

29th June, 2016

Term 2, Week 10

## Calendar

### TERM 2

#### JUNE/ JULY

##### Week 10

29th—Parent / Teacher Interviews K-2

—Movie Rewards Day

1st—Last Day of Term 2

### TERM 3

##### Week 1

18th—Staff Development Day

19th—Students' return

22nd—Aero-Dance Competition

##### Week 2

26th—Homework Centre commences

27th—OC Test

28th—Carnival Book Fair commences

#### AUGUST

##### Week 3

#### EDUCATION WEEK

2nd—ICAS English Competition

2nd—OPEN DAY—9.00-11.30am

4th—K-6 WALKATHON DAY

##### Week 4

9th—K-6 NAIDOC DAY

10th—ICAS Mathematics Competition

***Election Day is this Saturday. Come to school to vote and buy a sausage sizzle and drink. All money raised goes towards supporting the Year 6 Farewell.***



## We are always FAIR at FAIRVALE


**Fairvale Public School**


### Awards

**Awards that I can collect and trade!**

FAIR AWARD

Friendly
Always Safe
Self 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

Friendly
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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 the following students for receiving the Principal's Into Learning Award for Week 9.

CLASS	STUDENT
K Bright	<i>E. Thoeung</i>
K Hewitt	<i>O. Laupua</i>
K Magnussen	<i>L. Odicho</i>
K Tomkins	<i>E. Nguyen</i>
1 Kelly	<i>N. Alamhane</i>
1 Perkins	<i>Q. Al Youranee</i>
1 Rice	<i>S. Esera</i>
1/2 Dwyer	<i>A. Chen</i>
2 Bradbury	<i>E. Al Kibbah</i>
2 Campbell	<i>A. Nguyen</i>
2 Hackett	<i>C. Ndayizeye</i>
2 Knowles	<i>R. Wardah</i>

CLASS	STUDENT
3 Armstrong	<i>M. Fauni</i>
3 Dell	<i>M. Shamoun</i>
3 Strickland	<i>A. Ngo</i>
3/4 Power	<i>K. Faiva Tulemau</i>
4 Basil	<i>D. Nguyen</i>
4 Delaney	<i>S. Ly</i>
4 Lewis	<i>L. Vulic</i>
5/6 Barratt	<i>O. Shlimun</i>
5/6 Esposito	<i>A. Lam</i>
5/6 Meares	<i>Y. Wen</i>
5/6 Sosimenko	<i>A. Rahmany</i>
5/6 Tallent	<i>C. Bechara</i>
5/6 Vincent	<i>E. Palu</i>



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## From the Principal

### STAFF NEWS

We farewell three staff members at the end of the week—Mr Bill, Mrs Kahawati and Miss Daisy.



- ♦ As previously mentioned Mr Bill will officially retire on Friday. We thank Mr Bill for the work he has done during his stay at Fairvale PS. To show our appreciation, the students have made a special booklet for Mr Bill. I will make sure Mr Bill receives this. I am sure he will have tear in his eye as he reads the lovely messages from the children. Mr Frank and Mr Col will continue to relieve in this role.
- ♦ Mrs Kahawati begins her maternity leave at the end of this term. Mrs Kahawati is a temporary teacher who has had various roles within our school in recent years. We wish Mrs Kahawati and her husband all the very best as they prepare to be first time parents. Mrs Nasso will return to Fairvale every Tuesday to cover this vacancy.
- ♦ Miss Daisy has been our school counsellor for around 22 years. There has been a restructure in our system which has led to this change. I am very sorry to see Daisy leave as she has been integral part of our school for many years and has supported many students, their families and staff members. During Daisy's time she has seen Fairvale PS experience lots of wonderful outcomes for students and has also supported the community during the sad times. Daisy will be sorely missed by our Fairvale family and we wish her well for the future. A replacement for Miss Daisy has not yet been finalised.

