

31st May, 2017

Term 2, Week 6

Calendar

TERM 2

WEEK 6	What's On
29 May	Year 4 National Park Excursion
30 May	ICAS—Science Competition
30 May	Year 2 Fairfield Museum Excursion
31 May	Year 3 National Park Excursion
31 May	Peer Support Program—Lesson 3 
31 May	Chess Competition
1 June	Zone Cross Country
1 June	Kinder and Year 2 Gymnastics
1 June	Year 1 Fairfield Museum Excursion
2 June	Active Kids Program
WEEK 7	What's On
5 June	NRL Footy Clinic
5 June	SPARKS Parent Workshop 9.30-10.30
6 June	Stomp out the Gap Day
7 June	P&C Meeting—staffroom—9.15am
7 June	Peer Support Program—Lesson 4 
8 June	Kinder and Year 2 Gymnastics
9 June	PaTCH Information session 1.10pm
9 June	Active Kids Program
WEEK 8	What's On
12 June	Queen's Birthday—Public Holiday
13 June	ICAS: Writing Competition
14 June	ICAS: Spelling Competition
14 June	Peer Support Program—Lesson 5 
15 June	Kinder and Year 2 Gymnastics
15 June	Active Kids Program

OSH CLUB

OSH CLUB operates on site everyday
from 7-9am and 3.00-6.00pm. For
more information call:



02 8355 5300
0429 023 686



We are always FAIR at FAIRVALE

Being “Into Learning” means:

- ♦ Working together
- ♦ Taking turns
- ♦ Following your teacher's direction
- ♦ Working hard
- ♦ Being organised
- ♦ Having a go!
- ♦ Attending school every day
- ♦ Being punctual to school
- ♦ Being ready to learn



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.

Available on the
App Store



ANDROID APP ON
Google play



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Principal's INTO LEARNING AWARD



Congratulations to the following students for receiving the Principal's Into Learning Award for Week 5.

CLASS	STUDENT
K Bancroft	<i>K. Oshana</i>
K Edwards	<i>J. Vong</i>
K Harvey	<i>R. Eshaq</i>
K Thiele	<i>B. Kina</i>
1 Blabey	<i>M. Ulberg Nanai</i>
1 Millard	<i>J. Duch</i>
1 Rodda	<i>A. Sepulveda</i>
1/2 Clement	<i>M. Talia</i>
2 Allen	<i>D. Huynh</i>
2 Bancks	<i>A. Tatar</i>
2 Hobbs	<i>R. Dawood</i>
2/3 Vivas	<i>L. Dasowza</i>

CLASS	STUDENT
3 Base	<i>C. Ngoy</i>
3 Do	<i>M. Khummi</i>
3 Morrissey	<i>D. Hajji</i>
4 Morgan	<i>N. Abdulmaseeh</i>
4 Park	<i>H. O'Byrne-Chapman</i>
4 Tan	<i>J. Vaigafa-Pate</i>
4/5 Klein	<i>R. Sheikh</i>
5/6 Ball	<i>H. Lal</i>
5/6 Jennings	<i>N. Smithers</i>
5/6 Legge	<i>A. Blagojevich</i>
5/6 Moloney	<i>C. Alkibbah</i>
5/6 Tyrrell	<i>Z. Ali</i>
5/6 Winton	<i>S. Zaya</i>



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From the Principal

AROUND THE SCHOOL WITH MR PITT

Over the last 2 weeks I visited **some of our support programs**. Mrs Bruzzese, Mr Kinniburgh, Mrs Sloggett and Mrs Worby work with targeted students, sometimes in a small group across the school. Our support teachers also work alongside teachers, parents and outside agencies. It is always a pleasure to acknowledging the work these teachers do, but more importantly I always enjoy seeing the progress of the students. Check out some of the pics in this edition of the newsletter.



PSSA SEASON 1 RESULTS

Due to the wet weather during most of Season 1, the PSSA committee decided that the final series would not be played. Instead we have a *The Top of the Table* title awarded. The award was calculated on the winning percentage of each team. Congratulations to the following Fairvale teams for receiving this special title; **Junior Football and Boys Touch Football**. Thank you to all PSSA players and our coaches for their commitment to Season 1.



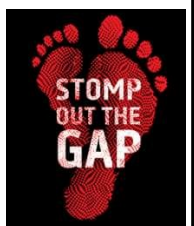
SCHOOL UNIFORM—WINTER MONTHS

The colder weather has officially arrived. Please note it is important that students continue to wear full-school uniform during this time. It is also a timely reminder that students should not keep layers of clothing on when in the classroom. Our classrooms are heated so students should take their jumper/ jacket off, only to put it back on when leaving the classroom. I have listed a full school uniform price list—please consider the discount packages when purchasing uniforms this winter.



