

East Torrens Primary School

NEWSLETTER Week 3 | Term 2 | 2023

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M3A Making Fairy Bread



We made Australian and Dutch Fairy Bread as a party food.



Australian Fairy Bread is made using colourful hundreds and thousands but Dutch Fairy Bread is made using chocolate sprinkles called Hagel. Hagel means hail.





We had to spread butter on the bread and then sprinkle the sprinkles on top. Then we cut the bread into two pieces.



Finally, we got to eat it and it was delicious.











PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents,

Facilities

You may have noticed that the new fence around the OSHC carpark has now been completed with secure gates and a higher fence. This will support safer movement of the students around the school grounds. Plans are underway to replace the two playgrounds next to gym. We have some initial plans which we will share with the SRC representatives for feedback before proceeding with the works. The playgrounds will be installed before the end of the year.

Site Improvement Plan

Forming part of our work on developing the mathematics learning of our students, teachers have been using visible learning prompts in classes. These have included maths word walls where the correct maths terminology is displayed and referred to and anchor charts which provide maths learning prompts to the students. As a staff, we are continuing the professional development sessions with the Primary Mathematics Association to develop planning and teaching strategies to ensure consistent language and processes are used across year levels.

Teachers are currently working on the moderation of student writing samples which will give them information about the areas of writing that individual and groups of children need to work on next and forms part of the writing goal setting for students.

Teachers are also engaged in writing their students' mid-year reports. These will be sent home to parents in Week 10 of this term.

Congratulations to the students who represented the school playing in the half time break at the Rugby State of Origin game last week. They displayed excellent behaviour and courage to play in front of a very large crowd. We are all very proud of their achievements. Thank you to Mr Richard Thom, our PE teacher, for organising the various rugby events ORIGIN and supporting the students.

Parking Reminders

Parents are reminded not to park in the staff carpark or the OSHC carpark unless they have an ETPS parking permit. These permits are provided to families with children with additional needs or parents/carers who have a disability. If you park in these parks and you do not have a permit, you are taking the space of someone who is in need of that park. Parents have also been seen parking in the driveway and road into the school. This is dangerous and must not occur.

Public Holiday

As a reminder, Monday 12th June is the King's Birthday public holiday and the school and OSHC will be closed. We hope that you all have a nice long weekend.

With Regards,

Lynette Simons











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	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
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	08/05/23	09/05/23	10/05/23	11/05/23	12/05/23
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	15/05/23	16/05/23	17/05/23	18/05/23	19/05/23
WK		Governing Council			
3		MTG 6.00 pm			
	22/05/23	23/05/23	24/05/23	25/05/23	26/05/23
WK					
4					National Sorry Day
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5				Tour 10.00 am	
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6				School Photo Day	
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WK -	PUBLIC HOLIDAY —				
7	KING'S BIRTHDAY OSHC CLOSED				
	19/06/23	20/06/23	21/06/23	22/06/23	23/06/23
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8		Catch-up Day			
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	03/07/23	04/07/23	05/07/23	06/07/23	07/07/23
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10					Early Dismissal 2.00 pm
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Intensive English Language Program (IELP) News

2023 Term 2 Classes

Virginia Wong	M10	Reception
Joanna Kontos	M8	Reception/Year 1
Athan Markos	M9	Year 1
Tripti Dey	M7	Year 2
Chamila Chandrasena & Nunzia Ferraretto	M6A	Year 2/3
Rebecca Graves & Chamila Chandrasena	M3A	Year 3/4
Ravinder Kaur	M6	Year 5
Rachel Colquhoun & Kathy Papas	M5	Year 5/6

Dear Families,

A big welcome to our new students that have started with us in the last few weeks.

Reception (M10)	Year 1 (M9)	Year 2/3 (M6A)	Year 5 (M6)
	Ashley A	Hana K Ziyuan Z	
Reception/Year 1 (M8)	Year 2 (M7)	Year 3/4 (M3A)	Year 5/6 (M5)
	Ziqing Z	Charles W Jimmy B Victoria A	Arshida Z Nick X Manraj H Evan B

Look forward to getting to know all our new students and their families.

Kind regards,

Yiota Chronis

IELP Senior Leader













Wellbeing

Hello from the Nest.

It is hard to believe that we are now in the second half of the term, and what a busy term it has been. As always there is a lot going on in the Nest and it has been great to see students and staff visiting the space to provide the support they need.

