

Farmborough Road Public School Newsletter

WEEK 4 TERM 1 2017

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**Yulara –
Working on Place Values**



**Onward
And
Upward**

Assembly Dates

17 February – K-6
24 February - SRC
3 March - Leamurra
10 March - Merinda
17 March - Malong
24 March -Yulara
31 March - Coolabah

For Your Calendar

16/2 Swimming Carnival.
17/2 Assembly – K-6 @ 12.45pm
21/2 District Swimming Carnival

Parent Helpers...Site Inductions..



Any parents who will be volunteering in the classrooms this year need to complete a WH&S induction. I will be offering two time slots this year **9am and 2:30pm on Thursday 2nd March** (You only have to do one session) in the school staffroom. You will need to bring with you 100 point proof of identity...Medicare Card (25points), Drivers licence (40 points), Credit Card (25 points), Lands Rates Notice (35 Points) and /or a current Passport is (70 points). These will be photocopied and held at the school for 12 months. There are some procedures and practices we need to discuss before you can go into the classrooms / canteen, Year 6 farewell. Please ensure you come along if you would like to help out in 2017. I need to ensure your safety while on the site. Entry on to school grounds can not be permitted without completion of this WH&S requirement.

Student Representative Induction Assembly...Thursday 23rd February – 2pm..

The votes have been counted and the decisions are in. All Sports captains and Vice captains, all class Student Representative Council Members have been finalised, so on Thursday on 23rd February, we will be presenting these students with their badges. All students will need to say a pledge to the school and community to uphold the school values of Responsibility, Excellence and Respect. Parents of these students will be asked to sign with their children to say they will support them in fulfilling these important roles in our school. Please come along and celebrate with these students. They have been selected by their peers and this is a very great honour.

Welfare Review!

Attached to this newsletter we have attached an overview of our schools processes and procedures for both the positive and negative systems in the school. We invite your feedback on how this works for your child. If you have any ideas or suggestions that you would like to put up for consideration, please email the school or send in written comments and we will put your ideas and thoughts forward.



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



Parent Orientation Days...

This is an opportunity for you as parents and carers to come along and meet your child/ren's class teacher, get an overview of the year ahead and raise any concerns you may have. Below are the days and times for each class teacher:

Stage 2:

Yulara – Leamurra

Wednesday 15th February – 3:15pm

Stage 3:

Coolangatta – Matong

Wednesday 15th February – 3:30pm

Stage 1:

Merinda – Yangah

Thursday 16th February – 3:15pm

MC & AU Units:

Orana – Balamara – Coolabah

Thursday 16th February – 3:15pm

Riding Bikes to School...

Students who wish to ride their bikes to school will need to get a 'Bike Riding Licence' the students will need to comply with all the requirements in order to participate. The licence needs to be signed by both the student and parent to state that they will meet with all the conditions. Please see Mrs Grosse for the notes.



Birthdays...

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

Evan – 13/2, Alexander – 13/2,
Lamika – 14/2, Chloe – 16/2

Kindergarten Volunteers Wanted...

Are you free between 9am-9.30am? Kindergarten would love to read to you! Please contact Ms Martin or Mr McGee if you are available to help out.

P&C News...

Dear Parents & Carers ,

The fundraising committee have some great fundraisers planned again for this year to raise money for the final stage of the play equipment. The first one coming up will be the Twilight Family Night on the 24th March. For those of you who aren't sure what that is, it's basically a BBQ to welcome both new and returning families to the school for the year. We have a sausage sizzle, jumping castle, face painting, games and much more. It's a great way to meet other families and the kids all have a great time so keep your out for the note in the coming weeks.

Good luck to all the children competing in the swimming carnival this Thursday. I hope the weather stays nice.

Have a great week everyone :)

Erin Oxenbridge
P&C President

School in Lockout!



As you are all aware we have a duty of care to ensure that all the students at FRPS are safe. As a result we need to lock our gates each day from 9:15am till 2:45pm.

