public School had its first ever winner of the Regional Spelling Bee.

Congratulations Isabelle!

Martial Arts Excellence

Congratulations also to Max in 3/4A who attended his first State Championships for Martial Arts.

Having no expectation other than to do his best, he entered as a competitor for the experience and "Just for the fun of it!" Imagine the surprise when he qualified for the National Championship in Queensland. A fabulous achievement.

Ms Karen Sinclair.

Happy Holidays

Thank you to the whole school community for your hard work to make our term incredibly spectacular. We have pulled off one success after another.

Enjoy the well-deserved rest and relaxation and hopefully a little more flexibility in your busy schedules.

I look forward to seeing you all on Tuesday 8th October. Until then keep safe and happy holidays.

2013 DIARY DATES

Term 3

20/09 Last day Term 3

07/10 Labour Day Public Holiday

08/10 All staff and students return to school for Term 4

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Tempe Temptations Cook Book on Sale

Where: Uniform Shop, School Canteen or front office

Cost: \$25

School Holiday Ideas

This school holidays directory provides a comprehensive list of what's on offer over the school holidays Australia wide. The website includes a wide range of kids activities and camps ranging from swimming lessons, sports camps, adventure sports, indoor and outdoor activities to theme parks, play centres, family holiday spots, vacation care facilities and much, much more. See www.schoolholidaydirectory.com.au for more details.

Mr Hugh Miller and Ms Dianne Tonpi (Relieving)

UPCOMING CELEBRATIONS & EVENTS

International Day of Peace – 21 September

In 1981 the United Nations decreed that this day be observed each year on the opening day of the regular session of the United Nations General Assembly. The day is intended to commemorate and strengthen the ideals of peace within and among all nations of the world.

Spring Equinox (Southern Hemisphere) – 22 September

On this day the sun's rays are directly over the equator and the hours of daylight and darkness are equal.

Save the Koala Day – 25 September

Save the Koala Day is sponsored by the Australian Koala Foundation. This day aims to raise awareness of the plight of koalas, the importance of preserving their natural habitats and raising funds for the cause. The month of September is Save the Koala Month.

World Heart Day – 27 September

The purpose of this day is to increase public awareness and promote preventative measures to reduce cardiovascular disease and strokes. People are encouraged to get moving, eat healthily and to be aware of the risk factors for cardiovascular disease and strokes.

Yom Kippur (Jewish) – 28 September

Yom Kippur is the Jewish Day of Atonement, the most important Jewish holy day. It is a time of fasting, abstinence, reflection on actions and behaviours of the past year, prayer and penitence. It marks the end of the 10 High Holy Days.

Vijaya Dasami Dussehra (Hindu) – 28 September

This celebration marks the end of Navratri, the nine-night festival to celebrate the victory of Lord Rama over Ravana. Dussehra symbolises the triumph of good over evil. On the tenth day of the festival effigies of Ravana are set alight. Festivities held in different parts of India range from decorating houses with clay images of gods to majestic processions, torch-lit parades and dances.

Lailat ul Qadr (Muslim) – 28 September

Lailat ul Qadr is the Night of Power/Decree, night the holy Qur'an/Koran was revealed to Mohammed. According to the Holy Qur'an/Koran, this night is equal to 1000 months of prayers and all prayers are answered.

P&C NEWS

This week we just wanted to put out a bit of an honour roll in an effort to thank everyone who worked so hard on the Big Bash, both on the day and in the lead up.

We have tried to gather up all the names over the last week. If you are a silent achiever and managed to help out without us being aware, I'm really sorry that your name is not on this list. I also offer a deep and unreserved apology to anyone who should be on this list, and isn't.

There are so many people to thank and it is hard to believe we didn't miss anyone.

All the Amazing teachers, but especially Hugh Miller and Karen Sinclair who gave up so much time before and afterwards and were so instrumental in the managing the day.

Euphemia Bostock, who came especially to help us open the day with her Acknowledgement of Country.

All the Kids from Stage 3 who helped out on the games and set up.

Anita Apostolovska
Trish Cocoran-Brynes
Kate Reid
Lia Sherwood
Leia Siqueira
Kaya Isitolo
Hayley Hatzigeorgiou
Todd and Vic Payne
Stacey Lamont and Andrew Perkins
Brent and Helen Pentecost
Michelle and Roger Maconachie
Helen Knowles and David Wilks
Dean Graselli
Rita McKinnon
Paul and Kalli Kouppas
Leonie Rockcliffe
Emma Anwar
Meillie Wong
Aimee Meers
Lisa, Greer and Nick Newey
John and Sally Rothwell
Kate Deacock and Lotte Newton
Tina Mickovska
Jenni Carter and Marcus Phelan
Anna Van Gorder
Claire Edwardes
Jacqui Lunney
Siobhan Hannan and James Talbot
Rachel Rothwell and Ivan Smith
Rachel and Stuart Andrews
Emma Benn
Bern McGuigan
Murray Jackson and Fiona Mathie
Elizabeth and David O'Neill
Janene and Gavin Coleman
Tan Rodda
Belinda Paxton
Mekhala Wrightson
Louise Ward
Karen Jensen
Sarah Morris
Logan Metcalfe
Katy and Alex Rogers
Geoff Miller
Rochelle Haswell-Miller
Christine Osmond and JP Vandervaere
Cisca and Julian van Wel
Noel O'Callaghan
Andy and Melissa Collins
Helen Peacock and Tim Ingelton
Lisa Bassett – Waldock
The Walsh family
Tulasie Parker
Zena And Ferris Abdullah
Anne Purcell and Pat McInerney
Michelle Laud
Terry Ronsisvale
Erin Murray
Simone Walker
Mel Mekrizis
Stephen Whelan
Wendy Baird
Kayla Ludman
Cathy Westwood

Rita Larnack and Yanni Matzis
Ravit Danieli-Vlandis
Catherine Leigh
Mira Jancevski
Cemi Oberdorfer
Di and Pete Meyer
Gary Malia
Pauline Futeran
Louise and Daniel Priess
Katy and Alex Rogers
Stephen Luke
Irina Shaw
Joanna Misomikes
Anjee Sayer (Innocent Catering)
Azurra Fitness
The SES Volunteers
Australian Academy of Martial Arts
All the performers on stage

Also, finally: Nana, our incredible volunteer Masseuse from the Australian College of Massage.

A very special thank you to Walker and Frazer Industrial for their generous infrastructure donations and for funding the Fairy Floss machine.

We have a few events coming up in the next term but nothing on this scale. Stand by for more information about our participation in the Marrickville Festival.

Also, the Halloween Disco will be on the 2nd of November this year, so start thinking about what costume your little ghoulies will need.

Have a great school holiday !

Pauline Futeran on behalf of Tempe Public School P&C

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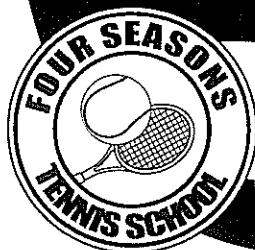
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