

**Term 3 - Week 1****Wednesday 15 July, 2015**

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Welcome back to a cold and chilly Term 3. I hope everyone had a great time with their children over the break. We have another busy term ahead of us with the Shoalhaven Music Festival (for Years 3 – 6), School Swimming Scheme and several gala days for sport.

Uniform: We have several students who are not wearing their school jumpers during the colder weather. I ask that parents ensure their children wear the correct uniform to school. Jumpers or jackets that are not maroon are not acceptable to wear to school. If your child has lost their jumper, please check the lost property basket in the office. *It is easy to return jumpers and hats to students if their names are clearly marked on them.* There are some second hand uniforms available from the clothing pool. Please see Karen for more details.

Art Show: This year to celebrate Education Week we have decided to hold an art show on Wednesday 29 July from 4 – 6pm. Students will each display 2 pieces of work for the show. Light refreshments will be served and we hope that all family members are able to attend. There are some great pieces of work already on display in the classrooms and I can't wait to see which ones the students, with Ms Cullen, choose.

School Swimming Scheme: Students in Years 2 – 5 will be able to participate in this valuable learning experience at the Bay and Basin Leisure Centre. Notes will be sent out early next week for all eligible students. The school will once again cover the cost of the bus and parents will need to pay the pool entry. Parents are welcome to pay for this in instalments.

Year 6 Leadership Day: Notes were sent home with all Year 6 students yesterday about this day to be held next Tuesday. The cost is \$20. Please pay the money to the office by next Monday.

K/1/2 NEWS

It seems everyone had a great holiday and all students were eager to learn yesterday. I look forward to another busy and productive term with the students.

This week in Maths we are learning about numbers and place value. Kinder are learning about numbers before and after a given number and Years 1 and 2 are learning about hundreds, tens and ones and what these mean.

Years 1 and 2 are learning about words that have 'ss' in them while Kinder continue to consolidate their knowledge of the sounds letters can make.

For Writing, we are learning about information reports and how to write them. Years 1 and 2 will be researching a topic to write theirs and are very excited about this!

Ms Porteous has some great things lined up this term for Science and she can't wait.

Homework – this is due each Friday. Kinder now need a homework book as well to put their finished sheets in. I hope to see everyone's homework this Friday.

If you have any questions or concerns, please come and see me.

Nicole

3/4 NEWS

Welcome back. I hope everybody had a great holiday. Our Science unit this term is 'Beneath our Feet'.

It was great to welcome back Kiara Skinner, another year 4 girl!!.

Looking forward to a terrific term.

Keep in touch,

Lyn

5/6 NEWS

MS CULLEN

This term during HSIE, K/1/2 are studying a unit of work called 'Celebrations' and 3/4 and 5/6 are exploring 'Cooperating Communities'. Students will also be exploring their dance and gymnastic skills and preparing for the upcoming Shoalhaven Music Festival.

SPORT NEWS

Our next sporting event for this term will be the District Athletics Carnival coming up on Friday 31 July.

Yours in Sport,

Dion

LIBRARY NEWS



In Term 4, 2014, the school purchased some wonderful new class reading resources to be used in each of our classrooms. Most of these resources have been accessioned and are now ready to be covered. If you are able to assist, please let Karen know. Your assistance is greatly appreciated.

Mrs Bransgrove

KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS 2016

If you have a child eligible to start school in 2016 could you please contact the school. If you know of any families living in our area who do not have a child currently attending Falls Creek School but are wishing to enrol in 2016 could you please ask them to contact the school.



☺Thursday 23 July

Assembly 2:15pm

WEEK (3)

☺Wednesday 29 July

Art Show 4 - 6 pm

☺Thursday 30 July

P & C Meeting 6:15pm

☺Friday 31 July

District Athletics Carnival

☺Monday 10 August

Year 3-4 Excursion to Bundanon

COMING EVENTS

☺Wednesday 13 August

Shoalhaven Music Festival rehearsal

☺Monday 24 August - Friday 4 September

School Swimming Scheme

CANTEEN NEWS

We have a slight change to our menu this term. We will no longer have a set snack menu these will vary from day to day. There will be yummy healthy snacks available from 50c to \$1.50. eg: fresh fruit, muffins, slice, corn on the cob.

Tamie



CANTEEN ROSTER

Thursday 16 July

Suzanne Lightowlers and Jason Elliott.

Friday 26 June

Tamie Harvie and Emily Gough.



U TURNS

Make a U Turn without giving way to oncoming traffic

Penalty

Ashlee's **FUN**raising Day
Come along for a good cause

Hockey NSW

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MILITARY FAMILIES – RELAY FOR LIFE TEAM

OP SHOP FASHION

TRIVIA NIGHT

Awards for Best Dressed
and many other games &
prizes to be won. Silent
Auction prizes available also.

When: Friday 24th July 2015
6.30pm for 7pm start

Where: Bomaderry Bowling Club

Why: Raising funds for Relay for Life team

Who: Teams consist of 8-10 people.

EXPO

FREE EVENT

Options for People with a Disability

Date: Wednesday 12th August

Time: 10am – 2pm

Venue: Shoalhaven Entertainment Centre

Come along to find out about the wide range of services, supports and community connections that are available in the Shoalhaven

Information, products and services from local business

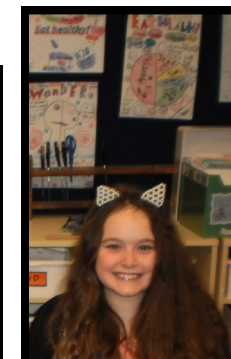
Local schools performing

Sample bags, lucky door prize, refreshments for sale at the Entertainment Café, plenty of parking



Crazy Hair Day Winners

Aden Gimmler, Sealisha Buckley, Ryder Partridge, Markus Macfarlane, Layla Ryan, Chrystel Buckley, Zaliah Key and Aaron French.



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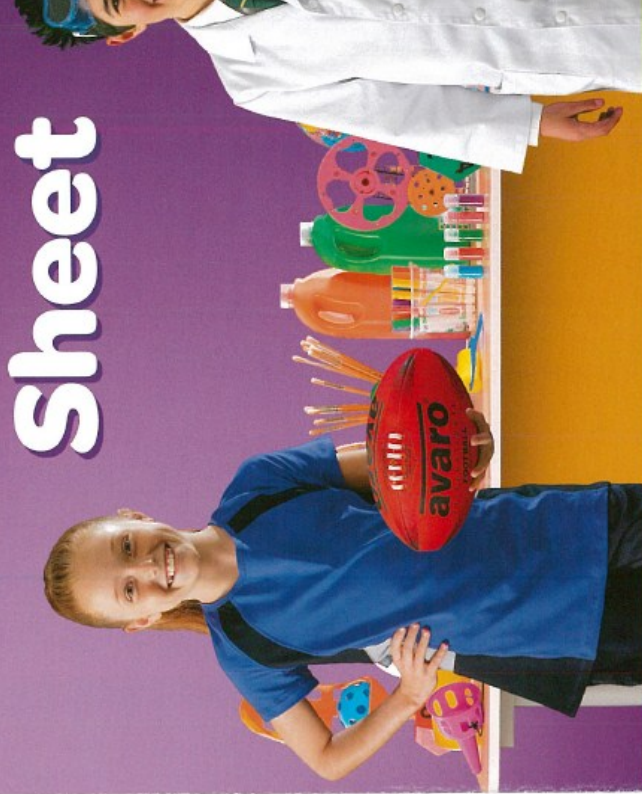
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