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Megan Staples
Principal

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Forbes Public School Newsletter

"Maintaining A Tradition of Excellence"



Thank you to everyone who helped us celebrate Education Week last week, we hope you enjoyed it as much as we did!

Last Friday some of our students represented our school at the Lachlan District Athletics Carnival. It was a cold and windy day, but despite the weather our students engaged in their events with great sportsmanship and competitiveness. We now have a team of 27 students going onto represent our school at the Western Region Athletics Carnival.

While I am proud of the efforts of all our students, I would like to congratulate Reece Kollias who broke the Lachlan Athletics record for the senior boys High Jump by 4cm, jumping 1.38m to secure the record.

I would also like to acknowledge Laura Chudleigh who was selected to trial for the PSSA National Athletics Team for Long Jump. Laura placed 5th in the State which is a fantastic achievement. Unfortunately she did not make the team this year but we wish her luck for next year.

We also wish our Primary Boys football team the best of luck as they travel to Goulburn tomorrow to compete in the State Quarter and Semi Finals of the PSSA Rugby League knockouts.

Our school is truly a wonderful place for our students to learn and play and I have really enjoyed being in and out of classrooms across our school over the past fortnight. Students have been really engaged and in particular are enjoying some of the hands on maths activities being taught to them across the school. I would like to take this opportunity to share the wonderful feedback from recent visitors to our school who commented on the polite and positive behaviour our students showed.

I would like to wish everyone a great fortnight.

Meg Staples - Principal

Coming up.....

Friday, 16 August

Assembly hosted by 2G

Friday, 23 August

Reading Downtown for Kinder

Friday, 30 August

Stage 1 Zoo Excursion

Thursday, 5 September

Stage 3 Touch Football Gala Day

Tuesday, 10 September

Visiting Show

Wed / Thurs 18-19 September

Stage 2 Excursion

Forbes Public School P&C is hosting

Father's Day

BREAKFAST & GIFT STALL

THURS 29TH AUG

BACON & EGG ROLLS \$5
FREE TEA, COFFEE & JUICE

7:30AM to 9AM

Gifts ranging from \$1-\$15

All Welcome

Student Awards

The following students have been awarded Principal's Commendation Awards and will receive a Principal's Pen or Pencil

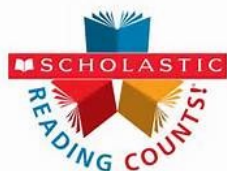
KN	4K
Max Hogben	Millie Crowley
KW	Zoe Fraser
Charlie Acheson	Taylor Collits
Jarrold Thornton	4M
Jack Bull	Brodie Brown
Will Plowes	Liam Kearney-Pallister
1B	Mia Wilson
Emily Greig	Memphis Bevan
Bethany Baxter	5I
1L	Max Coote
Jamal Alghamdi	Tylah Bond
Hamish Whitty	Ben Boyd
2A	Madison Burbage
Archie Hogben	Tess Worland
Leo Gharib	Noah Bryant
2G	Jessica Johansson
Chelsea Rankmore	5/6G
3A	Chaise Weaver
Mia Bryant	Nick Zannes
Zeel Patel	Hollie Stavleu
Indigo Francis	Marcus Colvin
Jackson Beaudin	Ruby Marsden
Shane Moxey	6D
Stella Bull	Zac Fraser
3H	Samuel Motley
Ava Kearney-Pallister	3/6C
Ruby Coote	Alice Bray

Book Fair Thankyou!

Thankyou you to the students, families and staff who purchased books and assisted at our recent Scholastic Book Fair.

We had a great day with more record sales and have chosen a number of new titles for our students to enjoy as part of our commission.

Reading is a pastime to last a lifetime!



REMINDER

Term 3 Visiting Show

Coming Tuesday, 10 September

In this exciting show, Ruth and Tim create great science experiences with wonderfully visual outcomes and lashings of humorous fun. Using balloons, liquids of different density, edible fruits, corks, colour, common bleach, magnets and even a homemade vortex cannon, Ruth and Tim set out to prove that objects don't always do what you expect them to.

The cost of this performance is \$8 and was included in your child's prepayments.

If you would like your child to attend this exciting show, which was postponed from Term 2, and haven't already paid, please send \$8 to the office in an envelope labelled Term 3 Visiting show and your child's name and class.

Our school welcomes EFTPOS and online payments.

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UNSW ICAS Sitting Dates for 2019

Digital Technologies	Tuesday, 3 September
Science	Thursday, 5 September
Writing	Tuesday, 10 September
Spelling Bee	Thursday, 12 September
English	Tuesday, 17 September
Mathematics	Thursday, 19 September

Lachlan Athletics Team Trials

Friday, 9th August, 2019

On a freezing cold winters day 32 Forbes Public School athletes braved the weather to compete in the PSSA Lachlan Athletics Team Trials.

Mrs Stitt and Ms Staples were so impressed by the team members' positive behaviour. Not only were they safe, respectful and responsible they were also great sportspeople. They tried 100% and really worked on putting the skills they practised in training into action during their events.

