Principal’s Message

Coming events

Friday 27 November
- Last scripture classes for 2015
- Volunteers’ morning tea 11.15am
- Sport award assembly 2pm

Tuesday 1 December
- House parties for K-6

Wednesday 2 December
- Presentation morning 9.30am

Thursday 3 December
- Public High School Orientation

Friday 4 December
- Year 6 final assembly 2pm
- Buddy picnic 3.30pm on the oval

Monday 7 December
- P&C AGM 7.30pm

Wednesday 9 December
- Year 6 dinner dance 6pm

Thursday 10 December
- Student reports home

Friday 11 December
- K-6 Christmas Concert 2pm
- Catch up @ Carries (outside canteen 3.10pm)

Monday 14 December
- Year 6 fair

Tuesday 15 December
- Whole school picnic

Wednesday 16 December
- Class parties, talent quest
- Guard of Honour for Year 6 at 3pm
- Last day of school for 2015

End of year events

Volunteer morning tea
Parent volunteers and scripture teachers are invited to attend a thankyou morning tea in the staffroom on Friday 27 November at 11.15am

Sport award assembly
Parents and students in years 2-6 attend our 2015 sport award presentation afternoon. Invitations have gone home to parents whose children are receiving awards. Students wear sport uniform.

House Parties
Students in year K-6 enjoy games on the oval followed by an ice-block. Children should wear sport uniform and a house coloured T-shirt or sport shirt.

Presentation morning
Parents and students are invited to attend our 2015 presentation assembly. Kindergarten and Year 6 will graduate in front of their peers and class and specialist awards will be presented. Invitations have gone home to parents whose children are receiving individual awards. All students wear full school uniform.
Year 6 final assembly
Year 6 parents are invited to attend this special assembly where we will hear some anecdotes about school life from Year 6 students and view an animoto. Tissues may be required.

Buddy picnic
Year 5 (year 6 2016) and their new kindy (2016) buddies share a picnic afternoon tea and play on the oval.

Year 6 dinner dance
Year 6 students and staff share an evening of dinner and dancing. Parents are invited to attend the evening at 7.30pm for photos.

K-6 Christmas concert
All students participate in this casual end of year Christmas concert. Parent and grandparents are warmly invited to enjoy the concert then stay on for Catch Up @ Carrie’s at the canteen. Teachers will advise children of costumes to be worn next week.

Year 6 fair
This traditional fair is run by the year 6 students to raise money for their gift to the school. The fair is for students and teachers and runs between recess and lunch. Children should bring a small amount of money ($5 - $10) to purchase food items, drinks and participate in games and stalls. All children wear mufti on this day, including school hat and closed shoes.

School picnic to Clifton Gardens
Our K-6 school picnic and games day is held at Clifton Gardens. Children wear sport uniform and bring sunscreen, morning tea, lunch and cold water. A permission note will be sent home.

Class parties and guard of honour
Teachers will advise parents of arrangements for class parties. Children wear full summer uniform as this is the day we farewell year 6 with a guard of honour and final ringing of the bell. All parents are invited to the guard of honour at 3pm on Wednesday 16 December.

2016 enrolments
May I ask that any families who know that they will be leaving FFPS advise me by email or letter as soon as possible.

Gail Smith
Principal

School News

Book Return
Library borrowing and home reading will finish this week (Friday 29 November). Please return all books to school by next week.
Assembly Award Winners

**Term 4 Week 6**

**SILVER AWARD RECIPIENTS**  

**GOLD AWARD RECIPIENTS**  
Zach T, Amberley H, Max L, Harry L, Flynn M

**MEDAL RECIPIENTS**  
Angus J, Jack N, Jade A, Evan R

Administration News

**Changes to School Bus Numbers**  
In 2016 the school bus number will change. The 754 from FFPS to Brookvale will be renumbered to 720 and the 766 from Oxford Falls to Seaforth shops will be renumbered to 722.

**Term Accounts**  
If you have mislaid your term account, don’t worry, a copy will be sent home next week. Please finalise all outstanding accounts by Friday 11 December 2015.

P & C News

Thank you to the community who volunteered their time on Sunday to make the fair so successful. Thank you to Tonya Richards for co-ordinating such a brilliant day.

On Monday 16 November, we held an extra-ordinary P&C meeting where the targets for our fundraising were decided. If you would like a copy of the minutes please contact me at the email address below.

We are looking for a paid casual position for the Uniform Shop for 2016 and are asking for expressions of interest. If you are interested or would like more information please email ffpspandc@gmail.com or ffpspandcvicepresident1@gmail.com.

Don’t forget the P&C AGM on Monday 7 December in the staffroom. Nomination forms and your invitation to the AGM were sent in last week’s notes. Hard copies are available from the office. Please consider putting yourself forward for one of the positions or just come along to see how your P&C works. You can use your experience in a position for your professional CV. For any queries please email ffpspandc@gmail.com for information, or call for a chat.

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FFPS Christmas Fair

Thank you to the following groups of people who helped contribute to another amazing fair, you know who you are:

Stall organizers    Saturday setup crew
Sunday setup and pack up crew  All parents who put their name on a roster

Also, a special thank you to Narrabeen Baptist church donating the coffee for the fair; LJ Hooker, Frenchs Forest for sponsoring the photo booth on the day and donating profits back to the school; First National Frenchs Forest for sponsoring the Kindifarm; Forest Alliance Church and Forest Anglican Church for volunteering to run the BBQ and pulled pork stalls at the fair; and to our teachers for organising and running the cake stall at the fair.

Without all of these people our fair just wouldn't happen so - THANK YOU!!

The overall profit is $18,864.03.

The winner of the raffle for a holiday on Hamilton Island was Ms Sam Clancy.

Ben P of 2M was the winner of an Ipod Shuffle for selling the most raffle tickets.  Well done.

Bracelets and slap watches were sent home today to those children who were the first to sell entire raffle ticket books.

If you or you and a friend are interested in becoming the organiser(s) of the centenary fair in 2016, please get your nomination forms in so you can be voted in at the P&C AGM on Monday 7 December.  This is a very rewarding position and the 2016 Centenary Fair will be very exciting.

Tonya Richards
Fair Co-ordinator

WARRINGAH COUNCIL SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

The summer school holidays are fast approaching and Warringah Council have supplied the school with copies of their Vacation Care brochures. Activities for the summer vacation include visits to Luna Park, Taronga Zoo, Movies @ Fox Studios, Putt Putt Golf, Ryde Aquatic Centre and more. Pick up a copy of the brochure with discount vouchers and enrolment form from the office foyer or download a copy from www.warringah.nsw.gov.au.