Recess and Lunch Play

Thanks to Anna our Pastoral Care Worker, and our SRC Attendance team, Thursday and Friday lunch times are full of fun activates. Various activities have been set up during lunch play under the verandah.





There is something for everyone; bubbles, chalk drawing, outdoor

chess, ball games, mega Connect Four and more. The attendance team are looking at other ways to encourage and support students with play and making new connections.

There has also been an addition to the sandpit with a basket full of new sand toys. We can report this has definitely been a hit with the students.

We are still looking for donations of pots and pans for the nature play sandpit. Please send any donations to The Nest.

SRC

This term we have had a few whole group meetings and discussed what the role of an SRC member is. We have 19 students on the Council and we aim to meet every Friday when we don't have an assembly. All the students have chosen an area of passion that they would like to pursue further. Our focus areas are Attendance. Curriculum and Environment. This allows students to work on smaller projects across the school with various leadership.

Each group has begun working on ways to inform our students of what is going on in our school, ways to improve our school and to ensure our students have a voice. Stay tuned.







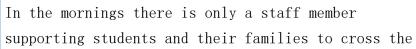




Wellbeing

Traffic Crossing Reminder

Our school is lucky to have road crossing monitors each afternoon to ensure our students are safe on their way home.



Robson road crossing. On many occasions cars have not followed the crossing rules and stopped on the stop sign. This is putting people at risk.





Please take care when on Robson Road in the mornings to keep everyone safe.

Assembly awards.

Due to unplanned circumstances we have not published the values certificates this year. here is a catch up. Congratulations to all those students who are continually aiming for success at school. Staff are always looking to celebrate a student's success in their learning and behaviour. The values certificates is just one way of doing this.



Noah	H23	Jayda	R12	Fanta	R12	Muaiyad	M8
Mia	H23	Lily	R12	Mia	М6а	Prarthana	M9
Eamon	M4	Chloe	H23	Sayon	M10	Amy	M5
Shahd	M4	Naman	M4	Ethan	М3а	Benicio	R13
Ryan	C20	Serena	M5	Ridhan	M4	Eunjin	R12
Yana	M10	Caleb	R13	Hugo	M4	Alodia	М3а
Sooa	М6а	Jayda	R12	Mehtab	M7	Harry	M4
Emily	M6	Lily	R12	Andre	C19	Peter	C21
Heath	C21	Chloe	H23	Yichi	M9	Zemirah	R14
Caleb	R13	Serena	M5	Judy	M9	Kirk	M7











Wellbeing News



Tiamoor	M10	London	R12	Marco	R12	Yu Hong	M7
Christiaan	М6а	Kawsar	M6	Liwu	M8	Ka Sin	M8
Lisa	R14	Mehrad	M7	Beck	М6а	Aria	R13
Liza	M6	Ollie	H23	Sahib	M10	Marwa	R12
Eli	C21	Sirat	M9	Eason	М3а	Ka Yi So	М3а
Dimitriy	М3а	Prarthana	M9	Anavbir	C20	Aidan	C21



Gia	H23	Jayda	R12	Manmeet	M8	Mehlaqa	R12
Milton	М6а	Lily	R12	Kirk	M7	Dhruv	C19
Maks	M5	Chloe	H23	Paywaz	R12	Serena	M5
Sarah	R13	Naman	M4	Cameron	C21	Caleb	R13



Isaac	H23	Seah	M8	Valentina	M1	Josh	C21
Elizabeth	C20	Aryan	R12	Jordan	C21	Samuel	M9
Gurleen	C21	Marianna	M7	Jalen	R12	Niyati	R13
Jen Sheun	C21	Yan	М6а	Avya	M6	Gerhard	M10
Armin	C21	Aarika	H23	Krishna	M6	Emily	C20
Ayaan	R13	Reyansh	M8	Fatima	C19	Sirvan	M7











East Torrens Goes To The State Of Origin

On Wednesday 31st June, ten very lucky students and their parent/carer from East Torrens PS hopped on a bus after school, to travel to the Adelaide Oval and take part in numerous rugby league activities before watching the State of Origin game in some very special seats.

Sam Thaiday, the NRL ambassador and State of Origin legend for Queensland, hosted our group, along with students from Elizabeth North PS, and presented each team with playing jerseys, shorts and socks. Unfortunately, our school was asked to wear the New South Wales uniform, which didn't go down so well with our predominately parochial Maroons supporters - however, they had so much fun.