Astonishingly of the 32 students who trialled, 27 were selected to represent the Lachlan Team at Bardon Oval in Dubbo on Friday, 13 September. Wow, we did outstandingly as a school on Friday. All that training and Friday sports sessions and our clinics with Ernie Sluiter sure paid off. Thank you to all staff who made these sessions possible and to the Federal Government for our Sporting Schools Grant.

The following people will be competing in these events at the PSSA Western Athletics Team Trials.

Louie Hodder	200m	1 st
	100m	2 nd
	long jump	2 nd
	relay	2 nd
	800m	3 rd
Reece Matheson	1500m	2 nd (only 1 st goes)
	100m	1 st
	relay	2 nd
	discus	2 nd
	200m	3 rd
Laura Chudleigh	shot put	3 rd
	high jump	3 rd
	long jump	1 st
	relay	1 st
	200m	2 nd
Brock Maynard	shot put	2 nd
	discus	2 nd
	100m	3 rd
	200m	1 st
	relay	2 nd
Reece Kollias	shot put	3 rd
	1500m	2 nd (only 1 st goes)
	long jump	1 st
	discus	3 rd
	high jump	1 st
in a new record of 1.38 m		
Ellie Pointon	100m	1 st
	200m	1 st
	relay	1 st
Harry Stewart	100m	1 st
	relay	2 nd
Malaki Paahi	200m	2 nd
	relay	2 nd

Samuel Motley	800m	3 rd
	1500m	2 nd (only 1 st goes)
Jemma Hodder	relay	2 nd
	200m	3 rd
	long jump	3 rd
Stirling Francis	relay	2 nd
	100m	3 rd
	long jump	3 rd
Audrey Walker	1500m	1 st
	800m	3 rd
Ruby Coote	100m	1 st
	relay	1 st
Indigo Francis	100m	2 nd
	relay	1 st
Will Watson	100m	1 st
	relay	2 nd
Jackson Beaudin	800m	2 nd
	relay	2 nd
Laine Jackson	100m	2 nd
	relay	2 nd
Stella Bull	800m	2 nd
	100m	3 rd
Matthew Higgins	shot put	1 st
Harry Staines	800m	2 nd
Lola Morrison	shot put	1 st
Faith Paahi	relay	2 nd
Matilda Stitt	relay	2 nd
Jakieal Ware	high jump	2 nd
Tara Higgins	high jump	1 st
Jono Webb	100m	2 nd
Thomas Vonthien	100m	3 rd

Good luck to the above students for making the Lachlan Team. There will be training on the following Wednesdays (14 August, 21 August, 28 August, 4 September). We will rest on Wednesday 11 September ready for the events on Friday, 13 September.



Assembly Awards

The following awards were presented at the school assembly held on Friday, 2 August 2019

6D	- Matthew Higgins	- Working well in Maths
	Jade McKeown	- Positive attitude in all areas
5/6G	- Ruby Marsden	- Upholding our school PBL values
	Marcus Colvin	- Continual hard work in his Spelling
5I	- Bella Henry	- Her positive attitude to all tasks
	Jessica Johansson	- Improvement displayed in Maths
3/6C	- Alice Bray	- Fantastic effort in Maths
4M	- Abbey Fuge	- Enthusiasm in all classroom activities
	Horiana Tapine	- Always being a kind and helpful class member
4K	- Alex Reid	- Settling in well at FPS
	Phoebee McGrath	- Working hard in English groups
3H	- Zoe Clark	- Great work in groups
	Toby Smart	- A cooperative and helpful attitude
3A	- Will Watson	- Outstanding effort across all areas
	Chloe Walker	- Consistent effort in all areas of learning
2G	- Lucy Bush	- The phenomenal effort she puts into her work
	Sophie Nightingale	- Displaying a high level of commitment to her learning
2A	- Evie Duggan	- Enthusiastically contributing during class discussions
	Cody Williams	- Applying greater effort in Writing
1L	- Evie Amor	- Beautifully presented bookwork
	Max Pointon	- Great achievement in Spelling
1B	- Jack Douglass	- Quick recall of friends of 10
	Kaiden Sydenham	- Producing amazing artworks
KW	- Ella-Rose Wright	- Expressive reading
	Jarrold Thornton	- Speaking confidently in front of the class
KN	- Ruby Lidster	- Fantastic improvement in presentation of work
	Max Hogben	- Improvement in Reading
K/6F	- Jamaraki Ware	- Terrific progress in his sight words

3H Assembly Report

3H had a great time preparing for their assembly presentation in Week 2. We combined fun and learning to present the 6 times tables to the tune of Cheerleader by OMI (thank you to Mr DeMaio for inspiring us to learn our times tables).

We hope our item left everyone in the audience with a great maths feeling and shared our love of maths.



PSSA Touch Football Knockout

Forbes Public School vs Condobolin Public School

On Thursday, 1 August the Forbes Public School Boys' Touch Football Team travelled to Botanical Gardens to verse Condobolin Public School in the third Round of the PSSA Knockout.

