













29 August, 2018

Term 3, Week 6



## Calendar TERM 3



Week 6	What's On....
30 August	SCHOOL BANKING 
30 August	Father's Day Stall 
30 August	Stage 3 First Aid Course
31 August	Father's Day Stall (extra day)
31 August	PaTCH—Session 2
Week 7	What's On....
3 September	School Swimming Program—Group 1 
3 September	Zone Athletics Carnival
4 September	NRL Clinic 
6 September	Parent Group Meeting—9.15am
6 September	Gillawarna Festival—Rehearsal 
6 September	SCHOOL BANKING 
7 September	Year 6 Dance Program—Fairvale HS
Week 8	What's On....
10 September	School Swimming Program—Group 2 
10 September	Stage 3 Tennis Program—9-11am 
11 September	NRL Clinic 
11 September	Gillawarna Festival day (choir) 
12 September	Gillawarna Festival (day and night) 
13 September	SCHOOL BANKING 
Week 9	What's On....
17 September	Stage 3 Tennis Program—9-11am 
18 September	NRL Clinic 
18 September	Active After-School Program (last lesson)
19 September	SSW Athletics Carnival



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## 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




**Those were the days...**

**COMING SOON!**

**Celebrating the last 100 years**

**Where: Fairvale Public School Hall**  
**When: Term 4, week 2**  
**Concert dates:**  
**Wednesday, 24 October: Matinee and evening**  
**Thursday, 25 October: Matinee**

**Tickets go on sale first Monday in Term 4. Don't miss out! Seats are limited.**

**Show casing our fabulous performers from Kindergarten to year 6!**

## 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



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## Week 6 - Principal's Into Learning Award Winners



Class	Student
K Brennan	Ahmed. A
K Callister	Rawan.
K Eldred	Tidda. N
K Macdonald	Kaitlyn V-P
1 Bliss	Minh. L
1 McKay	Meriana. Q
1 Richardson	Shaby. T
1 Sullivan	Damian. T
2 Chirlia	Joven. B
2 Grant	Ahmed. A-A
2 Lidwill	Lincoln. G
2/3 Smith	Aydin. A



Class	Student
3 Bishop	Lina. N
3 Vogel	Jane. T
3/4 McLaren	Yousar. A-S
4 Dethridge	Stephanie. T-V
4 Kent	Le Bao. L
4 Taylor	Mohammed. A-S
4/5 Harrison	Hiba. M
5/6 Bandt	Darren. N
5/6 Clark	Grachelle. C
5/6 Lexcen	Mirna. Y
5/6 Marchant	Tyrone. N
5/6 Traeger	Mandi Matti A-H
5/6 Warren	Antonious. J



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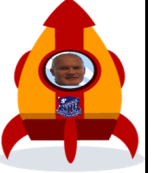
## From the Principal



Dear Parents/ Carers,

### ROCKETING AROUND THE SCHOOL WITH MR PITT

**1 McKAY:** Last Wednesday I visited 1M during an independent writing session. The children were writing a description of the alien/ monster they had previously made. The designs were fantastic and it was really pleasing to listen to the children talk about their work with their peers. After the talk, children needed to write about their work. Children were able to use adjectives to describe their alien/ monster. I was able to work with each group and I was really impressed with the effort of everyone. Well done 1M!



**3 BISHOP :** On Tuesday I visited 3B during literacy time. Children were completing activities in small groups. Some of the activities included mathematics, reading eggs, reading box cards, guided reading with Mrs Bawa and an independent writing. The writing activity was a lot fun. Children were writing in a shared journal—some of the journals were about favourite games, my pets, the day I was hurt and my family. I really enjoyed my visit to 3B.

Check out the photos in this edition of the newsletter.

### SCIENCE AND BOOK WEEK

Last week we celebrated two special events; Science and Book Week. I am hoping you have the chance to visit the library to see some of the designs from our K-2 children—I was blown away! The design problem was around improving the classroom learning environment with an invention. Thank you to the Science Committee, led by Mr Tran for coordinating the event this year. On Wednesday we held a very special 'find your treasure' Book Week. Many students and teachers came dressed in costume and took advantage of having a photo in the special photo booths. Thank you to the Library Committee, led by Mrs Orwin for coordinating the event. Check out the pics of both events in this edition of the newsletter.



### EMERGENCY and LOCKDOWN DRILLS

Each year schools in NSW take part in mandatory emergency evacuation and lockdown drills. During this time all members on site must adhere to school policies and procedures. On Tuesday our school participated in an emergency lockdown practice. We now have a committee who will be evaluating the effectiveness of emergency procedures at our school.



