

Learn to Live

Term 2, Week 10 (6th July, 2018)

Important Dates:

Please mark these dates on your calendar

Term 3 - JULY 2018

Mon 23	Staff Development Day
Tue 24	Student return for Term 3
Wed 25	Maths Olympiad 3 Buddy Training (Library)
Fri 27	Athletics Carnival K-6 @ Tom Hunter Park
Tue 31	Life Education Incursion ICAS English

AUGUST 2018

Wed 1	Life Education Incursion Kindy 2019 Transition - Evening Parent Session
Thu 2	Life Education Incursion
Fri 3	Stage 1 Soccer Clinic
Wed 8	Group A Kindy Transition
Thu 9	Pulse Concert
Fri 10	Stage 1 Soccer Clinic
Tue 14	C.A.R.E.S - 4/5P
Wed 15	C.A.R.E.S - 3/4J, 3/4ZR Group B Kindy Transition Maths Olympiad 4
Fri 17	Stage 1 Soccer Clinic
Wed 22	Stage 2 Excursion Group A Kindy Transition
Fri 24	Stage 2 Excursion Stage 1 Soccer Clinic
Wed 29	Group B Kindy Transition
Thu 30	Es1 & S1 Fizzics Incursion
Fri 31	Father's Day Breakfast Stage 1 Soccer Clinic

Principal: Mrs C Frith

Assistant Principal Stage 1: Mrs N Bridges, Mrs K Carter (Relieving)

Assistant Principal Stage 2: Mrs K Jansons

Assistant Principal Stage 3: Mr P Earl

Notes Home



- ◆ *Blackboard Café Volunteers (5/6M only)*
- ◆ *Pulse Concert Performance*
- ◆ *Life Education (K-6)*
- ◆ *Athletics Carnival*

Assembly Dates

Fridays commencing 11.30am

TERM 3

August 3	K-2 Assembly
August 10	3-6 Assembly
August 17	K-6 Assembly
August 24	K-2 Assembly
August 31	3-6 Assembly

School Activities Update

Kitchen Garden Classes - Term 3

Monday - 1/2B, 1/2D, 1/2H, 2/3S



Sport Days - Fridays

K-2 (9.55 - 10.55)

3-4 (12.25 - 1.25)

5-6 (1.55 - 2.55)



PE Days (sports uniform)

Wednesday - Stage 1 (including all of 2/3S)

Tuesday - Stage 2

Monday - Stage 3 (including all of 4/5P)

Library Days

Monday: KSC, K/1W, 4/5P, 1/2H

Tuesday: KS, 5/6M, 5/6T, 3/4J

Wednesday: 1/2B, 2/3S

Thursday: 3/4ZR, 1/2D, 5/6CT, 2/3S

Music

Monday: KS, 3/4J, 3/4ZR, 2/3S

Tuesday: K/1W, 5/6CT, 4/5P

Wednesday: 1/2B, KSC, 5/6, 5/6M

Friday: 1/2H, 1/2D



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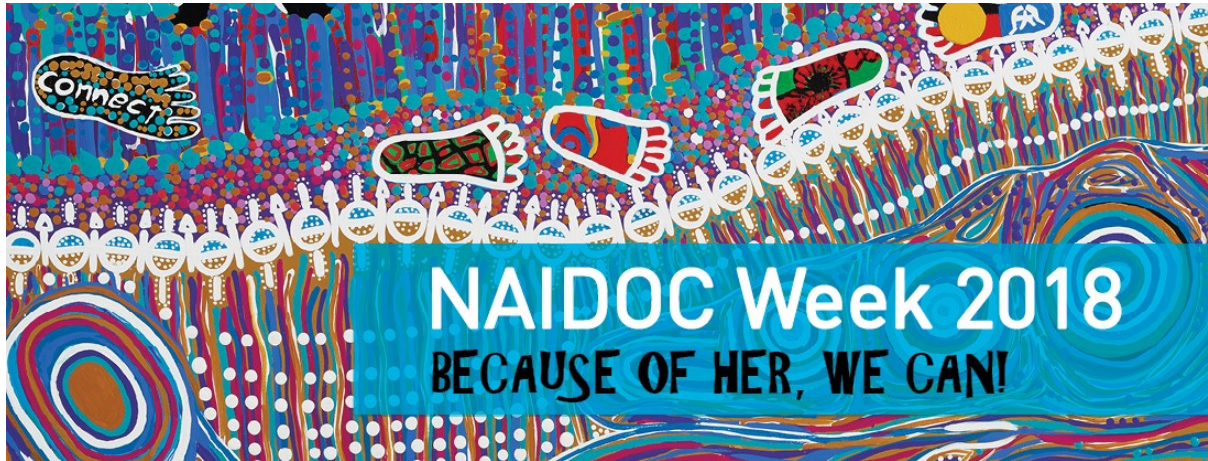
Principal's Report

