



Forbes Public School Newsletter

30th July 2020

Term 3 Week 2



"Maintaining A Tradition of Excellence"



We have started the term with lots of smiles and laughter.... who doesn't enjoy a visit from cute fluffy baby chicks. What a fun way to start the Term! It has been wonderful to see students engaged in their learning, falling right back into school routine.

This term due to COVID restrictions teachers will support students through a progressive athletics carnival, where primary students will take part in different athletics events during their sports time each Friday.

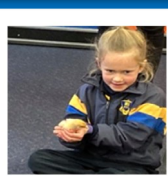
We are very excited to be engaging in a new whole school program that focuses on embedding current and evidence based Reading strategies into our classrooms at Forbes Public School. As part of the program, we welcome Mrs

Janet Westcott, who is a Literacy and Numeracy Strategy Advisor to our team. This is a new and exciting role at our school, which enables Mrs Westcott the opportunity to work with our staff to promote quality student learning and growth. This forms part of our whole school strategy to provide students with current, effective and innovative learning opportunities!

Next week marks Education Week. To celebrate we invite all students to come dressed as their favourite character. Classes will engage in some fun learning activities throughout the day. While COVID-19 restrictions prevent parents on site, we will endeavour to take plenty of photos on the day to share with all on Facebook!

Have a great fortnight,

Ms Staples
Principal



Commendation Awards

The following students will receive a Principal's Pen or Pencil

KD	3/4A
James Demosthenous	Jono Webb
KG	Sophie Nightingale
Declan Hurford	Jack Marsden
Shaun Gartner	Drake Steele
Tilly Madge	Ameliah Saxvik
Jakaylia Ware	2WH
Penny Gordon	Lucy Fairley
Maya Duggan	Emily Greig
Georgie West	Kaiden Sydenham
Lola Quirk	Maggie Dooley
Eden Flack	Tilly De Mamiel
Rueben Douglass	Anderson McMahon
KN	4H
Jane Currey	Eli Gharib
Mitchell Gartner	Rosie Hurford
Ash Sinclair	Zeel Patel
Owen Baxter	5/6D
Grace Leonard	Noah Bryant
1A	Maddox Bruem
Abby Lee	Tilly Townsend
1B	Emily Crouch
Eila Duggan	Tylah Bond
Jarrold Thornton	Chloe Little
Ella-Rose Wright	5/6G
Lucy Rout	Phoebee McGrath
2G	Aidee Thomas
Ivy Enslow	Brock Maynard
Kailey Moxey	5/6W
Josie Watson	Cruz McMahon
Henry Halls	Abbey Fuge
K/6F	Tara Higgins
Kaedyn Greene	Faith Paahi
Jamaraki Ware	Ruby Marsden
	Ella Rosser



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On Thursday, 24th September 2020 we will be holding our Forbes Public School Jump Off.

Funds raised will go to the Heart Foundation. Students are encouraged to bring in a gold coin donation on the day. They may also choose to fundraise online where prizes are available to students who raise more than \$35.

We realise these are tough times so even a small amount is appreciated.

Please be mindful of Covid-19 social distancing requirements when asking for donations.

Sign up now at
jumprope.org.au

Book Club



Due to the cancellation of our Annual Book Fair for 2020 we would appreciate families purchasing books from Book Club during Education Week.

Purchasing books through Book Club earns reward points which our school can use to obtain resources and books for our students.

Book Club is due at the end of education week, 7th August 2020.

Book Club LOOP
The EASIEST way for parents to order and pay for Book Club!

Parents: Are you registered for LOOP?

LOOP is the easiest way for you to order and pay online for your child's Book Club order, if you wish to pay by credit card.

Parents who are registered for **LOOP** receive exclusive sneak peeks, downloads and offers throughout the school year—don't miss out!

Head to **scholastic.com.au/LOOP** and register today!