### AROUND THE SCHOOL WITH MR PITT

**K Tomkins:** On Tuesday I visited **K Tomkins** during groups tasks. Students worked in small groups to complete various tasks. Some students were saying and writing their sight words, learning their numbers, writing sentences and completing individual tasks with the teacher. It was pleasing to see the children working collaboratively with one another and following our FAIR rules. I enjoyed my visit to **K Tomkins**.



**3 Armstrong:** Yesterday afternoon I visited **3 Armstrong** during guided reading. Students were completing various literacy tasks. I listened to a few children read and I was also able to discuss their reading goal with them. Students were also working on their Reading Eggs interactive program and other various literacy based tasks. Children were engaged at this time and worked hard to complete sections of their reading contract. Check out the photos in this edition of the newsletter.

### ATHLETICS CARNIVALS

Last week we held our K-2 and 3-6 Athletics Carnival. Both carnivals were well attended with our students displaying FAIR rules during the day. I would like to acknowledge the Fairvale High students who supported the 3-6 Carnival by helping out on the day. These days are only successful due to the amount of effort the staff who are responsible put in. Thank you to all our coordinating teachers.



### LOST PROPERTY

It stuns me to see the amount of lost property we have at school. One way of fixing this is by labelling all items of clothing. We will have all lost property out on display on the silver seats this Thursday morning—if you want it, please take it. First in, best dressed!

### PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Thank you to the parents who attended parent/ teacher interviews this week. I hope you found the interview informative, and allowed you to celebrate the achievement of your child/ren.



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## From the Principal

### END OF TERM ASSEMBLY

Last week we celebrated our end of term assembly. It certainly was an enjoyable time, celebrating the achievements of many students from all classes and support programs. The item performances were fantastic. This was another occasion where we acknowledge the wonderful talents of the students at Fairvale PS. Thank you to the parents and friends who attended and a big thank you to Mrs Sloggett and Mrs Sheppard for organising this whole school event.

### e-Class Newsletters

All e-class newsletters will be put on our school website this week. Please check out our school website by following the steps below:

- ♦ Click on the website—<http://www.fairvale-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/>
- ♦ Click on **School Years**
- ♦ Click on your child's **Year** and find the **e-Class Newsletter**



### STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY TERM 3

On **Monday 18 July, 2016** teachers will participate in a professional development day at Marconi Club. This day will allow teachers an opportunity to continue to gain new knowledge and relevant information relating to student wellbeing. We know the wellbeing of everyone is so critical in today's world. School will resume for students on **Tuesday 19 July, 2016**.



### TERM 2 REVIEW

Some Term 2 highlights have included:

- K-6 Peer Support Program
- P&C Mother's Day stall
- Excursions to Expo, the city and Taronga Zoo
- Pink Stumps Day, Crazy Hair Day, National Stimulus Storytime
- PaTCH training day for parents
- Sporting Carnivals, ICAS Competitions



On behalf of the staff, I hope that everyone enjoys the school holiday period. Remember to relax, have fun and most importantly stay safe!




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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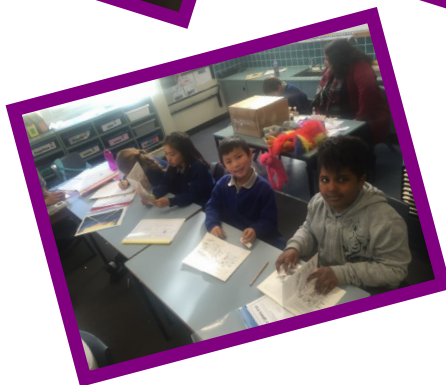
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# K Tomkins



