Principal’s News:

**Book Week:** We look forward to seeing you at another fantastic Book Week Parade on Friday morning to celebrate the excellent stories written and illustrated by our Torquay College students. The winners will be announced at 9am during the Parade on Friday morning. Thanks to Kathy and Lesley for also providing such wonderful book week speakers to motivate our students to be great writers.

**2017 enrolments:** Please ensure that you have enrolled any siblings for preps next year. As places are now tight at our school we need to ensure that all families live within Torquay and Jan Juc boundaries. Please advise the office as soon as possible if your children will not be attending Torquay College in 2017 as this will provide additional places for new families.

**Sport Colours-Casual Dress day Friday September 16th:** Students are invited to support the State School’s Relief Appeal by donating a gold coin when they wear their favourite sports team colours on the last day of term.

**CISV Mini Camp this weekend:** We have the opportunity to send a delegation to a CISV village in 2017. A delegation consists of two boys and two girls aged 11 with a leader (teacher). A village is an educational program attended by children and leaders from twelve countries for a month during July or January school holidays. Any children interested are invited to attend the Mini-camps for initial preparation, selection and delegation training to represent Australia.

**School Photos:** Most have been completed but Michael Reed will be returning on August 29th to cover any students who were absent last week. Michael does a fantastic job at our school in working around timetable commitments and staff needs. We thank him for the support he gives to the school.

**Father’s day stall:** P&C provide our students with the opportunity to select a gift for their dads. Items that are good value for money will be available from $1 to $5 on Friday morning 2nd Sept in the Presentation Room. Thanks to the wonderful volunteers who ensure that our students are helped to select their choice of gifts.

Pam Kinsman, Principal
Dear School Community Members,

**Student Led Conferences**

Almost sixty percent of our families have made a booking for the up-and-coming Student Led Conferences on Thursday 1st September. If you are yet to book a time, it’s not too late, and it’s not too difficult. Information was sent home last week on how to book online. Please contact the office if you have any difficulties or questions. Vocational Care is available on this day – please contact the After School Care team to secure a place on 52 61 0946.

**Kinder to Prep Transition Program**

Please find attached a flyer for all new Foundation families with the key transition dates. We are hoping that our new Foundation students will be able to attend all relevant sessions. Newly enrolled families will have received these dates in the mail.

**NAPLAN – Yr 3 and Yr 5**

Parents/carers with students in Yr 3 and 5 will have received their child’s NAPLAN report on Monday 22nd August. These tests were conducted over 3 days in May where the students were placed in examination conditions. Please keep in mind the NAPLAN report reflects a ‘snapshot’ result at a point in time. The parent report provides results for your child’s performance in Reading, Writing, Language Conventions and Numeracy.

We encourage parents to make an appointment with their child’s teachers if you wish to discuss the NAPLAN outcomes.

**Torquay College App**

Communication is a vital aspect of developing the home-school partnership. For the many families who have recently enrolled their child at Torquay College, we encourage you to download the Torquay College ‘App’.

Most of our communication occurs through this App. Instructions on downloading the App are detailed on page 11.

Thank you for supporting our school and have a great week.

Kind regards, Christian Smith and Jo Loader

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**University Of NSW Assessments**

Torquay College would like to congratulate the 36 students who participated in the University of NSW Writing Assessment. Our students achieved 2 Distinctions, 12 Credits, 5 Merits & 17 Participation certificates.

