

Fishy News

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A message from the Principal

Reconciliation week

Next week from the 27th May to 3rd June is National Reconciliation Week – This is a time for all Australians to learn about our shared histories, cultures, and achievements of our first nations people, and to explore how each of us can contribute to achieving reconciliation in Australia. The theme for National Reconciliation Week in 2023: Be A Voice for Generations. I know Mrs Shelley and her prep/1 grade have been doing lots of fantastic lessons incorporating Indigenous dance and cooking in preparation for this week.



Report Writing Day

Just a reminder that **Friday the 2nd of June is a student free day**. On this day teachers will be finalising their report comments and progression points.

Rapid Antigen Tests

We have been able to source additional supplies of Rapid Antigen Tests. If you require any additional tests, please don't hesitate to contact the office.

Cross Country

Well done to our 17 students who braved the conditions and represented our school in the division cross country at Stony Creek today. Our students performed well on an extremely challenging course: great effort to all those involved.

Winter Sports

Congratulations to the 27 students we have representing us at the winter sports final in Foster on Monday. We have students representing our cluster (Waratah) in football, soccer, netball and basketball on this day. Basketball will be played at 12:00 (2 x 20 min halves) with the boys' team playing at the Foster Primary School and the girls' team playing at the main Foster gym (Those from Waratah who are participating in football and netball will head to the gym to watch the basketball. Those participating in soccer will be watching the boys basketball at the primary school.) The basketball game will conclude at approximately 1pm.

Students will then have a 20-minute period to walk and prepare for their other games.

1:20: Soccer at the secondary college 2x 20-minute halves

1:20: AFL football at the main foster oval 4 x 10-minute quarters

1:20: Girls and mixed netball at the Foster oval netball courts 4 x 10-minute quarters

All these games should conclude at approximately 2:20.



Cheers

Dale



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IMPORTANT DATES

May	2023
Thu 25th	Division Cross Country
Fri 26th	Sorry Day
Mon 29-2 June	Reconciliation Week
Mon 29th	Winter Sport

June	2023
Fri 2nd	Report Writing Day (Student Free Day)
Fri 9th	Grade 6 to Year 7 (1st Orientation Day)
Mon 12th	Kings Birthday (Student Free Day)
Mon 19 - 21st	Grade 3/4 Camp (Phillip Island)
Mon 19-23rd	Grade 5/6 Camp (Alpine Camp)
Fri 23rd	Last Day of Term 2

PRIMARY WELFARE

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Student of the Week



Primary Welfare

My kids are in a car nearly every afternoon of the week. They have swimming, netball and basketball has just finished. We have great carpooling system with mates and our car is usually full of kids, noise, mud and sometimes we steam it up with hot chips and gravy.

Sometimes there is Friday, Saturday and Sunday and this can leave no room for down time, the time at home often felt busy, rushed and chaotic.

Until we have a day with no plans, a day with nothing on. The day starts gently, with no one having to go anywhere, the cards come out and the day is quiet, calm and fun and a reminder where we all fit and we can exhale.

These are the days I remember, how lucky I am to have a car to drive my kids around, to have friends to share the load, a warm little fire and wild healthy kids.

I hope you roll into the weekend with time to breathe and enjoy your families.

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Signmee

Please check you are up to date with the following Signmee permissions.

- Grade 3/4 Camp Phillip Island
- Grade 5/6 Snow Camp
- Qualifying Match Lightning premiership (Grade 5/6)



Money and Forms Owing

Money and forms are due asap for the following events.

- Mothers Day gifts (\$5 per student).
- Grade 3/4 Camp Money and Medical Forms
- Grade 5/6 Camp Medical Forms.

(As we have 2 camps running at the same time at the end of Term 2 and there are many behind the scenes administration tasks that need to be completed, can we please ask that payments and medical forms be sent in as soon as possible.)

Thank you to those families that have already actioned the above request.

Reminder to Bus Travellers

A reminder to all families - There are Conditions of Travel for all students using the School Bus Service. These involve not eating or drinking while on the school bus, staying in your designated seat, no shouting, throwing objects on the bus or from the bus, wearing the seat belt provided and many other conditions.

If you need any further clarification on the full list, please contact the office.

