

# FORBES NORTH PUBLIC SCHOOL

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## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT



Congratulations to the Entertainment and Fundraising portfolio for raising around \$111.00 for Footy Colours Day.

### WEEKLY CALENDAR – TERM 4, WEEK 8

<b>Monday 27th Nov</b>	<b>Intensive Swimming</b>
<b>Tuesday 28th Nov</b>	<b>Intensive Swimming Footy Colours Day</b>
<b>Wednesday 29th Nov</b>	<b>Intensive Swimming Combined Christmas Scripture</b>
<b>Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> Nov</b>	<b>Intensive Swimming Gwenda Stanely Performance</b>
<b>Friday 1<sup>st</sup> Dec</b>	<b>Intensive Swimming CANCELLED - Swimming for Sport - Yrs 3-6 Friday Assembly</b>

Congratulations also to the new Executives in the P&C: Natalie Walker (President); Deb Lockwood (Vice President); Trisha Greenhill (Treasurer) and Sinty Duffy (Secretary) who will lead the team for the next year. It is wonderful to see parents getting involved in their children's education and the future directions of the school. We really appreciate the work that the outgoing executive has done over the last twelve months to improve outcomes for students.

There are a lot of end of year activities coming up over the next few weeks so please be aware of key dates.

Following feedback, we are trialling a change of venue for Presentation Night. This will be held at Forbes High School. K to 2 Awards Ceremony will be from 5:30pm-6:15pm. A short interval will follow so junior school families may leave if they wish. Years 3 to 6 Awards Ceremony will commence at 6:30pm. I am looking forward to seeing you there.

*Michele Morley*  
*Relieving Principal*

**PLEASE NOTE: YEARS 3-6 SWIMMING FOR SPORT THIS FRIDAY, 1 DECEMBER HAS BEEN CANCELLED.**



The Sharing Culture - Gwenda Stanely performance for the whole school is on this Thursday, 30<sup>th</sup> November. Students will have an early lunch and then attend the performance from 1:30pm to 2:30pm. Please make sure your Term 4 Student Contribution has been paid so that your child may attend.

### CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Parents & Caregivers are invited to attend our school Christmas Concert on Friday, 8<sup>th</sup> December. There will be two sessions: K-2 @ 12:40pm-1:20pm and Years 3-6 @ 2:00pm-2:45pm in the school hall. Parents are invited to have lunch under the COLA in the senior end at 1:20pm. We hope to see you there.

### INTENSIVE SWIMMING PROGRAM

This is the second and last week for the Intensive Swimming Program. Please ensure all students bring their swimmers even if it is raining at the beginning of the day.

### LIBRARY NEWS

A reminder that we are doing a stocktake in the Library in Weeks 9 & 10 so we would appreciate all books being returned to school by the end of this week.

The Mini Book Fair was a great success!! We sold \$1452.00 worth of books which donated the same amount in books back to the library. **Thank you** everyone who supported the Book Fair. Happy Reading!

Kay Howarth from KAYS BEADS has donated a small amount of beautifully handmade library bags. These will be available for purchase at the school office for \$10.00 per bag with the proceeds being donated to the school library.

### SCRIPTURE NEWS

A combined Christmas Scripture will be held this Wednesday, 29<sup>th</sup> November at the Forbes Town Hall. All students will travel to and from school by bus. There will be no charge involved and the general permission note will cover this event. Kindergarten to Year 1 will be from 10:00am – 10:45am and Years 3 to 6 will be 11:30am – 12:15pm. Intensive swimming students will not be able to attend.

### ETHICS NEWS

The Ethics Program at Forbes North has recently had a few changes. Unfortunately, we have lost 3 of our 4 teachers and the Coordinator. I will be resuming the Coordinator role and we are currently looking for more volunteer teachers. If you are interested in volunteering your time on a Wednesday to this wonderful Program, please contact the office. The next training course is to be held on 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> November in Milthorpe. Ms Tricia Greenhill, PE Coordinator Forbes

### SCHOOL BANKING REMINDER

Our final School Banking day for 2017 will be 13<sup>th</sup> December. If your child is eligible to order a reward item, please ensure that the reward coupon is completed and returned prior to 29<sup>th</sup> November 2017. Any tokens that have not been redeemed this year can be used in 2018.

