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Newsletter
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KWK exploring the indigenous garden

Protect yourself from viruses



Clean your hands with soap and water, or hand sanitiser.



Cover your nose and mouth when you cough or sneeze.



Avoid close contact with anyone with cold or flu-like symptoms.



Stay home if you are sick.



Find the facts

health.nsw.gov.au/coronavirus

FROM THE PRINCIPAL...

As we approach the last half of the last school term for 2020 it is exciting to see the enthusiasm our Link-Up, Year 2 and Year 6 students are approaching their transition activities with. Our Link-Up students have all loved being back in class since the start of term, and are really looking forward to their orientation days in the Kindergarten rooms from week 6 onwards.

Our year 2 students have been immersed in transition-to-year-3 activities for a few weeks now and have really taken to the experiences offered in the classrooms and the playground "up in the big end". Year 6 students moving on to Forbes High next year – some of whom have been hanging out to experience a taste of High School – will commence their Orientation program next week. They will have two half days, one in week 6 and one in week 7, before a full day's orientation in week 8.

These orientation activities are the key to provide a smooth progression at these important transition points. We also understand that the end-of-year presents a transition of sorts no matter what year group your child is entering. This is why we are introducing a mini-transition program for all our students this year to allow them to experience time in their new classes before commencing the 2021 school year. More information on this program will follow.

Have a great week!

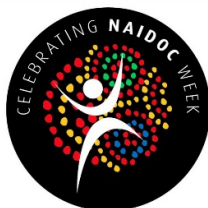
Steve McAlister

Principal



School Shop Window Display:

This week there is a display that many classes contributed to for NAIDOC week. Included is a photographic sequence of year 2 classes doing the Junior school **Acknowledgement of Country**. Also 1W, 4/5F and KWK have contributed art work for the display. Kindergarten children visited the 8 ways stone circle in the garden and had their photographs taken to mark NAIDOC week.



**Always Was,
Always Will Be.**

8-15 NOV 2020

Book Club

The last edition for book club this year was handed out yesterday. Once again it is packed full of awesome deals and fantastic prices. Please have online orders in by Monday 23rd November (Week 7).

Library News

Thank you to everyone who has purchased books through Book club, borrowed and returned books, donated books or paid for books that have been lost, damaged or misplaced. It is everyone, as a whole school community who keeps children interested in reading and keeps the library full of fun and interesting books. Borrowing for this year will stop at the end of week 7. This will allow enough time for all books to be returned before the end of the school year. If your child has overdue library books or you receive an overdue library notice please return these books as soon as possible. Thanks, Mrs Gartner

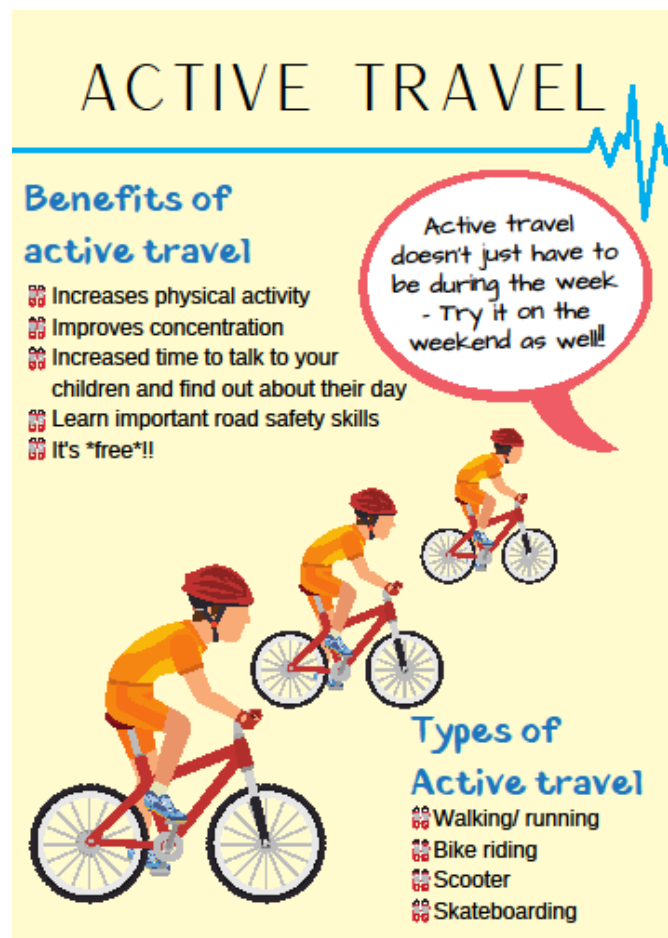
COVID-19 Reminder

In accordance with advice from NSW Health, parents and carers are reminded **NOT** to send children to school if they are unwell, even if they have the mildest flu-like symptoms.



