

Forbes North Public School Newsletter

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WELCOME BACK TO TERM 4

Forbes North Public School

Kindergarten 2020 Information Session
OCTOBER 22nd 9:15am - 10:45am



Meet and hear from:

- the Principal
- the Link Up Teacher
- Kindergarten Teachers

Information stalls:

- Enrolment requirements
- Speech Therapy
- Bus Passes
- School Banking
- Learning Support
- P & C Association
- Kitchen/Garden
- Scripture
- Ethics

Visit a Kindergarten classroom to see a Reading and Writing lesson in action!

Enjoy morning tea while having a chat with a Kindergarten teacher



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Kindergarten 2020 Information Session

Parents and Carers of children enrolling their child into Kindergarten 2020 are invited to attend our Kindergarten information session- October 22nd 9:15-10:45. There will be an opportunity to meet and hear from the Principal, the Link Up Teacher and Kindergarten teachers. You will also get to see a Kindergarten Writing and Reading lesson in action with a visit to a Kindergarten classroom. There will be information stalls to enquire about enrolment information, speech therapy, bus passes, school banking, learning support, the Forbes North Public School P and C, Kitchen/Garden, Scripture and Ethics. Morning tea will also be provided.

We hope to see you there.

FROM THE PRINCIPAL.....

Welcome back to all students and families for term 4. I hope you all enjoyed the holiday break! Undoubtedly, this will be a very busy term with lots of events happening as we head into our final term for the year. This term can often be known as our 'busiest term' but can also be the most rewarding. Please ensure you are checking the calendar in the newsletter, Facebook and on the app to ensure you are kept up to date as there will be lots happening.

This term, Students in Kindergarten, Year 1 & 2 will be participating in Gymnastics lessons as part of the Personal development, Health and PE curriculum, which I'm sure the students will find very exciting. Year 3-6 will participate in swimming lessons this term for Sport, which will commence in Week 3. A more detailed note will go home with students about both these events.

Mr McAlister is currently on Long service leave and will return in Week 2.
Have a great week!

Bobbie Fliedner
Principal (Relieving)

Teddy Bear's Picnic - Dance Troupe Reminder

The senior and junior dance troupes will be performing THIS SATURDAY 19th October at Lions Park for the Teddy Bears Picnic. They will be performing at 11:30am. Students will need to arrive at 11am at the Forbes North tent in costume. Seniors can collect their costume from school on Friday.

If there are any questions please feel free to contact the school office.

Thank you
Mrs Welsh



Thank you Lin Samson and Laurinda Ray for your donation of books for the library. 😊

BOOK CLUB

Check out the latest book club edition. It's a great opportunity to start buying for Christmas. This latest edition has a bonus Christmas gift section. Orders due by Friday 1st November (week 3). There are a variety of books for under \$10. What a bargain!!!!

BANDANNA DAY

Bandanna Day is being held Friday 25th October (week 2). Bandanna's are available to purchase from the school office, they are \$5 each.





Forbes North Public School P & C Canteen Menu 2019

RECESS

Hot Food	Cold Food
Garlic bread.....\$0.30	Homemade Anzac biscuits... Sml:\$0.50/Lrg:\$1.00
Mini Pizzas.....\$1.00	Homemade muffins.....\$1.00
Scrolls – Cheese & Ham.....\$0.80	Jelly Cup.....\$1.00
Toasted Sandwich Halves.....\$1.00	Piece of fruit.....\$1.00
Pancake & maple syrup.....\$1.00	Fruit cup.....\$1.00
	Fruit salad.....\$3.00

***Food available at recess cannot be ordered
as a lunch order***

LUNCHTIME

Hot Food	
Hamburger (bun with lettuce, cheese, tomato, beetroot and tomato or BBQ sauce).....	\$5.00
Chicken Burger (bun with chicken sticks, lettuce, cheese & mayo).....	\$4.50
Mini Cheeseburger (small bun, beef mince patty, cheese, tomato/BBQ sauce).....	\$3.50
Pie & sauce.....	\$4.00
Sausage roll & sauce.....	\$4.00
Spaghetti Bolognaise.....	\$4.50
Fried Rice.....	\$4.50
Nachos (mild taco mince, corn chips, cheese and sour cream).....	\$4.50
Chicken Sticks (5) (sauce included tomato/BBQ).....	\$3.50
Sandwiches, Wraps and Salads	
Jam or Vegemite Sandwich.....	\$2.50
Plain Chicken or Ham or Egg Sandwich.....	\$3.00
Ham & Cheese or Chicken & Cheese Sandwich.....	\$3.50
Ham, Cheese & Tomato or Chicken, Cheese & Tomato Sandwich.....	\$4.00
Chicken, Lettuce and Mayo Sandwich.....	\$4.00

