

TERM THREE PUPIL FREE DAY

FRIDAY 25th JULY

Student Led Conferences

Children only attend for their 20 minutes conference.

TERM FOUR PUPIL FREE DAY

Monday 3rd November

Day before Melbourne Cup Day

MARK IN YOUR DIARY

Friday 5th December

TPS—Christmas Carols Picnic

WELCOME BACK!

Welcome back everyone. I hope you enjoyed your holidays and have recharged ready for a fabulous term 3. There are many special events during this term with some listed below:

- Thursday 24th July - Student Led Conference Evening
- Friday 25th July Student Conferences—pupil free day
- Friday 1st August 100 days of prep
- Thursday 7th August House Athletics Grades 4-6
- Friday 8th August Junior Maths Show P-2
- Friday 15th, 22nd & 29th August Gr 6 Body Education
- Monday 11th - 15th August Swimming - Prep—2
- Thursday 14th August - Maths Escape Incursion 3-6
- Monday 18th - 22nd August Swimming 3-4
- Thursday 28th August—Ned Show P-6
- Wednesday 3rd September Fathers Day Stall
- Friday 5th September Fathers Day Breakfast
- Friday 19th September Footy Parade, Sausage Sizzle and early dismissal 2.30pm
- Several excursions and lots more to come!!!

STUDENT LED CONFERENCES

Student led conferences start tonight from 4—7pm and all day tomorrow. Please note that students do not attend tomorrow Friday 25th July and only attend for their 20 minute conference. This conference is a chance to share your child's achievements and show how proud you are of them. We hope you all enjoy the experience.

WORK OVER THE HOLIDAYS

Oval Upgrade

Resurfacing the oval has been on our wish list for many years and we are pleased to say that works are well under way. Over the holidays Agi drains were installed and the surface prepared for top dressing and seed in the coming weeks. The oval has never looked so level. A new running track has been installed and we now just need to wait for the grass to grow! And it will be worth the wait. Our oval will be out of action for most of term 3 while the works are completed and the grass re-establishes itself. To support our students during lunch breaks we will be offering our students some extra, indoor lunch time activities and Tyabb's Got Talent.



Office refurbishment

Our office staff were very excited to arrive back to a fully refurbished office. They are enjoying getting organised in their modern new space. Gone is the pink and mustard!!! We plan to install fresh new carpets and flooring in the term 3 holidays.



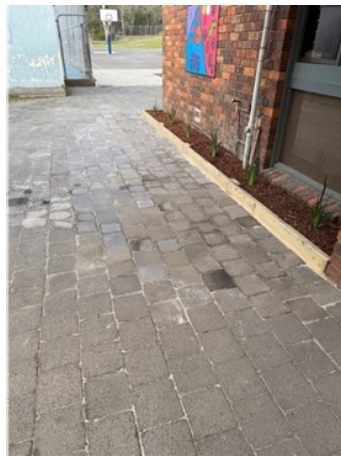
Ramp Upgrade



Ramp works are complete and are just waiting for a final inspection. Whilst they have taken a long time, we are very pleased with how they all look.

Paving repairs

Over the holidays we had a company (Exceptional Paving) in to lift and re-lay many pavers in the area around our hall. He has done a great job of levelling the area with old pavers. The area has then been finished off nicely by our maintenance man who built a new garden bed – mulching this and our rose garden.

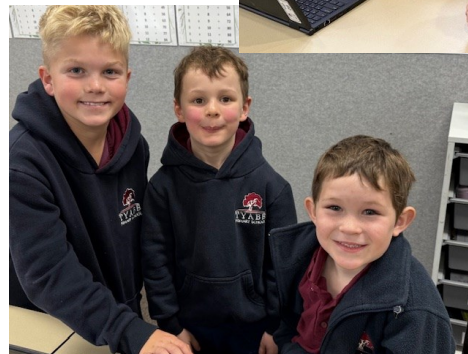


Building and grounds focus for Semester Two

- Resurfacing of artificial grass court .
- Replacement of roof over our veranda near hall and art room.
- Repair to retaining wall around BER due to termite damage.
- Replacement of all flooring in the administration block to finish the refurbishment.
- Landscaping of walkway leading up to the BER
- Resurfacing and landscaping of admin carpark.
- General maintenance as required.

