

Farmborough Road Public School Newsletter

TERM 4 WEEK 3 2016

PHONE: 4271 1133

TRIVIA NIGHT

29th October

**DONATIONS
NEEDED
FOR HAMPERS!!**



Merinda's
Assembly

*Swimming
Scheme
now
offered to
all Stage 2
students!*



For Your Calendar

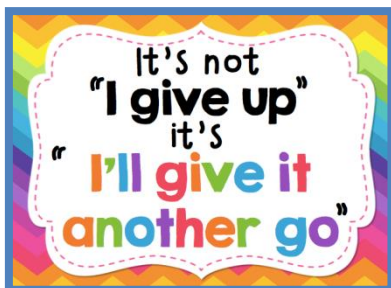
- 25/10 P&C Meeting – 7pm in the staffroom.
- 27/10 Day 1 – Kindy Orientation 2pm – 3pm in the Library.
- 27/10 SCHOOL PHOTO DAY!
- 27/10 K-6 Assembly – Presented by both Matong & Coolangatta – 2pm
- 29/10 TRIVIA NIGHT!!!
- 7/11 Stage 1 Excursion – Science Centre.



TUESDAYS



GROWTH MINDSET



Remember that our brain is a muscle, and it is continually growing. We must remember we can grow our abilities through practice and the gift of being able to learn from one another, as we are all born with different strengths. It is a gift to learn from one another.

Silver Afternoon Tea... **Friday 28th October**

I have handed out the invites for the afternoon tea this Friday. If your child has been invited they are welcome to come in Mufti on that day. Only students with an invite can attend. We will be holding an afternoon tea nearly every week this term so no one will miss out. Parents are asked to assist students in keeping merit cards together in a safe place so that the office can be informed when they have reached a specific merit.

P&C Meeting Tonight...

Our first P&C Meeting of the term will be held tonight at 7:00pm in the staffroom. As usual the jug will be on with some nice biscuits to share. Looking forward to meeting with new members.

Lock out...

We currently have some students who require additional support in settling into school for this term so until further notice the school gates will be locked again from 9:15am until 2:45 pm each day. If you need access to the school please either ring the school phone number 42711133 or use the door bell we have installed when you reach the middle gate directly opposite the crossing. We will come up and let you in. We appreciate your support in keeping our students safe.

Enrolments...

We are starting to look ahead to 2017. If you know anyone who is yet to enrol their child for Kinder please encourage them to do so as soon as possible to ensure they are able to attend our Kinder Orientation Sessions. Also, if you are moving out of the area and changing schools please send a message through to the office. This will enable us to determine class sizes and staffing to ensure a smooth start to 2017.



Onward
and
Upward

Email: farmborord-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au
Website: www.farmborord-p.schools.nsw.edu.au



School Photos...



Thursday 27th October, 2016. Photo envelopes were sent home last term. Please read the instructions carefully on how to make payments. You can return payment envelopes with correct money to the office prior to the day of photos. Sibling photo envelopes can be collected from the office.

Kindergarten Orientation – Day 1...

Our first kindergarten orientation session is this Thursday, 27th October from 2pm to 3pm in the library. We look forward to meeting all our new kinder students. Please see the attached flyer for more information.

See you around the playground!

Pam Grosse

Principal

**See attached
Order Form!**

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BOOK CLUB...



Book Club brochures were sent home last week. Please return all orders and money to the office by Friday 28th October.

NO late orders will be accepted.

TRIVIA NIGHT

Presented by
Farmborough Road Public School P & C Association

**SATURDAY 29TH OCTOBER
7:00PM**

Mt Kembla Bowling Club

\$20

**Covers entry, finger food,
prizes and more!
Create your own team
(8 – 10 people)
or join one of ours.**

Tickets are available at FRPS Office. Phone 4271 1133 for more information
or email frps-events@hotmail.com



All profits raised from this event will fund playground
equipment for our students!



Our P&C need your help!!

Farmborough Road Public School's P&C will be holding a raffle at our upcoming Trivia Night. We are asking members of our community to donate an item of choice that would compliment one of the following hampers:

Pamper Hamper

Picnic Hamper

Handyman Hamper

Sports Hamper



All donations can be handed in to the school office.
Thankyou.