Add \$0.50 if you would like your sandwich toasted

Salad Sandwich (lettuce, carrot, tomato, cucumber, beetroot, cheese).....	\$4.50
Salad Wrap (lettuce, carrot, tomato, cucumber, beetroot, cheese).....	\$5.00
Chicken Stick Wrap (lettuce, mayo, cheese, chicken sticks).....	\$4.50
Salad Bowl (lettuce, carrot, tomato, cucumber, beetroot, cheese).....	\$5.00

Add \$1 if you would like ham or chicken added to your sandwich, wrap or salad

OTHER

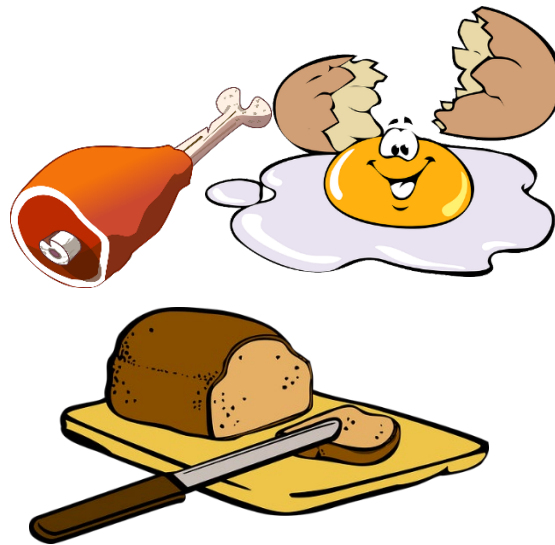
Drinks	Lunchtime Treats
Slushie.....\$2.00	Snowfruit Ice-Blocks.....\$0.50
Chocolate or Strawberry milk.....\$2.00	Zooper Doopers/Quech Icy Poles.....\$0.50
Plain Milk.....\$1.00	TNT Sour Pops.....\$0.70
Popper (Apple/Orange/Orange & Mango) ..\$1.50	Plain Vanilla Ice Cream.....\$1.50
Water.....\$1.50	Chocolate/Strawberry/Raspberry
Warm/Cold Milo.....\$1.00	Frozen Yoghurt.....\$2.50
	Red Rock Deli Chips.....\$1.50
	Extras
	Lunchbags/Spoons/Forks.....\$0.10
	Sauce.....\$0.40

Please be aware some items are subject to availability
If you need to contact us feel free to ring the school
or you can email: fnpscanteen@gmail.com

Eggs and Ham with Toast

Ingredients:

- 4 eggs
- 1 teaspoon butter (for cooking)
- ¼ cup milk
- Pinch of salt
- Pinch of pepper
- 2 strands chives
- 2 slices ham
- 3 slices of bread for toast
- Extra butter (for toast)



Method:

- 1 Break each egg into small bowl to check that it is OK to use (one at a time).
- 2 If the egg is OK, place it into a larger bowl.
- 3 Add a pinch of salt and a little pinch of pepper.
- 4 Whisk the eggs until frothy.
- 5 Chop the chives into very little pieces.
- 6 Add the milk and chives to the eggs and mix well.
- 7 Chop the ham into small pieces and leave to the side.
- 8 Put the teaspoon of butter in the frypan and heat on **low** heat.
- 9 **Helpers** - once the butter has melted, add the ham to the pan and allow to fry for about 30 seconds.
- 10 **Helpers** - add the egg mix to the pan.
- 11 Using a wooden spoon, stir the egg mix gently over moderate heat until eggs are set.
- 12 Put slices of bread into the toaster and toast.
- 13 **Helpers** to remove toast from the toaster.
- 14 Spread a little butter onto the toast, and cut in half.

Serve a little scrambled egg on plate, with toast on the side. (Each student to have half a piece of toast and a spoonful of egg).

TERM 4 SPORT

This term will be another busy term for sport at Forbes North. Starting Friday Week 2, the Jr classes will each get to go Parkes PCYC to participate in Gymnastics lessons and play a variety of court sports. Kindergarten will start off in week 2, with Yr 2 in week 4 and finally Yr 1 in Week 6. Please return the permission note sent home yesterday to ensure your child attends.

Every year in term 4, the primary students go to the pool for their sport sessions in readiness for the 2020 swimming carnival. We will have our first swimming for sport session Friday 1st November. Year 3/4 will go first at 9.30 with Yr 5/6 attending at 10.15. All students will need to bring swimmers, towels, sunscreen and goggles (if needed). Students will come to school as normal in their sports uniform and will get changed into their swimmers at school. More information will be sent home early next week.