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

NAIDOC Week

Warami (Hello)

Today we celebrated NAIDOC Week. NAIDOC (National Aboriginal and Islander Day Observance Committee) Week celebrates the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. NAIDOC is celebrated not only in Indigenous communities, but by Australians from all walks of life.



This year's theme celebrates the essential role that women have played - and continue to play - as active and significant role models at the community, local, state and national levels.

At Faulconbridge Public School, each class has learned about a significant Aboriginal woman and shared this information at our school assembly. Uncle Graeme and Aunty Lynne welcomed us to country and Uncle Graeme performed a smoking ceremony to start our day. Students were involved in activities that related directly to sites of significance in our school environment.

Reports

Student reports went home last week and parent teacher interviews have taken place this week. Thank you to everyone who took the opportunity to engage in this vital part of our reporting process. It is encouraging to see almost 70% of parents taking advantage of the opportunity to engage with class teachers in the education of their children.

Reporting at Faulconbridge P.S. is intended to be a purposeful experience which:

- Provides regular and relevant information on a student's learning in each of the Key Learning Areas;
- Monitors student achievement against state wide syllabus standards;
- Provides achievement information for each broad syllabus strand in English and Mathematics;
- Further enhances the home-school partnership in the education of the child.

The parental role in the reporting process is to be:

- Be aware of the contents of the report
- Contact the class teacher regarding any concerns
- Participate in the reporting process by taking up offers of interviews if required

Principal's Report Continued...

Staff Changes

Thankyou also to Miss Kemp, who has taught 1/2D for the last few weeks of this term. We wish her well, as she moves to teaching a class at Luddenham PS for the rest of this year.

A big thankyou to Mrs Capuyan who has taken on the library role while Mrs McKay has been on leave. Mrs Capuyan has worked with gusto and focus in the library, and I am sure Mrs McKay will be pleasantly surprised by what has been achieved.

Share our Space

Share our space is a new initiative by the DoE to use school playgrounds during vacation periods. Faulconbridge Public School is trialling this initiative during the next school holiday period. It gives the local community access to the playground/oval area of the school between 8am and 5pm each day. There will be no access to other areas of the school, or the school buildings. A security guard will be on site to ensure there is no damage to school property. There is no supervision of children provided. All supervision responsibility remains with parents while students are on the school grounds during this trial.

Please take advantage of this initiative and then give us some feedback.

Student Initiative

Often in the newsletter we celebrate the sporting or performing arts achievement of students. Today I would like to acknowledge one of our quiet achievers. Recently Rosalie Doyle organised a World's Biggest Morning Tea for The Cancer Council. She completed the guest list, menu, shopping list, baking and organisation of tables, chairs and equipment. She even organised her grandmother to assist with baking!



Rosalie had approximately 25 guests attend. She invited all different ages and neighbours and created a true community feel to the event. She raised \$330 which will be donated to Cancer Council this week. Well done Rosalie! It is heartening to see a student thinking of others and taking an active role in our community to support such a worthwhile cause.

Award Morning Tea

Congratulations to our Cub Award winners:

Term 2	Sienna G - 5/6M	Krystal W - 5/6M	Connor W - K/1W
Week 9	Lilah A - K/1W	Abbey W - 2/3S	Thomas M - KS
Term 2	Juliet M - KS	Ned S - KSC	Bailey C - 2/3S
Week 10	Tiana H - 5/6M	Teagan W - 3/4ZR	Chloe S - 5/6M

Principal's Report Continued...