# 3 Armstrong



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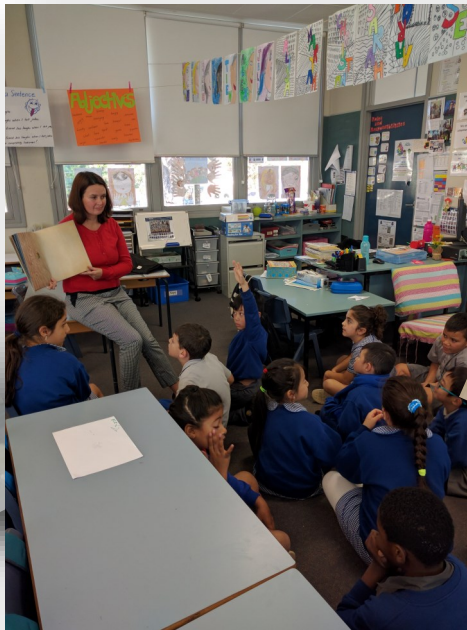
## From the Deputy Principal

### Loving Quality Literature

One of my favourite things to do as a teacher is to share quality literature with students. No matter how young or old, everybody loves listening to a story. Reading children stories every day enhances their reading and comprehension skills. It also provides them with the opportunity to enjoy and develop a love of books. Reading to students has been a focus in the classroom this term, especially in the K-2 rooms. The teachers have been focusing on selecting and reading quality texts to students, modelling quality talk around key concepts in the book and then allowing the students to share their thoughts. Key concepts covered have been friendship, care, bravery, family, belonging and being yourself. Some of my favourite texts that I love reading to students include Teacup, Little Beauty, Gaston and anything written by Aaron Blabey. Below is a photo of Mrs Worby sharing and discussing the book Teacup. This is a beautiful story about a boy who finds a new beginning. The students' thoughts and ideas about the story and the illustrations were outstanding. Never underestimate the power of reading to children. Please continue to read to your children every day. The school and local library have many books ready for you to borrow.

I would like to thank the students, teachers, parents and community members for a fabulous term. Through lots of hard work and commitment we have achieved so much in ten weeks. I feel very proud of the Fairvale Community and am looking forward to Term Three, with lots more learning and excitement. I wish everyone a very safe and happy holiday!

Miss Cameron



# Attendance Chatter



### ATTENDANCE

*Let's aim for fabulous attendance in Term Three! Regular attendance at school is essential to make sure learning is not disrupted. Regular learning provides building blocks for the future.*



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## CLO Messages

Dear Parents and Guardians,  
We would love you to join us at our buffet luncheon gathering this Thursday 30 June 2016.  
We will meet at the front office gate entrance at 11:00am. Alternatively, you are more than welcome to meet us at the venue. Kindly note we will be using our own transport to travel to and from the venue.

Club Merrylands Bowling  
Newman St., Merrylands  
11:00 am to 2:30 pm

## Term 2 Highlights



The Nutrition & Cooking Workshop Program increasing awareness of the very impact of making healthy food choices. A very special thank you to NSW Refugee Health Service Community Dietician, Ms Eloise Le Compte and her team for their wonderful facilitation of the workshops for our school community. It has been a joy to share the opportunity to cook with each other.



*Wishing you a safe and cheerful holiday break with your children and family.*

Maria Ha,  
Community Liaison Office

## Holiday Clinics



NRL July School Holiday Clinic

DATE: 7<sup>th</sup> July 2016

WHERE: Bosnjak Oval, Edensor Park

TIME: 10AM-1PM

COST: \$40 (incl. NRL holiday bag, ball, kicking tee, pump, hat & drink bottle. Morning tea & BBQ lunch provided).

Register at [PlayNRL.com](http://PlayNRL.com)

PLAYNRL.COM



## Come & celebrate the Inner West Regional NAIDOC Festival

Songlines: The living narrative of our nation

Tuesday 5 July 2016 10am - 2pm  
Steel Park, Illawarra Road Marrickville

### Come along and enjoy

- An Elders tent • Family friendly event
- Activities including face painting & the Magic Yellow Bus
- Live music and dance performances
- Free BBQ • Native wildlife display & much more!

