



# TECOMA TIMES

## Tecoma Primary School Newsletter



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12th February, 2020

### FROM THE PRINCIPAL

#### DATES TO REMEMBER

#### FEBRUARY

##### Tuesday 18th

"Getting to Know Your Child" Interviews  
From 2.00pm

##### Wednesday 19th

No Preps at school  
(Assessments only)

##### Thursday 20th

Polly Woodside  
Excursion  
Year 3/4 - 2 classes

##### Friday 21st

Polly Woodside  
Excursion  
Year 3/4 - 3 classes

District Swimming  
(Select Students)

##### Monday 24th

#### **BUSHWAHZEE**

From 5pm Mike Larkan  
Ch10 Weather Report  
Bush Cabaret 6.30pm

##### Thursday 27th

VSSS Mass Dress  
Rehearsal  
Upwey Sth PS  
(Select Students)

#### MIKE LARKAN IS PRESENTING THE WEATHER AT OUR SCHOOL

Hopefully you have already seen the notice that went home informing you that channel 10 weather presenter, Mike Larkan, will be delivering his weather report at our school on Monday, February 24. We have coincided this visit with a bush dance/picnic at our school.

If you would like to be a part of the weather report or your children would like to be part of it, the school community has been asked to arrive at 5:00pm. At the completion of Mike doing his final report at 6.30pm, we will start our bush cabaret which will run until 8pm.



#### BUSH CABARET by BUSHWAHZEE

The day will kick off with students being treated to a Concert by the boys from Bushwahzee. There will be no assembly on this morning. Children will then take part in music workshops, which 'the boys' will be running throughout the day.

The children will showcase what they have learned at the music workshops through the day at the Bush Cabaret Concert that evening, after Mike Larkan has completed his weather report.

So bring your picnic rugs, deck chairs and a picnic dinner to the school oval for this great community event and be entertained by your children.



**Please note there will be no food or drinks for sale on this evening, and this is a no alcohol event.**

Rundown of events on the evening:

5.00pm – Students who wish to be part of the weather report are asked to arrive

5:15pm - There is a rehearsal. During this rehearsal, Mike will discuss with the students how everything will work and what questions he will ask them.

5:30pm - LIVE to air for the weather teaser. (approx. 1 minute on air)

5:59pm - LIVE to air for the weather report. (approx. 3 minutes on air, 1 minute of this is off camera due to weather graphics).

6:26pm – LIVE to air for the weather report (approx. 3 minutes on air, 1 minute of this is off camera due to weather graphics).

6:30pm- Off-air and the Bush cabaret begins!

### **SECURITY CAMERAS**

After many years of writing letters, sending off for funding grants and even looking at the possibility of fundraising for them, on Tuesday we are getting security cameras installed around the school.

It has been a constant source of frustration for our staff and community over many years to spend funds to keep our school in good condition, through working bees and scheduled maintenance only for certain people to come into our yard and indulge in anti social behaviour after hours at our school. We have continually reported these incidents to the police, yet the key information they needed was camera footage. At one stage, we employed a security guard to do a patrol 4 nights a week. We also upgraded lighting to make it less inviting for bad behaviour to occur. Unfortunately, we are also in the unique position of having a train station on one side, a plethora of take away stores on the other and establishments that sell and serve alcohol. Being a public space, many end up coming into our yard.

Thankfully, the Department of Education have recognised our frustration and have funded the installation of the cameras, which will hopefully be a deterrent but also lead to catching the perpetrators! Installation will begin on Tuesday next week.

### **SCHOOL COUNCIL**

In our last fortnightly newsletter and through our FlexiBuzz notification, we called for nominations to fill the 3 vacancies on our School Council in the parent members category. We are pleased to say we have received the required nominations.

We welcome onto School Council Bec Hale, Claire Wharton and we welcome back David Coe. These 3 councillors will serve for a 2 year term, beginning with the first meeting of the 2020 School Council on Tuesday February 25.