In particular we would like to recognise the achievements of two children who gained Distinctions:

*Agnes Ambrose scored the top 5% of year 5 participants in Australia and*

*Lylah Jones scored the top 9% of year 3 participants in Australia.*

And to the following children who gained Credits:

*Piper – top 15% of year 3 participants in Australia*

*Bronte - top 25% of year 3*

*Leila – top 14% of year 4*

*Jessica and Finn - top 22% of year 4*

*Harper and Cohen top 32% of year 4*

*Georgie - top 23% of year 5, Tyler and Noah - top 32% of year 5*

*Melody - top 19% of year 6 & Arthur - top 27% of year 6*

*Children also received a Merit / Participation certificate.*

Yvette Swan
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# Torquay P-6 College

## 2017 Foundation Transition Sessions

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| Pre Prep Screening   | **Wednesday, 26th October**  
|                      | 11.00am – 12.30pm Immersion Day for Torquay Kinder children |
| Transition Session 2 | **Tuesday, 15th November**  
|                      | Timetabled sessions for all 2017 Foundation students involving a 1 hour language and fine motor screening. Times will be sent out prior to the day. |
|                      | **Monday, 21st November**  
|                      | 9.00am – 10.30am One-Up Day for Jan Juc, Montessori and other Kinder children |
|                      | **Monday, 21st November**  
|                      | 11.00am – 12.30pm One-Up Day for Torquay Kinder children |
| 2017 Foundation Information Sessions | **Monday, 21st November**  
|                      | **Session 1: 9.00am – 10.30am  
Session 2: 11.00 – 12.30am**  
2 sessions for Foundation families to learn about our school and the Foundation program. There will be tea and coffee and an opportunity for families to mingle with other school families. |
| Transition Session 3 | **Tuesday, 6th December**  
|                      | 9.00am – 12.30pm Orientation Day for all kinder children attending Torquay College in 2017 to meet their new teacher and classmates. This is the designated orientation day across most Victorian Primary & Secondary schools. |

To allow for a smooth transition, we are hoping that our new students will be able to attend all relevant sessions.

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Sayembara Lisan (Indonesian Speaking Competition)
and
Hari Kemerdekaan (Indonesian Independence Day)

On the 17th August Indonesia celebrated its 71st year of Independence. As part of this celebration over 100 Torquay College students participated in an Indonesian Speaking Competition. It was fantastic to see the students test out their language skills with the help of parent volunteers Bu Sara, Bu Caitlin and teachers Pak Bimo, Bu Nicole Wearne and Bu Sally Rantall. Terima kasih banyak!

A huge congratulations to all the students who participated. Many students attained very high scores and four students in particular received perfect scores.

Congratulations to:

Foundation - Georgie Vague in FC7
Year 1 - Griffin Harris in 1B7
Year 3 - Sienna McCumber in 3R10
Year 5/6 - Euan Gentle in F6

Many classes got to experience some of the crazy games that Indonesian people play with their neighbours during the Independence celebrations. One of these was the dancing with a partner holding a balloon between your heads and not letting it fall. Another was like an egg and spoon race but carrying a marble and the spoon in your mouth!

Selamat Hari Kemerdekaan Indonesia,

Terima kasih - Bu Kylie Nam (Indonesian teacher)
Library News:

Book Week Celebrations

This week is a very special week at Torquay College.
We have some outstanding guest speakers lined up:
Foundation, Year 1 & 2, was held on Tuesday 23rd August in the Library. Sue DeGennaro
Years 3 & 4, Wednesday 24th August in the Library. Sherryl Clark
Years 5 & 6, Thursday 25th August in the Presentation Room. Morris Gleitzman

Morris has kindly offered to sign books (no hats or pieces of paper though, sorry). To save time you can drop them in to the Library on Wednesday, he will then sign some before his presentation (at 9.30).

We have also designed some special activities based on some of the CBCA Shortlisted Books.
Foundation are doing "The Cow Tripped Over the Moon".
Years 1 and 2 "Piranhas Don't Eat Bananas".
Year 3: "Ollie and the Wind".
Year 4: "Piranahs"
Year 5/6 "Suri’s Wall".

We are all looking forward to the dress up parade on Friday, when we will also announce the winners of the Torquay College Book Week story entries. Hope to see lots of families there.

Happy Book Week.
Kathy and Lesley.

