



**Diary Dates**

**September**

- Fri 17<sup>th</sup> – Last Day of Term Three

**October**

- Mon 4<sup>th</sup> – First Day of Term Four

Good afternoon everyone. Well done on getting through another week of remote learning. We know that school is scheduled to return to on site learning next Friday, however this is all dependent on numbers in the community.

We'll continue to have our teachers online each day and Sam and Natalie's Science and Art on Thursday and Friday too. One new addition next week will be an online Library session on Monday. Our Library teacher

for the remainder of the term is Katie (Mrs Russell is on leave), who the students have all met. Katie will be holding her first session on Monday at 11.30am. A link will be published on Seesaw.

We look forward to seeing you all online on Monday morning.

**A Message from Lydia and Beth**

As you are all aware our beloved Junior playground is in the process of being pulled down. Hopefully one day it will be replaced with a new and improved playground. This has given us the idea to hold a 'design a playground' competition.

This competition is open to all grades at Hesket. There will be a winner from each class. The winners will be those that create the most imaginative, creative and most of all fun looking playground.

- You can draw, paint, or build your playground out of any materials you find at home.
- Be as innovative and visionary as you like.
- Remember this is your ideal playground perhaps not one that is possible in real life but one that is possible deep in your imagination.



Happy creating and we look forward to seeing your masterpieces, Beth and Lydia.

Another project that Lydia has quietly been planning is a Student Leadership group, made up of students who have ideas they'd like to implement around the school. Lydia is also excited for this group to think about their local community and what fundraising ideas they may have to help others who may be in need.

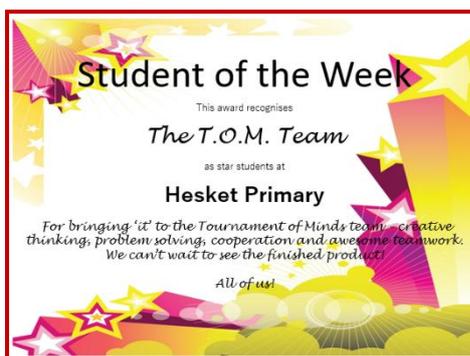
There will be more conversations about this, just as soon as we are back at school.

**Enrolments – Tours Postponed**

I have continued to have much interest in Hesket for 2022 Prep enrolments with a wonderful group of children enrolled for next year, clearly being our biggest cohort in the school. If you know of families within the community who are considering Hesket for their child next year, please encourage them to call or email me [seona.aulich@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:seona.aulich@education.vic.gov.au) to make a time for a tour. We hope that these restrictions are lifted soon so that tours may resume, and our kinder transition sessions can proceed, later in Term Four.



## Students of the Week



This week we have decided to give an award to our entire Tournament of Minds team, who spent last Saturday, (just before our lock down) at school, filming a 10-minute movie that reinvents the classic tale of Alice in Wonderland. The team's movie ended up being exactly 9 minutes and 58 seconds; it's clever and entertaining and we can't wait for you all to see it!

Our second award goes to Zoe whose certificate reads, "For giving up so much of your time to coach the Tournament of Minds team. This fantastic experience wouldn't have happened without you – thank you so much!" Thank you again Zoe.

We hope that we're all back at school next week and our winners from last week: Charlie, Chase and Harvey all have their turn of hosting assembly.

Enjoy some photos of Science and Art this week. If you have any great photos from home learning, please send them through so we can add them to the newsletter.