We received 5 staff nominations for the 2 vacancies for the Department of Education category (DET) so we will go to a staff election.

Our School Council for 2020 is comprised as follows:

#### **Parent Members**

Claire Wharton  
Natalie Leys  
Nigel Grainger  
Lisa Dell  
Bec Hale  
David Coe  
Narelle Paul

#### **DET Members**

Rohan Thompson  
TBC  
TBC

#### **Community Member**

*The possible co-opting of a community member for 12 months will be discussed at the first meeting.* Also at our first meeting of 2020, Office Bearers positions will be determined and sub committees formed. Councillors will be able to join the following sub committees: Education, Parent Network, Promotions, Facilities, Out of School Hours Care or Finance to help with decisions about our school.

The contributions offered by our School Council members has been a significant reason for the success of our students and the high standing we have in our local and broader community. I look forward to working with the 2020 School Council.

## **'GETTING TO KNOW YOU' INTERVIEW EVENING**



A reminder that last week, we sent an alert out regarding our 'Getting To Know You' Interviews. This will be a great opportunity for families to briefly meet their child/ren's teachers for a **10 minute interview** to let us know any pertinent issues relating to your child and their learning. Teachers will also outline how your child has settled into the routines of the new school year, discuss the attitudes and work habits that have been displayed so far and talk about setting goals that will be reported against in their mid year school report.

There are 3 ways you can make a booking using the access code "gjwy2":

1. Go to [www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au) and follow the simple instructions.  
or
2. There is also a direct link on our website.....[www.tecomaps.vic.edu.au](http://www.tecomaps.vic.edu.au)  
or
3. Through the Flexibuzz App on your smartphone under "whole school interviews."

**BOOKINGS OPENED LAST FRIDAY AT 9AM & CLOSE ON TUESDAY 18TH FEBRUARY AT 10AM.**

For quick communication with us, our teachers are available in their classrooms each morning for any informal meetings between 8:50 – 9:00am before commencing instruction. Likewise, both Di Double and I remind everyone of an open invitation to approach us at any time if you have any concerns or compliments.

## **GRADE 6 LEADERSHIP BADGE PRESENTATIONS**

At assembly next Monday, all of our grade 6 children will be presented with their polo shirts and their leadership badges, signifying their final year of Primary School.

It's amazing how much older they look just from putting on their grade 6 polo's. We hope you are able to come along next Monday to see them "age" before us!

## **NEW PARENTS/PREP/BUDDIES WELCOME BBQ**

It was great to see so many of our new families and buddy families at our "Welcome to School BBQ." We had an amazing turn out, in fact we had to do a run to Woolworths as while we had left overs last year with the same quantity as we had this year, we ran short by 6.15pm..... a caterers worst nightmare!

It was great to see the children and parents mingling in a very relaxed setting.

A massive thank you to our staff who worked behind the BBQ, serving or provided a salad, in welcoming our new families and to all those who attended. We trust this is the beginning of many happy years at Tecoma.

## **PREP ENROLMENTS 2021**

Given the high interest in our school, we are beginning our planning for 2021 early! We have already had a number of tours this year with parents and their children who are interested in enrolling in our school for the 2021 school year. Enrolment forms have already been coming in. If you have any specific information or concerns that you need to discuss, please feel free to make an appointment to see me.

One question I can address straight away is about schools and zones and how it relates to our school.

As of April 24 last year, all schools were given zones. Zones for all Victorian Schools can be found through the "find my school" website ([www.findmyschool.vic.gov.au](http://www.findmyschool.vic.gov.au))

Guidelines were introduced for the placement of students in schools.

The guidelines to accompany the introduction of this website are:

1. That for all students for whom the school is the designated neighbourhood school are guaranteed a place.
2. We then must offer students who are siblings a place.
3. We then must offer students who reside nearest the school but out of zone a place (not the order in which they submitted the enrolment).