Assembly Awards

The following awards were presented at the virtual school assembly held on Friday, 3 July

5/6D	-	Mia Wilson	-	Consistently working well in all areas
		Hollie Stavleu	-	Outstanding application in Maths
5/6G	-	Ellie Pointon	-	Consistent effort in all areas of her studies
		Stirling Francis	-	Consistently displaying our school PBL values
5/6W	-	Alex Reid	-	Starting tasks on time
		Tara Higgins	-	Enthusiasm and creativity in Writing
3/6C	-	Sarah Emery	-	Improvement in Spelling
4H	-	Jack White	-	Participation in EEP
		Will Watson	-	Participation in EEP
3/4A	-	Indigo Francis	-	Striving for excellence in all areas
		Milly Ridley	-	Consistently follow our PBL values
3K	-	Archie Hogben	-	Being persistent during challenging tasks
		Lucy Bush	-	Attempting all tasks with a positive attitude
2G	-	Jamal Alghamdi	-	Researching and writing a great explanation
		Abigail Bembrick	-	Consistently following our school PBL values
2WH	-	Emily Greig	-	Reading beautifully with fluency and expression
		Kaiden Sydenham	-	Independently researching about seeds for Writing
1A	-	Leo Dwyer	-	Being an enthusiastic learner
		Lauren Coffee	-	Always being a kind and caring friend
1B	-	Ella-Rose Wright	-	Consistent application in all areas
		Jarrold Thornton	-	Being a kind and caring friend
KN	-	Rylee Nikolic	-	Fluent and expressive reading
		Owen Baxter	-	Nailing his single sounds
KG	-	Georgie West	-	Fantastic effort and enthusiasm in class activities
		Declan Hurford	-	Improved effort in Reading
KD	-	Ben Legg	-	Trying his best in all aspects of learning
		Isla Ball	-	Showing a positive attitude towards learning

CHOOSE HEALTHY SNACK OPTIONS

Healthy snacks in between main meals help kids meet their daily nutritional needs. Make sure the lunch box is filled with healthy fruit and veg snacks, as well as providing these at home on the weekends and in school holidays!



FOR FURTHER INFORMATION VISIT:

- Live Life Well @ School <https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/heal/primaryschools>
- Healthy School Canteens <https://healthyschoolcanteens.nsw.gov.au>
- Healthy Lunch Box ideas <https://healthylunchbox.com.au>

**Ed.
week**
3-7 August
2020

NSW Department of Education



Learning together

**Forbes
Public School
Education Week**

Dress Up Day

**Wednesday
5th August 2020**

As part of our school's celebration of Education Week we invite students to dress as their favourite book or movie character.

Remember school appropriate clothing and footwear (sun safe and closed in shoes).

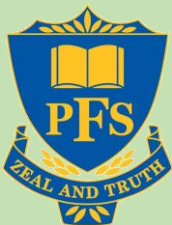
We look forward to seeing the usual array of creative costumes.

Unfortunately due to Covid-19 restrictions we are unable to hold our annual Book Fair or have visitors on site.

Look out for our facebook page in the coming weeks for some wonderful photos.



Education



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STAGE 2 ATHLETICS (Years 3 & 4)

Stage 2 sport this term will be athletics. Due to COVID-19 we cannot run an athletics carnival as per normal. Instead, to ensure we have the athletics champions for each age group and a champion house, we will be running each age group event as part of our Friday sport activities. This will be a school based carnival only and no student will progress to Lachlan or Western this year.

Attached below is the projected weekly events for each age group. There will be no catch up dates for any individual event if your child misses that day. In the case of wet weather on a Friday, the events from that week will be moved back to the following week. Unfortunately, no parents can attend any of the activities due to current restrictions.

ANY STUDENT IN YEAR 2 TURNING 8 YEARS OLD THIS YEAR WILL BE ELIGIBLE TO COMPETE IN OUR ATHLETICS EVENTS.

Stage 2 Term 3 Sport - Athletics				
Friday sport 11:30 – 12:30 Wednesday additional sport 10.30 - 11 (for 1500 & 800m) – Only students who are interested and able to compete in long distance events.				
	Junior Girls Kurrajong/ Wilga	Junior Girls Grevillea/Mallee	Junior Boys Kurrajong/Wilga	Junior Boys Grevillea/Mallee
Week 1	Athletics practise - rotational groups			
Week 2	1500m (Wednesday 10.30 - 11) Athletics practise - rotational groups			
Week 3	High jump	Discus	Shot put	Long jump
Week 4	Long jump	High jump	Discus	Shot put
Week 5	800m (Wednesday 10.30 - 11)			
	Shot put	Long jump	High jump	Discus
Week 6	Discus	Shot put	Long jump	High jump
Week 7	100m Sprints 200m Sprints			
Week 8	Friday 11.30 - 1.15 Cross Country			
Week 9	Catch up – wet weather (if required)			
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Please ensure each Wednesday/Friday your child comes to school with any necessary equipment required for their events (e.g. shoes, spikes or waffles).



