

The Fennell Bay Bulletin



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Term 1 Week 4

Thursday 21st February 2019

CALENDAR

Week 4

Fri 22nd Feb Induction Assembly 9.15am - hall

Week 5

Tues 26th Feb Meet the Teacher
Lime, Lilac, Aqua 4.30-5.00pm
Emerald, Tangerine, Navy 5-5.30pm

Week 6

Fri 8th Mar Assembly 9.15am - hall
P&C AGM 2pm - connected classroom

Week 7

Mon 11th Mar School Photos

Week 8

Fri 22nd Mar Assembly 9.15am - hall

Week 9

Fri 29th Mar **Parent/Teacher Interviews**
NRMA - Science and Road Safety Day

Week 10

Fri 5th Apr Assembly 9.15am - hall

Week 11

Mon 8th Apr Easter Hat making - Infants 2pm
Thurs 11th Apr Easter Concert
Fri 12th Apr ANZAC service 9.15am
Last day of Term 1

Leaders Induction Assembly

Tomorrow for our Assembly, the back oval will be opened for parents/carers to park. It will be opened from 8.45am. Please drive through the back carpark and follow directions.

Please remember to be mindful of our business neighbours and don't park in their car parks as this can impact on their businesses.

Thank you

Lenise Hollis

Principal

Notes and News from the Office

- Could you please complete and return the Publicity/Media Permission note to the office.
- Could you please complete and return the Contact Details form to the office as soon as possible.
- Updated Medical Health Care plans. Asthma and Anaphylaxis plans for 2019.
- School Photo envelopes are to be returned on photo day with money enclosed or ordering can be done online. If a family envelope is required, please see the office.
- Student School Banking has recommenced on Tuesday's. Please bring in your CBA supersaver account with **COMPLETED** deposit slip and money. Bank books are to be left at the office.

Welcome to Week 4!

Induction:

I'm in Sydney from Wednesday to Friday this week completing my Principal Induction. I am disappointed I will miss our Induction. I know the Assembly will be a time of pride and celebration for students, families and staff.

A special congratulations to our captains, Hannah and Mackenzie. It is a wonderful opportunity for these girls to start their journey to becoming our women leaders of the future.



Meet the teacher:

Next week on Tuesday afternoon we will hold our 'Meet the Teacher' sessions in the library. This year we will be meeting in stage teams K-2 (Lime, Lilac, Aqua and Ruby) and 3-6 (Emerald, Tangerine, Navy, Teal, Sapphire).

The changes are twofold :

1. To allow working parents/carers the opportunity to attend.
2. Showcase the team of people that support your child and their learning.

The NSW Healthy School Canteen Strategy:

The P&C and Canteen Manager are working together to implement the Healthy Canteen Strategy

School canteens have an important role to play in providing healthy food and drink choices for students.

The NSW Healthy School Canteen Strategy was launched in February 2017. The strategy aims to support students by providing access to healthy foods and drinks to make the healthy choice, the easy choice.

A self-assessment tool for schools will be available in Term 3, 2017 to assist with implementation of the strategy.

For details of the Healthy School Canteen Strategy and information for school leaders, canteen managers, parents, students and school communities go to healthyschoolcanteens.nsw.gov.au

Lime Class

A special mention to our K/1 class. What a wonderful transition you have had. Such a positive start to the year. Thankyou to parents/carers and staff Miss Murphy, Mrs Galvin, Mrs Howard, Mrs Gilford and Mrs Low. The support and teaching you have provided has ensured this smooth start.

Creative Afternoon

Mrs Fragar and Mrs Parker are in the process of organizing weekly Creative Afternoon sessions. These will be Tuesdays 2-3pm. If you have a creative talent you can share please let us know. We'd love to have anyone with dance, art / craft, musical talents or interests to be a part of these sessions.

Festival of Choral Music

Mrs Fragar has been successful in leading our choir to be accepted as part of The NSW Department of Education Festival of Choral Music in the Concert Hall of the Sydney Opera House.

Mrs Fragar and Mrs Parker have auditioned students to create a 36 student choir (Stage 2 and Stage 3) who will be part of a 700 voice combined choir on the 4th September at the Sydney Opera House.

Watch this space for further information throughout the year!

Hooray for Fennell Bay!

Student Achievement

Well Done to Mackenzie and Keleigh for representing our School at the Zone Swimming Carnival.

Keleigh will now represent us at the Regional swimming carnival having achieved two 1st Places and two 2nd places.

Kind Regards

Lenise Hollis



Lime's having fun

Lime students have started the year with a BANG!

We have been working on our sounds, handwriting, practising sight words, writing our names, writing sentences, reading and listening to stories, making patterns, writing our numbers and the list goes on.

We are making new friends and love exploring the playground.



SPinS is back at Fennell Bay Public School

The Speech Pathology in Schools (SPinS) program is a collaboration between the University of Newcastle Speech Pathology Department and your school. Second year speech pathology students, along with their clinical educator, will attend the school every Tuesday for 20 weeks to provide assessments and intervention to students in need. Intervention may be provided in an individual or group setting. The Speech Pathology students will also offer strategies and resources to teachers to target speech, language and literacy development in the classroom.

This term, the students working at Fennell Bay are Caitlin, Michael and Lauren along with their clinical educator Jordan.

If you have any questions about the SPinS program or any concerns about your child's speech, language or literacy development, please discuss this with your child's classroom teacher who may consult with the student Speech Pathology team.

Watch out for our helpful strategies and tips in upcoming newsletters!

Jordan Jeffery

Speech pathologist/ Clinical Educator

NAR-UN-BAH Schools as Community Centre



Little ones creating and learning together. If you have a young child at home and are looking for something to do, come along Monday's to our supported playgroup 9.30am - 11.30am at Nar-un-bah Schools as Community Centre.

Everyone is welcome!

For more information, please phone or call in to see Jen McLaren Facilitator,
Nar-un-bah Schools as Community Centre.
Ph: 4959 6140



CONNECTING TO BABY WITH MASSAGE

This 5 week course offers you the chance to learn baby massage and other fun activities to support your baby's natural pace of development.

You don't have to wait until your baby is older - Come and have some fun now!

- Help build your baby's daily routine and rhythm
- Share ideas with other parents
- Cue into what your baby is telling you

The activities presented provide the time and space for you and your baby to connect with each other and discover what works for both of you. You will also get the chance to meet other parents in a relaxed and supported environment.



Conducted by-

Jen
Infant Massage Educator

Group starting:

Wednesday 27th February 10am - 11am

Venue:

Narunbah Schools as Community Centre
In the grounds of Fennell Bay Public School,
Bay Road, Fennell Bay 2283

Bookings Essential: To secure your place contact
Jen 4959 6140