If you could please ensure your children are in the school grounds by this time and limit the number of times you need to return to the school during the day we would greatly appreciate it.

Swimming Carnival...

**Will be held on:
Thursday 16th February**

There is still time to send in your note and money for the Swimming Carnival. Good luck to all our competitors.



A note has been sent home with students requesting parent volunteers to assist at the carnival. Please complete the form and return to school.

**Wollongong High School of the Performing Arts
Application for
Year 6, 2017
into
Year 7, 2018**

Application forms are available at the office.

Audition applications must be received by the high school before 13th March, 2017.

Scripture...

Weekly scripture lessons started today. We are able to offer Catholic or Protestant Scripture. Parents who wish to withdraw their children from scripture are asked to provide a signed note. Students who withdraw from scripture will be completing personal/independent reading or writing tasks during the half hour scripture lesson.

Please contact the office if you have any questions about scripture.

Regards
Ms J Suey



Every Child Deserves a Good Book

Please return your 'Book Club' payment and order form to the office by:

Friday 17th February



ILLAWARRA SPORTS HIGH SCHOOL

RESPECTFUL | RESPONSIBLE | LEARNERS

Gura Street, Berkeley NSW 2506 | PO Box 78 Berkeley | T: 02 4271 1099 | F: 02 4271 3511
Illawaspor-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au | www.illawaspor-h.schools.nsw.edu.au

SUPPORTING TALENTED ATHLETES THROUGH EDUCATION



YEAR 5 & 6 OPEN NIGHT MONDAY FEBRUARY 20TH

Illawarra Sports High School Hall
Information session and a tour of the school

Contact the school for more information

Responsibility

Excellence

Respect

The School Dentist

Brought to you by Future Care Mobile Dental Services



Do your parents struggle to find the time to take their child to the dentist?

We can help!

We bring our dentists to your school.

The School Dentist is a unique initiative that provides high quality, on-site, general dental care services to children aged 2-17.

Under the Child Dental Benefits Schedule (CDBS), funded by the Australian Federal Government, our services are at no cost to eligible students. We can provide dental services to eligible children who are covered under the Medicare scheme, up to a limit of \$700 per student over a two calendar year period.

However if some of your students are not covered under the scheme, our dental team can provide an oral examination, clean, scale and fluoride at a reduced price of **\$99.00**, the Medicare value of which is approximately \$185.00.

The School Dentist comprises a team of accredited and experienced dentists with a keen desire to provide essential dental care to your students.

Call our team on 9723 0333
for more information

www.fcmdental.com.au | admin@fcmdental.com.au



Community News...



Cost is \$50 per player
includes shorts, socks,
player insurance and
registration

Enquiries email wollongongtitans@gmail.com
or phone 0402054769

2017 Registration Day

Lindsay Mayne Oval
Factory Road, Unanderra

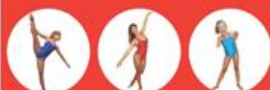
Saturday 18th February 11am-1pm

Registrations can be done online by googling Wollongong Titans
JRLFC and clicking on the **REGISTER NOW** button



DANCE WITH US IN 2017!

FUN - FITNESS - FRIENDSHIP



FIRST
LESSON
FREE!

INFORMATION & REGISTRATION

Figtree dance studio: 6/1-5 Industrial Road Unanderra

- Monday 6 February 4:30 - 6:30
- Tuesday 7 February 4:30 - 6:30

figtreephysicalculture@gmail.com

figtreephysie.com



GIVE YOUR KIDS
A HEALTHY START IN 2017!
starting 7th of February



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BEACH GAMES

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WESTS

AGES 5-15 BOYS AND GIRLS
WELCOME!

REGISTRATION: TUE 7TH MARCH
5-7PM @ UNANDERRA HOCKEY
FIELDS (WAPLES RD UNANDERRA)

ALL ENQUIRIES ADDRESS TO
JUNIORS@WESTSILLAWARRAHOCKEY.COM.AU
OR CONTACT CRAIG ON 0412105801

PLAYERS CAN ALSO REGISTER ONLINE AT
WWW.WESTSILLAWARRAHOCKEY.COM.AU



Avondale Hockey Club

WE WANT YOU TO PLAY HOCKEY!!