FRPS TRIVIA NIGHT



Today is gonna be the day...are
the opening lyrics of which
song?



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Swimming Scheme 2016...



It's that time of year again!!!

This year's Swimming Scheme will run from 28th November to 9th December. We are currently offering places to **all stage 1 & Stage 2 students**. There are limited spots so in order to secure your child's placement, the permission note AND money must be handed in asap. Permission notes were sent home with Stage 2 students today. Stay tuned for further offerings at a later date.

Information for applying for Year 7 entry to selective high schools in 2018

Thinking of applying for a selective high school for Year 7 entry in 2018?
You must apply online at: www.schools.nsw.edu.au/shsplacement.

Key Dates

11th October 2016

Application website opens

Monday 14th November 2016

Application website closes (Late applications will not be accepted)

An intention to apply note is attached to the newsletter and also available on the school App and website. Please fill it in and return it to school ASAP.

If you would like further information refer to the above website or if this isn't available please contact your students class teacher who will provide you with more information.

Birthdays...

Congratulations to the following students who celebrated their birthday this week!

Tiara 28/10 - Kayley 24/10 - Liam
27/10 - Jack 26/10 - Kaleesha
26/10 - Austin 27/10



Stage 1 Excursion...

Stage 1 will be visiting the Science Centre on Monday 7th November. Please see permission note attached. It will also be available on the App and our school website. If you require a hard copy of the note, they are available from the office.



This week's Assembly is for K-6
Presented by Matong & Coolangatta

Merit Awards... Term 4 Week 2

Congratulations to the following students who received merit awards this week:

Yulara - Zoe, Malikai

Merinda - Christopher, Joshua

Myaree - Cohan, Leila

Leamurra - Lily, Harmony

Giralang - Ashden, Hamish,
Ebony

Matong - Hugh, Paige

Coolangatta - Taylen, Kyle

Coolabah - Kodi, Cyrus

Library Books...

Borrowed books lately? Have they been returned?? Could you please have a look around your home for any books you may have borrowed and forgot to return. Thankyou for your help.

P&C News...

Dear Parents and Carers

Just a reminder our next P & C Meeting is on tonight in the staffroom at 7pm.

Don't forget to buy your tickets, which are still available for our Trivia Night this Saturday 29th October at 7pm. Tickets are \$20. It's not too late to get your friends together for a great night of trivia, prizes, raffles and lots of fun. Have a good weekend and take care.

A reminder that any 'Crazy Camel' orders need to be returned by:

Friday 4th November.

Sally Taylor
President

COMMUNITY NEWS...

**ANYTIME
FITNESS
START A 20 DAY
TRIAL TODAY
REDEEM THIS ADD
TO RECEIVE AN
EXCLUSIVE
DISCOUNT OFFER***

*conditions apply

ANYTIME FITNESS.

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What's On at your local high school

Illawarra Sports High

Welcome to Term 4. We have such a busy and exciting time planned here at Illawarra Sports High.

Our new uniform is coming out in November, ready for our year 7 students in 2017.

We have a "Try year 7 for a day" coming up and our Orientation Day in December.

Most importantly our SRC members for 2017 have been elected. We would like to introduce our School Captains Mandy Tran and Dusan Pavlovic, our Vice Captains Flinn Westman and Flamur Polozani and our SRC team.



Go4Fun

Go4Fun® is a healthy lifestyle program to improve health, fitness, self-esteem and confidence in children. The program is for 7-13 year olds who are above their ideal weight. Sessions run for two hours and include games, activities, tips on healthy food, label reading and portion sizes plus much more!

A program will be running on Tuesdays in Dapto during Term 4.

To book in to a program call 1800 780 900 or visit www.go4fun.com.au



2016/17 SUMMER POINTSCORE SEASON STARTING FRIDAY 14TH OCTOBER 2016.

WHERE: Dapto Olympic Pool, Bangaroo Ave, Dapto.

WHEN: Friday nights from 6pm (7pm during daylight savings)

REGISTRATION: Online – follow the link at dapto.swimming.org.au

COST: Club Registration: \$105 per swimmer (includes registration with Swimming NSW, SESA and insurance).

