



TEMORA HIGH SCHOOL

Looking Toward the Goal

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WELCOME TO 2020

Welcome back THS students. And a big welcome to our Year 7 students and their families.

The year is off to a flying start and we have already held many successful events.

It is great to see students arriving to school each morning ready and willing to learn, and of course looking fantastic in their uniforms.

We have high expectations of all students and the THS staff are always working to help students achieve success. We look forward to celebrating many 2020 successes.



ATTENDANCE

Students are reminded that attendance is important for their Education. Students are required by law to attend school every day. If a student is unable to attend school, they need to bring in a note with the students name, date and valid reason for being absent e.g.; Dental/Medical appointment.

Students who are attending family holidays within the school terms are asked to collect an 'extended leave' request form, from the Admin Office for parents to fill out and return for Principal Approval, parents should avoid planning holidays during school terms.



SWIMMING CARNIVAL

Our annual Swimming Carnival was held Wednesday, 12th February with students being praised for their sportsmanship and efforts in each race and the overall day.

SOUTHERN SLOPES ZONE SWIMMING CARNIVAL

Students travelled to Cootamundra to participate in Southern Slopes Zone Swimming Carnival on Thursday, 20th February.

It was great to see many students qualify to represent Southern Slopes at the Riverina Swimming Carnival to be held on Monday, 2nd March 2020 at Leeton.

Want to read about more exciting events at THS – Join our FB site



Like us on
Facebook



The MORE
that you read,
the MORE things
you will know.
The MORE that you
Learn,
the MORE places you'll go.



What's coming up at THS?

February, 26th - 28th

• Year 7 Excursion -Laurel Hill

February, 28th

• Clean up Australia Day

March, 2nd

• Riverina Swimming Carnival

March, 6th

• Year 7 and 10 Vaccinations

March, 20th

• Year 11 RYDA at Wagga.



Year 7 Pool Party, Mr Hawken & Mr Pattingale.



Temora High School – 2020 SRC Members

Year 7 – Jed Davidge, Lana Pike, Marcus Reid, Charlotte Stimson

Year 8 – Toby Bowley, Zoe Harper, Hannah Holt, Emma Russell

Year 9 – Sebastian Diversi, Ellie Heidemann, Emma Lockley, Colby Scott

Year 10- Hayden Baldry, Aleiah Breust, Megan Neville, Timothy Reid

Year 11 – Freya Easterbrook, Joshua Gibson, Lucy Roberts, Damian Wells

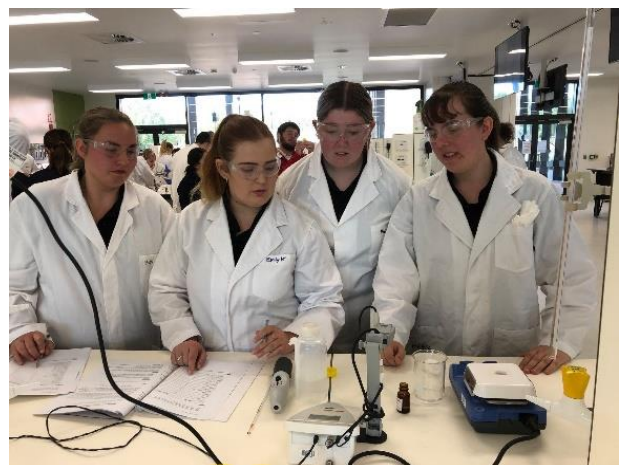
Year 12 – Ellie Cooper, Luke Tudulu, Sarah Summerfield, Emily Fogarty, John Thompson

SRC LEADERS

Mayor Rick Firman, Emily Fogarty (Treasurer), Ellie Cooper (President), John Thompson (Promotions Officer), Luke Tudulu (Vice President) Sarah Summerfield (Secretary) and Mr Pattingale



Above: Year 12 Dress up photo



Above: HSC Chemistry Study Day - Wagga

TEMORA HIGH SCHOOL CANTEEN

THE CANTEEN NEEDS YOUR HELP!

A reminder that the Canteen is currently closed on Wednesdays due to the lack of Volunteers.

The School Canteen is run by the P&C for the students and staff, with all the profits going back into the school. The Canteen is very low on volunteers, and we are doing our best to stay open four days a week.

If you are able to help at all, please contact our P&C.

Sarah Lennon (President) 0427303336

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Phones at School.