WE ARE LOOKING FOR PLAYERS OF ALL AGES TO COME
AND PLAY WITH OUR GREAT CLUB!

U/12 & U/16 GIRLS COMPS STARTS MON 24TH APRIL

U/7-U/15 MIXED COMPS START SAT 25TH MARCH

SENIOR WOMENS COMP STARTS SAT 25TH MARCH

NOT SURE IF YOU WILL LIKE IT?

COME AND GIVE IT A TRY AT ONE OF OUR TRAINING SESSIONS HELD

ON TUESDAY NIGHTS FROM 7:30PM-8:30PM

MORE INFO?

CHECK US OUT ON
OR EMAIL



ADMIN@AVONDALEHOCKEYCLUB.COM.AU

NO EXPERIENCE? NO PROBLEMS



ALL LEVELS ARE WELCOME - FROM
BEGINNERS TO EXPERIENCED
PLAYERS. UNIFORMS AND STICKS CAN
BE LOANED FROM THE CLUB ON
REQUEST.

BMX AUSTRALIA

2017 NATIONAL SIGN ON DAY



YOUR LOCAL CLUB IS AT:
Southlake Illawarra BMX Club
Croome Road Sporting Complex
Croome Road, Albion Park Rail

DATE TO COME AND TRY:
Sunday, 19th February
2017
10am-2pm
(canteen will be open on the day)

CONTACT:
Michael
southlakemichael@gmail.com
0415889313
www.southlakemichael.com.au

Any rider who joins up by the end of Feb entry into draw to Win a double pass - NITRO CIRCUS Novara April 22nd

GET ON YOUR BIKE AND RIDE

Farmborough Road PLAYGROUP

Thursdays 9.30 – 11.00am

during school terms

**Schools as Community Centre
Farmborough Road Public School**

A free playgroup for parents
and carers with children 0-5

**Please bring morning tea &
water bottles**

Enjoy free play, puzzles, craft,
pretend play, construction,
stories and music.

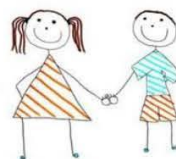


**Please bring
some fresh
fruit to
share**

For more infor-
mation please
contact

Alli McKenzie on
PH:0448254779

**Families at Farmborough
School Community Centre**
A Schools as Community Centres Project



familiesnsw
supporting families to raise children



Education &
Communities

**TERM 1
2017**

AKORA!



MONDAY

Farmborough Road Public School
Circle of Security Parenting Program ~ 10:00am – 12:00pm
Starts February 13th – April 3rd, 2017
Contact: Sue or Gina on 4260 7400
Limited childcare available, bookings are essential.

TUESDAY

Farmborough Road PLAYGROUP ~ 9:30am – 11:00am
Starts February 7th – April 4th
All welcome! Bring fruit to share for morning tea.
Enjoy free play, craft, story time and games.

FREE

WEDNESDAY

Farmborough Road Music Group ~ 9:30am – 11:00am
Starts February 8th – April 5th
All welcome! Enjoy music and stories followed by free play.
Bring morning tea.

Early Years Playschool
Creative play and Art for Educators. Families and children under 5.
For enquiries please contact: 4256 2072

THURSDAY

Farmborough Road Playgroup 9:30am – 11:00am
Getting ready for school - For children & parents
starting kindergarten in 2018

Starts February 9th – April 6th
All welcome! Enjoy free play, story time, craft & painting.
Bring fruit to share for morning tea.

FREE

FRIDAY

Berkeley West PLAYGROUP – Paint & Play
9:00am – 11:00am

Starts February 10th – April 7th, 2017 ~ Berkeley West Public School.
Enjoy craft, painting, games, free play and story time.
Bring fruit to share for morning tea.

Barnardos Parent Support Program ~ Starts February 10th - April 7th
'Learn to Live Again' – This is a closed group.