BOOKCLUB is coming home this week and is due back to school on the 25th August.
Unfortunately we cannot take any orders after this time. Thanks for your continued support.
Please make sure your child’s name and class is on the order form.
Inspired by the Rio Olympics, 95 Torquay College students travelled to Landy Field where they each put on a stunning display at the City to Surf District Athletics. Such was the performance of the students they were able to capture the trophy as the overall winners for the day. Great job Torquay College athletes!!
The students will start new recipes this week, we are going to be cooking an Indian theme menu including Aloo Gobi (potato and cauliflower curry) Indian flat Bread, Vegetable Samosa, Cucumber and Yogurt Raita and a Lentil Salad.

We also have potted strawberry plants for sale $2.00 each or 6 for $10.00, please see Terri in the café if you would like to purchase some of our amazing strawberry plants.

Please keep sending in excess produce from your garden we will use it in the cooking classes and it keeps the cost down in running the program.

Thanks to all our wonderful volunteers, if you would like to volunteer please call Terri on 5261 0906, you just need a Working with Children check which is available online at no cost.


Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden Update

Geelong Legacy have the following items for sale at school to raise funds to assist the widows and children of deceased ex-service personnel.

Thank you for supporting this worthy charity.

Junior School Council members will visit classrooms selling:

Red Badge $2    Wristband $2    Pen $3.00

Colt of 6F1 was busy making lemon butter.
Aloo Gobi

**Fresh from the garden:** cauliflower, onions, potatoes, tomatoes

**Recipe source:** Adapted from *Leith’s Indian and Sri Lankan Cookery* by Priya Wickramasinghe (Bloomsbury London, 1997)

This is a popular dry curry from Bengal. It’s quite common to add a small amount of sugar to Bengali curries, to balance the acidity of the tomatoes and spices. Taste the curry and feel free to leave it out if you wish.

**Equipment:**
- large knife
- small knife
- chopping board
- metric measuring spoons and cup
- large saucepan with lid
- large spoon for cooking
- small frying pan
- mortar and pestle
- small and medium bowls

**Ingredients:**
- 100 g potatoes (about one large potato), washed and chopped into cubes
- ½ onion, peeled and chopped
- 1 cauliflower, washed, trimmed and cut into florets
- 4 ripe tomatoes, chopped
- 2 tsp cumin seeds
- 2 tsp coriander seeds
- 2 tbsp oil or ghee
- 1½ tsp black mustard seeds
- 1 tsp turmeric
- 1½ tsp garam masala
- 3 cm piece fresh ginger, peeled and grated
- 1 tsp sugar
- ½ tsp salt, or to taste
- 125 mL water
- fresh coriander to garnish

**What to do:**
1. Prepare the vegetables as above and set them aside in bowls.
2. Toast and grind the cumin and coriander, setting them aside in a small bowl.
3. Place the large saucepan on low heat and add the oil or ghee.
4. When the oil is hot, add the mustard seeds.
5. Cover the pan with a lid and allow the mustard seeds to cook until you hear them pop!
6. Add the cubed potatoes and the chopped onion. Fry until lightly browned.
7. Add the turmeric, cumin, coriander and garam masala and fry for a few seconds (not long!) until you smell the spice fragrance.
8. Add the cauliflower florets and stalks. Stir well to mix.
9. Add the grated ginger and the sugar.
10. Add salt to taste.
11. Add the chopped tomatoes and the water. Turn up the heat and bring to the boil, before lowering the heat again and simmering, with the lid on, for about 15 minutes.
12. Taste and check the seasoning again before serving.
13. Garnish with fresh coriander leaves.
‘Torquay College / China Exchange Fundraiser - Silent Auction’

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Bidding Sheets Located at School Office
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Last Bids 3pm Friday 26th August

Happy Bidding!

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ResourceSmart Schools Awards 2016

Torquay P-6 College - www.torquaycollege.vic.edu.au
Third Silent Auction Prize

Gourmet Brands Hamper Value $130
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Gourmet Brands sources many ingredients from the Yarra Valley in Victoria and specialise in a range of cheese condiments and known for its fruit pyramids, cracker thins and seed crisps. They distribute these goods throughout Australia and export as well. Kindly donated by Vicki Richards from Gourmet Brands.

