

14th December, 2016

Term 4, Week 10

Calendar

TERM 4

OCTOBER

Week 10

12th—Year 6 and Kinder Graduation
— Year 6 Farewell

13th—Term 4 K-6 Assembly-11.30am

14th—FAIRVALE FAIR DAY 

16th—Last day of school

**The School Canteen
will be open on
Friday, 16th
December.**

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TERM 1 2017

JANUARY

Week 1

26th—Australia Day Public Holiday

27th—Teachers return

JANUARY/ FEBRUARY

Week 2

30th—Year 1 to Year 6 students
Return

2nd—Kindergarten students
commence

Week 4

15th—School Swimming Carnival

We are always FAIR at FAIRVALE


Fairvale Public School


Awards

Awards that I can collect and trade!

FAIR AWARD

Friendly
Always Safe
Love Learning
Responsible

Name: _____ Class: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____



**I need to collect 5 of these awards (any combination)
to trade for an Honour Certificate. I then need to take
them to Mrs Rigley.**



FAIR AWARD

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Responsible

Name: _____ Class: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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**I need to collect 3 Honour Certificate to receive a
banner and to go to the MOVIES!**




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Do you have our School App?

Remember to access our school app from mobile devices on both the Apple app and Google Play store. This application provides instant notifications so that you can stay up to date with current information about what's happening in the school. This includes sections for school newsletters, notes, electronic absence submissions, important locations and the school calendar.

You can search for Fairvale Public School in both the Apple App Store and the Google Play Store or scan the QR codes below.



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Principal's INTO LEARNING AWARD



Congratulations to everyone who was lucky enough to receive a Principal's into Learning Award during 2016.
 The award will continue in 2017!

Year in Review



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From the Principal

AROUND THE SCHOOL WITH MR PITT

I have had a busy year visiting every corner of our school, on a weekly basis. These visits have been a lot of fun because I get to see 630 students in action and over 50 staff working with our students. It remains evident to me that we are on track with our School Vision Statement:



To provide each student with a quality education and leadership opportunities that creates inspired 21st Century Learning in a safe and positive environment.

Thank you everyone! We plan to continue these visits in 2017.

MOVIE REWARDS DAY

Last Wednesday, Mr Kinniburgh, Miss Mahendra, Mrs Worby and I took over 100 lucky students to the movies for their end of year Movie Rewards Day. We saw Trolls. As always, the students were well mannered and demonstrated FAIR behaviour during the day. Next year, slight changes will occur to our two reward days, renamed **FAIR REWARDS DAY**.



KINDERGARTEN/ YEAR 6 GRADUATION ASSEMBLY

On Monday we held our annual Kinder/ Year 6 Graduation Assembly. It was a lovely assembly acknowledging our Kindergarten and Year 6 students. I would like to particularly thank the Kindergarten and Year 6 teachers of 2016. A wonderful milestone for families as well.



SPORT ASSEMBLY

Last Friday we held our Sports Assembly. We acknowledged our 2016 sporting achievements. Congratulations to all our award and trophy winners and to Mr Misitano and Mr Kinniburgh for coordinating the assembly. We also had a special guest, Luke Burt, former great Parramatta Eels rugby league player. Luke presented the school with our rugby league jerseys, kindly donated by the club.



END OF TERM ASSEMBLY

Yesterday we celebrated our end of term assembly for 2016. Again, it was a proud moment for parents, friends, teachers and students who received awards and took part in the performances. Congratulations to all our award winners and to the executive team for coordinating the assembly.



YEAR 6 FAREWELL

It is always with mixed emotions that I attend Year 6 Farewells. On Monday night it was great to see the students having a great time with both staff and their peers before they leave us for their high school adventure. Congratulations on a great night. Well done to Miss Elks, Miss Brady, Mr Misitano, Miss Spagnolo, Miss Volpato and Miss Wulf for their commitment Year 6 throughout the year.



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LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

The last day of school for 2016 is this **Friday** for all students. Students in Years 1 to 6 return on **Monday 30th January, 2016**. New Kindergarten students will be attending Best Start assessment sessions over the 3 days before commencing school on **Thursday 2nd February, 2016**.



STAFFING NEWS

We say a sad farewell to many staff members this year.

