

Farmborough Road Public School

Newsletter

TERM 4 WEEK 10 2017

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School returns on:

***Tuesday 30th
January 2018***



***Onward
And
Upward***

Wednesday 13th December

The Very Cranky Bear

Christmas Tale

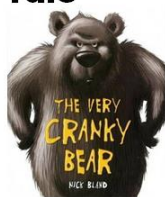
Matinee

&

Evening Sessions

TICKETS ON SALE

NOW!



Thursday 14th December



Presentation Day

Friday 15th December

**GOLD
Reward Day**



Principal's Chrissy Message...2017

It is hard to believe that another year is over and that school will be finishing this week for the Christmas holidays. My fourth year at Farmborough Road has certainly flown. It has been a very busy and productive year with many opportunities provided for students both within the classroom and in extra curricular activities. Our school has been very successful in many ways including, we are a school of excellence in Visible Learning, Targeted Learning Programs as well as public speaking and debating. Our students have performed well academically and have been wonderful ambassadors for public education when representing the school at community functions.

I see a bright future for this school and as we, the teachers, parents and students plan for our next three years, I can feel a real excitement in the air. Look out 2018 and beyond!

Visitors to our school often say that there is a "good feel to Farmborough Road" and I believe it is the combined efforts of students, staff and parents that create this welcoming environment. I say we are the best school on the south coast and I mean it!

I would like to thank all the teaching staff for a wonderful year and recognise the outstanding job that they do. We are fare welling Mr Kemp this year as he heads off to a classroom teacher position at Warrawong. Thank you for all your efforts this half year.

My personal goal for these holidays is to make a difference to someone else everyday. What is your goal?

On behalf of the Staff and myself I would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and happy New Year.

See you around the playground in 2018!

Pam Grosse

Principal



**Onward
and
Upward**

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Silver Afternoon Tea
Wednesday 13th December



If your child has been invited they are welcome to come in Mufti on this 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.

Swimming Carnival 2018...

Our Swimming Carnival will be held on Thursday 8th February, 2018. All students who are turning 8 years or older are expected to participate. There will be a range of race events as well as novelty races for the not so strong swimmers. Permission notes have been sent home and need to be returned by Friday 2nd February, 2018.



The Very Cranky Bear Production News



All outfits/costumes need to be at school on Wednesday.

Matinee performance – 1pm to 2:30pm. Guests to be seated from 12:45pm to 12:50pm

Night performance – 6pm to 7:30pm. Narrators, main characters and backstage helpers need to arrive at 5pm and meet in Ms Lyons room. All other students need to arrive at 5:30pm sharp and go to their classrooms. Guests to be seated from 5:45pm.

Please ensure students have water on the night.

Students will need to be collected from their classrooms and signed out by their teacher.

Ms Lyons

TICKETS ON SALE NOW!
Tickets are NOT available at the door.



Uniform Shop News...

A big, big thank you to Sandra, our long serving volunteer, who is leaving us this year. Sandra has been helping parents in the uniform shop for at least 7 years (maybe more, it's been so long none of us are sure). Thanks for all your patience, good humour and commitment!

The uniform shop will be open four mornings at the beginning of 2018:

Monday 29/1, Tuesday 30/1, Wednesday 31/1 and Thursday 1/2 from 8.30 to 9.15am. We accept cash, cheque or credit card. Layby is also available.

The last day for the uniform shop this year is Thursday 14th December. If you are planning to update your school uniforms for 2018 please consider purchasing this year rather than leaving it to the beginning of next year when we are crazy busy with new starters.

Merry Christmas and happy holidays to all!!

Library...

ALL BOOKS NOW DUE BACK

There are still a large number of our school library books that are missing. We ask you once again to have a good look around your home for any books you may need to return.

Thankyou



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



Tuesday 5th December, we welcomed year 6 students and families to Illawarra Sports High School, during Orientation Day. The day was a success with plenty of information shared, fees paid and book packs collected. We look forward to seeing the students return next year as year 7 students, Tuesday 30th January, 2018, in their ISHS school uniforms.

SCHOOL BANKING UPDATE

We wish to advise parents that the IMB Bank school banking program will not be running at school next year. After discussions regarding the lack of students participating in school banking each week, the decision was made to withdraw from the program. Parents or carers can continue to make deposits into their child's school banking account via Internet Banking or by visiting their local IMB. Any enquiries can be directed to Natalie and the team at IMB Unanderra on 4272 9811.

Wishing you all a safe and happy summer holiday.

Social Media

The link below has some helpful info for parents over the school holiday period. May be a good idea to place the link in the newsletters or /and social media pages.

<http://nsw.childsafetyhub.com.au/handbook/>

Regards

Senior Constable Scott Burgess
School Liaison Officer
Youth Command



Birthdays...

Congratulations to the following students who celebrated their birthday this week and who will celebrate in the holidays.

Jayden S 16/12 – Hugh 12/12
Zahra 20/12 – Harmony 16/12
Stewart 28/12 – Steven 25/12
Caitlyn 30/12 – Catalina 10/12
Jackson 31/12 – Cameron 23/1
Bensiman 24/1 – Taylor 24/1
Xavier 29/1 – Kaitlen 19/1
Gibson 25/1 – Michayla 22/1
Sabellah 10/1 – Lily 9/1 – Kate 1/1
Hayden 10/1 – Karcen 14/1
Cohan 4/1 – Andre 13/1
Sophie 7/1 – Logan 4/1
Ducky 20/1 – Brax 16/1
Charleigh 13/1

Merit Awards...

Term 4 Week 9

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

Jimboomba

Levi, Dylan

Merinda

Indie, Jesse

Yangah

Kaleesha, Malikai

Leamurra

Karcen, Chloe

Yulara

Samuel, Daniel

Matong

Talia, Dylan C

Coolangatta

Luke, Ashleigh

Gilabiny

Taylor, Taya

Balamara

Gibson, Xavier

Orana

Caiden, Andre

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SUITABLE FOR: GIRLS AGED 6 to 60
BOYS AGED 6 to 12

VENUE: FRED FINCH PARK,
HOOKA CREEK RD, BERKELEY

DATE: SATURDAY 27th JANUARY 2018

TIME: 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Contact IDNA 02 4272 4342 - Mon - Fri 10am to 2pm

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