

TEMIS

Newsletter

The Ela Murray International School

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Term 4 Week 2 Thursday, 11 October, 2018

Deputy Principal's Message

The middle school SRC have been looking at designing playground floor art for children to enjoy at recess and lunch. So far suggestions have included twister, snakes and ladders and a dartboard - we look forward to their final decision and seeing them appear and enjoyed.

Last week re-enrolment forms were sent home with the newsletter. Whilst we understand that plans may change in the coming months, we would appreciate it if you could return your current intentions by next Friday to assist us with planning for next year.

We have arranged for the department of Health to visit TEMIS next week to administer oral polio vaccine. Please see the separate letter which asks for your consent if you would like your child to received the booster.

This week several groups have been preparing for the UN assembly next Friday - come along to assembly for what is always a fantastic variety of performances.

Helen Mortimer



Bronze Certificates - Congratulations to Sana Kemp, Odette Huxley, Jesse Egan and Camari Naisau who will receive a Bronze Certificate this week at assembly.

Silver Certificates - Congratulations to Oliver David and Miguel Ochavillo who will receive a Silver Certificate this week at assembly.

News from the Curriculum Team

It has been great to see our swimming programme back under way this term, with a focus on the swim and survive programme. With the roadworks over, the ELC children have also been involved, splashing and (mostly) smiling in the water.

Peer support will continue this term, developing relationships in students from across the school. In addition to this, students from Grade 3 upwards will be learning about puberty and changes they will experience in the coming years, sessions will deal with both physical and emotional changes. A Parent Information session will be run on Thursday, 25th October at 8:15am. A letter with more information will come home to students involved next week.

You may be aware of the increasing importance of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths) in education. To help us develop our practice at TEMIS, Mr Kemp and Ms Terina head to Melbourne next week to attend a STEM conference. As well as attending conference sessions, they will be able to visit several schools to view best practice and discuss with teachers how STEM has been successfully implemented.



Parent Group News

Welcome to the first full week of the last term!! This is a busy term with lots of fun activities planned. The Grade 3/4 Cake Stall will be held on Friday, October 19th. There will be more information coming out later this week about that event!

Only 2 ½ weeks to go before our Bikipela Garage Sale and carnival. Table sales are well under way and booking fast. If you haven't booked your table yet, please see the Finance office. Additionally, please share the event, which has been posted on our TEMIS Parent Group facebook page, with your family and friends so we get a great turnout on the day for this fun annual event.

Keep your eyes on the Parent Group facebook page for the Second-hand Uniform Shop schedule. It's a great place if you need extra uniforms! If you have extras to donate, please feel free to drop them by the new Parent Group room in the old principal's office.

Please have a happy and safe weekend!!

Natalie Pidik

TEMIS Parent Group, President



Important Dates

WK 2	5/60 ASSEMBLY	FRI	12/10
WK 3	ASA START	MON	15/10
	UN CONCERT	FRI	19/10
	3/4 CAKE STALL	FRI	19/10
WK 4	PREP N ASSEMBLY	FRI	26/10
	PARENT GROUP—BIG GARAGE SALE	SAT	27/10
WK 5	GR. 3-6 CATHOLIC LITURGY	THU	1/11
	1/2G ASSEMBLY	FRI	2/11
WK 7	APEC—NO ASAS		
WK 8	STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY	MON	19/11
	TUFI GR 7/8		
	PERFORMANCE ASSEMBLY	FRI	23/11
WK 9	GRADUATION ASSEMBLY	FRI	30/11
	ASA ENDS	FRI	30/11
WK 10	MURRAY OPEN MORNING	WED	05/12
	ELC OPEN DAY	THU	06/12
	ELC CHRISTMAS CONCERT	THU	06/12
	CHRISTMAS ASSEMBLY	THU	06/12
	CHRISTMAS ASSEMBLY	FRI	07/12
	END OF TERM & LAST DAY FOR STUDENTS—FINISH AT 12 MID-DAY	FRI	07/12

Craft Market

The next TEMIS Craft Market of the year will be held at the Ela Beach site as usual on Saturday, 27th October from 7.30am to 11.30am.

Craft Market fees for 2018:

Annual stall holders - K250.00

Casual - K25.00 per market day



Use of Site

Friday, 12 October, 2018

5:00pm—6:00pm—Footy Players

Saturday, 13 October, 2018

8:00am— 4:00pm —Private Function

Sunday, 14 October, 2018

10:00am—4:00pm—Private Function
5:00pm—6:00pm— Footy Players

Newsletter by email

Parents and friends who wish to have their newsletter emailed, please advise Boio Davana on email address:

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Contact Information:

All email addresses consist of the initial of the person's first name, followed by the surname and @temis.iea.ac.pg. For example: PBaker@temis.iea.ac.pg

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Notes from You to Us

When your child is ill, late to school or out of uniform, please inform us by writing a small note to the teacher. A hard copy note ensures that the message is received and if it relates to absence, will be filed with the attendance roll which is a legal requirement around the world.