Applicants that live outside our school zone can only be accepted if the school has capacity. This is our issue; our building configuration can only take 450 children. This is where you can help. If your kinder or pre school child has an older sibling at this school, please let the office know if that child will be coming here by completing an enrolment form. Similarly, if you know of someone in our zone that is interested in enrolling their prep child at our school for 2021, please ask them to contact the office. This will really help us determine how many Prep children intend to enrol in 2021 and we can begin planning.

For those that are outside of our zone but are interested in enrolling, you can also contact the office for a tour. Unfortunately, due to the third guideline above, last year we were able to offer a place to some, but not all, who submitted an enrolment form for Prep in 2020. We may be able to confirm a place for you in June depending on how many in zone and sibling prep children enrol. With 56 grade 6 children leaving this year, we can enrol 56 children in prep next year. Should we have a place become available, we will contact the next nearest family out of zone to fill that place.

School Council last year discussed our capacity at length and whether to apply for more buildings. This will be one of our agenda items at our first meeting in 2 weeks. One factor that puts our school further down the rankings in receiving more buildings is the number of children that currently come from outside what is our small zone. Currently we have 39.14% in zone and 60.84% coming from out of zone. This is a factor that works against us in getting greater building capacity.

### **SCHOOL ZONES and CROSSING**

I received this email from Acting Sergeant Russell Cameron of Belgrave Police over the weekend:

*In the past week I have received a number of complaints around vehicles speeding through the School Zones at a number of locations in the Belgrave area. These complaints have come from other road users, parents of students and from a crossing supervisor.*



*This is obviously of great concern to myself and the local members of Victoria Police.*

*It is my intention to add additional tasking for my members to attempt to set up speed lasers in and around schools when we get the opportunities during shifts. I will also be seeking assistance from the Yarra Ranges Highway Patrol to do likewise.*

*Unfortunately these will be run as and when we can during our usual response activities, and with our current deployments to the state fire zones our resources are stretched thin.*

*I write to assure you of our intent to take these incidents seriously and deal with offenders appropriately, but also to seek your assistance in reporting back through me incidents that may be reported to the school.*

*While I acknowledge the likelihood of offenders being parents from the school as being unlikely, but I would also request that given the opportunity you remind parents of the speed zones in and around the schools particularly given the return to school being in the time frame that the complaints have occurred.*

*Finally, should you believe that there is insufficient speed zones, signage, or traffic control at points around your school I would also like this to be identified to me so I can attempt to speak to council/Vic Roads to alleviate these issues.*

*I thank you for your assistance in this matter.*

This reminder is timely. Last year, our staff had a good insight into what happens at the crossing as we staffed it on occasions when the council were short of crossing supervisors.

It was certainly an eye opener for us as to what occurs at the crossing. I would urge parents to talk to your children about road safety.

A few safety tips that should be reinforced:

- Children not riding their bikes but walking them across the crossing
- Children not bouncing basketballs or footballs while crossing
- Children and parents not entering the crossing while the pedestrian sign is flashing red
- Parents holding hands with their toddlers while crossing busy intersections
- Parents not being on phones while crossing with toddlers so they can devote their total attention to the safe crossing with their children
- Parents and students staying within the lines
- Pedestrians looking for vehicles and not assuming the traffic has seen the change in lights.

### **Drivers:**

As kids come to and from school, it's important for drivers, pedestrians and cyclists to be aware and take extra care during these busy times. Even a small reduction in speed could save a child's life.

To help keep our kids safe, it's important for drivers to:

- slow down in school speed zones during school times
- be extra cautious around schools
- be aware that young children can be unpredictable and difficult to see
- 40 km/hr is the limit, not a target speed to be attained.

Keeping all these safety measures in place will help to make the crossing of our children safe.

### **SUPPORTING THE SCHOOL**

One of the reasons that many families decide to enrol at Tecoma is the wonderful atmosphere in the school and the sense of community that has developed over the years. This sense of community grows out of the relationships between the school and the parents.

