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Term 4 Week 6

Thursday 21st November 2019

CALENDAR - TERM 4

Week 7

Wed 27th Nov

Gymnastics

Fri 29th Nov

Assembly 9.15am

Week 8

Wed 4th Dec

Special Children's Christmas Party

Gymnastics

Thurs 5th Dec

P&C Christmas Stall

Fri 6th Dec

Walk a Mile Koori

Week 9

Mon 9th Dec

Celebration Assembly
Year 6 Farewell 5.30pm

Wed 11th Dec

Presentation Day Assembly

Thurs 12th Dec

Whole School Excursion

Week 10

Wed 18th Dec

Last Day for Students



Welcome to Week 6!

Colour Run

What a fabulous event! It's guaranteed everyone had a great time. I had wonderful green hair for the weekend as a result. I am sure Year 6 will continue this tradition for their main fundraiser in the years to come. Thank you Miss Campbell and team for your coordination of this event.

Gymnastics

Students are having a great time participating in gymnastics lessons this Term. Mr Dunlap organised this through Sporting Schools. Sporting Schools is an Australian Government initiative designed to help schools to increase children's participation in sport, and to connect them with community sporting opportunities. Sporting Schools programs are provided free to children and their families to help students build the confidence and capability to be active for life.

Bushfire Season

Thank you to our community for your understanding when FBPS was non-operational as a result of the catastrophic conditions. I have sent home a one page overview of the Emergency Management Procedures we would follow if FBPS was threatened by a bushfire while students were attending.

The Department of Education School Safety Website <https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/school-safety> continues to be updated regularly with schools that are non-operational. If this is to happen again we will inform parents via Facebook, Dojo and Skoolbag.

If anyone has any feedback or questions regarding our procedures or communication methods please let me know.

Please be aware we are also minimising risk to students on days with high smoke levels where we have inside breaks times and monitor students with asthma closely.

School Assembly – date change

As we have Celebration Assembly on Monday 9th December and Presentation Day Wednesday the 11th December, our final school assembly for the year has been moved to next week, Friday 29th November 9.15.

On November 29th 9 students will be awarded their final Purple Sparky Achievement Awards from their collection of Purple Sparkys. Students who have received a total of nine purple Sparky awards will be receiving a badge or letter at the Celebration Assembly on Monday 9th December.

Ricky will be coming to Assembly on the 29th November to talk about guitar lessons for 2020 and perform for us. Ricky is a registered activity provider for the NSW government Creative Kids Program which provides vouchers of \$100 per student per calendar year.

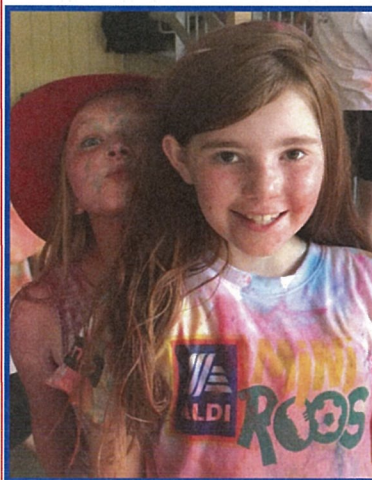
<https://www.service.nsw.gov.au/transaction/apply-creative-kids-voucher>

I am looking forward to seeing our guitar students perform next year!

Kinder 2020

It was lovely to meet parents / carers at our orientation day today. Congratulations to our Little Squirt Graduates. You have learned so much this year in preparation for big school - Mrs McLaren, Mrs Howard, Mrs Carroll and Mrs Snowden are all very proud.

Lenise Hollis
Principal



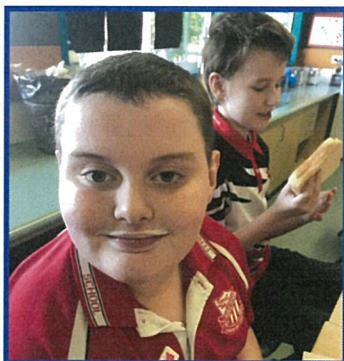
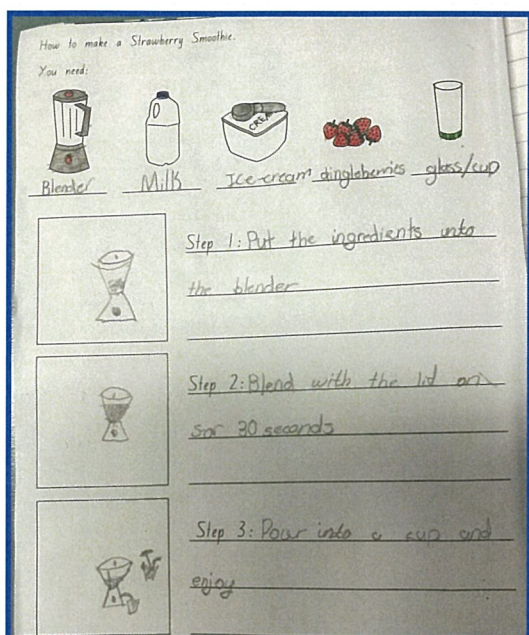
Good Work happening in Teal

Strawberry Milkshake Moustaches

Teal had so much fun making milkshake moustaches with their strawberry milkshake.

