



Trevallyn Primary School

TOPICS 6

14 May 2021

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday 11 May to Friday 21 May
NAPLAN Testing (Grade 3 & 5)

Tuesday 25 May
1-2 Hepburn Excursion

Wednesday 26 May (11.30am - 12.50pm)
3-6 Cross Country

Thursday 27 May
1 Reid/Mitchell Excursion

Thursday 27 May
School Association Meeting

Monday 31 May (2.00pm - 3.00pm)
K-2 Cross Country

Monday 14 June
Public Holiday

Thursday 24 June
School Association Meeting

TERM DATES 2021

Term 2
Wednesday 21 April - Friday 2 July

Term 3
Tuesday 20 July - Friday 24 September

Term 4
Monday 11 October - Thursday 16 December

2021 Student free days
(Professional Learning Days)

Monday 19 July
Friday 29 October

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Sharing our Values with our families

This year one of Trevallyn's focuses is on Learner Agency through inquiry. Learners, their ideas, voice and aspirations play a key role in how we approach teaching and learning in our classrooms and school.



When learners are provided with deliberate possibilities to co-design, co-construct, collaborate and work together they develop agency, dispositions and skills to learn and share with peers, teachers and the community. This involves learners actively participating, negotiating, and communicating:

With our learners we aim to:

- Develop shared goals and questions to investigate
- Share wonderings, prior knowledge and thinking
- Actively listen and develop skills to produce ideas, suggestions and feedback to one another and the teacher
- Actively involve in designing and constructing learning opportunities
- Support taking responsibility to reflect on and evaluate actions and their impact on others

This term our Student Leaders are designing Positive Change Projects for our Community. We are looking for experts across a range of topics to support our Student Leaders.

****KEEP AN EYE OUT FOR MESSAGES FROM OUR STUDENT LEADERS****



FROM THE PRINCIPAL CONTINUED...

Tell us what you think

This week we have run the first workshops for listening to parent voice at Trevallyn. This is an opportunity to hear about the best things about Trevallyn, the areas we can get better at and what we can do to get the best out of you. I have interviewed almost all staff and one parent workshop and here's some of the themes coming through the conversations:

BEST	BETTER
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Strong community• Our students• High achievement and positive high expectations• Celebrations of success• The bush playground and environment• Strong connections between staff and students and families• Parent Volunteers• Expert teachers• Welcoming• Opportunities for students	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Strengthen community relationships, how can we utilise the expertise across our community?• Build on our team approach to get the best out of our people• Clear and timely processes• How can we utilise the Trevallyn Reserve and Gorge?• Indigenous perspectives• Utilise our students as agents of change• Extension programs• Continue focus on Inquiry• Physical infrastructure for whole school assemblies/ PE Gym

Once we have had an opportunity to hear all voices including students we will collate and share this information. There is so much to celebrate about Trevallyn Primary School it's an exciting time to be part of our school community.

If you would like to share your thoughts about what is best about Trevallyn and what we can do to make it even better, please contact the front office and identify which session you would like to attend.

Tuesday	18 May	2:00pm
Thursday	20 May	4:00pm
Friday	21 May	9:30am

Keeping our children SAFE

THANK YOU for keeping our drop off and pick up flowing beautifully. We love parents coming into the school to drop children off and to pick them up. Please note:

To continue to support, please help Tony by not congregating near the crossing. It can be difficult when there are many people around the crossing.

We are still working within COVID-19 rules. **Please ensure you are onsite for no more than 10-15 minutes.** If you have arranged with your child's classroom teacher to meet, please sign in at the front office and use the Check in TAS app.

Remember:

Kiss and go in the MORNING and **a hug and move on** in the AFTERNOON.

The **front playground** and **basketball court** and **quadrangle** are being used by our Outside Hours Care **everyday**.

Please do not use these areas as the OSHC staff are responsible for our children in their care.

Finally a HUGE thank you to the School Association for the Mother's Day Breakfast. What a wonderful way to celebrate our families and share this special day. There was an incredible amount of work behind the scenes which resulted in a beautiful morning for all.