However, we are always looking for parents who are willing to take on various roles within the school which contribute to this sense of community. I would urge all parents to consider what they can do to support the school this year.

There are many ways you can assist:

- ♦ Assisting at school as a parent helper for PMP or reading, especially in the Reading Room
- ♦ Attending working bees
- ♦ Being part of the School Council
- ♦ Help at excursions and camps
- ♦ Joining the Parent Network and assisting with fundraising and school social events.

We are looking for members to join the Parent Network. This year we will have 4 different branches:

- ♦ Fundraising which might include events such as Bunnings or election day BBQ's, bulbs, hot cross buns, giant community raffles, chocolate drive, entertainment books.
- ♦ School events which might include events such as Education Week BBQ, UDEC festival.
- ♦ Childrens events which might include events such as Mothers Day stall, Fathers Day stall, movie night, kids disco, footy day and morning munchies.

Meetings are generally once a month on a Tuesday, mainly in the afternoon but we may run some in the evening if it might bring about more support.

Please think about how you might be able to be involved. It would be wonderful if every family contributed in some way to the school. Please consider what you can do in 2020.



## **READING ROOM**

We are still looking for a couple of parents to help us in the reading room on a Thursday. We are extremely grateful for the support that we get from our community as this program really makes a difference. We had a number of students last year who moved off the program as they are now at level, which not only helps with their literacy skills but also flows over into other subject areas such as maths and science where the ability to read information and questions is required. Throughout the year, some of our tutors may be away or taking a holiday which means their group may require coverage. If you would like to be an emergency contact for instances such as this, please let Mrs Double in the reading room know.

## **UNIFORM / SUNSMART**

A big thumbs up to the parents. We are very appreciative of your work in setting children up for school, and indeed ensuring students are attired each day in correct uniform. It really makes a difference to students, promoting a 'sense of belonging' to both the school and their friends. I also thank Marnie Martin and our staff who have assisted our busy Uniform Shop sales at the beginning of this year. As a Sunsmart school ([www.sunsmart.com.au](http://www.sunsmart.com.au)) we strictly enforce the use of hats, and I was pleased to see this week that only a few children have been seated under the walkways due to not having a hat at school.

## **STUDENT SAFETY – SUPERVISION**

During the school day, all teachers take their "duty of care" very seriously and work closely together to ensure students are supervised whilst in classrooms and also out in the playgrounds. All teachers wear fluoro vests, carry a small first aid kit and folder in a yard duty bag where any incidents that occur can be recorded and reported to the school leadership team. In our planning, we have the school divided into 3 distinct zones and staff are assigned to each of these zones each recess and lunchtime. Before and after school, we have staff on duty at the front gate/carpark area.

To ensure that students are appropriately supervised, we ask that students arrive at school after 8:45am each morning. If you elect to send your child/ren to school prior to 8:45am, it is important that you understand that they will not be supervised until yard duty teachers begin their assigned duty from 8:45am. Similarly, at the end of the school day, the school will ensure the appropriate supervision of all students until 3:45pm and after this time it is the responsibility of parents to collect/supervise their children. In further support of parents on this important matter, Chris, Adelle, Rita and Alex at our before and after school care programs provide wonderful levels of care for students.

## **MOBILE PHONES**

A reminder, as per our first newsletter and in our school policy, no student mobile phones are permitted to be turned on or with children during school hours in all Victorian schools. As far as we know, our students have been exemplary in handing their phones to their teachers which then goes in the safe we have supplied in the classroom where applicable. We thank everyone for their cooperation. It's a common sense rule and one that we have been able to implement reasonably seamlessly into our school.

## **SCHOOL PHOTOS**

School photos are scheduled for March 13. To look our best and show pride in our school, as in all other days, students must wear their full school uniform for school photos.

## **THIS WEEK AT ASSEMBLY WE**

- Handed out our "student of the week" awards
- Reminded the children of the welcome BBQ and parent teacher interviews next week.