Elizabeth, from C20, was chosen to take the State of Origin trophy onto the field to present it to the teams and officials, amid colourful fireworks and flames.

At half-time our two groups entered the Adelaide Oval playing surface and participated in a game of rugby league tag, in front of over 48,000 people. Amazing memories were created for all who participated.

East Torrens was awarded this wonderful once-in-a-lifetime opportunity due our commitment to the game over the last fifteen years. A wonderful time was had by all.























East Torrens Junior Soccer Team



The Saturday morning soccer season is well under way, and the East Torrens 8-year old team has enjoyed the first few rounds immensely, at our school.



On the 29th May, they played against the strong East Adelaide side, and it was a game of differing halves. The first half saw our players work very hard against the opposition but were unable to prevent a number of their attacks, resulting in four first half goals. The second half was actually won by the East Torrens team 2-1, with Caleb and Yu Hong both finding the back of the net, which resulted in a 5-2 defeat overall. The best players were Oliver, Caleb and Hugo.

On the 3rd June, East Torrens played Trinity Gardens Gold, and it was a very tight game. At half-time the scores were locked at nil all, highlighting awesome defensive efforts from all players. Oliver set up a great goal for Caleb in the second half, however Trinity managed to get two goals of their own and take the win. Caleb, Oliver and Archie were the best players, and Alisha has been singled out for her massive improvement on the field.



Keep having fun team!!

















Finance Matters



School fees are now overdue.

Dear Parent/Caregiver,

The due date for the payment of school fees was the 30th of April, 2023.

We still have a significant amount of fees outstanding.

Please make your payment/s as soon as possible.

Please contact the Business Manager on 83371411 or email dl.0971.finance@schools.sa.edu.au if you have any questions or require assistance.

Kind regards,

Kavita Mer **Business Manager**

> If you are eligible for School Card, please submit your 2023 application as soon as possible.



School Card is not an automatic process and a new application is required every year.

Please visit sa.gov.au/education/schoolcard to complete the online School Card application

















Is your child due to start Reception in 2024?

Please visit our website www.etorrensps.sa.edu.au to complete our registration of interest form.

https://www.etorrensps.sa.edu.au/enrolments/registration-of-interest/

For information regarding our 2023 school tours and dates, please visit https://www.etorrensps.sa.edu.au/enrolments/school-tours/ Bookings are made via the [email] button at the bottom of the page.



You will be contacted in Term 3 to arrange an appointment to complete the enrolment process.



Recep	tion Enrol	ment Timeline
Term 3 Week 5	25th August 2023	<u>ALL</u> registration of Interest forms to be completed and received by the school.
Term 3 Weeks 9 & 10	18/9/2023-26/9/2023	Attend your scheduled enrolment appointment and receive Transition Visit Invitations.
Term 4	Students attend 3 transi	tion visits













East Torrens Primary School is pleased to be promoting the Entertainment Memberships as a fundraiser.

Support our fundraising and enjoy 100s of everyday savings!

Entertainment is an easy-to-use App packed with incredible savings of up to 50% off and 2-for-1 offers, so you can save on takeaway, dining, shopping, groceries, gift cards, activities and more!

And what's even better, 20% of every Entertainment Membership purchased goes to support East Torrens Primary School!





VALID:

2023

Just a friendly reminder:



The Robson car park is only for families that have a parking permit. Please do not park in either of the car parks.

Many thanks!











Swap Share

Second Hand Uniforms



Bring in your old school uniforms to **swap** with other second-hand sizes.



And, if you don't need your uniforms any longer, donate them to be **shared.**



If you would like a second hand uniform and you don't have any old uniforms to swap, then you can donate a gold coin instead.



The Nest on Thursday afternoons between 2:30pm - 4pm.





We are joining in the Peace Crane project and are offering two drop in days in the Makerspace on the Sundays below to help make cranes. Want to know more?

https://peacecraneproject.org/

Makerspace Special Session: Origami Peace Cranes

Sunday 18 June | 1:30pm to 3:30pm

Make Cranes for the Peace Project to send away.

Campbelltown Library Makerspace Ages 8+ | Free | Drop In Session

Makerspace Special Session: Origami Peace Cranes

Sunday 9 July | 1:30pm to 3:30pm

Make Cranes for the Peace Project to send away.

Campbelltown Library Makerspace Ages 8+ | Free | Drop In Session



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