Thanks Trevallyn

Louise Corrigan
Principal
Trevallyn Primary School



MOTHER'S DAY CELEBRATIONS

Our School Association, administration staff, cleaners, some student leaders and volunteers did an amazing job organising the stall over two days and setting up, cooking, serving and clearing up the legendary Mother's Day breakfast. The stall and breakfast raised over \$2000. We truly appreciate the efforts you make for our community. We are so lucky!



3 BENDER/HUDSON - MOTHER'S DAY ART

WE LOVE OUR MUM AND THE ALL SPECIAL PEOPLE IN OUR LIVES.
WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR ALL THAT THEY DO FOR US.



SPEAKING AND LISTENING FAMILY ACTIVITY

Speaking and listening are crucial forms of communication, alongside reading and writing. The development of oral language should not be left to chance; it is explicitly taught in classrooms and is developed through play, inquiry and social relationships. Here is an activity that will develop oral language skills along with inquiring and developing a sense of belonging.

Interview someone in the family

What you will need:

- paper and pencil
- a phone or device to call a family member or friend.



What to do:

1. Help your child to write some interview questions, to ask an older family member or friend, about what things were like when they were young. It may be helpful to choose a focus, such as toys, work, household objects and appliances.
2. Ask about what people did with their leisure time, school, transport, radio and TV, music, famous people, major events, how they celebrated birthdays and so on.
3. Arrange to contact a family member or friend via phone or video chat app. (eg Skype, Messenger, Face time, Zoom, etc). If possible, record the interview.
4. Ask your child to answer the same questions themselves. Compare their answers with the family members. What is really different? What is similar?

Want to go further?

Do some research about any of the objects or events the person mentioned.

Make a presentation to share with the family. This could be a PowerPoint presentation or write a story, make a poster, a photo display or a drawing, etc.

What learning is happening:

This History activity helps children to understand the past and stories from their own family history. Children will learn to ask questions, do research, make connections, compare and contrast as they reflect and communicate their learning with the family.

Find more language development activities at

<https://www.education.tas.gov.au/learning-at-home/5-8-years-of-age/>

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GRADE 3 - 6 PRIMARY CLASS AWARDS - WEDNESDAY 12 MAY

3-RH Annika D, Gus P, Harvey B

3-4R Lilah O, Jayda W, Emma S

3-BH Kitty B, Paddy M, Milo S, Charlotte G

4-J Indi T, Ruby M, Ally M

4-T Anika L, Amelia B, Jade P

5-6BR Zoe L, Zara H, Sofia B

5-6H Nomsa N, Kabelo N, Alanna W, Flora C

5-6BI Ethan B, Charlie S, Alex R, Lucy H

5-6P Seb M, Abbie M, Millie G

5-6FP Jesse P, Dante P, Sophie S, Lucia B

Congratulations to all these students.

5/6 SPORT - 21 MAY AND 28 MAY

TREVALLYN PARENTS ARE WELCOME AT TREVALLYN PRIMARY TO WATCH 5/6 SPORT

Sport	Versus - 21 May	Venue - 21 May	Versus - 28 May	Venue - 28 May
Hockey	Summerdale	St Leonards	Riverside	St Leonards
Netball	St Leonards	St Leonards	Youngtown	Trevallyn
Football	Punchbowl	Punchbowl	Glen Dhu	Glen Dhu
Soccer Vedovelli	Glen Dhu	Trevallyn	Punchbowl	Punchbowl
Soccer Horkings	Mowbray	Trevallyn	Riverside I	Trevallyn
Dance		Trevallyn		Trevallyn

Cancellation of 5/6 Sport will be notified via Schoolzine

CANTEEN VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED

Are you available to volunteer a couple of hours of your time to assist Mel in our Canteen on **Wednesdays**?

If you hold a current **Working with Vulnerable People Card** and are available from 9:00am to 11:30am or 11:30am to 1:30pm, please contact the school office on 6331 9657.

CANTEEN - QKR REMINDERS

When placing canteen orders through the Qkr! App please remember that **orders close at 9.00am**. Please ensure you are selecting the **correct date** and proceed through to the **payment confirmation**.

CANTEEN WINTER SPECIAL



Winter Special

Cheesy Cottage Pie will be available to order on Wednesdays for \$4 under the Specials heading on QKR.



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