STOMP OUT THE GAP DAY

On **Tuesday 6 June 2017**, we will be asking everyone to donate a gold coin to '**Stomp Out The Gap**' once and for all. Cathy Freeman established the Cathy Freeman Foundation in 2007 to help Indigenous children and their families recognise the power of education and to achieve their goals and dreams. The Foundation program helps broaden horizons and inspire Indigenous students to experience their full potential in school, and beyond. The Cathy Freeman Foundation inspires children to realise their own gold medal journey. Students will participate in activities on the day and are encouraged to wear a yellow or red shirt.



END OF SEMESTER ASSEMBLY

All parents and carers are invited to attend our end of semester assemblies. This year we are having two assemblies, **K-2— Friday 23 June** and **3-6—Tuesday 20 June**. Both commence at **9.15am**. Selected students from each class will receive an award on the day. Letters will be going home to families whose child/ren is receiving an award. We hope you can make it this special occasion, celebrating semester one achievements.

Have a great fortnight,



Anthony Pitt
Principal



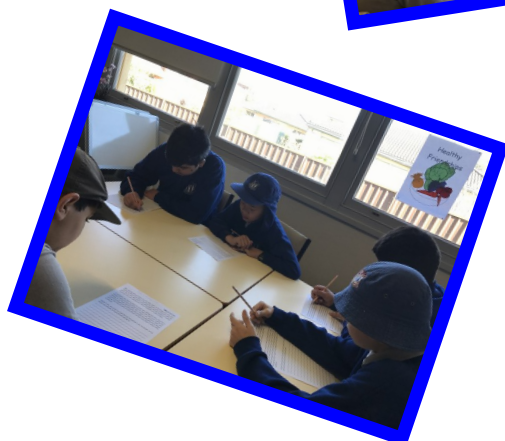
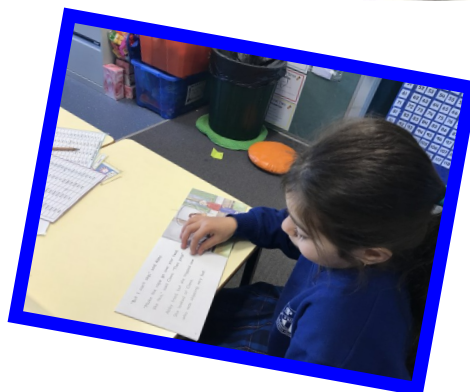
I respect and acknowledge Aboriginal people as the traditional owners of the land on which I work, live and visit.

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AROUND THE SCHOOL WITH MR PITT

Support Programs



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From the Deputy Principal

Kindergarten

Last week, Kindergarten classrooms were visited by teachers from Smithfield Public School. They looked at the amazing activities our students are involved in during L3 (reading and writing) sessions. It is always wonderful to have visitors to our school and display our wonderful learning and teaching.



Active Kids

Over the past 2 weeks our refugee students have been involved in the 'Active Kids' program run by SPARKS. This is a great program where all students have been able to learn to socialise and speak English while getting fit at the same time. The program will run until the end of term on a Friday afternoon during school time. All students participating will learn new skills in a range of different sporting activities. I would like to thank Miss Michael and the people from SPARKS for organising such an amazing program.

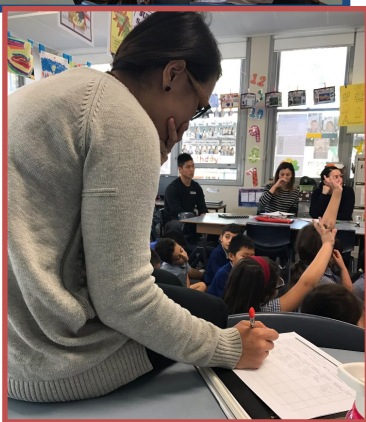


Planning Sessions

Each term teachers come together to plan and learn about ways to improve their teaching to benefit your children in the classroom. This week Early Stage 1 and Stage 1 teachers undertook a lesson study approach to improve their practice. Stage 2 and Stage 3 examined more reading strategies to help students read and comprehend texts that are more complex, also through lesson study. English as an additional language and/or dialect teachers along with support staff also looked at strategies to use with students with additional needs.

Have a great fortnight!

Miss Elks (Rel. Deputy Principal)



Attendance Matters

A friendly reminder to make sure your child brings a signed note or doctor's certificate in with them as soon as they return to school from being absent. You can also go onto our school app to fill out an absent note. You will find the 'Absent note' tab in the menu on the Fairvale School app. Once filled in this note will be printed at the office and sent to your child's teacher.