For the next 3 weeks, weather permitting, we will hold assemblies on the top basketball court. This is because the hall can then be set up with all the wonderful gym equipment that we have, and which we have supplemented with some equipment we have borrowed from Upwey High School. We thank Upwey High for their support of one of their feeder schools.

See you around the school.

Rohan Thompson

**Principal**

## OFFICE NEWS



### NOTICES

The following notices have been sent home:

- ♦ Grade 6 Camp Coonawarra
- ♦ District Swimming
- ♦ Polly Woodside Excursion Grades 3/4
- ♦ Term 1 Parent Overview

### TERM 1 LEVIES:

Prep - \$15.00

Grade 1 & 2 - \$40.00

Grade 3 & 4 - \$35.00

Grade 5 - \$20.00

Grade 6 - \$20.00

**Levies can be paid via QKR or at the office.**

### ABSENCES

If your child is not well or going to be absent, please notify the school via FlexiBuzz by 10.30am on the day of their absence.

**This DOES NOT incorporate the OSHC.**

**A separate message to OSHC service will also need to be sent to them within the required time frames.**



### PHONE CALLS TO THE OFFICE:

- ⇒ **Please note that getting messages through to your children is in an EMERGENCY ONLY.**
- ⇒ **No messages will/can be passed on to children after 3.00pm**
- ⇒ **Office is open from 8.30am for phone calls**

### UNIFORM SHOP

**Please note that the Uniform Shop hours are:**

**MONDAY Morning 8:45am to 9:15am**

**Thursday Morning 8.45am to 9.30am**

**Thursday Afternoon 3.15pm to 3.45pm**

**PLEASE NAME YOUR CHILD'S**

**UNIFORM STRAIGHT AWAY!**



# STUDENT OF THE WEEK



GRADE	NAME	REASON
1C	Grace K	For always trying her best and doing the right thing no matter what. Grace, thank you for being such a good role model in our classroom. You always listen respectfully to others and are on task with your learning. Keep it up!
1D	Hannah F	For working cooperatively with her partner while working on place value. Hannah confidently worked with numbers into the thousands and placed them correctly on her place value chart. Congratulations Hannah.
1V	Noah I	For using the strategy of sounding out the letters to decode an unknown word, and showing resilience by trying over and over until he gets the word right. Great start to reading in Grade One Noah!
2L	Saxon E	For being an attentive listener and trying his best to complete all tasks to a high standard. Well done Saxon!
2R	Raina	Well done for the wonderful start you have made to Grade 2. You have shown you are a caring and compassionate friend with your helpfulness towards others. Thank you and keep it up!
2W	Caleb D	Caleb wrote an interesting recount about his weekend and was so keen to finish, he stayed back to complete it. He wanted to tell me about his personal best 18 holes at Mini Golf. Well written Caleb.
3/4G	Sienna B	Sienna is an incredibly helpful student. She supports other students and is always keen to help organise the classroom. She has even begun writing her very own novel in her spare time.  What an impressive way to begin the year! Well done Sienna!
3/4K	Lucy H	For always tackling each school day with a positive and cheerful manner. You treat others with respect, and always offer a helping hand around the classroom. Thanks for making it such a positive start to the school year Lucy! :-)
3/4M	Callum H	What a wonderful start to Grade 4 Callum has made. He has made sure all those around him feel welcomed, assisted and supported the Grade 3 and 4 students and participated in class discussions, sharing his knowledge. Keep it up!