FREE swimmers 7 & under (age as at 1/10/16)

(Swimming NSW Junior Dolphin Initiative)

Pointscore: \$1 per swim each

Friday night (maximum 3 swims per night). Season runs from Oct 16 – Mar 17.

Why not join us for a fun season of summer swimming?

Great fun for all the family!

From 12m to 400m events.

For more information please contact:
Joe Gerada (President)
Kylie Cox (Secretary)
Cass Healey (Registrar)
daptoosc@gmail.com



**KEEP
CALM
AND
ENJOY
SCHOOL**



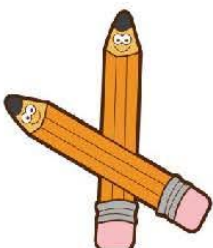
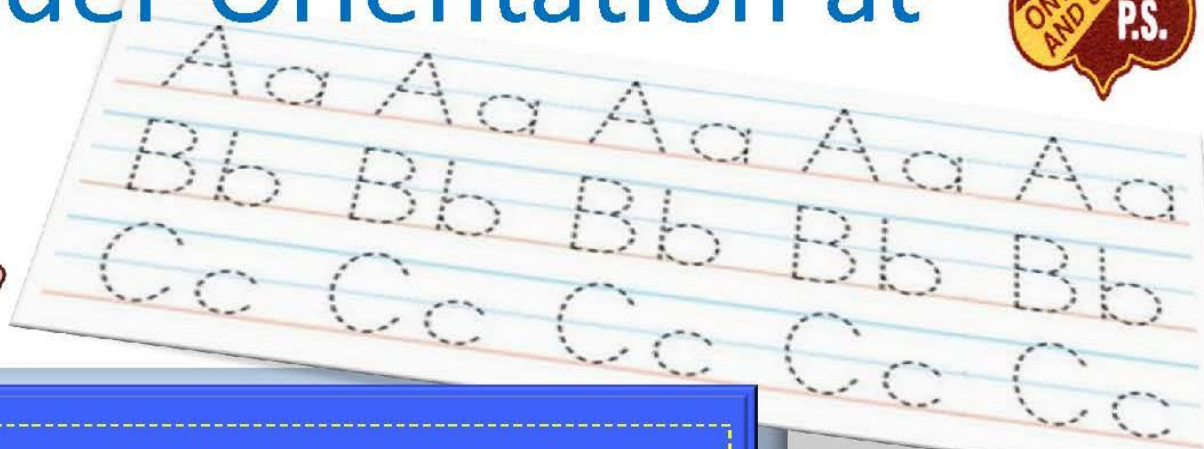
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attached
order
form!**

DEAR KINDERS,
2017

FARMBOROUGH ROAD
PUBLIC SCHOOL

YOU ARE INVITED TO...

Kinder Orientation at



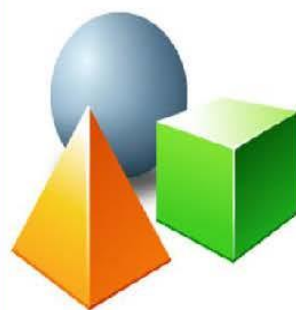
WHEN & WHERE...

THURSDAY AFTERNOONS 2PM TO 3PM

WEEK 1: THURSDAY 27TH OCTOBER IN SCHOOL LIBRARY

WEEK 2: THURSDAY 3RD NOVEMBER IN SCHOOL LIBRARY

WEEK 3: THURSDAY 10TH NOVEMBER IN SCHOOL LIBRARY



PLEASE BRING
MUM AND DAD WITH YOU!

We can't wait to meet you all.



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Stage 1 Excursion - Wollongong Science Centre and Planetarium

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

As part of the Stage 1 **Light and Sound** unit of work, we will be going on an excursion to the **Wollongong Science Centre and Planetarium** on **Monday 7th November (Week 5, Term 4)**. We will be travelling to and from the Science Centre on a bus with seatbelts. The bus will leave from school at 12:00pm and return by 3:00pm. Students will need lunch, a snack, water bottle and a hat for the day. The cost of the excursion is **\$16 per student** and includes entry to the Wollongong Science Centre, a Live Science Show, a Planetarium Show and travel to and from the venue. Please return the attached note below and pay the \$16 to the office no later than **Friday 4th November**. We now also have the online payment portal on our school website. Please use the POP reference number **2002000160** if you are utilising this option.