Mrs Assad – *transferring to another school*

Mrs Soumboulidis – *transferring to another school*

Miss Brooks – *appointed to another school*

Mrs Youten and Mrs Figueroa – *our 2 SLSOs will not be returning to FV next year*

Miss Lisa – *our Occupational Therapist will be working in other schools*

Mr Col – *working part-time at another school*



I wish all these staff members all the best of luck for the future and thank them for their fine contributions to FVPS.

**IF YOU SEE ANYTHING SUSPICIOUS GOING ON AT THE SCHOOL IN THE HOLIDAYS,
PLEASE CALL SCHOOL SECURITY**

1300 880 021

HAPPY HOLIDAYS

The end of year always comes with mixed feelings as we will be losing some of our students and parents from our school community. Best wishes to all as you embark on the next stage of your learning journey. Students, remember you can be very successful if you are prepared to put in the effort with your learning and to make good choices with your behaviour.

On behalf of the staff at Fairvale Public School I would like to wish all of our students and their families best wishes for a safe holiday. On a personal note, I would like to thank you all for the support you have given me in my role as relieving principal. I have loved every minute!

Enjoy your time together with friends and family. For those in our community that take part in the Christmas festivities – **Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to you all.**

Best wishes



Anthony Pitt

Relieving Principal



I respect and acknowledge Aboriginal people as the traditional owners of the land on which I work, live and visit.

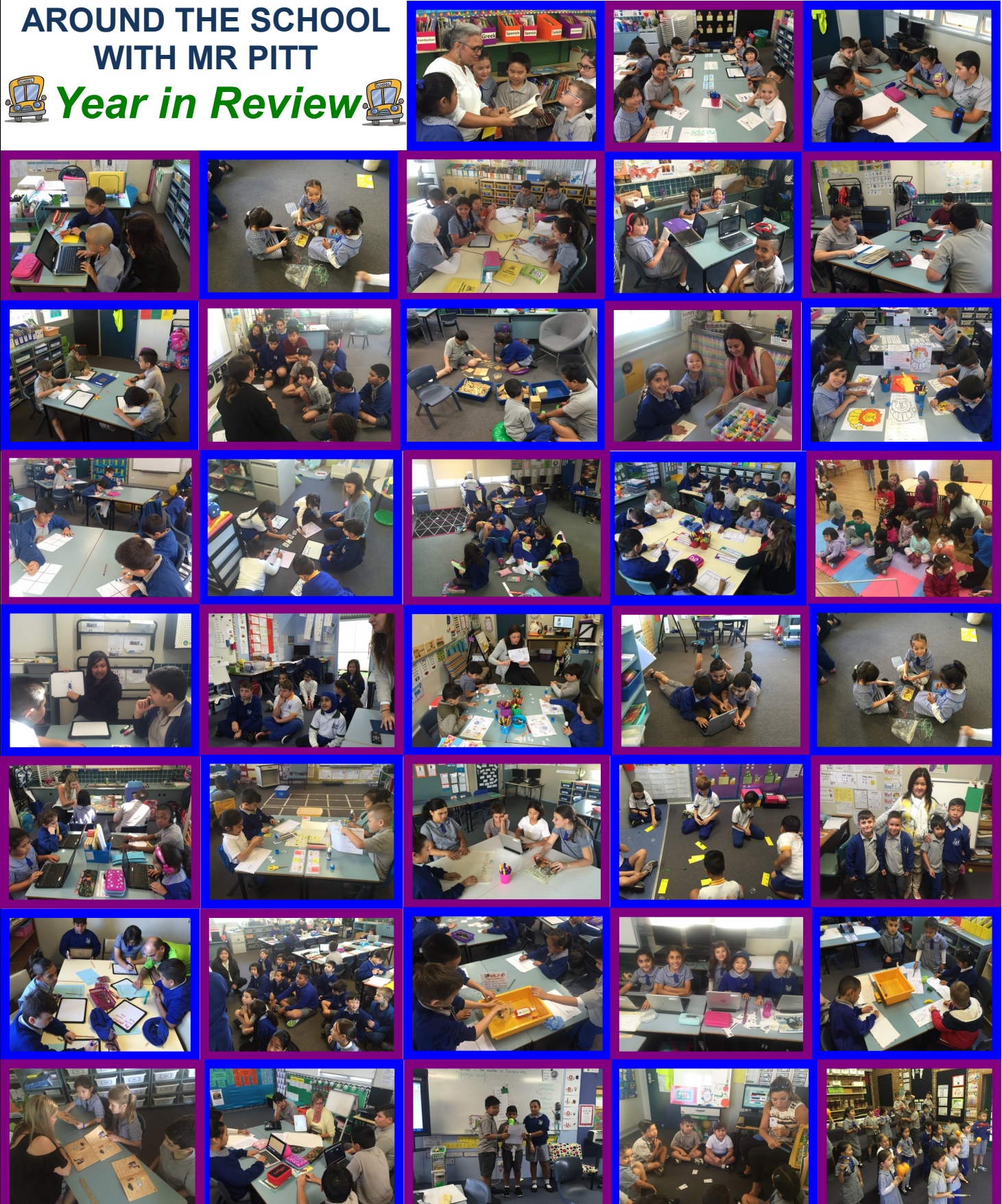
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From the Deputy Principal