BUDDIES SHARING AUSLAN STORIES

In the last week of term, I visited the BER to see our grade 5 students work with their buddies in an AUSLAN lesson with Mrs Palmer. Our grade 5 students had learnt how to use Australian sign language to tell a short story. They had recorded themselves signing the story and played it to their buddy, teaching them some of the signs as they listened. It was a fabulous buddy activity with smiles showing how much they enjoyed working together.



GRADE 5 BREAKFAST OF CHAMPIONS!!!

Peanut butter, jam and vegemite toast on last day.



What's Happening

Term 3

Please note that this page will be updated each newsletter as new events are scheduled

Events are also on the Sentral calendar

Thursday 24th July	Student Led Conference Evening 3.50-7.40pm
Friday 25th July	Curriculum Day— Students only attend their conference time
Friday 25th July	Student Led Conferences 9.00am—4.00pm
Monday 28th July	School Assembly
Monday 28th July	School Council Meeting 6pm
Thursday 31st July	Division Soccer—Selected Students
Friday 1st August	100 Days of Prep
Thursday 7th—13th August	Lamont Book Fair
Thursday 7th August	House Athletics Grade 4—6
Friday 8th August	Prep—2 Junior Maths Show Incursion
Friday 8th August	Grade 5 WPSC Experience
Monday 11th—15th August	Swimming Prep—2
Monday 11th August	School Assembly
Thursday 14th August	Grade 3—6 Maths Escape Room Incursion
Friday 15th August	Grade 6 Body Education
Monday 18th—22nd August	Swimming Grade 3—4
Friday 22nd August	Grade 6 Body Education
Monday 25th August	School Assembly
Monday 25th August	School Council Meeting 6pm
Thursday 28th August	The Ned Show Incursion—Whole School
Friday 29th August	Grade 6 Body Education
Monday 1st September	Hats On!!
Wednesday 3rd September	Father's Day Stall
Thursday 4th September	District Athletics—Selected Students
Friday 5th September	Father's Day Breakfast
Friday 5th September	Prep Father's Day Celebration
Monday 8th September	School Assembly
Friday 12th September	Prep Chesterfield Farm Excursion
Friday 19th September	End of Term BBQ & Footy Parade
Friday 19th September	Last Day Term 3— Dismissal Time 2.30pm

Supporting your child



Neurodiversity and school refusal



Join us for a morning
with Dr Billy Garvey.

Billy is a dad, podcaster,
author and developmental
paediatrician with over 20
years' experience working
with children and families.

He is passionate about helping
those who care for kids –
parents, educators, sports
coaches, clinicians, family
support workers – to guide
healthy child development
and mental health.

28 August

Peninsula Community Theatre,
91 Wilsons Road, Mornington

Session 1
11am – 12pm

Supporting
children
and young
people with
neurodiversity

Session 2
12.30–1.30pm

Supporting
children and
young people
who are school
refusing

Free event!

Bookings essential.
Book via the QR code or call:
1300 850 600

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WRITING IN 3/4A



POETRY WRITING!

At the end of Semester 1, 3/4A finished our writing unit on poetry. We analysed different styles of poetry, the language used, the structure of poems, the emotions and messages conveyed and our responses to different poetry. Using our mentor texts, 'Fire' by Jackie French and 'All the Ways to be Smart' by Davina Bell, students were exposed to high level writing and inspired to create their own poetry pieces. It was a creative and fun experience, where students were free to express themselves through the form of poetry and share their writing with their peers.

