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Important Dates: Term 1, 2019

27-29 March	Stage 3 Camp
29 March	Stage 2 PSSA - AusKick at Headan Park; League Tag at Ruddock Park. Games start at 11:30am. Stage 3 PSSA - Campbell Park
2 April	World Autism Day 2.20pm Years 3 – 6 Assembly K – 2 Interviews 3-7pm
5 April	Stage 2 PSSA - AusKick at Headan Park; League Tag at Ruddock Park. Games start at 11:30am.
9 April	2.20pm Years K – 2 Assembly Years 3 – 6 Interviews 3—7pm
11 April	ANZAC Service 11:30am Principals morning tea Year 6 vs Teachers game
12 April	2.30pm Easter Hat Parade Stage 2 PSSA - BYE Stage 3 PSSA finishes - Pennant Hills Oval 2

This Week's Update

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Last week we celebrated Harmony Day. This is a time to celebrate Australian multiculturalism, and the successful integration of migrants into our community.

Australia is one of the most successful multicultural countries in the world and we should celebrate this and work to maintain it.

Harmony Day is about inclusiveness, respect and belonging for all Australians, regardless of cultural or linguistic background, united by a set of core Australian values.

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The children enjoyed learning about Middle Eastern drumming. The hall was filled with cultural music and excitement.

Thank you to the SRC for their leadership in making and selling orange jelly. They raised \$564, which will be donated to School Aid.



Up Date information

If your circumstance has changed since completed school enrolment forms could you please email the office on thornleigw-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au to have this updated. For example employment, education and contact details. It is important we keep this data up to date.

ABC education

Support your children's education with engaging videos, games, competitions and other fun educational resources. Find entertaining programs, including videos that help explain the news to kids, or read thought-provoking articles about parenting and the latest education news. ABC Education is funded by the Australian Government and is non-commercial.

<http://education.abc.net.au/home#!/home>

School Uniform

School uniform promotes a sense of belonging for students and creates a positive identity for the school community. School uniforms also contribute to the personal safety of students by allowing easier recognition of students inside the school and in the community. Please see the attached TWPS school uniform requirements. A reminder that girls are not to wear leggings. We now have shorts and trousers as an option.

THORNLEIGH WEST PUBLIC SCHOOL UNIFORM GUIDE			
SUMMER FORMAL UNIFORM (Worn Terms 1 and 4)		WINTER FORMAL UNIFORM (Worn Terms 2 and 3)	
GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS
Summer Dress with white ankle socks.	Short-sleeved Shirt and Dark Navy Shorts, with dark navy ankle socks.	Long or short-sleeved Blouse (with yellow trim) and Tunic, with dark navy tights or ankle socks. School Dark Navy Fleece Jacket	Long-sleeved Shirt and Dark Navy Trousers, with dark navy ankle socks. School Dark Navy Fleece Jacket
Short-sleeved Blouse (with yellow trim) and Dark Navy Shorts with dark navy ankle socks		Long or short-sleeved Blouse (with yellow trim) and Dark Navy Trousers, with dark navy ankle socks. School Dark Navy Fleece Jacket	
School Hat	School Hat	School Hat	School Hat
Black School Shoes	Black School Shoes	Black School Shoes	Black School Shoes
SUMMER SPORT UNIFORM		WINTER SPORT UNIFORM	
GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS
Unisex Sport Polo Top and Dark Navy TWPS Sports Shorts or Navy Skort, with white sport socks.	Unisex Sport Polo Top and Dark Navy TWPS Sport Shorts, with white sport socks.	Unisex Sport Polo Top and Dark Navy TWPS Sport Shorts, Navy Skort or Trackpants, with white sport socks.	Unisex Sport Polo Top and Dark Navy TWPS Sport Shorts or Trackpants, with white sport socks.
Sport Trainers, any colour permitted	Sport Trainers, any colour permitted	Sport Trainers, any colour permitted	Sport Trainers, any colour permitted

Have a great week.