### SCHOOL CONCERT

It's School Concert time again! The theme this year is 'Celebrating the last 100 years'. Classes are busily rehearsing their items with the big event to be held early next term. It is important that we have all students committed to this memorable event. Please return all commitment notes to class teachers by the end of the week. Check the flyer on page 1 of the newsletter.



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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## Rocketing Around the School with Mr Pitt



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## From the Relieving Deputy Principal

It has been another wonderful fortnight at Fairvale PS. Over the last two weeks we have celebrated Book Week and Science Week. We have also had employees from Bunnings visit. They donated some more fantastic plants and helped us to plant them. Finally, last week all of our teachers have engaged in valuable planning time with their stage teams. During this time the teachers worked together to reflect and evaluate the term so far and to forward plan engaging lessons for the rest of the term.



Mrs Orwin organised for the preschool students from Three Bears to visit our school last week. They had a tour of the library, dropped into KC and said hello to Mr Pitt. They brightened up our school with their little yellow hats and perfect manners. Thank you Three Bears for the lovely card and gifts.



All students at Fairvale PS need to be wearing a hat during break times. Please help to remind your child to bring their hat to school each day. If they do not have a hat they need to be sitting on the silver seats during break times. School hats can be purchased from our Uniform Shop.



*Mrs Karam - Relieving Deputy Principal*

## Assembly Class of the Week Winners!



# KB, 3/4M & 5/6T



### Attendance Matters—What parents/carers can do

- Send your children to school every day, starting in Kindergarten, to teach your children that attendance counts.
- Don't let your child miss school without a good reason. Try to avoid medical appointments during the school day or holidays when school is in session.
- Create routines and stick to them. Set a regular bed time and morning routine to get ready for school. For older students, be sure they get enough sleep.
- Find your own ways to reward good attendance.



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## Community News with Miss Michelle and Miss Samira

### Parent Café Term 3 2018

Wk	Day	Date	What's on
6	Thursday	30 August	9.00am-11.00am- Father's Day Stall
7	Thursday	6 September	9.00am-11.00am- Parent Group Meeting 10:00-11:00am- Cyber Safety Workshop Presented by Mrs Sheppard
8	Thursday	13 September	9.00-2.30pm- Parent Excursion
9	Thursday	20 September	9.03am-12.00am- Liverpool Women's Health Centre Visit Liverpool Women's Health Centre Visit
10	Thursday	27 September	11.30am- Luncheon and Birthday Celebrations

### Fairvale Public School Beginning School Well Playgroup

A playgroup to support refugee families starting school in 2019 & 2020



Fairvale Public School  
Wolseley Street, Fairfield  
School Hall

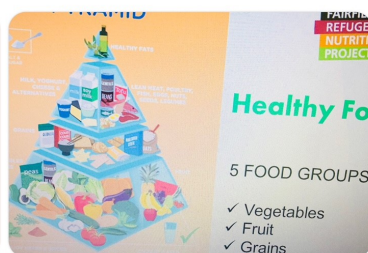
**Tuesdays 9:15am– 11:00am**

**From Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> July to 18<sup>th</sup> September 2018**

Please join us in fun and exciting activities to support your child's successful transition to school in 2019 or 2020.  
Coffee and tea is provided.

This playgroup is run by Fairvale Public School teachers and an Arabic speaking mentor.  
Please call 9724 3470 for further information.

Parent Cafe- Thursday's  
Health is Wealth Cooking  
Classes.  
Parents had fun learning  
Healthy lunchbox ideas and  
snacks.  
Everyone welcome!



Thank you to our Parent Volunteers  
who have been processing School  
Banking every Thursday.

If you haven't already. You can open  
an account with Commonwealth  
Banking for your child and start  
School Banking  
on Thursday's.



**EFTPOS available at the front office and in the School Uniform Shop**

EFTPOS  
AVAILABLE





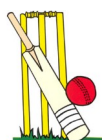
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## PSSA RESULTS

### V Semi Finals

SPORT	US v THEM	Best and Fairest Player
Boys OzTag	<b>2-3</b>	Nimona. S 5/6M
Girls OzTag	<b>0-2</b>	Irae. L 5/6M
Girls Basketball	-	-
Boys Basketball	<b>18-35</b>	Wilson. T 5/6W
J Modified Cricket	-	-
S Modified Cricket	<b>144-220</b>	Cecilia. T 5/6M



V

SPORT	US v THEM	Best and Fairest Player
Boys T Ball		
Girls T Ball		
Boys AFL		
Girls AFL		
Boys Softball		
Girls Softball		

**Try outs**



**All children representing the school at PSSA must wear a SCHOOL HAT.**



## HOW TO CLAIM THE ACTIVE KIDS REBATE

This year parents and carers of school-aged children enrolled in an approved sport or fitness activity can receive a \$100 voucher to cover the registration and participation costs for that calendar year. I have placed more information, with links on the school app.



