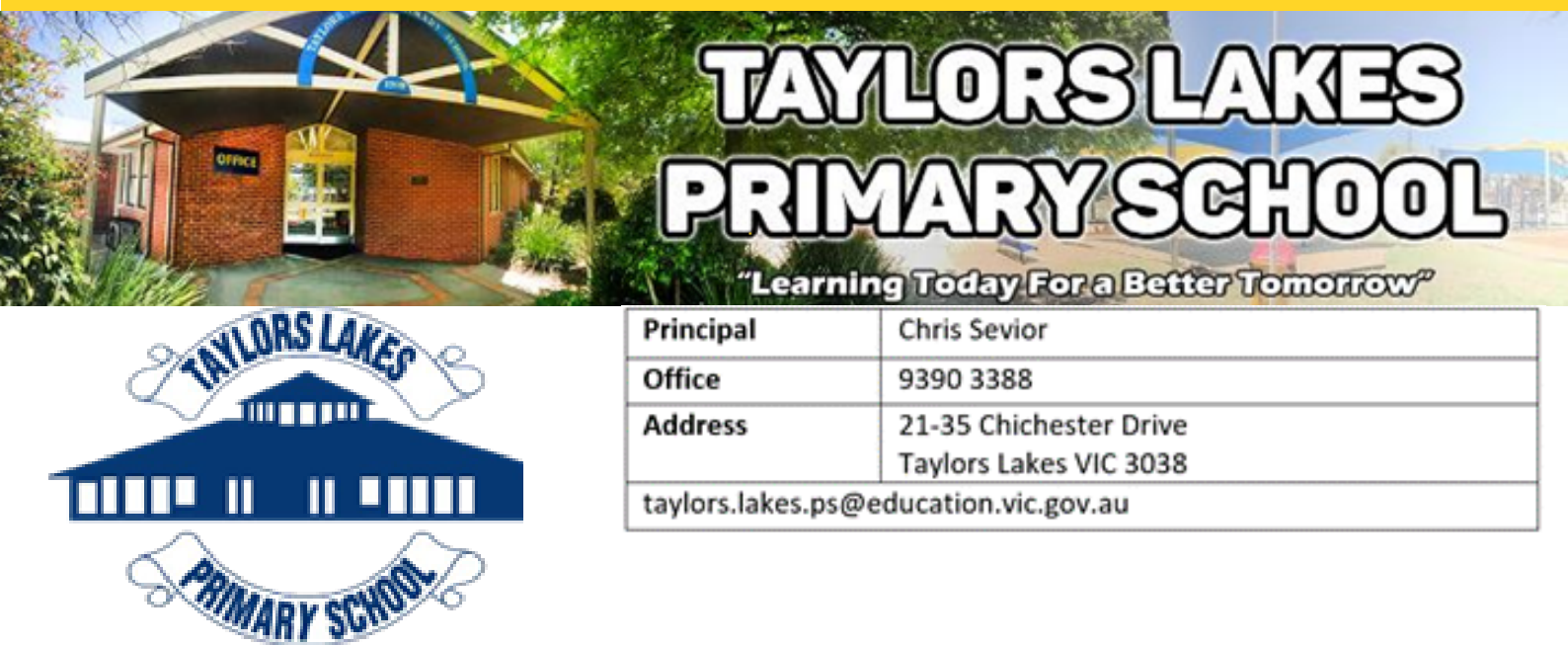




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A message from the Principal

Dear parents,
The term has started well and everything is quite settled.
This is a short term but like always, we will be very busy and work hard!

Parent Forum
We will run a parent forum on Wednesday August 20th at the classroom in the hall.
I will go through our school NAPLAN results and discuss 2026 planning.

NAPLAN
Our school have received our school NAPLAN results and I am very pleased. Our students and teachers should feel very proud of themselves and I think the results are a reflection that hard work pays off. I will present our NAPLAN data in full detail when the state and national averages are available.

School Tours
I am amazed at how many school tours for 2026 I am already completing. If you are an existing parent at our school all you need is to come to the office and pick up an enrolment form for a younger sibling to be enrolled. For all new prospective parents, we ask that you call the school on 9390 3388 and book a time for a school tour.