If you are Aboriginal & over 50 years of age, or a carer of someone over 50 years of age, or a person with a disability, and you require transport assistance for this event, please call: Erema Home Care Services on 1300 118 880

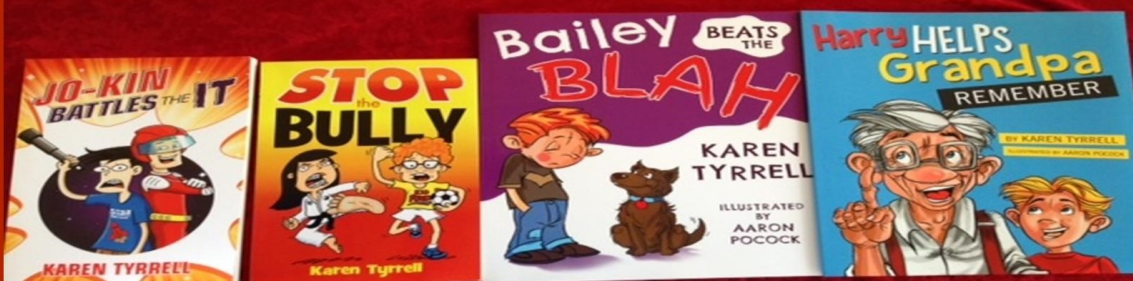
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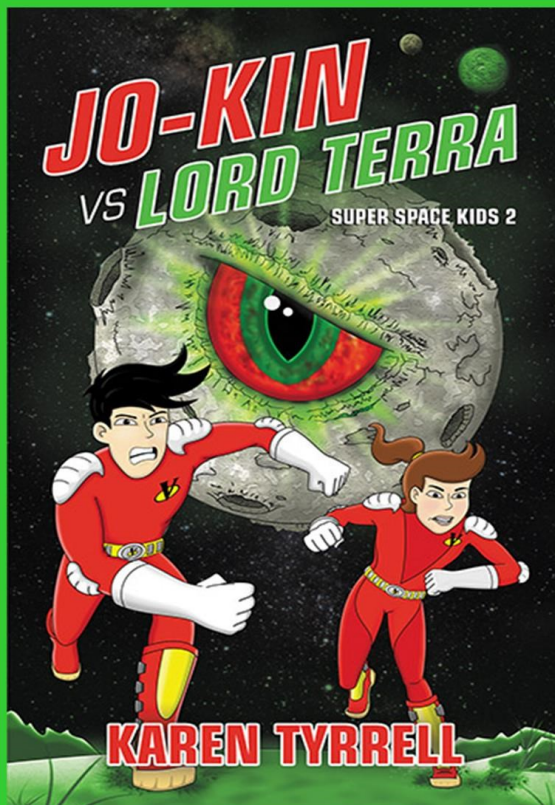


## Karen Tyrrell Author Book Signing

Karen Tyrrell teacher empowers KIDS to live strong  
with bully prevention, resilience and brainpower.

**Sat 16 July 11.30-1.30**

**Dymocks Penrith Westfields**



## Story Telling

**Karen Tyrrell**

**JO-KIN vs LORD TERRA**

Thrilling FUN Space Adventure

**Meet Captain Astra & THOR**

**14 July 10.30-11.30**

**Wetherill Park Library**

**Stockland Wetherill Park**

**PRIZES** Best Super Hero + Space Hero

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## NAIDOC AT THE AMS

45 Years Old, Still Community Controlled

**THURSDAY JULY 7**  
**36 TURNER STREET, REDFERN**  
**10.30AM - 2.30PM**

BBQ, MUSIC & INFO STALLS  
 ELDERS TENT, ART & CRAFT  
 MUMS & BUBS ZONE,  
 KIDS ACTIVITIES &  
 FACE PAINTING  
 FREE PHOTO BOOTH  
 & MUCH MORE

For more information  
 please contact Tracey Duroux  
 at the AMS on 02 93195823  
 or email  
 tduroux@amsredfern.org.au

## Fairvale Holiday Program

MONDAY 4TH JULY to  
 MONDAY 18TH JULY 2016

Your fees are from:  
 \$3.95 - \$50.00 per day  
 Book early as \$10 late fee applies for  
 any bookings made within 5 calendar days.  
 An amount by Camerlink. Excursions and Incursions  
 are an additional cost on top of the daily fee.