# STUDENT OF THE WEEK



GRADE	NAME	REASON
3/4R	Abbey M	What a fabulous start Abbey has made to Tecoma Primary School. She has such a positive attitude towards her learning and is a joy to have in the classroom. Thank you for showing respect to your teachers, others and yourself at all times. Well done Abbey!
3/4W	Mikayla S	Mikayla wrote a thoughtful and creative sizzling start on the topic 'The Gate'. She used the powerful adjectives 'neglected' and 'frightful' to bring her writing to life! Well done Mikayla!!!
5G	Tilly F	For making a great text to self and text to world connections when reading Dear Jo. Tilly helped create examples for our text connections anchor chart by drawing from things she had observed in the world and experiences in her own life. She linked her previous learning about cyber safety at school to cyber safety concerns in the text. Thank you for sharing your knowledge with the class.
5S	Annie B	For activating and connecting as we read our class text, Dear Jo. Your text-to-self connection showed an understanding of the reading strategy, and saw your confidence and willingness to share shine through. Keep up the great work Annie!
6F	Eve C	Eve has taken our Seven Steps to Writing Success refresher sessions to demonstrate her love of writing and her ability to try her personal best, incorporating impressive vocabulary and ensuring she improves her work each time. I can't wait to read your writing Eve!
6R	Charlotte B	Charlotte has already shown herself to be an active contributor to the classroom. She is happy to assist her peers and teachers in a variety of ways. Thank you Charlotte!
Japanese	All of 3/4M	For the active participation and great engagement in the discussion about a multilingual brain. Fantastic work!



AUSTRALIAN GIRLS CHOIR



Is this your daughter?

"She sings all the time and can't sit still when there's music playing"  
"She's always dressing up and doing concerts"

## FEBRUARY OPEN CLASSES

Come along and try a free class at your local rehearsal venue!

Berwick, Box Hill, Caulfield North, Cheltenham, Essendon, Greensborough,  
Ivanhoe, Kew, Ringwood and Yarraville



AUSTRALIAN SCHOOL OF PERFORMING ARTS

[ausgirlschoir.com.au](http://ausgirlschoir.com.au)



AUSTRALIAN GIRLS CHOIR



An experience that goes far beyond the stage!

Look no further than the Australian Girls Choir because we encourage, challenge and inspire girls as they learn to sing, dance and perform.

Your daughter will develop confidence, public speaking and presentation skills, resilience and friendships that will last a lifetime.

Over 200 senior choristers recently shared the stage with Hugh Jackman in his Arena Tour across the country. We're proud to have represented Qantas in the 'I Still Call Australia Home' advertising campaigns and live events for more than 20 years.



Try a **FREE** class in February!  
Register online or call 03 9859 6499



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## TECOMA PRIMARY SCHOOL

### PRIVACY INFORMATION for parents and carers

During the ordinary course of your child's attendance at our school, school staff will collect your child's personal and health information when necessary to educate your child, or to support your child's social and emotional wellbeing or health in the school context. Such information will also be collected when required to fulfil a legal obligation, including duty of care, anti-discrimination law and occupational health and safety law. If that information is not collected, the school may be unable to provide optimal education or support to your child, or fulfil those legal obligations.

For example, health information may be collected through the school nurse, primary welfare officer or wellbeing staff member. If your child is referred to a specific health service at school, such as a Student Support Services officer, the required consent will be obtained. Our school also collects information provided by parents and carers through the School Entrance Health Questionnaire (SEHQ) and the Early Childhood Intervention Service (ECIS) Transition Form.

Our school may use online tools, such as apps and other software, to effectively collect and manage information about your child for teaching and learning purposes, parent communication and engagement; student administration; and school management purposes. When our school uses these online tools, we take steps to ensure that your child's information is secure. If you have any concerns about the use of these online tools, please contact us.

School staff will only share your child's personal or health information with other staff who need to know to enable the school to educate or support your child, or fulfil a legal obligation.

When our students transfer to another Victorian government school, personal and health information about that student will be transferred to that next school. Transferring this information is in the best interests of our students and assists that next school to provide optimal education and support to students.

In some limited circumstances, information may be disclosed outside of the school (and outside of the Department of Education and Training). The school will seek your consent for such disclosures unless the disclosure is allowed or mandated by law.