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CLO Messages

Dear Parents, Carers and Friends of the Fairvale Community,



On Wednesday 17th May 2017, parents and carers gathered to celebrate the joys and blessings of motherhood at our special Mother's Day celebration for our families. A warm thank you to everyone who took time to appreciate the gift of motherhood at our morning tea (pictured).

Thank you also to everyone who participated in our English Conversation Club and Computer Workshops (pictured) – we hope you obtained valuable information that will support your child's learning both at home and at school.

We would like to take this opportunity to invite you to our forthcoming P&C Meeting next Wednesday 7th June 2017 – a wonderful platform to meet and network with other parents and carers, and to receive updates about our school.

If you are interested to become part of the P&C team or should you require further information, please do not hesitate to contact our CLO Ms Maria Ha.

Parents & Friends Café

Our Parents & Friends Café runs each Wednesday from 9:00am to 11:00am in our Fairvale Staffroom. The café caters to diverse workshops, which help to support our families and our students' educational needs and learning outcomes. We would love you to join us this week. Light refreshments provided.

Upcoming Events:

English Conversation Club & Bi-lingual Book Club
Every Monday
9:00am to 11:00am in our Fairvale Staffroom

Computer Workshop 3: Apps for School & Home
Monday 5th June 2017
9:00am to 10:30am in Room 1
(Opposite Administrative Building)

Maria Ha & Samira Salem
CLO Team



PLEASE JOIN US FOR OUR

Parents & Citizens Association General Meeting



Receive updates about our children's education and the wonderful initiatives taking place at school at our monthly P & C meetings. Meetings are held on the first Wednesday of each month. Next meeting June 7th at 9.15am in the staffroom. ALL WELCOME!



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PSSA RESULTS

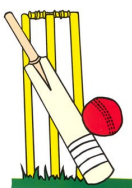
TRIALS FOR SEASON 2 WERE HELD THIS WEEK

*Congratulations to the students who were
successful in being chosen for teams*

SEASON 2 ROUND 1

FAIRVALE PS V VILLAWOOD NORTH PS

SPORT	US v THEM	Most Valuable Player
Boys OzTag	6—2	Francis Safa 4P
Girls OzTag	11—2	Marcella Nerso 5/6M
Girls Basketball	8—36	Hayley Lal 5/6B
Boys Basketball	40—4	Tohmi Huynh 5/6L
Junior Mixed Modified Cricket	NO GAME	
Senior Mixed Modified Cricket	NO GAME	



SCHOOL ZONE PARKING OFFENCES

Increased penalties for School Zones. Current as at 1 July 2015



Means that in the area in the direction of the arrow, you **must NOT STOP your vehicle** at any point on the road or kerb, unless there is a medical or other emergency.

Maximum Penalty

\$425
+ 2 Demerit Points



Means that you have no more than 2 minutes for drop-offs or pick-ups of passengers or goods and the driver must stay within 3 metres of your vehicle.

Penalty

\$177
+ 2 Demerit Points



Means that in the direction of the arrow or arrows you are not allowed to stop your vehicle unless you are driving a bus.

Penalty

\$319
+ 2 Demerit Points



DOUBLE PARKING

You are **NOT PERMITTED** to stop or park your vehicle alongside another vehicle that is already parked parallel to the kerb.

Penalty

\$319
+ 2 Demerit Points

- STOP in a NO STOPPING zone: \$319 + 2 Demerit Points, or STOP on or near a Children's or Pedestrian Crossing: \$425 + 2 Demerit Points
- STOP on path/strip in built up area: \$177 + 2 Demerit Points
- STOP or Park in a Disabled Marked Area without a permit: \$531

Please Note: fines subject to change without notice. Current to 30 June 2016. These penalties apply to offences in school zones during posted school hours.



Lansdowne PSSA has a Facebook page!

Follow us and be kept up to date with sport trials, training, cancellations and results.



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Fairvale Public School
Awards


Awards that I can collect and trade!

FAIR AWARD

Friendly	
Always Safe	
Data 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	
Always Safe	
Data Learning	
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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If you have three GOLD AWARDS, you should bring them to the Print Room by the end of Week 7 (Friday 9th June), for a banner. All banner winners will be going to the movies on Monday, 19th June. You will need to bring a signed permission note before you can go to the movies. Congratulations to all the banner winners. This is your reward for achieving a banner.



TECH TIPS

Everyone should know these keyboard shortcuts!

- **Select All:** [Ctrl] + A
- **Cut:** [Ctrl] + X
- **Copy:** [Ctrl] + C
- **Paste:** [Ctrl] + V
- **Save:** [Ctrl] + S

Fairvale Public School

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.

Please call 9724 3470 for further information.

