

#### FALLS CREEK PUBLIC SCHOOL

# **TALKABOUT**

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Term 4 - Week 7

Wednesday 27 November 2019

# PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

#### **Bushfires**

I want to extend my thanks to the community after we closed recently due to the threat of bushfires. Many schools across the state closed as we did to ensure the safety and wellbeing of our students and staff. We extend our best wishes to the school communities impacted by the fires.

#### School playground after hours

Please ensure you **actively supervise** your child/ren if you are staying after school to play on the equipment. We have had some injuries and recently our lovely cleaner had to ask unattended students to leave the carpark. This is a safety issue and we don't want to see any of our children in harm's way.

#### Kindergarten 2020

Today we welcome our new Kindergarten students who will be starting at FCPS in 2020. The new students will be visiting three times this term and will spend time in the K-1-2 classroom.

#### Science Excursion

On Tuesday 10 December the school will be visiting *Science Space* in Wollongong to complement the Science units of study completed by students throughout the year. The note for this excursion is <u>due back before Friday 6 December</u>. Please note the bus will be leaving school at <u>9am</u> so ensure students are at school on time.

#### **Presentation Day**

Presentation Day will be held at 9:30am on Wednesday 11 December in the K-1-2 room. Please join us to celebrate the fantastic achievements of 2019, we look forward to seeing you there.

## **UPCOMING DATES**

- Monday 18 November Friday 29 November: School Swim Scheme
- Thursday 28 November P & C Meeting 5:30pm
- Wednesday 4 December Kindy Orientation 1:30pm
- Thursday 5 November Combined Scripture (clowns)
- Tuesday 10 December Whole school excursion to Science Space Wollongong
- Wednesday 11 December Presentation Morning 9:30am
- Wednesday 11 December Kindy Orientation 1:30pm
- Monday 16 December Year 6 Farewell Dinner 5:30pm 7:00pm
- Wednesday 18 December P & C "Fun Day Disco"

## **K/2 BLUE NEWS**

K/2 have been practising their surprise performance for our Presentation Day assembly. We look forward to seeing you all there.

Year 2 are thoroughly enjoying the swimming program, we have included a few photos.

Susan Porteous

## 3/6 PURPLE NEWS

Just a quick reminder about notes needing to be returned as soon as possible. We have the Wollongong Planetarium excursion on the 10<sup>th</sup> December – notes must be back **by Friday the 6<sup>th</sup> December.** Stage 3 also have an excursion to the University of Wollongong Shoalhaven Campus for a Kids In2Uni day. These notes are due back by **Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December.** 

3-6 have been discussing cyber bullying, this will be supported by a visit from the Police Youth Liaison Officer who is visiting the school on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December.

Louise Hood

#### FROM THE OFFICE

If you would like to place an order for uniforms ready for 2020 could you please get them into the office ASAP so I can confirm I have enough stock on hand.

Thank you.

Karen Morison











**SWIMMING SCHEME** 



Cooling off at lunchtime





## **ENROLMENTS ARE NOW OPEN FOR 2020**

The Central Shoalhaven Mobile Preschool is a community owned, not for profit organisation.

University and TAFE trained staff provide an educational program for children aged between 3 and 5 years, in a motivating setting to enhance each child's preparation for school.

Proudly servicing the Shoalhaven area for 43 years.

We will be visiting Cambewarra, Falls Creek, Huskisson and Manyana weekly in 2020.

Preschool hours are from 8.00 am - 3.00 pm. Doors open from 7.30 am.

Come along and give your child the opportunity to make new friends within the local area. Subsidies are available.



All enquiries welcome
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# **KINDY ORIENTATION 2019**













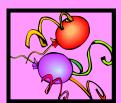








Thomas



# Happy Birthday!



Happy Birthday to the following students who celebrate their birthday in November.

Lexie - 6 November

Nut - 14 November

Thomas - 16 November

Abigail - 17 November

Casey - 30 November

# **EVERY MINUTE COUNTS....**

When your child misses just	that equals	which is	and therefore, from Kindy to Year 12, that is
10 minutes a day	50 minutes of learning each week	Nearly 1½ weeks per year	Nearly ½ a year of school
20 minutes a day	1 hour and 40 minutes of learning each week	Nearly 2½ weeks per year	Nearly a year of school
½ hour a day	½ a day of learning a week	4 weeks a year	Nearly 1 ½ years of learning
1 hour each day	1 whole day of learning each week	8 weeks per year or nearly a term a year.	Over 2 ½ years of learning

Your child's best learning time is at the beginning of the day...

School starts at 8:55am DON'T BE LATE!

## FALLS CREEK PUBLIC SCHOOL

## UNIFORM ORDERS

NAME:	PHONE:		DATE:
	Size	Quantity	Total
Short Sleeve Polo Shirt (52205)			
School blue with emblem			
Size 4.—16			
Long Sleeve Polo Shirt (5220LS)			
School blue with emblem			
Size <u>4 – 16</u> \$20.00			
V - Neck Sloppy Joe (5310VN)			
Maroon with emblem			
Size 4 16			
Track Pants (4310TP)			
Plain Maroon			
Size 4 – 16 \$18.00			
Zin Jacket /5210 Iko			
Zip Jacket (5310JK) Maroon with emblem			
Size 4 -16 \$25.00			
<b>Q2000</b>			
Polar Fleece Jumper (5300CZ)			
Maroon with half zip Size 4 – 16 \$25.00			
Size 4.—16			
Girls Stretch Bootleg Pant (3250P)			
Maroon with pocket Size 416			
Girls Pleated Gaberdine Short (3886BP)			
Maroon			
Size 4.—16			
Unisex Microfibre Short (533SH)			
Maroon			
Size 4 – 16 <b>\$12.00</b>			
Linicay Sports Bala Shirt (5760TD)			
Unisex Sports Polo Shirt (5760TP) Maroon & Blue with emblem			

Size Small or Medium	\$16.00	
Wide Brimmed – Maroon/ <u>Yellow</u> Maroon/Green		
SCHOOL FOOTY SOCKS	\$10.00	Small 9 – 12 Medium 2 – 7
SCHOOL BADGES	\$5.00	
LIBRARY/EXCURSION BAG	\$7.00	
SECONDHAND UNIFORMS \$4.00		
Student Assistance Contribut	tion =	<b>\$</b>
Total of Order =		\$
Student Assistance Contribut	tion =	<b>\$</b>
Deposit =		\$
Deposit = Balance =		\$ \$
Balance =		<b>\$</b>
Balance = Cash		\$  Cheque POP Payment