Inappropriate use of a mobile device includes:



USING IT IN A WAY THAT DISRUPTS OR MAY DISRUPT LEARNING OR INTERFERE WITH THE OPERATION OF THE SCHOOL



BULLYING, INTIMIDATING OR HARASSING OTHERS THROUGH SMS OR TEXT MESSAGING OR THROUGH PHOTOGRAPHIC, VIDEO OR OTHER DATA TRANSFER SYSTEM AVAILABLE ON THE PHONE



RECORDING OF CONVERSATIONS, WITHOUT THE KNOWLEDGE AND PERMISSION OF THOSE INVOLVED IN THE CONVERSATION



FILMING OF FIGHTS OR OTHER CRIMINAL BEHAVIOUR INVOLVING STUDENTS THAT OCCUR AT SCHOOL, DURING SCHOOL ACTIVITIES OR WHILE ON THE WAY TO OR FROM SCHOOL



USING IT IN A WAY THAT THREATENS OR IS LIKELY TO THREATEN THE SAFETY OR WELLBEING OF ANY PERSON



DOWNLOADING OR OTHERWISE ACCESSING INAPPROPRIATE MATERIAL ON THE INTERNET SUCH AS CHILD ABUSE OR PORNOGRAPHIC OR OTHER OFFENSIVE MATERIAL

MOBILE PHONE AND DEVICE FACT CHECK

Is school considered a private or a public place?	PRIVATE
Is it okay to photograph or film other people at school?	NO
Is it okay to photograph or film myself or others in my school uniform, even when not at school?	NO
Is it okay to use my phone in class without the permission of my teacher?	NO
Are there serious consequences for sharing photographs or video taken at school with others or to social media?	✓
Does the school have the right to confiscate my phone/device if I have used it inappropriately?	✓
Can my phone/device be confiscated and handed to the police if the school suspects it contains inappropriate photos or videos?	✓

Community News



Schools, sporting clubs, youth groups, and other organisations involved in supporting young people up to the age of 25 years, can now apply for a Murrumbidgee Youth Community Grant to receive funding for activities aimed at building resilience and positive mental health and wellbeing.

The initiative is part of Murrumbidgee Primary Health Network's (MPHN), Federal Government Empowering Our Communities funding to support mental health and wellbeing in the region's drought affected communities.

The Murrumbidgee Youth Community Grants have two funding levels, up to \$1,500 where a simple 250-word overview of the activity and a basic budget is required to apply. The next level is for grants of more than \$1,500 and up to \$5,000, which will require a 500 word overview and a more detailed budget and quotes. Application to approval of funding should take no more than two weeks.

Grant applications close on Friday, 27 March 2020 or when funding is exhausted. All grant activities must be complete by 30 June 2020.

If you or someone you know is experiencing a mental health emergency should call the Mental Health Line 1800 011 511, Lifeline 13 11 14 or call 000. Or to access the Head to Health website visit www.headtohealth.gov.au

For more information about the Murrumbidgee Youth Community Grants visit www.mphn.org.au or follow Murrumbidgee Primary Health Network on Facebook or Twitter



Become a volunteer ethics teacher

Do something life-changing this year

Teach ethics at your local school



For around an hour a week, you can teach an ethics class at your local school and help children develop skills for life.

Ethics classes support children to develop the skills they need to voice their opinions, consider the ideas of others and to make decisions based on evidence and reasoning rather than habit or peer pressure.

In ethics classes, children discuss ethical issues using an approved curriculum designed for each age group and include topics such as Laziness, Voting, How can we work out what's true? and Imagining how others feel.

Volunteers are needed now to teach ethics classes at a school near you. Training and support is provided.

Only about an hour a week

Find out more at
PrimaryEthics.com.au

TEMORA YOUTH TEAMS 2020

PHONE MEL ON 0418 357 230

Leadership Team

Meet every second Monday during the Term at Platform Y from 4pm - 5pm

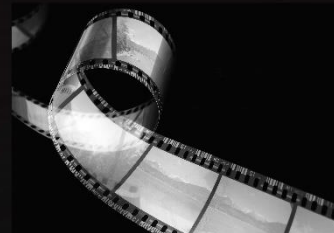


Hospitality Team

Meet every Thursday and Friday at Platform Y from 4pm - 5.30pm

Cultural & Performing Arts Team

Meet every Wednesday at Platform Y from 4pm - 5.30pm



Gaming Team

Meet every Friday at Platform Y from 4.30pm - 6pm