Follow us on Twitter

@FairvalePS



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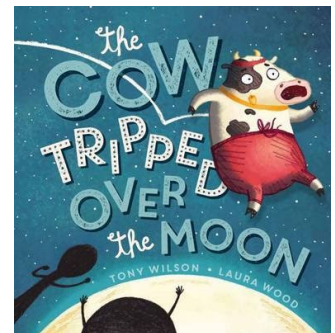
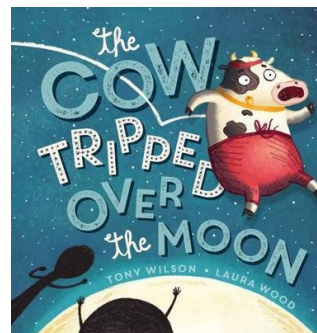
K-2 joined thousands of students across Australia to view and listen to The Cow Tripped over the Moon.



Students made a craft with a moving cow. Wow! Everyone had lots of fun!



Including ...?



Your School Canteen News

Week 6
Term 2

New Healthy School Canteen Guidelines

In recent times, the NSW Government announced new Healthy Canteen Guidelines. The changes are required to be made by the end of December 2019.

You will be happy to know that your school canteen already meets the new standards.

To further improve the menu, we have added fresh popcorn to the meal deal. Popcorn is part of the Everyday food group.

We have sourced a new popcorn that is absolutely delicious and will replace the JJ's

NEW Meal Deal Options

Popcorn Replaces JJ's

New, fresh, tasty & Healthy Popcorn will replace the JJ's



Fruit Shoot Pop Top Drinks

Now you can also choose a Pop Top Fruit Shoot in your Meal Deal. Flavours are :

Apple Blackcurrant
Summer Fruits



Helpful Tips

Tuesday Is The Best Day to Order Lunch

Tuesdays are the quietest day at the canteen. The lines are shortest on Tuesdays, so your child will get served much quicker!

Ice Cold Treats In Lunch Orders

Make Ice Cold Treats part of your lunch order. Your child just has to take their lunch bag back to the canteen to get the item.

They can go straight to the front of the lines!

Sign Up For Flexischools Online

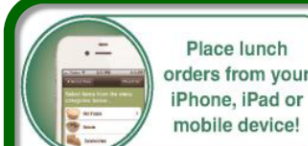
Special "Online Only Meal Deals" will be available in Terms 3 and 4.

You can not order these over the counter

Crunch & Sip \$2

Bottle Water 600ml Plus
Apple or Banana or Mandarin

Only Available Before School Starts



Place lunch orders from your iPhone, iPad or mobile device!

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• Special Online Only Deals

Register today : Flexischools.com.au

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FAIRVALE PUBLIC SCHOOL UNIFORM SHOP

Prices as at February 2017

ITEM	SIZES	PRICE	SIZE	QTY	TOTAL PRICE
BOYS					
Grey shorts	4-18	\$17.00			
Grey long trousers	4-18	\$22.00			
Grey short sleeve polo shirt + emblem	4-18	\$18.00			
Blue sport short	4-18	\$14.00			
Sport shirt	4-18	\$25.00			
White skivvy (optional)	4-16	\$12.00			
Blue zip jacket (optional)	4-16	\$23.00			
Blue V neck jumper (optional)	6-16	\$20.00			
Blue trackpants (double knee)	4-18	\$21.00			
GIRLS					
Summer dress	4-16	\$37.00			
Winter dress	4-16	\$39.00			
Winter skirt	2-18	\$31.00			
Blue sport skort (skirt & short)	2-16	\$17.00			
Blue zip jacket	4-16	\$23.00			
Blue V neck jumper (optional)	6-16	\$20.00			
Blue trackpants (double knee)	4-16	\$21.00			
White skivvy	4-16	\$12.00			
Sport shirt	4-16	\$25.00			
Blue bike short	4-16	\$10.00			
EXTRA					
Blue legionnaire hat (with flap)	1 size	\$10.00			
Blue bucket hat (optional)	S/M/L	\$12.00			
Blue baseball cap (optional)	1 size	\$10.00			
Sunglasses	S/M/L	\$5.00			
Scarf	1 size	\$8.00			
Library bag	1 size	\$12.00			
Artsmock	1 size	\$17.00			
Gloves	1 size	\$6.00			
TOTAL					

DISCOUNT PACKAGES \$\$\$

SUMMER GIRL PACKAGE	
Summer dress and cap	\$45.00 (a saving of \$2.00)
WINTER GIRL PACKAGE	
Winter dress, skivvy and cap	\$55.00 (a saving of \$6.00)
SUMMER BOY PACKAGE	
Grey polo shirt, grey shorts and cap	\$40.00 (a saving of \$4.00)
WINTER BOY PACKAGE	
Long grey pants, grey polo	\$45.00 (a saving of \$4.00)



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