

Farmborough Road Public School Newsletter

TERM 2 WEEK 10 2016

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Students enjoying Touch Football Gala Day

Students participating in the Soccer Gala Day



For Your Calendar

- 29/6 Southern Stars first rehearsal.
- 30/6 NAIDOC – Coloured T-shirt Day.
- 1/6 Last day of Term.
- 19/7 First day of Term 3.



School Holidays...

We are coming to the end of another busy term here at FRPS. The students and teachers have worked really hard and are in need of a nice sleep in and some quiet peaceful rest.

The last day of Term 2 is Friday 1st July and we are expecting to see the student's lovely faces back here on Tuesday 19th July.

Teachers return on Monday 18th July for some professional learning. Enjoy your break!

See you round the playground in Term 3!

Pam Grosse
Principal



TUESDAYS



2nd July... Election Day...BBQ and Cake Stall

Our P&C have just one more thing happening this term which we need your help with. We are running a BBQ and cake stall on the day from 8am until about 2pm. If you can assist with this in any way, just an hour would be great, let Stacey know in the front office.

We need your sweet treats please! You can drop them into the office **Thursday or Friday**. We have cake boxes available if you want to take one home.

Parent Teacher Interviews...bring your children with you!

The online bookings are open now but will close this afternoon.

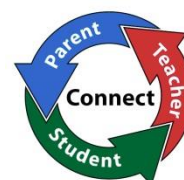
You can still go online today to book a parent teacher interview:

www.schoolinterviews.com.au

The event code is

4txxf

If you have any problems doing this please drop into the office and one of us will sort it out for you.



Onward
and
Upward

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



Parent Room with computer access... Available Soon!

We are moving to an online booking system for our parent teacher sessions this term!
This can be done in a couple of ways...

- **From your home / office...** Log on and follow the prompts.

Directions for use will appear in next week's newsletter. Teachers will enter the times they are available. The program will ensure that if you have more than one child you are not double booking. You can get a calendar reminder sent to your mobile phone. It's easy!

- **At school...** Stacey, Hayley or Jo will be happy to help! Just ask at the front desk!

OR

- **We have set up a computer** in the front office for parent's use. If you are unsure of how to use it we will give you some basic instruction. There will be help sheets for you to follow. Older students can also use this space before and after school or during lunch breaks to print off any notes they may require.

Teachers will not be providing notes for students or parents - it is their responsibility to get what they require.

Parents and students will be able to Log in and:

- Book parent meetings
- Print off newsletters
- Print off excursion notes or homework sheets
- Use it to check your emails.

Southern Stars...

Southern Stars Rehearsal

Wednesday 29th June at Berkeley Sports Stadium.

Meet Ms Lyons at the stadium at 8.40am.

Finishes at 3pm.

See school website and school app for full details and the permission note.

Thank you
Ms Lyons

ELECTION DAY BBQ

Saturday 2nd July
from 8:00 am

A fundraising brunch/lunch BBQ and cake stall will be run by Farmborough Road Public School and its P & C under the COLA on Election day.

You can help by.....



**DONATING
SWEET TREATS!**



Make or buy your favourite cupcakes, cakes, biscuits or slices and drop them off to the office or canteen on

Thursday 30th June
or
Friday 1st July

All profits will help fund educational resources for the school.
For further information, please contact
Stacey on 0410687746 or email frps-canteen@hotmail.com

Thank you for supporting your school!



Premier's Spelling Bee Stage 2 and Stage 3 Only

Students who are interested in entering the Premier's Spelling Bee must inform their teacher. Students can access the official word lists, provided by Macquarie Dictionary, by using the link below.

<http://www.artsunit.nsw.edu.au/speaking-competitions/2016-premiers-spelling-bee>

Password: puzzle

This weeks assembly is for K-6
Presented by Giralang

Merit Awards... Term 2 Weeks 8 & 9

Congratulations to the following students who received merit awards in Week 8 and Week 9.

Yulara - Alex, Kaitlyn, Tahlia, Kaleesha

Merinda - Indie, Joshua, Lochlan, Tia

Myaree - Beau, Summer, Emily, Brock

Leamurra - Steven, Kynan, Harmony

Giralang - Charlotte, Kayley, Bodie, Lakaya

Matong - Lachlan, Tori, Cameron, Daniel

Coolangatta - Tiara, Rianna, Matilda, Olivia

Coolabah - Richard, Sean, Kodi, Jye

CHOIR TICKETS – ON SALE NOW!