Later on in the term, all Yr 2 will start their Intensive Swimming Program. This is a 10 day program run by the DEC and Forbes schools to help Yr 2 students become water confident and capable swimmers. The program offers 45 sports for students in Yrs 3-6 who might also want/need to improve their swimming. If you would like your child to participate in the Intensive swimming program (year 3-6) please contact the office. Notes will be sent home later in the term.

Danielle McManus
PSSA/Sports Coordinator

20 KITCHEN LESSON

20 had a great start back to Term with a kitchen lesson yesterday. The students all enjoyed making this yummy meal - perhaps this is something you could cook at home? It would make the perfect weekend breakfast!!





Enrolment policy

Information for parents

The Enrolment of Students in NSW Government Schools policy is in place to assist schools to meet their obligations under the *Education Act 1990* - to ensure that every student has a place at their local school. The policy also communicates to staff and the community a transparent enrolment process.

Why was the enrolment policy revised?

Across the state, many communities are changing. Some are growing at rates never seen before. Some schools that used to be able to accept out-of-area enrolments, no longer have the room to do so.

The revised policy is designed to support schools to manage all enrolment applications, encourage greater consistency in decision-making and make sure the enrolment choices are clear for parents.

What are the changes?

The enrolment cap

The enrolment cap is the number of students that can be enrolled at a school based on the school's permanent accommodation. The enrolment cap tells us whether the school may or may not have the capacity to accept non-local enrolments. It is not a target or limit on the number of local enrolments a school can take.

Each school with a local intake area will have a cap set by the department from Term 4 2019.

Within the enrolment cap, a number of enrolment places (the buffer) must be kept aside for the likely number of local students who will need to enrol during the year. For this reason, a school will not take non-local students once they reach their buffer, unless there are exceptional circumstances.

100-point residential address check

Parents planning to enrol their child at a school that is near or at its buffer or cap will be asked to complete the 100-point residential address check to confirm they live within the school's designated intake area. This means parents will need to provide documents to verify the child's current address.

So that schools only seek information relevant to the child's enrolment, a list of approved documents for the residential address check is available from the school or the department's website at <https://education.nsw.gov.au/policy-library/policies/enrolment-of-students-in-nsw-government-schools>.

Selection criteria for non-local enrolment

Sibling enrolments are now clearly prioritised (where possible) and selection criteria for non-local enrolment will not include student ability, performance or achievement.

What has not changed?

Schools will continue to enrol students who live in their local intake area, regardless of the school's cap status.

Enrolment procedures for students accessing particular education settings (for example selective schools, distance education, specialist support classes for students with disability, Intensive English Centres) are not affected by the revised policy.

In schools with available places, there are no changes to enrolment rights of siblings of non-local students. Each enrolment application is considered on its merits, including if siblings currently attend the school. If the school is below capacity, out-of-area applications for siblings of current students will be given enrolment priority.

Schools will continue to provide families with support and advice during the enrolment process, including assessment of exceptional and compelling circumstances particularly for vulnerable students and their families.

Schools will also continue to apply the policy fairly and consistently using transparent and accountable processes when making decisions about enrolment applications. Parents have a right of appeal to determine whether the stated processes have been applied in a procedurally fair manner.

But what do the changes mean for me?

What if my child is already enrolled but we do not live in that school's intake area?

Your child will remain enrolled at the school as the revised policy does not affect students already enrolled in NSW Government schools.

We were in area when my child was enrolled in the school. The department has since changed the school's boundary and our residence is now out of area. I have other children and I want them all to go to the same school.

What are my options?

At times it is necessary for the department to make adjustments to a school's local enrolment intake area. This could mean a family with a child/children already enrolled is then outside the local intake area. When this happens, the family will still be able to enrol siblings together at the school, regardless of whether the school is over the buffer or cap.

I already have a child enrolled as an out-of-area student in a NSW Government school. Can I enrol my other children at that school too?

This will depend on the capacity of the school:

- If the school is **not near its buffer**, then siblings should be able to be enrolled at the school. In fact, siblings of students currently enrolled will be prioritised, where possible, over other non-local enrolment applications.
- If the school is **nearing its buffer**, then the school will form a non-local enrolment panel. The panel considers non-local enrolment applications when the number of non-local applications received exceeds the number of places available below the buffer. Again, in this instance, siblings of students currently enrolled will be prioritised, where possible, over other non-local enrolment applications.
- If the school is **at capacity**, it will not accept non-local enrolment applications unless there are exceptional circumstances.

I have already accepted an offer for my child to attend a school in 2020 that is not my local school. What happens now?

The enrolment will proceed. Non-local enrolments accepted before Term 4 2019 for students starting in 2020 should not be affected.