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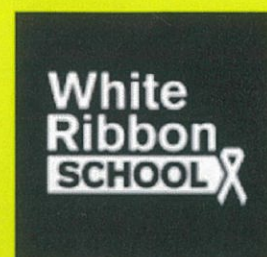
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Forbes High School Transition

Year 6 2020 into Year 7 2021



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Year 7 Advisor 2021



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Transition at FHS: 11:15am-1:30pm

Term 3 Week 6: Tuesday 25th August

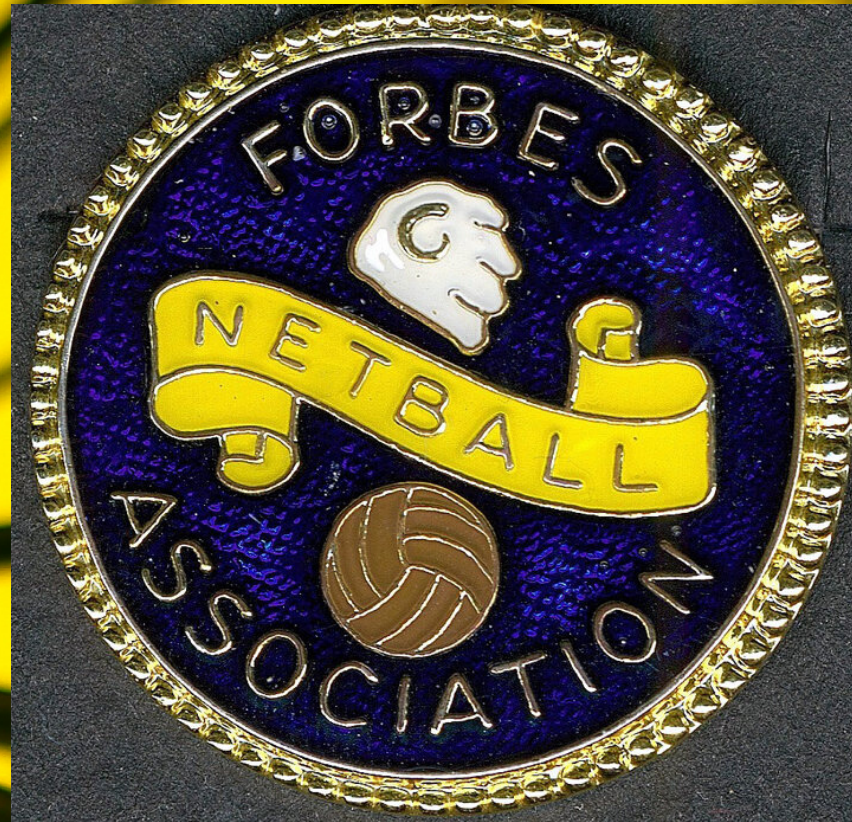
Term 3 Week 8: Tuesday 8th September

Term 3 Week 10: Tuesday 22nd September

Term 4 Week 2: Tuesday 20th October

Term 4 Week 4: Tuesday 3rd November

Orientation Day: Full day at FHS on Tuesday 1st December



ACTIVE KIDS VOUCHERS ACCEPTED

A black and white photograph showing the silhouettes of several netball players in action on a court. One player is jumping high to catch or throw the ball, while others are positioned around the goal. The background shows a cloudy sky with the sun shining through, and some trees in the distance.

Come and Play Saturday morning netball

NET SET GO – 10.00AM FROM 5 YEARS
JUNIOR MIXED FROM 11.00 – UP TO 15YEARS

FOR MORE INFORMATION – FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK OR
EMAIL "SECRETARYFORBESNETBALL@GMAIL.COM"
<SECRETARYFORBESNETBALL@GMAIL.COM>

PLAYERS WANTED

FORBES SQUASH CLUB

New competition

Starting August 5th & 6th

**Grading Wednesday and Thursday nights:
22/7, 23/7, 29/7 and 30/7**

Beginners welcome

**See you from 6pm at the Forbes Squash
Courts (Forbes Golf and Sportsman's Hotel)**

**Phone Darryn: 0417084954 or Graham: 0437522808 for
further details and information**

**Covid 19 safety procedures will apply in the squash courts vicinity, full details can be
viewed at the courts.**