**Calendar - Term 4 Dates to Remember**

Week 9	5 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Volunteers Morning Tea
	6 <sup>th</sup> Dec	JRV Choir Performance
	8 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Jnr & Snr Christmas Concert
	8 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Student Reports Home
	8 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Year 6 Farewell Dinner
Week 10	11 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Presentation Awards Ceremony
	12 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Digi Ed – Stage 3
	15 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Last Day of School for students

**Payments Due**

Yrs 3-6 Swimming for Sport	\$1.00 (SWIMMERS)
	\$2.50 (NON SWIMMERS)
Term 4 Budget	\$20.00
Year 6 Farewell – Guests	\$20.00



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The school website is a great place to find out about what happens in the school. Please access at:

[www.forbesnth-p.schools.nsw.edu.au](http://www.forbesnth-p.schools.nsw.edu.au)

**WEEK 7 TERM 4 ASSEMBLY AWARDS**

KK	KW	1/2A	1/2C	1/2O
Sulley Bentick-McEwan Gabrielle Armstrong-Barnes Rachel Bilsborough Jackson Markwort	Lorcan Ryan Tyler O'Malley Benjamin Hodges Jhaz Nash	Addi Bale Wade Barter Jackson Dukes Ruby Taylor	Rydah Hancock Will Constable Savannah Kershaw Matilda Blake	Destiny Pout Sienna O'Malley Drew Green Jackson Kalisch
1/2P	3/4D	3/4M	3/4R	3/4S
Jedd Smith Riley Thomas Corby Fliedner Drew Barter	Oakley Fliedner Will Bailey Carlos Williams Halle Rattenbury	Ashton Johnson Hayden Coleman Blaze Miller Harmony Pout	Archie Bentick-McEwan Charlotte Markwort Alex Kershaw Levi Carver	Lochie Farrelly Hunter Bilsborough Tom Greenhill Taylah Barker
5/6F	5/6H	5/6K	Library	
Avril Green Meghan Fahey Tamika Carstairs Tanesha Riddle	Shyeka Griffiths Jaide Robinson Paige Britton Peta Allen	Lauren House Angus Webb Abby Nolan-Hodges Ebony Boswell	Brooke Gray	

**CLOTHING POOL**

If anyone has a spare half an hour each week or fortnight, it would be greatly appreciated if you would be able to volunteer to sort out our clothing pool. Please see office staff if you are be able to help.

PLEASE JOIN US FOR

# Carols by Candlelight

3RD DECEMBER, 2017 | 7 PM |  
VICTORIA PARK FORBES

LOCAL PERFORMERS  
DRINKS AND GLOWCANDLES  
ON SALE  
BYO CHAIR OR BLANKET  
LIONS BBQ

**FORBES  
TOWN & DISTRICT  
BAND**

*In case of wet  
weather, the  
Carols will be  
held at the Forbes  
Town Hall*


**Calarie Hall 2017 Christmas Party**

Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> December at 4:30pm at Calarie Hall

\$20 per Adult and \$30 per Family

BYO Drinks, Food will be provided

Santa will be there at 6:00pm Please purchase gifts worth \$10 and write your child's name on it and we will arrange to get it to Santa to bring with him

Hope to see you all there

Made of Fridays Christmas Craft Workshops

Suitable for ages 5-12+

Bookings and more info

[www.madeoffridays.com.au](http://www.madeoffridays.com.au)

or visit us in-store at 81 Rankin Street, Forbes

**ROTARY IPOMOEAE'S  
CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL 2017**

Forbes Town Hall

Official opening Friday 1 Dec at 6pm – 8pm

Open 9am -5pm Saturday 2 Dec

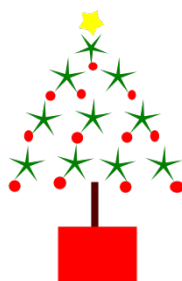
Open 9am- 1pm Sunday 3 Dec

Come along and see over 110 Trees on display

Adult entry is only \$2.00

Children are free to enter

*Every class at Forbes North has made an entry for this family event to celebrate the magic of Christmas.*



**Play Soccer with Forbes District Soccer Club In  
2018**

Now Boys and Girls from 4 years of age to mens and womens Adult teams can join in and play fun soccer in the most progressive Junior Soccer Club in Western NSW. As a certified Sports Provider each of your children will be entitled to the NSW Govt \$100 rebate per child by registering with and playing soccer for Forbes DSC.

In addition, boys and girls aged from 4 to 9 will receive the Aldi Minirooms registration kit being a ball, water bottle, lunch box and bag. Kids from 10 and above receive the Deploy Training Ball as part of there registration fees, as well as FFA certified club coaching programs and participation in boys and girls club gala days throughout Central West NSW.

**Registration and Club Inquiries: Simon Moore (President) – 0437173134, Doug McKenzie (Comp Sec/Registrar) – 0412287810.**

**Forbes Women's Group**

Dates for Term 4 1pm-3pm in CWA Hall

6 Dec – Christmas Crafts

20 Dec – Christmas Luncheon

*For more information, phone or visit CentaCare*

*Wilcannia-Forbes at 134 Lachlan Street*

*Ph: 02 6850 1777*

**Forbes Community OSHC - Vacation Care Program**

Vacation care will be available from Monday, 18 December 2017 to Monday, 29 January 2018 to cater for the needs of families. Note that the service will be closed from Monday, 25 December to Friday, 5 January and on Friday, 26 January as it is a public holiday.

The service is open from 7.30am to 6.30pm each day. All staff are qualified and look forward to meeting your child. The daily fee is payable at the time of booking, unless your child is already enrolled in afterschool care. For an enrolment pack and bookings, please phone 6852 3135.



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