THANK YOU

I would like to say a BIG thank you to all the staff, students and community for making my first year at Fairvale so rewarding and enjoyable. I have loved every moment and am looking forward to 2017. Fairvale is a fabulous learning community, where everyone works together for the students, making their school life the best it can be. There have been so many enjoyable moments—too many to mention. I have enjoyed training the teachers in L3 and seeing the progress of the Kindergarten students. I have loved visiting classrooms, where students have shared their learning goals and great work. Special events, such as the Easter Hat Parade, movie rewards day, the Walk-a-thon, sport carnivals, PSSA finals, assemblies, Year Six Farewell, incursions and excursions have also been highlights. It was great to be at the end of term assembly and sports assembly, celebrating the achievements of all of our students. Our students are all achievers, which they show everyday in and outside the classroom.

I would also like to thank our SAS staff who work so hard in both the office and classrooms. Without them, many things would not be possible or run as smoothly as they do!

I would like to wish everyone a very safe and happy holiday. Take time to relax, recharge and spend time with loved ones.

PLAYGROUP

I was lucky enough to attend the end of year celebration for Playgroup last week. Playgroup runs twice a week, with Mrs Daly leading the program. This is a great opportunity for preschool children to engage in a range of play-based activities which focus on a variety of skills, including school-readiness. The children celebrated with lots of yummy food and a jumping castle. A big thank you to the parents who have supported this playgroup through their weekly attendance. Playgroup will continue next year. Please find information in this newsletter.

Thank you again and have a wonderful holiday!

Miss Cameron

happy
holidays!



Attendance Matters



I would like to thank our families who have made a conscious effort to ensure great attendance for their children. Great attendance helps to ensure you child is provided with the best opportunities at school to success.

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CLO Messages

Dear Parents and Guardians,



A very warm thank you everyone who attended our last P&C Meeting of this year on Thursday 1st December 2016, which was followed by an amazing Cooking with Parents & Friends Session. We would like to especially thank Mrs Eman Yousif for giving so generously of her time to organise the ingredients for our session.

Another special thank you to all who participated in the Bright Futures for Bilingual Children Workshop 2 and those who gathered at our Parent Helpers Morning Tea last Monday.

We would like to take this opportunity to cordially invite you to our Christmas Brunch this Thursday 15th December 2016, a special time to celebrate the meaningful friendships amongst our families. Everyone is more than welcome to bring a plate to share.

As in former years, it has been a privilege to meet and to know you, and to be able to have the chance to share valuable stories, smiles and laughter with each other. Thank you for your continuous and steadfast support to our school and to our students, and being a part of our wonderfully culture-rich school community. We wish all our families a very, very merry Christmas and a blissful New Year. Please stay safe and god willing, we shall see you next year.

Precious Moments: 2016 in Reflection



CLO Team

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Community Playgroup

A playgroup for children aged 3 to 5 years and their parents/carers



Mondays and Wednesdays 9.15 – 11.15am

Fun and educational play activities for children and
their parents/carers.

Please bring a healthy morning tea for your child. Tea and coffee provided
for parents.

Cost: \$2 per session

Please note: Parents or carers **MUST** stay and interact with their child during the Playgroup.
This is not a child minding service.

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