If you are having any financial difficulty please contact our office.

Kind regards,

Stephen McGee and Brooke Adams

K-2 Classroom Teachers

Ashley Haines

Relieving Assistant Principal

I give permission for my child _____ of class _____ to attend the Stage 1 excursion on Monday 7th November. I understand that he/she will be travelling to and from the Science Centre via bus, leaving school at 12:00pm and returning to school by 3:00pm.
I have/have not enclosed the \$16.

Parent/Caregiver signature: _____ Date: _____

Credit Card Authorisation Form

Charge my Credit Card Type: Visa / MasterCard

Card No: Expiry Date: /

Amount: _____ Card Holders Name: _____

Contact Number: _____ Childs Name: _____ Class: _____ Activity: _____

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Meal Deal Option: (Tick one box!)

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ORDER FORM



Helping Aussies fundraise for over 15 years



iPhone Cases



Diaries



Notebooks

Sketch Pads

NEW

Calendars and Planners



Greeting Cards

all products
feature your
child's artwork
or photo

Tea Towels

NEW

Pillowcases



place
your
order
today

I WISH TO ORDER

Child's name:

Parent's name:

Parent's phone:

Classroom name/number:

Return to school with payment by: 4/11/16



Photo(s) sent via www.submitphoto.com.au

Submitphoto invoice number:

If paying by cheque please make cheques payable to your school or centre.

	Art Qty	Photo Qty	Unit Pricing	Total \$
Calendars			\$15.00	
Family Planners			\$15.00	
Cards			\$14.00	
Sketch Pads			\$16.00	
Diaries			\$16.00	
Notebooks			\$16.00	
Pillowcases			\$18.00	
Tea Towels			\$18.00	
iPhone Cases	4/4s		\$14.00	
	5/5s			
	6			
	6+			
	6s			
	6s+			
Contact your School or Centre if prices are not stated above.			total amount	

Intention to apply for Year 7 entry to a selective high school in 2018

Dear Parent/Carer

Selective high schools cater for highly achieving academically gifted students who may otherwise be without classmates at their own academic and social level. These schools help gifted and talented students to learn by grouping them with other gifted and talented students, teaching them in specialised ways and providing educational materials at the appropriate level.

Applications for selective high school placement are considered mainly on the basis of the Selective High School Placement Test results and school assessment scores. The Selective High School Placement Test will be held on Thursday 9 March 2017.

If you would like to have your child considered for Year 7 selective high school entry in 2018, you need to do so soon. You will need to **apply on the internet** using a valid email address (not the student's email address).

Detailed instructions on how to apply online will be available from 11 October 2016 in a printed application information booklet and at www.schools.nsw.edu.au/shsplacement. The application website opens on **11 October 2016** and closes on **14 November 2016**. **No late applications will be accepted.**

There are no paper application forms. If you do not have internet access, you could apply at a public library. If you have a disability that prevents you from using a computer, you can contact the Unit for assistance after 11 October 2016.

You must submit only **ONE** application for each student. Remember the tear-off strip below is not an application and the school cannot apply on your behalf.

Yours sincerely

Principal

Cut along the dotted line and return the completed slip below to this school by next Friday.

Note: THIS IS NOT AN APPLICATION FOR ENTRY TO A SELECTIVE HIGH SCHOOL. This is a notice to your primary school only that you **intend** to apply.

TO APPLY YOU WILL NEED TO REGISTER AND THEN APPLY THROUGH THE HIGH PERFORMING STUDENTS APPLICATION WEBSITE.

Intention to apply for Year 7 entry to a selective high school in 2018

Student's name: _____ Class: _____

I am interested in applying for selective high school entry in 2018

Yes ☐ No ☐

If Yes EITHER

I have internet access and will be applying online

☐

OR

I do not have internet access

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Signature of parent/carers: _____ Date: _____

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