## PSSA SEMI FINALS

Last Friday we had 4 PSSA teams compete in the semi finals in Oztag , Basketball and Senior Modified cricket. A big congratulations to the teams reaching the semi finals.



Unfortunately, results didn't go our way on this occasion. Well done to all the children involved in PSSA this season—you are always proud to represent us. A big thank you to the PSSA coaches—Mr Tran, Mr Kinniburgh and Mr Ly for whom, without their commitment, our school would not participate each and every Friday. A new season of PSSA commences soon.

*Did you know?*  
**HEALTHY  
SNACKS**

Filling up on junk or 'sometimes' foods high in energy and sugar leaves less room for the more nutritious or 'everyday' foods.



Health

**Live Life Well  
@ School**

See more information on the school app. Go to the notes section and look for 'School Banking Program'



**School Banking**

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## KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS

Fairvale Public School  
Wolseley Street  
Fairfield  
Phone: 9724 3470



Fairvale Public School is now taking enrolments for children starting school in 2019. These children will participate in a 'Transition to School' program during Term 4, 2018.

If your child turns 5 before 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2019, it is important that you enrol your child at the office now.

Please pass this message to friends and neighbours whose child will be eligible to begin school in 2019.

**An information meeting will be held in the school hall on  
Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> November at 10.00am.**

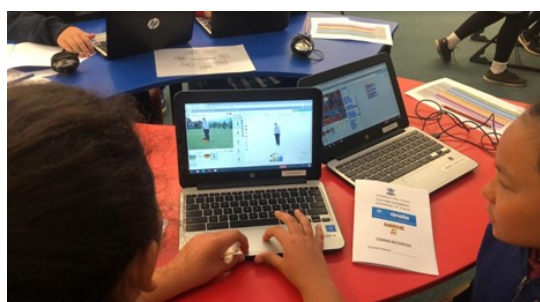
Mr A. Pitt  
Principal

Mrs Herps  
Transition to School Co-ordinator



### ANSTO Top Coder Scratch Coding and EV3 Robotics Competition

On Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> August 4 students attended a Scratch Coding competition at Smithfield public school. They had to create a game around sustainability. Students learnt a lot about making their games more interactive. On Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> August 4 students attended an EV3 Robotics competition at the University of Western Sydney. Students had to complete a number of challenges on their way to the final challenge. In this final challenge students had to use all of their knowledge that they had learnt through out the day. Congratulations to Jack, Lucas, Stanley, Tony, Adriana, Cecilia, Hillary and Nardeen for their hard work, all had an amazing day. Thank you to Mrs Herps, Miss Tran and Mr Misitano for taking the students on this excursion.



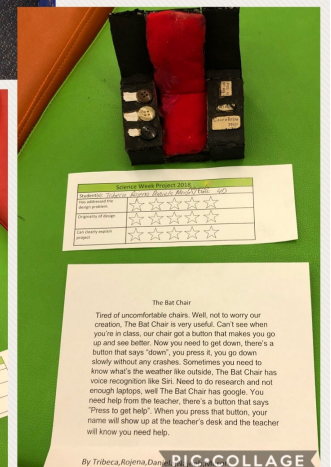
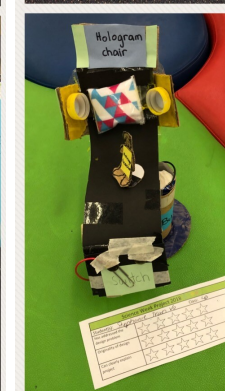
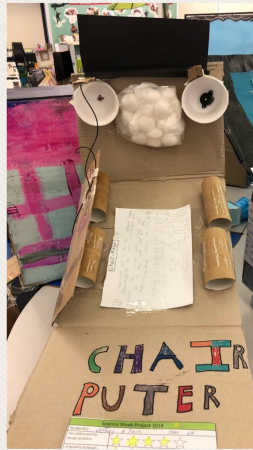
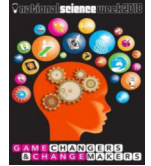


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# SCIENCE WEEK



The Bar Chair  
 Tired of uncomfortable chairs? Well, not to worry our creation, The Bar Chair is very useful. Can't see when you're in class, our chair got a button that makes you go up and see better. Now you need to get down. There's a button that says "down" - you press it, you go down slowly without any crashes. Sometimes you need to know what's the weather like outside. The Bar Chair has voice recognition like Siri. Need to do research and not enough laptop, well The Bar Chair has google. You need help from the teacher, there's a button that says "Press to get help". When you press that button, your name will show up at the teacher's desk and the teacher will know you need help.

By Tribeca, Rojima, Dany



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# BOOK WEEK