Before making their own milkshakes students discussed the ingredients, utensils and method for making a delicious milkshake. After the procedure was written the milkshakes were made. Fresh strawberries were swapped out for strawberry topping because we can always be flexible.

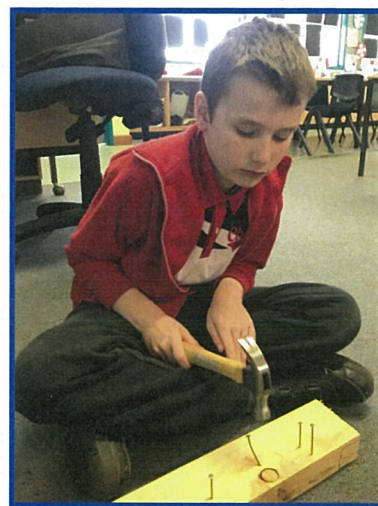
Boy oh boy were those milkshakes enjoyed!



Woodwork Hedgehogs

Using a hammer is a skill that requires concentration. Teal students practiced their hammering skills to produce the cutest of hedgehogs. The students designed where their nail 'quills' were placed and gave the hedgehog personality with a little face.

Thanks Mr Avison for your assistance and expertise.



The World Festival of Magic Excursion

Sapphire, Teal and Ruby enjoyed the annual 'World Festival of Magic' show in Newcastle last week thanks to the Lions Club who sponsor the event for students with disabilities. The show provided us with an opportunity to experience world-class live entertainment in an inclusive, safe environment where they were free to be themselves.

Students were amazed by cutting edge, large scale illusions and intimate close-up magic by world-renowned magician, Michael Boyd. It certainly was a unique and creative live theatre production, that all the students enjoyed. Ms Campbell was beyond stunned at many of the amazing magic illusions. We certainly are grateful to the Lions Club and Michael Boyd for this experience.

Congratulations to all the students who represented our school with pride and displayed all the CARS values and attitudes.



The Colour Run was awesome!

Thank you everyone who joined in the fun and helped raised money for the Year 6 Farewell.

Students, families and community has a blast being covered with vibrantly coloured dyes and powder. Everyone enjoyed the music, bubbles, laughter and a cooling ice block.

Thank you to the teachers and SLSO's who also joined in the fun with gusto.

The Year 6 Farewell is a very special event for our students and your support and enthusiasm for the Colour Run is really appreciated.

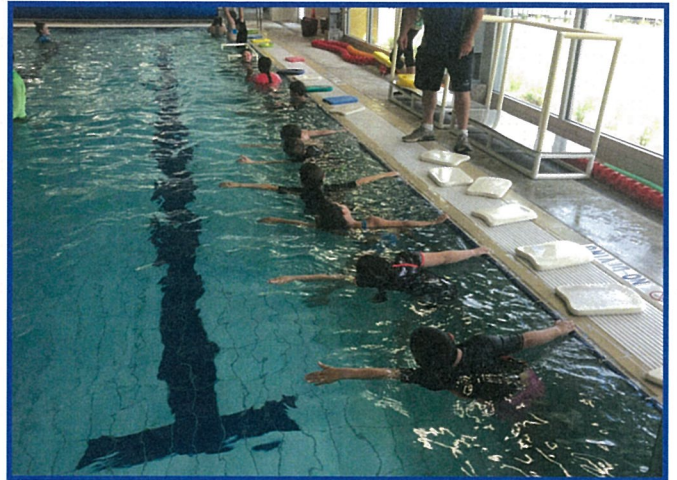


Swim School - a huge success!

Children from Years 2 - 4 had a one hour lesson each day at the new Toronto Indoor Swim Centre. It was so exciting to watch the great improvement made by every student over the two week period. The staff at the pool commented that our children were one of the best behaved groups they have ever had.

Well done Fennell Bay students... you have represented our school proudly and have achieved great results.

It was exciting to celebrate the end of the program with the inflatable jumping castle in the pool. Thanks to Mrs Parker, Mrs Fragar and Mr T for your support and coordination of the program, also Mrs Galvin for driving the bus to and from the pool.





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SQUIRTS – LETS GO!

WHEN: TERM 3 & 4 2020

9.15AM - 11.15AM

WHERE: NARUNBAH SaCC

Schools as Community Centre

**Fennell Bay Public School
6 Bay Road Fennell Bay**

Squirts - Lets Go! is an exciting free Transition to School Program for children who will be starting kindergarten at Fennell Bay Public School in 2021.

Children turning 5 by the 31st July 2021 can bring their parent or carer to school and develop a love of learning together under the guidance of Jen McLaren - SaCC Facilitator

Bookings essential
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Our fun, structured sessions provide you and your child the opportunity to practise some of the skills your child will need for Big School whilst having lots of fun and getting to know the people they will be starting school with.

Call now to find out more about this great opportunity for you and your child.