What is the criteria for enrolment in a school that is not my local school?

Schools that are able to accept non-local enrolment applications establish a non-local enrolment selection panel, if demand exceeds the number of places below the school's buffer.

Schools are required to make the selection criteria available to the school community.

My circumstances are challenging and I think this school is best for my child. We live outside the school's intake area. What should I do?

We understand that not everyone's circumstances are the same, and that there are instances where exceptional and compelling circumstances will need to be considered.

If this is the case, you should talk to the principal of your local school.

Contact

For general enquiries contact: 1300 679 332 or email: DoEinfo@det.nsw.edu.au

For enrolment enquiries, speak to your local school. Find school contact details at:

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/going-to-a-public-school/finding-a-public-school>



PBL FOCUS JNR – Sun safety and looking after belongings.

SNR – Being responsible in the toilets

Class lessons this week will be focusing on an area of need for your child's class. Therefore, the PBL focus for this fortnight will be different for Junior and Senior ends.

Our celebrations tally has been updated.



What will the next celebration be?



Tallies

Extended Recess	Play at Nelson Park	Open Playground	PJ Onesie Day
Has been won...watch this space!!	390	288	915

FORBES NORTH PS - Term 4 2019

Term 4	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT/SUN
1	14 OCT	15 OCT	16 OCT	17 OCT	18 OCT	19/20 OCT
2	21 OCT	22 OCT 9:15am Kindergarten 2020 Parent Info session	23 OCT	24 OCT RH Lytton Debating V St Laurence's 12:50PM I-Con Assembly	25 OCT Bandanna Day	26/27 OCT
3	28 OCT	29 OCT	30 OCT 1:30PM Year 6 Transition FHS School Performance	31 OCT 12:50PM I-Con Assembly	1 NOV	02/03 NOV
4	4 NOV	5 NOV	6 NOV	7 NOV	8 NOV	09/10 NOV

• STUDENT AWARDS WEEK 10, TERM 3

Class	Student of the Week	PBL Award	Merit Award
KK	Lachlan Hoey	Charlotte McClenahan	Freya Dumbrell Chelsea Ray
KW	Sasha McCarthy	Jaiden Hartwig	Maddie Hartwig Logan Stevenson
1C	Harmonee Johnson	Ruby Dumbrell	Jaylah Hodge Harper O'Malley
1O	Isabel Pearce	Logan Godden	Lexie Finn Oliver Mellon
2N	Naomi Klingner	Eliza Hosler	Lucia Bilsborough Jhaz Nash
2O	Kaileiha Skinner	Sarah Hayward	Jordy Shaw Braxton Hopkins
3/4K	Max Ridge	Wade Barter	Camley Hapgood Karla Osborne
3J	Charlie Newton	Ace Hancock	Adam Cuskelly Saphira Mahoney
4/5F	Noah Skinner	Harmony Pout	Brooke Gray Riley Johnson
4J	Ashton Johansson	Aurora Farrelly	Tallara Antram Tyrone Howell
5/6M	Katana Mahoney	Matty Merritt	Halle Rattenbury Kayden Griffiths
5/6P	Maddie Tomkinson	Jayden Knight	Eammon Ryan Marnie Blake
5/6Y	Ashton Johnson	Zoe Bilsborough	Reggie Sharkey Callum Ravell



Library
Jett Hayes



Kitchen
Azariah Pout

PBL focus
a topic of choice
designated by the
Classroom teacher.



WEEK 3 TERM 4

PERFORMANCE – Wednesday 30th October 2019

Stimulate those young minds with these genuinely amazing illusions.

How is that possible?



In these days of pre-recorded, flat screen visual entertainment where everything is possible, Alan challenges his audience, right before their eyes with illusions that get their young brain cells working, trying to work out what actually happened in the seemingly impossible illusions they witness.

Add to this, lashings of humor, a nautical theme, one wise cracking Toucan and Alan's many years of experience in children's entertainment and you have over 50 minutes of great children's theatre.

Far from being just a magic show, Heave Ho Off We Go is a theatrical experience in the tradition of the English vaudeville shows of the late 19th and early 20th centuries. Like those shows of old, Alan follows a magic segment with a juggling routine and follows that with one of his many ventriloquist dolls. One of these is the loveable remote controlled Toucan, which no longer has to be operated on the ventriloquist's arm.

Heave Ho Off We Go is illusions, juggling, ventriloquism and loads and loads of laughs

Note: *Students who have paid the voluntary school contribution fees do not need to pay to attend. For students who have not paid the VSC but would like to attend the performance it is a set fee of \$5.00 and MUST be paid by Monday 28th October.*