Chantal Mamo

BTeachBEd MA Creative Arts

Deputy's Message

Citizenship awards

Congratulations to our bronze and silver citizenship award recipients yesterday. You are all such wonderful assets to our school and we are proud to acknowledge your achievements.

Joe J	6C	Silver
Jonathan H	3B	Bronze
Alanna S	6C	Silver
Avalon R	3D	Bronze
Madison M	6B	Silver
William H	4LM	Bronze
Ava H	4LM	Silver
Catherine F	4LM	Bronze
Timothy G	3E	Bronze
Audrey L	5C	Bronze
Jaden K	4K	Bronze
Gemma P	4K	Silver



Aussie of the Month



The "Aussie of the Month" displays one or more of these core values:

Integrity: being honest and trustworthy

Excellence: striving for the highest personal achievements

Respect: having regard for yourself and others

Responsibility: making good choices in your actions

Cooperation: working together and supporting others

Participation: being a productive individual and group member

Care: having concern for yourself and others

Fairness: supporting honesty and justice without prejudice

Democracy: accepting and promoting rights, freedoms and responsibilities

Aussie of the Month Term One 2019

Class	Student
Rockets	Konnor B Participation and care
Stars	Oliver T Making good choices
Comets	Natalie G making good choices
K Red	Jacinta B Respect and responsibility
K Purple	Amelia R Care and Respect
K Yellow	Yusei H Respect and cooperation
K Green	James R Integrity, care and responsibility
K Blue	Sandro S Respect, cooperation and participation
1GM	Sakiyah V Responsibility and excellence
1H	Lachlan R Responsibility and cooperation
1YC	Ashton R Respect and responsibility
2L	Eva R Integrity and excellence
2A	Oscar R Integrity and cooperation
2W	Chloe L Respect and Responsibility
2CT	Liam S Responsibility and kindness

3B	Saharah B Cooperation, participation and care
3DZ	Alyssa P respect and responsibility
3E	Niamh B Integrity, excellence and responsibility
4LM	Lachlan B Fairness and participation
4K	Emma C Integrity and respect
4B	Matthew N Responsibility, care and fairness
5C	Georgia R working together and supporting others
5W	Maddie H Enthusiasm, participation and cooperation
5DS	Maddison P Respect, participation and care
6B	Lachlan A Care and respect
6C	Kiora L Cooperation and responsibility
6S	Samuel J Integrity, care and respect



Buddy Classes 2019

KR		4B
KP		3B
KY		3E
KG		2S
KB		5DS
1YC		4LM
Rockets	Stars	6B
1GM		3DZ
1H		6C
2W		5C
Comets		6S
2M		5W
2CT		4K



School Interviews

Interview bookings are now open!



Your unique code for these interviews is **z4yce**

Enter once logged on to the website schoolinterviews.com.au

You will be able to select your child's teacher from a list of teachers, check their availability and select an interview time. You will then receive an email confirmation of your booking.

The main interview day is Tuesday 2 April for years Kindergarten – year 2 and Support Unit

The main interview day for Years 3 - 6 is Tuesday 9 April.

1YC Interviews will be held in week 2 of term 2. A unique code will be published in week 11 of term for these bookings.

Teachers may have made times outside these days available (dates noted above - depending on the availability of individual teachers), so you should be able to book alternate days and times. Teachers can log on and make a time for you if you need them to, send in a note or call the teacher to arrange a time. We look forward to seeing you soon.

Bookings close Friday 29 March, ready for interviews for the last 2 weeks of term.

Easter Hat Parade



Our Easter hat parade will be held on Friday 12 April at 2:20pm.

We are asking that K-2 students bring in materials to make and decorate their hats.

Some ideas include cardboard to make a hat, a plastic hat, a hat from home to decorate or some recycled material (cleaned) to make a hat with. Suggestions for decorations include stickers, glitter glue, crepe paper, small chickens or rabbits etc.

Please start to bring items in as soon as possible, in a bag clearly labelled with your child's name.

We can't wait to begin making our wonderful creations with our buddy classes to wear on the day.

Thank you in advance from the K-2 teachers.

Kind Regards,
Julie Granville
Deputy Principal