Principal’s Message

Coming events
Thursday 15 October  K- 2 Cross Country Carnival 2.30pm
Monday 19 October  Year 5 leadership day at school
Tuesday 20 October  P&C meeting at 7.30pm – enter via Sorlie Place gate
Thursday 22 October  Mufti day - Tombola donations for Christmas Fair
Monday 26 October  Book Swap
Monday 26 October  Canteen Committee Meeting 7.30pm
Monday 26 October  Dance group 2015/6 begins
Tuesday 27 October  Book Swap
Tuesday 27 October  Tutti Frutti Tuesday in the Canteen
Wednesday 28 October  Book Swap
Thursday 29 October  Kindergarten orientation for 2016
Sunday 1 November  Grounds and Gardens working Bee 2pm-5pm
Sunday 8 November  Christmas Fair

Anita Chin parent maths workshop
Thank you to all the parents who attended the maths workshop with Anita Chin on Friday. There was a lot of learning and laughter. We will hold another session for parents next year!

School communication
Thank you to Mrs Peake in our office who has been learning how to send communication out via our school app. You will notice a couple of changes to Thursday notes. All emails and app notifications come through individually with information in the body of the message unless there is a permission attachment. To see an attachment you open the view document tab. If you need help downloading the app to your device please pop in and see us in the office or visit Mr Philips. Please note if you unsubscribe from the email or app you will NOT receive any school communication.

SRC Crazy Hair fundraiser for Bear Cottage – a crazy day was had by all and we raised $380.00. What a fantastic effort.

Gail Smith
Principal
Respectful Responsible Learner

The focus for this term is:

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Assembly Award Winners

Term 3 Weeks 9 and 10, Term 4 Week 1

SILVER AWARD RECIPIENTS


GOLD AWARD RECIPIENTS

Ashleigh B

MEDAL RECIPIENTS

Justin W

LRC News

The Great Australian Book Swap

We will soon be holding a Book Swap in support of the Indigenous Literacy Foundation.

Children are invited to bring in a book that they have loved but are willing to part with. They place the book on the Book Swap table in the LRC and on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of week 4 they may, for a gold coin donation, come in and swap for another book.

Children will be able to come in at any point on those days when the LRC is normally open.


Claire Peters
Teacher Librarian

Sport News

PSSA training times for Term 4 will be as follows:

Cricket - Thursday mornings at 8.40am
Softball - Friday mornings at 8.40am
School News

Thank You from Tina

Jo san – Cantonese for good morning. Thank you for all your lovely gifts, cards and well wishes when I left FFPS. I felt really blessed and humbled. We are slowly working out how to live in a different culture and are enjoying the adventure of it. Each day brings new challenges and delights. I often remember what I said to the students when getting them to try a vegetable - just try - so that’s what I do. I have eaten a few new fruits and vegetables, tried to do new things and am enjoying this new adventure. Thank you again for everything - I really enjoyed my time at FFPS canteen.

P & C News

A separate note has gone out this week with shifts that need to be filled in the canteen. If you can help out, please do. We cannot run the canteen without parent volunteers.

Please note that our supplier is currently out of Cocoa balls, so we have taken them off the menu for this term.

Frozen items are available at lunch-time only but please tell your children to keep an eye out for yummy morning tea specials.

Charlotte Nash
FFPS Canteen Convener

Uniform Shop

Welcome back to Term 4. We hope you had a lovely break.

Leanne, our new uniform shop manager, will be opening the shop every Friday of Term 4 from 8:15am to 9:15am.
Please remember to wait for a volunteer to take you through to the shop area. If our volunteers are already serving, please take a number and wait for your turn. We thank you in advance for your patience.

If you are not able to visit during our opening times, you can complete an order form which is available from the office or download from our FFPS website. Orders are filled each Friday and can be sent to your child’s classroom or available for collection at the office.

Please note that, at the Uniform Shop or if using the order form, payment is by cash or cheque only. Please make the cheque payable to FFPS Uniform Shop.

Lastly, if you are interested in helping out in the uniform shop with Leanne for around half an hour on a Friday (8:40am to 9:15am), we would love to have you. Can you please send an email to ffspandcuniform@gmail.com, leave a message at the front office for either Leanne Heal or myself or simply pop in during the Friday morning.

Deb Hishon
Uniform Shop Convener

**Fair News**

The fair is only a few weeks away - Sunday 8 November. There are many ways to get involved!

Tombola - The Mufti day for tombola is next Thursday 22 October. Children may dress in Mufti and bring in a donation for our Tombola raffle at the fair. It could be a bottle of wine (parents to deliver to the office), drink, bubble bath, perfume, shampoo/conditioner, bath salts, jars of lollies, jars of jam, etc... Get creative - it can be a container/bag of craft gear, stickers, small toys or maybe some sewing bits and bobs.

White Elephant - Continue to bring in your white elephant donations! Tuesday and Thursday morning someone will be in the building with the snake painting next to the play equipment. You can take your donations there!

If you have some spare time on one those days, stay around for a bit and lend a hand with sorting and pricing.

Lolly and chocolate wheel donations can be brought in and left at the office.

Flyers went home with the youngest child today. Please distribute them to your family, friends and neighbours. If you would like more flyers you can pick them up from the office.

Keep selling those raffle tickets and please return all sold or unsold tickets to the silver letterbox in the office by 27 October. We will be selling raffle tickets on Sunday 25 October from 8am to 12 noon at the Frenchs Forest Organic Markets. If any students would like to lend a hand selling tickets, please come along in school uniform. Any extra books your child sells will go towards their total books sold. This could entitle you to a prize of an iPod Shuffle 2. Please contact us if you have any questions.

Send in your pre-sale ride band notes before 27 October. We have some great rides coming to the fair again! Sizzler, Giant Slide, Dodgem Cars, Rock Wall, Chair ‘o’ Plane and a Jumping Castle.

Silent Auction Donations - If you would like to donate something to the silent auction, please give it to Mrs Peake in the office marked ‘silent auction for the fair’. Any and all donations are appreciated.
Market Stall holders - If you or someone you know would like to have a stall at the fair, there are still some spaces left. Please email or call so we can forward on the relevant information.

Roster yourself on for a shift on the day. See details below for how to volunteer.

If you have any questions about the fair you can email: ffpspandcfundraising@gmail.com or phone 0410 297 556

We are looking forward to another great Fair.

Tonya Richards
Fair Co-ordinator

How to Volunteer for the Christmas Fair

2. Enter the event code: 9T7TD
3. Fill in your personal details
4. Select a roster to volunteer
5. Select your preferred time by ticking one available box within the time slot of 90 minutes
6. Your confirmation message will be displayed with all your booking information

Band

Well done to the Training Band on their first assembly performance. You all did a superb job.

For those students, particularly in Year 2, who are thinking about joining our band next year, please keep an eye out for application to band and band information notes which will come out shortly in Thursday’s notes.

Performance band 2016 audition dates will be confirmed shortly. If you are interested in trying out, please let Mr Squire or myself know.

Sally Tate
Band Convenor