Term 3

What a busy term we have had at Faulconbridge Public School, and it just keeps getting busier. Term 3 is packed with events and learning opportunities for our students. We are endeavouring to improve our communication about these events, so please see a draft of our term planner below:

Term 3 Planner 2018					
Wk	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	23 July ● Staff Development Day	24	25 ● Transition Buddy Training Day (library) ● Maths Olympiad 3	26	27 ● Athletics Carnival – Tom Hunter Park
2	30	31 ● Life Education Incursion ● ICAS English	1 August ● Life Education Incursion ● Evening session for parents of 2019 Kindergarten students	2 ● Life Education Incursion	3 ● Stage 1 WSW Soccer clinic (regular sport time)
3	6	7	8 ● Kindergarten 2019 Transition Group A	9 ● PULSE CONCERT	10 ● Stage 1 WSW Soccer clinic (regular sport time) ● Education Week Assembly
4	13	14 ● CARES Excursion Year 4 (4/5P)	15 ● CARES Excursion Year 4 (3/4ZR & 3/4J) ● Kindergarten 2019 Transition Group B ● Maths Olympiad 4	16	17 ● Stage 1 WSW Soccer clinic (regular sport time)
5	20	21	22 ● Stage 2 excursion ● Kindergarten 2019 Transition Group A	23 ● 4pm Aboriginal Education Consultative Group at FPS	24 ● Stage 2 Excursion ● Stage 1 WSW Soccer clinic (regular sport time)
6	27 ● BMNDF (Dance Festival) rehearsal TBA	28 ● BMNDF (Dance Festival) rehearsal TBA	29 ● BMNDF (Dance Festival) rehearsal TBA ● Kindergarten 2019 Transition Group B	30 ● Kinder and Stage 1 Incursion - Fizzics	31 ● Father's Day Breakfast ● Stage 1 WSW Soccer clinic (regular sport time)
7	3 September ● BMN Dance Festival TBA ● Swim Scheme	4 ● BMN Dance Festival TBA ● Swim Scheme	5 ● BMN Dance Festival TBA ● Swim Scheme ● Kindergarten 2019 Transition Group A	6 ● BMN Dance Festival TBA ● Swim Scheme ● Choir Charity ● Concert Rehearsal	7 ● BMN Dance Festival TBA ● Swim Scheme
8	10 ● Swim Scheme	11 ● Swim Scheme	12 ● Swim Scheme ● Kindergarten 2019 Transition Group B	13 ● Swim Scheme	14 ● Swim Scheme ● ICAS Mathematics
9	17 ● Kindergarten 2019 Transition (Health) Information Evening ● 7:30pm P&C	18	19 ● Kindergarten 2019 Transition Group A ● Maths Olympiad 5	20	21 ● P & C Colour Run
10	24	25	26 ● Kindergarten 2019 Transition Group B	27	28

MUFTI DAY FUNDRAISING

On Friday 29th June we had a black and white mufti day to raise money to get Credo more school supplies. It was a gold coin donation. We raised an amazing **\$416!** There was a lovely sea of black and white.

By Minister of communication (Miah Mullen)



Springwood Art Show would like to invite students from Faulconbridge PS to enter an artwork to be exhibited at the art show.

2x art vouchers to be won!!



How to enter:

1. Create your artwork on paper.
2. Make sure you have your name, age and school labelled on the back.
3. Hand in to the office by Friday 27th July.



**3-5 August
2018**

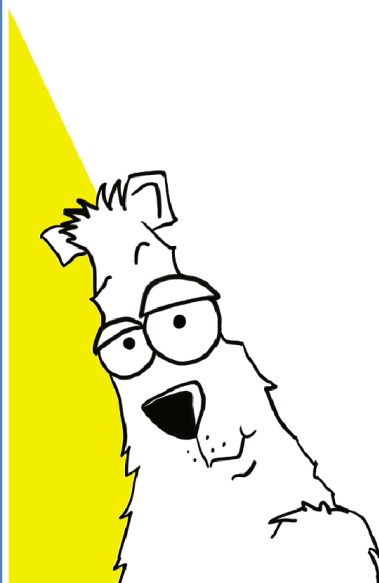
www.springwoodartshow.org.au

Faulconbridge Public School PBL Award

TERM 2

WEEK 9

Presented to:



3-6 Assembly

2/3S	Abbey W	Consistently taking pride in her bookwork
2/3S	Chloe W	Demonstrating exceptional ICT research skills
3/4J	Lucas N	Becoming more willing to tackle challenging tasks in Mathematics
3/4J	Oliver L	Showing resilience and being willing to work with others
3/4J	Leilani A	Working diligently with respect for her classmates
3/4J	Ashleigh D	Being inclusive and respectful towards all class members
3/4ZR	Summer L	Always behaving in a safe manner
3/4ZR	Claire H	For always trying to improve her learning
3/4ZR	Milan A	Showing respect to peers and staff
3/4ZR	Melissa S	Always trying to complete her work diligently
4/5P	Gabriel D	Engaging enthusiastically in all lessons!
4/5P	Riley S	Enthusiastic contributions to discussions in Literacy!
4/5P	Carter H	Including others into his friendship group!
4/5P	William F	Showing perseverance in Literacy lessons!
5/6CT	Lucas W	Bringing a positive attitude to the classroom and to our learning tasks
5/6CT	Lucy E	Showing a keenness to improve across all subjects
5/6CT	Bailey S	His thoughtful contributions to our class discussions and working hard
5/6CT	Evelyn B	Being actively involved in all our learning experiences
5/6CT	Luke W	Being motivated to try his best during Maths. Well done!
5/6M	Harding P	Being a more respectful class member
5/6M	Lachlan H	Application to learning in Maths lessons
5/6M	Zane P	Taking more responsibility for his learning
5/6M	Chloe S	Being a respectful leader in 5/6M
5/6T	Regan H	Improved application in Mathematics
5/6T	Connor R	His informative and detailed pieces of writing
5/6T	Caden T	Becoming a more settled and focused learner
5/6T	Bowen B	Becoming a more focused class member



GOLDEN BEAR AWARD

Presented to:

TERM 2

WEEK 10

K-6 Assembly



KS	Cailin O	Always being a safe and respectful learner
KSC	Max K	Being a safe, respectful learner. Well done!
K/1W	Amalee W	Always being a safe, respectful learner
1/2D	Sienna K	Being a safe, respectful learner
1/2H	Sarolt P	Being a safe, respectful learner
2/3S	Miah T	Being a resilient, safe, respectful learner
3/4J	Teagan W	Always working to the best of her ability
3/4ZR	Teagan W	Always being a safe, respectful learner
4/5P	Lale Y	Excellence in all areas of the curriculum
5/6CT	Ashton D	Developing a fantastic work ethic across all areas of learning
5/6M	Harry H	Continually being a great role model in our PBL community
5/6T	Atilla Y	Safe, respectful learner

3D Papercraft with Naomi

Learn papercraft techniques to create a host of 3D characters & animals. Geometry was never so FUN!

Thursday July 19
@ Springwood Library/HUB

10:30am - 12 noon
6yrs - 12yrs
\$6.00 per child

ALL MATERIALS PROVIDED Bookings Essential

Beaded Snowflakes with Naomi

Learn how to create wonderful beaded snowflakes to hang up for winter!

Tuesday July 10
@ Blaxland Library

10:30am - 12 noon
6yrs - 12yrs
\$6.00 per child

ALL MATERIALS PROVIDED

Winter Snowglobes with Naomi

Create a magical design for your own snowglobe to take home!

Wednesday July 11
@ Katoomba Library

10:30am - 12 noon
6yrs - 12yrs
\$6.00 per child

ALL MATERIALS PROVIDED Bookings Essential

Watercolour Painting with Naomi

Use watercolour paint to depict an outdoor ice-skating scene!

Wednesday July 18
@ Katoomba Library

10:30am - 12 noon
6yrs - 12yrs
\$6.00 per child

ALL MATERIALS PROVIDED Bookings Essential

JULY 2018 Activities

Springwood Neighbourhood Centre

facebook.com/springwoodneighbourhoodcentre
www.sncc.org.au
reception@sncc.org.au
02 4751 3033