Our school values the privacy of every person. When collecting and managing personal and health information, all school staff must comply with Victorian privacy law. For more information about privacy including about how to access personal and health information held by the school about you or your child, see our school's privacy policy:

<https://www.education.vic.gov.au/Pages/schoolsprivacypolicy.aspx>

Throughout this notice, 'staff' includes principals, teachers, Student Support Service officers, youth workers, social workers, nurses and any other allied health practitioners and all other staff at our school. This includes employees, agents and service providers (contractors) of the Department, whether paid or unpaid.

## **Ferny Creek Tennis Club**

Ferny Creek Reserve, Hilton Rd, Ferny Creek



## **Free Tennis Fun Day**

**Sunday 16 February 2020  
11:00am — 2:00pm**

**Free beginners' coaching sessions with  
Extreme Tennis**

**Fastest serve competition**

**Free sausage sizzle, soft drink and icy poles**

**Ball machine**

★★★ **New membership offer** ★★★  
**Sign up on the day & get 3 months membership free**

**Social tennis  
after 2.00pm**



**Prizes**  
**Including lucky  
door prize of  
free 1 year  
membership**

Thinking about playing  
netball?

South Upwey Netball Club is  
Currently open for 2020  
registrations.



For further info:

[southupwey.netballclub.com/  
registration-fees/](https://southupwey.netballclub.com/registration-fees/)

We pride ourselves on being a fun and friendly club and offer both junior and senior players the opportunity to play great netball whilst also enjoying the benefits of being part of a social netball club and staying healthy.

We have teams at every age level including players from 8 years old in our 11/under team right through to our senior open players aged in their 50's and 60's and all ages in between.

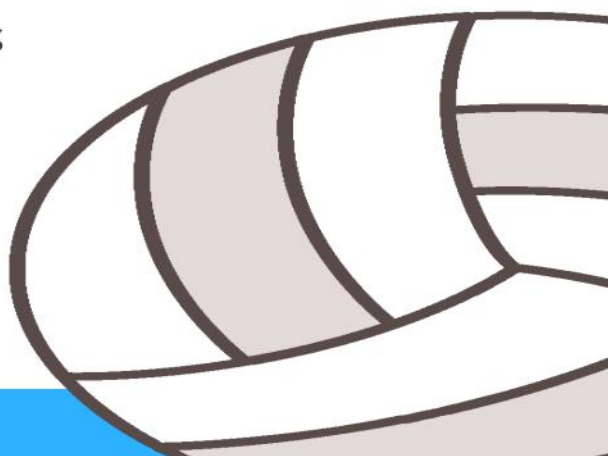
# **WANT TO PLAY NETBALL?**

**BELCOMA NETBALL CLUB NEED YOU!**

**WE ARE LOOKING  
FOR PLAYERS  
AGED 8+ YEARS**

**TEAMS RANGE FROM  
UNDER 11'S TO OPEN  
AGES PLAYING AT  
KNOX REGIONAL**

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**#GOBELCOMA**





# U14 BOYS PREMIERS 2019



BELGRAVE JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB IS NOW  
TAKING REGISTRATIONS FOR SEASON 2020.

WE HAVE AUSKICK, BOYS & GIRLS  
UNDER 9's, 10's, 12's, 14's & 16's

SEASON LAUNCH IN FEB 2020

Contact [bjfc\\_registrations@yahooo.com](mailto:bjfc_registrations@yahooo.com) for information.

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U12 GIRLS 2019  
RUNNERS-UP &  
BEST CONDUCTED TEAM



Eastern Raptors Rugby League Club

# REGO & COME AND TRY

BOYS & GIRLS | AGES FROM 4\* - 18 YRS

FEBRUARY

TUESDAY

18<sup>TH</sup>

STARTS

5<sup>PM</sup>

COLCHESTER  
RESERVE

CNR COLCHESTER RD  
& BERESFORD DR  
BORONIA

for more information email: [secretary@easternraptors.com.au](mailto:secretary@easternraptors.com.au)  
[www.easternraptors.com.au](http://www.easternraptors.com.au)





## **MUSIC LESSONS AT TECOMA P.S.**

### **PRIVATE TUTORS**

#### **Guitar**

Juan Aravena

0402 688 836

#### **Piano**

Len Lacey

9754 3744

#### **Violin**

Piper Blake

0412 318 831

#### **Drums/Singing/Piano**

Jordan Scotney

0408 881 395



# NEW ART CLASSES TO SUPPORT YOUR CHILD'S CREATIVITY.

Does your child enjoy art? Do you wish to develop their creative skills?