The AWARE Project presents EMBRACE on the Surf Coast
September the 6th at 7pm
Australian National Surfing Museum
77 Beach Road Torquay
CISV MINI CAMP
“Sustainable Living”

DATE: 26th – 28th August 2016
VENUE: Eumeralla Scout Camp, Anglesea
AGE GROUP: 9 years old and over

Activities include:
- Junior Branch activities
- Team work
- Cultural diversity
- Discovering diversity, conflict and resolution, human rights, and sustainable development.

Time:
Arrival time: Friday 6 – 6.30 pm (please have dinner before arriving)
Pick up: 12noon Sunday

What to Bring:
Homemade cake/slice to share
Fruit to share
Sleeping Bag
Pillow
Towel and Bathroom Stuff
Clothes
Rain jacket
Torch

Interested Friends!

COST: $110 ($90 for current members, additional family members of those holding a current CISV family membership cost only $60 each!)

Contact victoria@au.cisv.org for a registration form.
Registrations and payment due no later than Friday 12th August 2016

CISV Victoria
– Building global friendship –

Other CISV Programmes Include:
Village 11yrs
Interchange 12 – 15 yrs
Step Up 14-15 yrs
Seminar Camp 17 – 18yrs
Youth Meeting 12-19+ yrs
International People’s Project 19+yrs
Mosaic All Ages
Junior Branch 11-25yrs
Join us for afternoon tea with the Mayor in support of Daffodil Day

Daffodil Day, 26 August, 2.30pm to 3.30pm Council Chambers 1 Merrigig Drive, Torquay

RSVP for catering purposes by Friday 19 August to Gilly Hughes on 5261 0566 or community@surfcoast.vic.gov.au

Daffodil Day merchandise is available for purchase from Council Offices, your local ISSA or general store.

BE INFORMED

Body Confident Children & Teens
Information for Parents & Community Members

Every year, since its inclusion in 2006, body image has been one of the top three areas of personal concern for young people (Mission Australia, Youth Survey)

When: Wednesday 31st August, 7pm – 8.30pm
Where: Surf Coast Secondary College, 75 White St, Torquay

What: An interactive presentation focused on how to better support children and/or teen’s body confidence during puberty and adolescence.

Topics covered include:
- Background on body image and importance of prevention
- Brief overview of eating and body-related issues and warning signs
- Key influences on body confidence
- Importance of role modeling positive body image and healthy behaviours
- Understanding ‘Fat Talk’ and handling ‘stuff’ they say
- Awareness around behaviours that increase or decrease body satisfaction
- Referral and support information
- Please note, this session does not cover dealing with body image

No cost involved but bookings essential

To book online: thebutterflyfoundation.org.au > Education > For Parents

More information: Helen.bird@thebutterflyfoundation.org.au 02 8456 3008

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IGA Community Rewards

Currently most of our school families have IGA key tags to donate points to the school fundraising total. This year we are doing really well with over 2000 points collected so far. Please ask for a key tag if you are currently not collecting points at IGA. The friendly staff at IGA can assist in registering your card. Every time

The Reptiles are Coming!
Have a WILD day. See & touch live Snakes, Lizards and Crocodiles!
Are you up to the challenge?

The ANGAIR Wildflower Weekend
3 McMillan St, Anglesea
17-18 September 10 am - 4 pm

JUNIOR CRICKET @ JJCC

Jan Juc will be fielding teams in all junior age divisions for season 2016/17. Including Milo in2 Cricket (5-8yrs)
To sign up or register for any junior cricket please visit our website. Or call Junior Co-ordinator Lachie Ayton - 0402 489 097
We will also be holding a season launch family day on Sunday 25th September. Visit website for more info or find us on Facebook to keep updated with everything happening at Jan Juc Cricket club

www.janjucsharks.org.au
facebook.com/janjucsharks

LOST - A brand new UMBRO white soccer ball. If found please return to the school office.