Activities	Date/s	Time	Venue
Sundays			
Pilates	Fully Booked	8.15am-9.15am	LKM Studios Springwood
Mondays			
Exercise at Ellison	02, 23, 30	9:30am-10:30am	Ellison Public School Hall
Vision Impaired Person's Group	30	10.00am-12:00pm	Springwood Sports Club
Shine Choir	02, 23, 30	6:30pm-7:30pm	Springwood Uniting Church Hall
Art Social Group	09	9:30am-12:00pm	Springwood Presbyterian Church Hall
Springwood Scrabblers	02, 09, 16, 23, 30	2:00pm-4:00pm	Springwood Neighbourhood Centre
Tuesdays			
Functional Fitness	03	9:30am-10:30am	LKM Studio Faulconbridge
Open Door	03, 10	9:30am-11:30am	Springwood Presbyterian Church Hall
Open Door Bus Trip	16	contact the centre	Pick up at Springwood Sport Club
Sing-A-Long Choir	postponed until August		Uniting Church, Springwood
Wednesdays			
Exercise at Ellison	04, 25	9:30am-10:30am	Ellison Public School Hall
Artscope	11, 25	9:30am-11:30pm	Springwood Presbyterian Church Hall
Knit and Yarn	04, 18	9:30am-11:30am	Sen Cameron's Office, Raymond Lane
Yoga and Relaxation	04, 25	9:30am-10:30am	LKM Studio Springwood
Volunteer Digital Mentor	04, 18	9:30am-12:30pm	Springwood Neighbourhood Centre
Thursdays			
Exercise at Ellison	05, 26	9:30am-10:30am	Ellison Public School Hall
Talking Gazette	05, 12, 19, 26	9:00am-10:00am	Springwood Neighbourhood Centre
Springwood Acoustic Club	26	8:00pm-10:30pm	Springwood Presbyterian Church Hall
Sing-A-Long Choir	05, 12, 19, 26	10:30am-11:30am	HUB Green room & Endeavour Apt
Fridays			
Art Social Group	06, 27	9:30am-12:30pm	Springwood Presbyterian Church Hall
Dementia Carers Support Group	06, 20	10:00am-12:00pm	Springwood Neighbourhood Centre
Social Cards	06, 13, 20, 27	1:00pm-4:00pm	Springwood Presbyterian Church Hall
Saturdays			
Raising Grandchildren	4th July	10am-12pm	Tanderra OOSH
Peers in Recovery	4th July	1:30pm-3:30pm	Green Room @ HUB
Science at the Space	17th July	6:30pm	Western Sydney Penrith Observatory
Dare Morning Tea	18th July	10:30am-11:30am	SNCC Centre
Bug Club	22nd July	9:00am-12:30pm	SNCC Centre
Science at the Local	29th July	2:30pm-4:30pm	Springwood Sports Club

SPRINGWOOD NEIGHBOURHOOD CENTRE

CELEBRATES NAIDOC WEEK

GUIDED WALK THROUGH THE FAIRY DELL IN SPRINGWOOD

ALL WELCOME

MEET AT THE NEIGHBOURHOOD CENTRE 10AM TUESDAY 10TH JULY 2018

The walk and tree painting will be 10am-1pm

\$5 per adult. Children free. There are limited spaces for this activity. To pay please come into the Springwood Neighbourhood Centre. For more information please call Imelda on 4751 3033

THIS WALK WILL HAPPEN EXCEPT IN EXTREME WEATHER FORECAST. PLEASE WEAR APPROPRIATE CLOTHING AND BRING WATER AND SNACKS.

CHRIS TOBIN IS A DARGU MAN AND HIGHLY REGARDED FOR HIS EXTENSIVE KNOWLEDGE OF LOCAL CULTURE, HISTORY, AND SPECIAL SITES. HE HAS WORKED WITH NATIONAL PARKS AS AN ABORIGINAL RANGER AND GUIDE FOR OVER 16 YEARS.



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SWOT

SPRINGWOOD WORLD OF TENNIS

SCHOOL HOLIDAY TENNIS COACHING CLINIC

SPRINGWOOD WORLD OF TENNIS, SPRING STREET, SPRINGWOOD

Mon 16^h to Fri 20th July 2018 (9AM to 3PM)

JUNIORS 5YRS TO 16YRS. BEGINNERS TO ADVANCED. FULL SUPERVISION.

FOR FURTHER DETAILS PLEASE RING 4751 5383 OR 0416 083 472.

STUDENTS GRADED INTO GROUPS DEPENDING ON AGE AND ABILITY. COACHING HELD WET OR FINE, RACQUETS AVAILABLE FOR HIRE. LUNCH PROVIDED ON FRIDAY IN CONJUNCTION WITH PRIZE GIVING.

ENTRANCE FEE: \$160 (including GST)

BOOK EARLY TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT

FUN! GREAT TROPHIES! PRIZES! COMPETITIONS! TOURNAMENTS!

NAME: _____ EMAIL: _____

ADDRESS: _____ AGE: _____

PHONE: _____ (please enclose \$160 fee with this form)

PARENTS SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: ____ / ____ / 2018

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PO BOX 473 SPRINGWOOD NSW 2777 WITH CHEQUE PAYABLE TO **SPRINGWOOD WORLD OF TENNIS.**