Hours of Operation  
 7:00am - 6:00pm  
 Ph: 0429 023 686

Address: 83 Wolseley St, Fairfield, NSW

Monday 4th July

### Winter Wonderland

Each snowflake like a falling star smiling beauty that's spun afar.  
 Come along as we create our own Indoor Wonderland!

Some of the activities today include:  
 Game: Indoor Snowball Fight - Craft: Water Bottle Snowman  
 Active Play: Snow Flakes Relay

Tuesday 5th July

### Rio Olympics

Get dressed in your sports gear as we head to Rio  
 for our own Mini Olympics.

Some of the activities today include:  
 Outdoor games: Mini Greek Decathlon  
 Craft and game: Olympic Torch Relay  
 Craft: Olympic Laurel Wreath Crown

Incursion: Silent Disco - 3B Olympics - Additional Cost: \$15.00

Wednesday 6th July

### EXCURSION TODAY!

Join in the OSHClub Fun Day Out at Penrith Valley Basketball  
 Stadium! There will be Sports, Dance Party, Inflatables,  
 Face Painting and much more!

Please arrive by 8:45am

For updated departure and return times please confirm  
 with the program coordinator a few days prior.

Additional cost: \$28.00

Thursday 7th July

### A day in the Outback

Saddle up and ride into the great Australia Outback with us today.

Some of the activities today include:  
 Craft: Desert Designs  
 Outdoor Game: Kangaroo Hop  
 Group Game: Cattle Wranglers

Friday 8th July

### Mystical Magic

Can you make a coin disappear or make an egg float?  
 There is a lot to learn at the OSHClub Magic Show today.

Some of the activities today include:  
 Game: Disappearing Kids - Magic Trick: Mystical Ribbons  
 Craft: Juggling balls



QUALIFIED, FUN, FRIENDLY STAFF



MAKING OF ARTS AND CRAFTS

Monday 11th July

### EXCURSION TODAY!

Challenge yourself and scale great heights at Peak Pursuits in Castle Hill today!

Please arrive by 8:45am

For updated departure and return times please confirm  
 with the program coordinator a few days prior.

Additional cost: \$25.00

Tuesday 12th July

### Let's Get Creative

Let your imagination run wild today and get creative in the OSHClub  
 artist's studio today.

Some of the activities today include:  
 Active Play: Paint a Picasso Relay  
 Craft: Puffy Paint Art - Craft: Bath Bombs

Wednesday 13th July

### Musical Madness

Share your musical talents with us today.

Some of the activities today include:  
 Active Play: Melodious Games  
 Challenge: Make your own musical instruments  
 Craft: Rainbow Rain Sticks

Thursday 14th July

### Red Rocket

I'm building a rocket, it will be finished soon then I'm taking my  
 friends on a trip to the moon.

Some of the activities today include:  
 Challenge: Build a Rocket Ship  
 Experiment: Erupting Moon Rocks  
 Outdoor game: Outer Space Obstacle Course

Incursion: Jumping Castle - Additional Cost: \$15.00

Friday 15th July

### Dinosaur Dig

Join us on an expedition to the Jurassic Jungle.

Some of the activities today include:  
 Outdoor game: Hadrosaurs and Velociraptors  
 Craft: Stand-up Stegosaurus  
 Challenge: Make your own Dino Fossils

Monday 18th July

### Mad Hatters Tea Party

Wear your maddest hat and expect the unexpected at our  
 Mad Hatter's Tea Party today!

Some of the activities today include:  
 Art: Mad Hatter Pocket Watch - Active Game: Follow The Rabbit  
 Craft: Mad Hats and Parade