



# TECOMA TIMES

Tecoma Primary School Newsletter



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## TERM 4 BULLETIN

OCTOBER 2020

Welcome Back 😊



- ◆ All devices borrowed from the school to be returned this Friday (tomorrow) to the school hall from 9.30am - 1.00pm

- ◆ Uniform orders can be made and paid for through the QKR app. We will also be taking appointments if you need to come in for uniform. Times are available on Monday 12th & 19th October and Thursday 15th & 22nd October from 9.00am - 3.30pm. Please email or call the office to book an appointment.

- ◆ CSEF - if your employment has changed due to COVID-19 you may be eligible for CSEF (Camps, Sports & Excursions Fund). Please contact the office if you think this applies to you (you will need to have a Health Care / Pension Card).

- ◆ Lunch orders resume from Wednesday 14th October with Sushi Express and The Blacksmith Café. All orders to be made through **QKR** the day prior. Lunch orders are only available Wednesday - Friday each week.



- ◆ A staggered drop off and pick up will be in place for all students arriving to school:

**Surnames beginning with A-J** will need to arrive at school between **8:40 - 8:50am** each morning and be picked up at **3:20pm** each afternoon.

**Surnames beginning with K-Z** will need to arrive at school between **8:50 - 9:00am** each morning and be picked up at **3:30pm** each afternoon. (Refer to the Return to School Policy sent on School Stream Tue Oct 6th)





# STUDENT OF THE WEEK



GRADE	NAME	REASON
Prep K	Lara B	Throughout Term 3, Lara has been working very hard on her handwriting and letter formation. With the help of her Grass, Ground and Sky book, Lara is producing some beautifully written sentences, ensuring all her letters are positioned within the correct colours. Well done Lara, keep up the great work!
Prep P	All of Prep P!	CONGRATULATIONS Prep P on the wonderful job you all did in Remote Learning once again. Thank you for sending me all those wonderful recordings and videos. I have loved listening to them and watching them all. I'm REALLY looking forward to seeing you all back at school.
Prep W	All of Prep W!	Prep W, I am so proud of the way you have engaged in remote learning ever since it began in Term 2! It hasn't always been easy but you have persevered and continued to try your very best with your work! I am looking forward to having you back in the classroom next week!
1C	All of 1C!	For their incredible effort during our Remote Learning time. 1C, I am very proud of the effort you put in to your online learning. You had a go and persisted with tasks, even when you were missing school or found it tricky. Your RAT animal projects at the end of last term were AMAZING as well! You are all stars! :)
1D	All of 1D!	For the fantastic effort you put into completing the 6 R's for our Integrated topic of Sustainability this term. I am looking forward to seeing you all back in the classroom next week!
1V	Harry H	For your Rich Assessment Task about Dolphins. Harry your annotated drawings of the dolphins body parts were well done. You included some interesting information about how dolphins work together to catch their prey. Good work!
2L	Jepi S	Jepi has hit the ground running this term. He is enthusiastic about his learning and through remote learning has put his best into every activity. Jepi always records an explanation of the work he has completed and is polite, complementary and says 'I hope you have a nice day' to whichever teacher has delivered the lesson. I am looking forward to seeing you back in the classroom next week Jepi.
3/4G	Pippa N	Pippa, your participation in our Google Meets has been wonderful. You are enthusiastic in our games and we love your input during class discussions. Thank you for sharing your ideas, it has made our Google Meets enjoyable!
3/4K	Alayna A	For always doing your best with your work during remote learning, and despite having many microphone issues, always turning up to our Google Meets each morning. Thank you for your patience and persistence! Well done Alayna :-).
3/4R	Cailin N	For putting in 100% effort into her last week of remote learning. I have been very impressed by your attitude and work ethic this week Cailin, well done! You have been very active in our Google Meets and have made sure you are completing every task putting in your personal best effort. Nice work Cailin!
3/4W	Josh M	Josh is such an important member of our 3/4W community. He is always respectful of his teachers and of other students, he is willing to give everything a go and he is our resident nature guru, actively looking after the school's wildlife! It's a pleasure to teach you Josh!



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5S	Caitlin B	For demonstrating commitment to detail and personal best in all that you do. You have continued to question, discuss and extend many of our classroom ideas on our Google Meets, as well as provide detail and well thought out concepts in your remote learning. I can't wait to see this back in class, in person! You should be proud of all your effort and work during your Remote Learning journey Caitlin!
6F	Blake V	Blake has been engaged in his online learning this week, making sure to be present in all Google Meets and sending clarifying emails to assist him in his workload. Blake, you should be really proud of your self regulation this week, I know I am!
6R	Matilda M	Matilda, your work reaching out to AFLW stars to find such special videos for our Footy Day activities was amazing! You also showed great creativity in the way you completed your videos as you travelled around the world. It was a joy to watch them throughout the week.

## Art Smart Online

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## Junior Cricket 2020-21 Season

We are looking for Girls & Boys to play cricket for season 2020-21.



No Football, Basketball, Netball or Soccer this winter so why not give cricket a go this summer? Non-contact sport will be back with training to resume after October 18 and Games to start Mid November.

The FTGDCA and Cricket Victoria have been working hard to finalise the training and playing protocols and will have them ready for when we start training. Come along and discover how cricket can boost confidence, stretch your skills and grow your friendships.

We are starting a Super7's / Fast 9's side this season and are looking for players( Girls and Boys). It is an ability-based game so it's a great game to start out in, played on a Wednesday night. Maybe the Woolworths Cricket Blast program will suit you – It's a fun and active program for girls and boys of all abilities – whether its your first time with a bat or you're a backyard cricket star! If you are after competition, then our U12's side could be for you? Plays on a Friday night and are looking for players, Girls and Boys.

Our U14's play on Friday nights and are on the lookout for the next Alyssa Healy or Steve Smith so if you want a game make the journey to Chosen Avenue.

U16 cricket is a Saturday morning competition which is played hard and fair and if that sounds like what you want then we want you.

Registrations is now open.

All Enquires please contact our Junior Co-ordinator Matthew Anderson – Ph: 0412035904

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