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SUCCESS IN A CARING COMMUNITY

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Teralba Telegraph

From the Principal's Desk – Term 3 Week 3 30th July 2012

Upcoming Events

Friday 3rd August - Paul Harragon Cup and Senior Netball Gala Day
Friday 3rd August - Book Club orders and payment due
Monday 6th – Thursday 9th August - Zone Public Speaking finals
Wednesday 8th August - P & C Meeting 7pm in the library
Friday 10th August - Canberra & Morisset excursion payments due
Friday 10th August - Yrs 5/6 - Milo T20 Cricket
Friday 10th August - Morisset & Canberra instalments due

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Mini Olympics

On Friday all the students had a great afternoon competing in the TPS Mini Olympics. We had lots of events, from skipping to basketball and javelin. It was great to see how well everybody participated and how each child got into the spirit of the games. Most classes are completing mini units on the Olympics so it was a great start to those units.

Public Speaking

The school public speaking competition will be finishing this week. I have heard a few speeches and wish to congratulate those students and the parents who helped and listened to their children. The finalists will be selected today and informed. As a school we will be listening to the finalists' speeches on Thursday at 9:00, ready for them to compete in the zone finals next week.

Netball Gala Day and Rugby League (Paul Harragon Cup)

This Friday, students from the senior class will be competing in netball and rugby league gala days. Good Luck to the students involved. Please make sure permission notes and payment (\$2 for netball) are returned to school by Thursday this week.

MORISSET/CANBERRA INSTALMENTS DUE

Please note that the next instalments for the Morisset and Canberra excursions are due by **10th August**. Morisset - \$20 due. Canberra - \$60 due. If payment by the due date is a problem for you please contact the school to discuss alternate arrangements.

Payments should be sent to school in a clearly marked envelope, or you can pay by direct deposit to the school bank account.

Mission Statement

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To provide a caring
educational
environment where
children, staff and
community work
together to strive for
excellence and
equality



Notes and Excursions

As stated earlier in the term, we have a number of events scheduled to attend this term. This means that there will be an unusually high number of notes to be returned. I apologise in advance to those families that will be inundated by those notes. All excursions and gala days are planned to give your child great experiences to enhance their educational experience. I am very mindful of the time spent away from class and am constantly monitoring the teachers' programs to ensure that all the all students are accessing a high quality and quantity education.

School Security

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Please phone

1300 880 021

to report anyone on
school grounds after
hours.

I am also very mindful of money expectations on families and I use school funds, grants and sponsored funds when possible. If parents are facing financial hardships, do not hesitate to contact the office to apply for student assistance.

Keep an eye on the newsletter for upcoming events and potential costs. The next big cost will be the school photos on 31st August and final camp payments.

SCHOOL PHOTOS - FRIDAY 31AUGUST

Envelopes for school photos are being sent home today. If you would like to order a siblings photo please request an envelope from the school office.

Payment can be made by cash, cheque or money order only. The correct amount needs to be put into the envelopes, as the photographers do not carry change.

Student Banking
Every Tuesday

**PLEASE RETURN ORDERS AND PAYMENT TO
SCHOOL NO LATER THAN THURSDAY 30TH
AUGUST.**



MORRIS GLEITZMAN

Students from years 3-6 have the opportunity to hear Morris Gleitzman speak at Warners Bay Performing Arts Centre next month. Morris Gleitzman is a very popular author of over 30 children's books. As there are other schools on a waiting list we need to have permission notes and payment in no later than **17th August** to confirm our booking.

PAYMENT OF SCHOOL COSTS

To assist with payment of school costs, if you would like to make a direct deposit to the school's account the details are as follows:

BSB 032-001

Account No 15-2985 **Account name** Teralba Public School

Please ensure your child's name is included in the reference section so that we can match the payment to the student. You can pay for excursions, text books, school fees etc in this manner.

Woolies BBQ

A HUGE thank you goes out to Megan and Vanessa for running the Woolies BBQ on Saturday. Although not as busy as the traditional Bunnings BBQ it still raised \$102.45 for our students.

P&C MEETINIG

We will have a P&C meeting on Wednesday 8th August at 7:00pm. Any agenda items can be sent through to me in the office.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Friday 17th August - Morris Gleitzman notes and payment due

Friday 17th August - Zone Athletics (track)

Monday 20th August - Zone Athletics (field)

Monday 20th – Friday 24th August - Children's Book Week and Book Fair (in library)

Monday 20th August - JD Magic Show

Tuesday 21st August - Book Week Parade (date change)

Tuesday 21st – Wednesday 22nd August - Book Fair

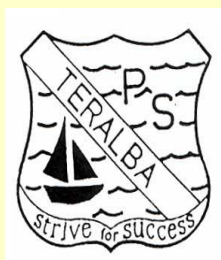
Thursday 23rd August - Small Schools Athletics Carnival

Thursday 30th August - Payment and photo orders due

Friday 31st August - School photos

Wednesday 5th September - Morris Gleitzman at Warners Bay (yrs 3-5)

Monday 10th September - Kinder 2013 Parent Information Session
5.30pm in Libray






Book A Party Now!

- Fair Play Cafe Party
- Karaoke Party
- Healthy Party
- Cupcake Party
- Extreme Climbing Party

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