Our performance at the Wollongong Schools' Choral Festival is rapidly approaching! We are very excited for this event and can't wait to see our choir shine. We hope many of you can come along and support our wonderful students. Tickets are available to purchase at the office. Initial limit of 2 per choir member.

Uniform Shop News...

The uniform shop is open 8:30 to 9:15 Thursday mornings and is staffed by parent volunteers. We accept cash, cheque or eftpos payments. Layby is available for your convenience. If you can't make it on a Thursday morning please leave your order and payment with our lovely office ladies and we will have your items ready to pick up from the office the following Thursday. A copy of the uniform shop price list can be found on the school website. Click on "Newsletter and Notes" and then "P&C, Canteen and Uniform Shop".

Expression of interest for Assisted Travel Support Officer (ATSO) position

The Assisted School Travel Program (ASTP) often provides additional support to students with disabilities on transport. Assisted Travel Support Officers (ATSOs) support students with complex health or behaviour needs to ensure their safe travel to and from school. If you are interested in temporary part-time work as an ATSO the following website contains information on how to apply for the position.

www.schools.nsw.edu.au/studentsupport/programs/astp/index.php

For further information please contact ASTP on 1300 338 278 or email ASTP at atso.astp@det.nsw.edu.au

Did you know that you can make payments to your child's school online?

We are launching a new online payment portal linked to our school's website to make it easier for you to pay for school related payments. This is a secure payment page hosted by Westpac.

COMING 1st July, 2016



Birthdays...

Congratulations to the following students who will celebrate their birthday this week!

DJ 26/6 - Evan 27/6 - Deegan
28/6 - Christopher 28/6 - Alex
28/6 - Connor 30/6 - Jaser 1/7.

NAIDOC

Thursday 30th June

As part of our NAIDOC week celebrations our school is making a formation of an aboriginal flag. This will be carried out on Thursday 30th June. On this day we are asking the students to wear a coloured t- shirt. The shirt can have something on it as long as the main colour is the following:

Kinder and Year 1 - yellow t-shirt.

Year 2 and 3 - red t-shirt.

Year 4, 5, and 6 - black t-shirt.

(No need to buy a new shirt if you have one already).

Community News...



What's happening at your local high school Illawarra Sports High



The Berkeley Safer Spaces Project was co-ordinated by artist Anita Larkin. The beautiful 10 metre mural was designed and painted by 130 students from 4 local schools, Berkeley Public School, Lake Heights Public School, Berkeley West Public School and Illawarra Sports High School. Members of community groups were also involved.

This fantastic piece of art can be found on Winnima Way at Berkeley. The project was funded by Wollongong City Council and the NSW Department of Justice. Well done to all involved, it looks amazing.



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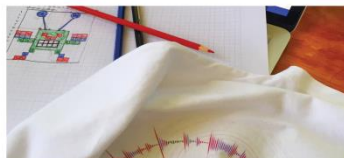
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Book through Ticketmaster
General Public Onsale begins on
Thursday 19th May at 9:00am

PARKER'S SCHOOL HOLIDAY TENNIS CLINICS

WESTS ILLAWARRA UNANDERRA	
DATE:	Mon 4/7/16 to Wed 6/7/16 (3 days)
TIME:	9.00am – 12.00pm
COST:	\$80.00 (Ages 4-14 years)

FARMBOROUGH HEIGHTS COMMUNITY TENNIS CLUB	
DATE:	Thur 7/07/16 and Fri 8/07/16 (2 days)
TIME:	9.00am – 12.00pm
COST:	\$60.00 (Ages 4-14 years)

Bookings are Essential
For more information call: Andrew on 0407 029 731
Email: arparker@bigpond.net.au
www.facebook.com/parkerstennis

**FOOTBALL SOUTH COAST
WIN NETWORK**

**EURO 2016
SCHOOL HOLIDAY
CLINICS**

Mon 4 July - Thurs 7 July
Mon 11 July - Thurs 14 July

\$95
includes Training Jersey

**PROGRAM FOR GIRLS & BOYS
AGED 5 - 12 YEARS**

Clinics for:
Outfield Players - 4 days
Goal Keepers - 4 days
Futsal Players - 3 days

**HAVE FUN, MAKE NEW FRIENDS,
DEVELOP AND LEARN
NEW FOOTBALL SKILLS.**

Week 1
Albion Park
Wollongong
Thirroul
Balgownie

Week 2
Fairy Meadow
Dapto
Helensburgh

www.footballsouthcoast.com.au
or call 42564829 for more details

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