NSW Health has requested that schools encourage anyone who is unwell or has even mild flu-like symptoms, to arrange to be tested through their local medical practitioner.

Students and staff with flu-like symptoms will need to be tested and provide a copy of a negative COVID-19 test result and be symptom-free before being permitted to return to school.





Our Current Positive Behaviour for Learning Focus –

‘right place, right time’

Class lessons will focus on students making sure they are staying in bounds when out and about the school.

Our Celebration Tallies have been updated.

What will the next celebration be?

Current Tallies



Water Play	Crazy Sock Day	Extended Recess	Zooper Dooper
HAS BEEN WON <small>(no new celebration as of yet)</small>	430	224	1414

Safe, Respectful, Responsible
Forbes North Public School

Rotary Ipomoea



Market

LION'S PARK


Saturday 14th November

Lion's Park Forbes 8am to 12.30pm

Enquiries to Helen on 6851 4930

Week 3 Awards			
Class	Student of the Week	PBL Award	Merit Award
KWK	Clayton Griffiths	Jax Murphy	Ivy-Lee Ross Ava Doyle
10	Lexi Swansborough	Ehren Miller	Harry Bilsborough Cooper Reid
1W	Trinity Green	Sasha McCarthy	Ila Kennedy Zac Dunn
2J	Ruby Dumbrell	Callum Van Der Weiden	Flyn Collits Matilda McClenahan
2O	Ashtyn Wright	Jaspa Buckmaster	Zara Paradowski Alani Brunt
3K	Deklen Miller	Eliza Hosler	Rylah McLachlan Jakaya Wright
3/4J	Archer Swansborough	Matari Perceval-Edwards	Kaylee Woodhouse Sam Nicholson
4/5F	Nevaeh Spice	Delissa Jones	Luke Bilsborough Sadie Hughes
5/6M	Jaydrien Mores	Summer Stirling	T'Kaya Johansson Phoebe Walker
5/6P	Laura Greenhill	Hunter Bilsborough	Renna Dechen Charlie Pearce
5/6Y	Milli Robson	Wyatt Harvey	Tahlia O'Malley Noah Skinner
Library	Braxton Johansson		

PBL of the week: We respect ourselves and others.





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Learning for Life through Quality Teaching in a Safe and Caring Environment

Term 4 2020						
5	9 NOVEMBER	10 NOVEMBER	11 NOVEMBER	12 NOVEMBER	13 NOVEMBER Lachlan Touch	14/15 NOV
6	16 NOVEMBER Yr 2 Intensive Swimming	17 NOVEMBER Link Up⇒Kindergarten transition commences Yr 2 Intensive Swimming Year 6⇒7 Transition FHS	18 NOVEMBER Yr 2 Intensive Swimming	19 NOVEMBER Girls League Tag Gala Day @ Grenfell	20 NOVEMBER	21/22 NOV
7	23 NOVEMBER Yr 2 Intensive Swimming Online Book Club orders due	24 NOVEMBER Yr 2 Intensive Swimming Year 6⇒7 Transition FHS	25 NOVEMBER Yr 2 Intensive Swimming	26 NOVEMBER	27 NOVEMBER Lachlan Soccer	28/29 NOV
8	30 NOVEMBER Yr 2 Intensive Swimming	1 DECEMBER Yr 2 Intensive Swimming Year 6⇒7 Orientation Day at FHS	2 DECEMBER Yr 2 Intensive Swimming	3 DECEMBER PBL Individual Rewards Session	4 DECEMBER Colour Run	5/6 DEC
9	7 DECEMBER Annual Presentation K-2: 10.15-11.00am 3-6: 11.45-1.00pm	8 DECEMBER	9 DECEMBER	10 DECEMBER Yr 6 Farewell	11 DECEMBER	12/13 DEC
10	14 DECEMBER	15 DECEMBER 5:30pm Radio 2LVR	16 DECEMBER LAST DAY FOR STUDENTS	17 DECEMBER SDD (Pupil Free)	18 DECEMBER SDD (Pupil Free)	19/20 DEC

Term 1 2021						
1		26 JANUARY AUSTRALIA DAY p/h	27 JANUARY SDD (Pupil Free)	28 JANUARY SDD (Pupil Free)	29 JANUARY All Students K-6 resume	30/31 JAN
2	1 FEBRUARY	2 FEBRUARY Link Up resumes	3 FEBRUARY	4 FEBRUARY	5 FEBRUARY	6/7 FEB