ALL THE WAYS TO BE HAPPY

Go outside with your mates
Kick the ball that's all it takes
Play some basketball score a goal
It's not that hard at all
Listen to your favourite song
Go play Footy it feels like nothing can go wrong
Go to a restaurant and eat some food
Nothing can go wrong when eating seafood.

By Ashton



All the ways to be sporty

It's raining hard all day.
It's running and chasing as you play.
It's kicking a ball through the goals.
It's such a great feeling as it goes through the poles.
It's hitting the ball over the net.
That feeling of winning a net.
I kick a ball off my boot.
And the cars all foot.
I smash the ball off my bat.
And I get some runs just like that.



ALL THE WAYS TO BE PASSIONATE

It's the love you have for your dog.
It makes your heart leap like a frog.
I dance at the flowers.
I could do it for hours.
I have many passions.
But my favourite is dressing up in wild fashions.
My children love to look all day.
While they sit in the sun and lay.

Prigons are terrible.
But you can keep them in a bottle.
I am friends with all the birds, like Cuckoo, rattle.
It's around here when the girls are looking for a fluffy fella.

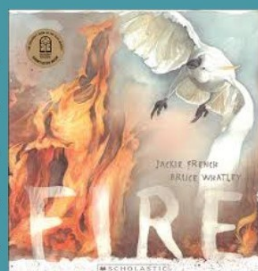
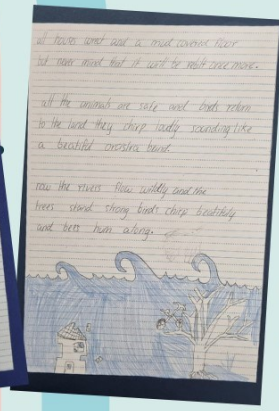
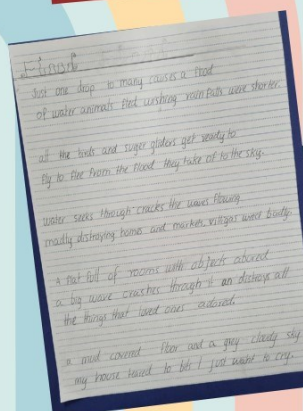
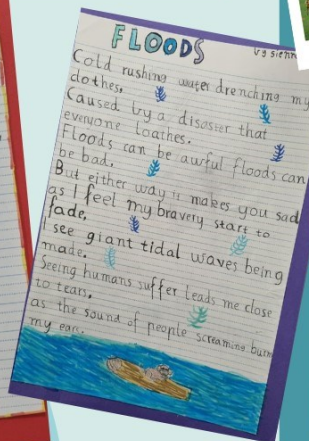
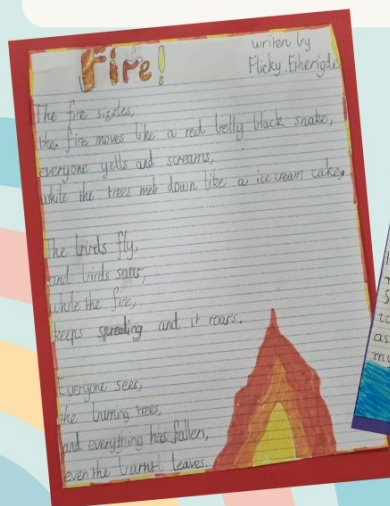


All the ways to SMILE

A smile is a drop of grace
Like a shining beam upon my face.
Every second the sun shines brighter and brighter
My smile grows a little wider.
A frown is a smile upside down.
Flip it over and wear it proud like a crown.
Friends, family, puppies and kittens.
Even just a great pair of mittens.
A smile can be big or small
Either way it shows you're having a ball.