Book Week
Book week is beginning in two weeks time. We will be having our annual book week parade on August 18th in the school hall starting at approximately 9.10am. On this day, we encourage children to dress up as a character from a book and bring a gold coin donation to purchase additional books for our library. A lot of our teachers will dress up as well as decorate our classroom doors in recognition of book week. We are hoping to see many of our parents at our book week parade. It will be the first book week parade in our new hall.



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Christmas Stalls

Our school is investigating have a Christmas fete this year. We are looking for interested stall owners. If you or you know anyone who may want to run a stall at our fete please email our school at taylors.lakes.ps@education.vic.gov.au. Our fete would be on a Friday afternoon and would run predominantly out of school hall and basketball area.

Father's Day Stall

Our annual Father's Day stall will take place on Thursday September 4th and Friday September 5th. We are looking for parents volunteers for the stall. Please email the school or send a message on compass if you would like to help out.

Open Classroom

We will be having an open classroom afternoon on Thursday September 4th at 2.10pm to celebrate Father's Day. We would like to see as many Dads or Grandfathers in the classrooms as possible but if they cannot make it Mothers are of course welcome!

Regards Chris.



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Term Dates 2025	
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Term 4	6/10—19/12



T.L.P.S 2025 Calendar

August

- 14th Casual Clothes Day
- 18th Book Week Parade
- 21st Creepy Crawlies Incursion - Foundation
- 27th District Athletics Carnival

September

- 4th Father's Day Open Afternoon
- 4th - 5th Father's Day Stall
- 11th Werribee Zoo Excursion – Grade 1
- 18th Casual Clothes Day
- 19th Last Day of Term 3 - 2.30pm finish

October

- 6th Term 4 Begins
- 15th Casual Clothes Day
- 17th School Disco

November

- 3rd Whole School PPD Day - Pupil Free Day
- 4th Melbourne Cup Public Holiday- Pupil Free Day
- 7th Casual Clothes Day
- 13th Colour Run
- 24th Grade 6 Swimming Program Begins – One Week Program

December

- 5th Christmas Concert + Fete
- 11th Grade 6 Big Day Out
- 12th Casual Clothes Day
- 17th Grade 6 Graduation
- 18th Last Day of Term 4- 2.30pm finish
- 19th Curriculum Day - Pupil Free Day

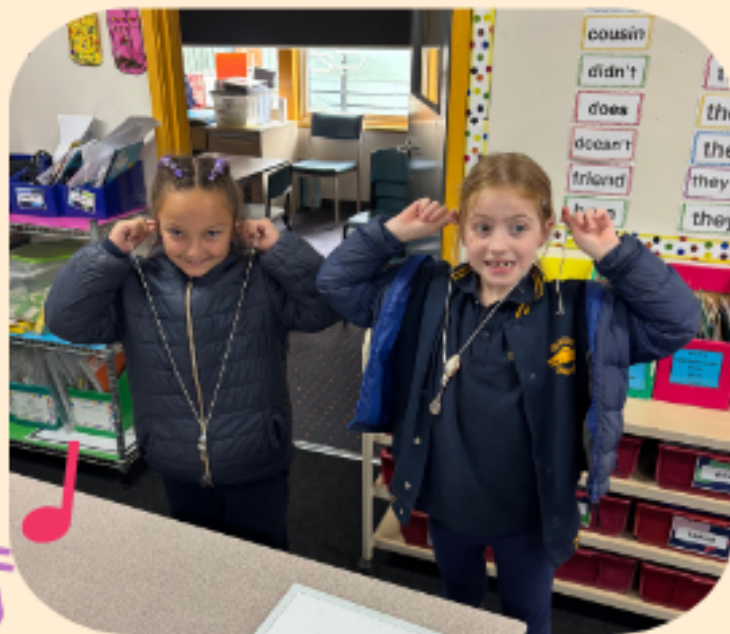


GRADE 2



SOUND & LIGHT INCURSION

Our Grade 2 students recently enjoyed an exciting Sound and Light Incursion, where they explored how we see and hear through fun, hands-on activities. Students investigated how light travels, reflects, and refracts. They also discovered how sound moves through different objects. It was a fantastic day of discovery, curiosity, and learning through real-world experiments.







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ADULTS 15+: 7:15PM-8:30PM



STARTING APRIL 29

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