

Anzac Day at Fish Creek

The first Thursday back next term is Anzac Day. All students are welcome to join the march to the Rock (on horseback or on foot), then continue on to the Hall. Our students are encouraged to come and sing the song we have been learning in Music - the school choir will also be performing some other songs they have been working on with Miss Kiarna and Mrs Shelley. A delicious morning tea will follow the Hall ceremony.

Timing on the day is:

10:30 March from Fish Creek RSL to the Rock.

11:00 Last Post at the Rock.

11:30 ceremony at the Fish Creek Hall. (Our students will sing straight after the guest speaker, so early on in the proceedings.)

The community really appreciates the contribution of our students to this event. If your family is able to attend, it would be great!

Any questions, ask Mrs Banikos, who will try to get an answer for you!

Naplan

Today our grade 3/4 students participated in a NAPLAN coordinated online practice test, as did all other schools in the country. This was a test to see if our computer systems could handle what would be expected usage during the actual NAPLAN time. After a few hiccups with logging in errors we had all students complete the practice test and we are now ready for the real thing in early May.

Assembly

Our final assembly for the term will be held on THURSDAY 4th April from 3.05pm.

Signmees needing attention this week:

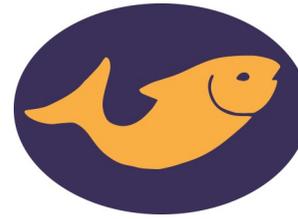
Athletics Day—Grade 3—6

Scienceworks Visit- Grade 3—6

Watching PG Movie—Grade 3—6

Charlie Brown Fun Day—Waratah Bay

Charlie Brown Family Fun Day:- Easter Saturday April 20th. Commencing at 9.30 with Sand Castle Building, the usual fun of an Easter egg treasure hunt, tug of war and novelty races for all the family (even the dog) is on offer. Enjoy Charlie's strawberries and cream or a sausage sizzle with the 1st Fish Creek Scout Group.



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NEWSLETTER

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MARCH

25th - 29th

APRIL

Monday 1st

Friday 5th

Tuesday 23rd

Thursday 25th

MAY

Friday 10th

COMING UP

Grade 5/6 Camp Woorabinda

Athletics — Grade 3 -6

Foster Secondary College

Last day of Term 1 2.20pm dismissal

1st day of Term 2

ANZAC Day Public Holiday

Pupil Free Day—Staff at PD

RESPECT

FAIRNESS

COMMITMENT

All grade 5/6 students have been having a wonderful time at camp at Woorabinda. Going down to the camp for the first two days I personally really enjoyed working with the students away from the classroom setting. It has been interesting to see all the students who have come out of their shell and embraced the bush adventure camp experience. Camp is about forging friendships, trying new experiences and creating memories that will last a life time. I know this group have all loved their camp experience and they will all be talking about their adventures and challenges they have overcome well into the future.

A big thank you to Jazlyne Bennett and Angus Harding who have been completing their work experience with us this week. It has been great to have them both with us and I hope they have thoroughly enjoyed their time here.

Our Pnf and parent volunteers were also busy last weekend helping at our Bunnings BBQ on Saturday. We raised over \$760 for our school which will go towards the upcoming student kitchen installation. Thank you to all those involved.

Cheers,
Dale

Environmental Science News

We are launching our new recycling station, which will be located in the senior library area. In these tubs, we can put mobile phones - this helps the mountain gorillas- old batteries, used printer cartridges, and also teeth products like old tooth brushes, tooth paste tubes and packaging. Collect these items at home and put them in our school's recycling centre.



School Athletics Day

Help is still needed with group supervision and events to ensure the day runs smoothly. If you can help, please contact the office. Also, could parents please send in the payment of \$2.

A reminder also to all parents that the bus will leave from Fish Creek to go to Athletics at 9.00am. Please ensure your child is at school on time as we are unable to wait as the events start at 9.30am

eSmart Tip of the Week:

Getting the screen time balance right.

Active time—A healthy body and mind requires activity and movement. Kids still love to get out and play. However, some may need a bit more encouragement to remind them.

Student of the Week



Scienceworks

Next Wednesday our Grade 3—6 students are heading to Scienceworks for the day. Students will leave school at 9.00am and return at approx. 6pm. Parents are asked to please complete the Signmee and send in the \$20 to the office or pay via internet banking.

New Building Update



It has been a very busy couple of weeks at the school with the removal of our old building. All students have enjoyed seeing the step by step demolition of our building. There will

be a little bit of a lull in proceedings at the school site but manufacturing of our new building will be happening off site in Melbourne, before our buildings' footings are put in onsite after the school holidays.