MENTOR TEXTS





Maths: Daily Review & Whiteboards

A new initiative that has been introduced across the school this year is 'Daily Reviews'. This is 5-10 minutes at the beginning of each maths lesson where students practise skills that they have previously learned. It requires them to retrieve information from their memory which helps to secure that information into the long-term memory and embed the skill. Daily review can take a number of forms such as games, call and response, or mini-whiteboard work. The use of mini-whiteboards allows teachers to check for understanding while all children are involved in answering questions. As they say, practice makes perfect and we can already see the benefits of regularly revisiting maths skills throughout the year.

Sally Watson - Numeracy Learning Specialist



Prep Special Person Day



SPECIAL PERSON DAY



On Friday the 4th of July, the Preps had their Special Person Day! They were all very excited to welcome their special people into their classroom, to show them what they've been learning at school and participate in some fun activities together.

Thank you to all the special people for visiting, we hope you had as much fun as the Preps did.



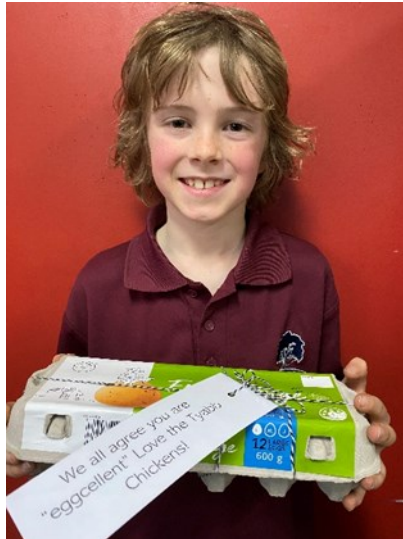
Prep Special Person Day



The dozen eggs have been awarded to Alice for her outstanding reading and reading comprehension. Alice always works to the best of her ability and is a quiet achiever in 5A, applying herself in all aspects of literacy, numeracy and inquiry learning. A thoroughly deserved recognition of her efforts.



Ollie of 3A has been awarded the Eggcellent Dozen eggs from our Tyabb Chickens. He has shown great focus and enthusiasm in Maths. He is always keen to take on new challenges and try his best. Ollie worked hard to learn the steps for solving vertical multiplication problems with two-digit numbers.



Congratulations, Jemma of 3/4A! You've been awarded the Eggcellent Dozen Eggs from our Tyabb Chickens for your fantastic listening and focus during class.



Blow out the candles,
wish away,
you are the
superstar of the day.
HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

July

PREP

Saynt
Evie
Sage
Freddy
Arlo
Bailey

GRADE ONE

Jasper
Rhylan
Cody

GRADE TWO

Luna
Oliver
Chelsie
Charlie

GRADE THREE

Emily
Zane
Zoe
Ariah
Logan
Rivah

GRADE FOUR

Stevie
Ryan
River
Quinn
Smith
Brodie
Ashton
Callum


GRADE FIVE

Zachary
Drazick
Mason
Jackson
Harry
Leah
Harper
Noah


GRADE SIX

Jack
Hallie
Simone
Lachlan
Will
Mason

Outside School Hours Care
Newsletter
25/07/2025
Tyabb Primary School



Camp Australia
Guiding Children's Growth

Your OSHC. 

Welcome Back to Term 3!

Welcome back to Term 3 – we can hardly believe how quickly the year is flying by! We hope you all had a relaxing break and enjoyed some quality time with your families. We're so excited to have everyone back and ready for another term filled with learning, creativity, and fun.

We've started the term with a festive twist by celebrating **Christmas in July!** The children have absolutely loved getting into the festive spirit. Throughout the week, they've been busy making colourful Christmas bunting to decorate our room, designing fun Christmas caravans using paper plates, and building adorable reindeer out of recycled materials.

Looking ahead, we're very excited to celebrate **National Friendship Day** next week. We'll be focusing on the importance of kindness, empathy, and building strong relationships. The children will take part in group games, friendship bracelet-making, and storytelling activities designed to promote teamwork and a strong sense of community. We'll also be encouraging children to share what friendship means to them and highlight the wonderful ways they support one another every day.