Our team came out very strong and were able to score within the first few minutes. This set the tone for the game which saw many of the boys score in the first half making the score 11—1. In the half time break, the boys were very positive and showed great enthusiasm for the next half of the game.

In the second half, the boys held their structure and continued to attack and defend extremely well. The boys looked for many try time opportunities and were able to work as a team to score at all ends of the try line. The final score was 20—2, Forbes Public School's way. This resulted in the boys moving into round four.

Thank you to everyone who came out and supported us on the day. Thanks also goes to Condobolin Public School for travelling and playing a great game.

Forbes Public School vs Orange Small Schools (OSSA)

On Tuesday, 13 August the Boys' Touch Football Team consisting of; Harry Staines, Lachlan Alley, Samuel Motley, Seth Butler, Sam Schrader, Brock Maynard, Dylan Bray, Matt Higgins, Zac Fraser, Malakai Paahi, Will Cheney and Jackson Beaudin travelled to Orange to play against Orange Small Schools Association (OSSA) in the fourth round of the PSSA Touch Football Knockout competition.

The boys were extremely eager to play and started the game out well. The boys tried hard throughout the game and used their knowledge and skill to try and break through the OSSA defence. Our team were able to score a few lucky tries to keep the score close. They went into halftime with much better shape and structure, however, OSSA proved too strong and ended up winning the game 5 – 3.

The boys should be extremely proud of their efforts, especially for making it this far in the PSSA Knockout for Touch Football. I would like to thank all of the boys for their hard work at training and playing for our school team, they represented Forbes Public School well.

Thank you to Ms Staples for driving the school bus and accompanying the team to Orange and making the day possible. Congratulations and Good Luck to OSSA in the next round.

Emily Gersbach
Touch Football Coordinator



FPS Touch Football Team—Absent: Lachy Alley

STUDENT MERIT AWARDS

The following students received a Merit Certificate at their morning assembly.

Lucy Cutrupi	1B	Anderson McMahon	1B	Thomas Fuge	1L
Josie Watson	1L	Sofia Wakefield	2G	Mia Bryant	3A
Logan McMahon	3A	Chloe Walker	3A	Rosie Hurford	3H
Eli Gharib	3H	Brock Maynard	4M	Faith Paahi	5I
Matilda Stitt	5I	Stirling Francis	5I	Lily Bolam	5/6G
Harry Stewart	5/6G	Marley Kollias	6D	Lachlan Alley	6D
Summer Hurford	6D	Lola Morrison	6D	Noah Morley	3/6C

Our next whole school assembly will be held tomorrow, Friday and will be hosted by 2G. Everyone is welcome to attend.









A note from Woollerina in regard to your school jumpers

To those of you who have chosen a Woollerina school jumper for your child, THANK YOU!

We have been made aware that some jumpers have experienced issues on the cuffs due to “wear & tear” - we know that these jumpers are an investment piece, often passed down through a number of siblings/cousins/friends and that their longevity is very important. If the jumper your child is wearing has come apart on the cuffs, we'd be very happy to replace the cuff for them so that the jumper can continue in circulation for many more wears. Please give us a call on 6851 2100 & we can arrange the repair. Our shop & manufacturing facility is located at 70 Torig Road Forbes, we are open Tue/Wed/Thur 10am-4pm.

Whilst we do our best to ensure their durability, the jumpers are pure, fine Australian Merino wool and as such they are not indestructible but, with some TLC we know they will give your children plenty of of warmth and love back!

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Warm Regards, from the Woollerina family.



Forbes Small Schools Creative Arts Showcase

Date: Monday 23rd September 2019

Time: commencing at 5:30pm

Venue: Forbes Town Hall,
2 Court street, Forbes NSW

Entry fee: \$5.00 per person
School aged children FREE



Bedgerabong, Bogan Gate, Caragabal, Eugowra, Quandialla.



Early Intervention Supports for Children Under Seven - FORBES

An Information Session for Parents, Carers, Educators, Service Providers & other interested community members

Everything you wanted to know about NDIS (National Disability Insurance Scheme) Early Childhood Early Intervention including:

- *What is NDIS Early Childhood Early Intervention?*
- *How does it work?*
- *How can it help my child?*
- *Who can access it?*
- *How can they access it?*
- *What happens next?*

Forbes Preschool

8 Barton St, Forbes

Tuesday August 27

10am – 12pm

To book your place follow the link <https://eceiforbes.eventbrite.com.au>

Limited Places

Light Morning Tea Provided

Free Event

For further information contact Suzi Welch on 0436 616 374 or

email welchs@missionaustralia.com.au

Forbes Netball Association invites all new and existing junior boys and girls under the age of 15 to participate in NetSetGo and skills and games for the month of August for FREE.

August 10th, 17th and 24th 2019

Saturday mornings 9:30-10:30am for 5 years old and up.
10:45am-12:30pm for players and their friends who played division 1 & 2 during term 2.



For more information, checkout our Facebook page **Forbes Netball Page** or email **secretary.forbesnetball@gmail.com**