Our after school art classes (5 - 8 yrs) provide a fun and supportive environment for your child to discover the world of art and craft.

During the term, we'll study different artists, past and present, and explore a variety of mixed media through art forms such as printmaking, textiles, sculpture, painting, and collage.

Our art classes encourage students to slow down and enjoy the process of art making, rather focusing on the finished product. We love seeing their individual imaginations come to life!

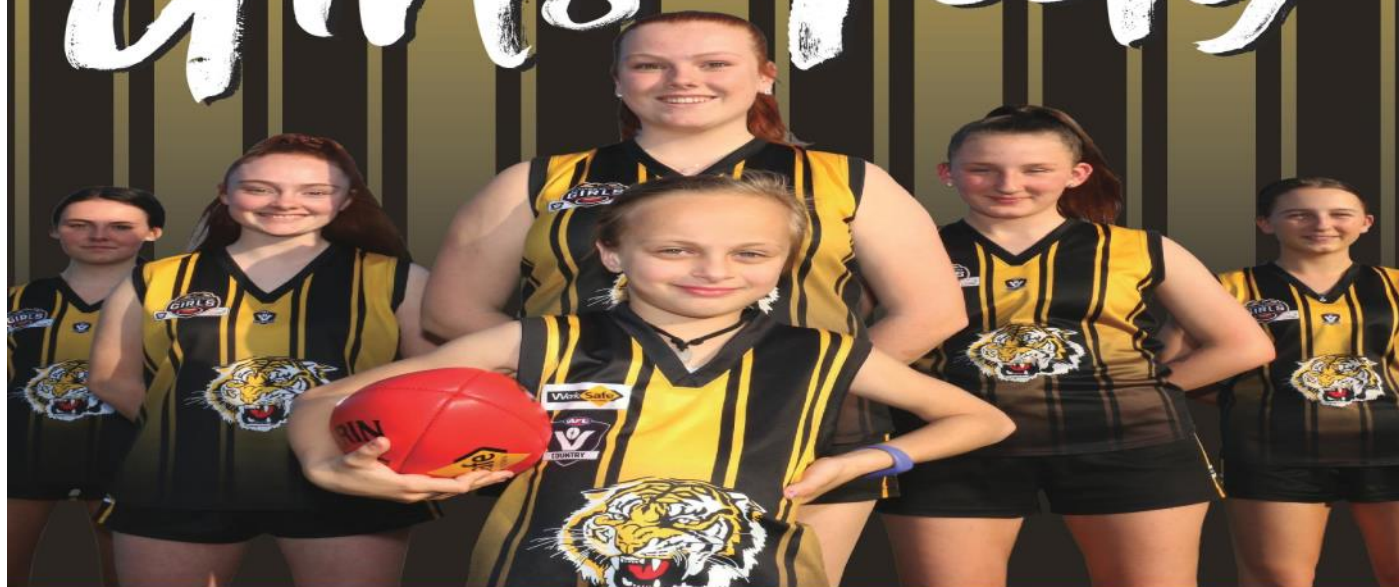
Class sizes are small so your child will receive more support from the teacher. It's also a great chance for your child to socialise with others.

We are offering our subscribers **HALF PRICE** on the first class to see if you'd like to join us each week in Term One. Simply send an e mail to [hi@artfulplodgers.com.au](mailto:hi@artfulplodgers.com.au) or call Lisa on 0430958616.

Classes running 4-5.30pm Tuesday's from 4th Feb - 23rd March (no class 10th March)



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