Thank you for your continued support – here's to a fantastic Term 3!

Emma, Jacqui and Jackson.




Activities coming up

- Friendship week
- Indigenous week

Make a

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Celebrate country and culture at one of Mornington Peninsula Shire's many NAIDOC week events. 6 - 13 July

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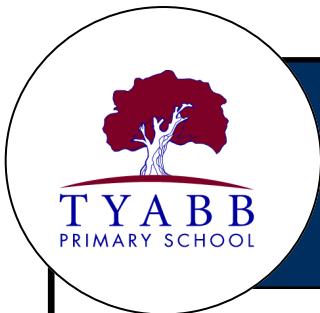
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Community News

Nominate Your Little Heroes for the St John Ambulance Victoria Champion Awards 2025!



Has a child gone above and beyond after taking part in the First Aid in Schools Program? Maybe they have stayed calm in an emergency, helped a friend in need, or even saved a life using their first aid skills?

If so, here is their chance for recognition

The St John Ambulance First Aid Champion Awards 2025 are just around the corner, and now is the time to award the next generation of first aid heroes. This award celebrates people who have made a real difference in their communities, and the children in our school might be one of them!

★ Nominate your little superhero today! It only takes a few minutes, and your student could be recognised at a special event celebrating courage, kindness, and quick thinking.

🏆 If your child is selected, the grand prize is a brand-new defibrillator! The winner can choose which organisation they would like to give the life-saving device – it could be our school community, just for sharing a story of bravery.

Let's shine a light on the amazing young people who are already making the world a safer place. 🌟

🔗 More information and enter here: www.stjohnvic.com.au/support-us/champions



Help MPKC reach a major milestone in 2025 with over 100,000 plants planted since the start of our project! With your support this season, we will again plant more than 25,000 indigenous plants and continue to expand vital koala habitat across the Mornington Peninsula.

Please register at : www.mpkkoalas.org.au/events/ or email mpkoalatreplanting@outlook.com or scan the QR code

Thank you to our sponsors:



Donations can help us plant more trees and support our koalas. Every contribution makes a difference <https://mpkoalas.org.au/donations/>

Kids' Story Writing Competition



Prep - Year 12

Entries close July 27th

Prompt:

"As I opened the letter, a ticket fell out."

Full details and entry forms can be found in store or on our website www.farrells.com.au

E-scooter Road Rules

Tougher penalties as e-scooters are made permanent.

e-scooter riders cannot

- Ride on the footpath
- Use a mobile phone while riding
- Ride while under the influence of drugs or alcohol
- Carry passengers or animals or ride in tandem
- Ride a high-speed e-scooter, one capable of more than 25 km/h
- Ride on roads that have a speed limit over 60 km/h



e-scooter riders must

- Be aged 16 years and over
- Not exceed the maximum speed of 20 km/h
- Ride only on shared paths and roads that have a speed limit up to 60 km/h
- Wear a helmet at all times
- Follow traffic rules
- Use lights and reflectors



Scan the QR code to learn more

For more information (including community language translations) visit transport.vic.gov.au/Road-rules-and-safety/E-scooter-road-rules



Youth Road Safety Fact Sheet



Whether you're biking or riding an e-scooter, follow these simple road safety tips to stay safe and have fun on the move!

MODIFIED OR PETROL POWERED BICYCLES

- Illegal.



MOTORBIKES

- To ride on or off-road it must be registered with a full or recreation registration
- Helmet must be worn at all times.



E-BIKES

- 25 km/h MAX speed
- Motor cannot provide power at speeds higher than 25km/h
- Helmet must be worn at all times
- No passengers
- Cannot be ridden on footpaths.



E-SCOOTER

- Be aged 16 yrs or over
- Max speed 20 kmph
- Helmet must be worn at all times
- No passengers
- Cannot be ridden on footpaths.



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