



Forster Public School Newsletter



Respect

Safety

Personal Best

Term 3 Week 10

Friday 27 September, 2019

CALENDAR

October

- 14 Students Return to School**
- 18 Yr 1 Seal Rocks Excursion**
- 21-23 Happy Hallidays Support Unit Camp**
- 25 School Fun Run**
- 28 P&C Meeting 5.30pm**
- 31 K-2 Gold Principal Assembly**

November

- 4-15 Yr 2 Intensive Swim**
- 6 State Athletics Carnival**
- 8 Remembrance Day Assembly**
- 15 Quizworks Scripture**
- 18-29 Yr 3 Intensive Swim**
- 19-22 School Spectacular**
- 28 Band Workshop**

December

- 3 High School Transition Forster Campus**
- 5 K-2 Gold Principal Assembly**
- 6 3-6 Gold Principal Assembly**
- 10 Presentation Assembly**
- 18 Last day of term 4**



Principal Report- *Mrs Annie Everingham*

Each year we send out a survey from the department that allows parents to give feedback to the school on a variety of areas. This survey is now open to parents. You can access the survey by following the link below. It is helpful to the school if as many parents as possible can complete the survey to give us a collective view on how we are travelling. Feedback is essential for progress and we welcome yours. Please click on the link below.

<http://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/9f9k3>

If you are enrolling a Kindergarten child for 2020 can you please let the office know as soon as possible so we can inform you of any dates that are vital for 2020. We have a large cohort of Kindergarten students ready for 2020 and have had a number of opportunities to have them in our school at various events. It always is a delight to see their happy, excited faces ready for their educational journey.



Please ensure your children are not leaving school regularly before 2:55pm. It is important that students attend school each day for the full duration. Regular exiting of students can result in unjustified part day absences.

Any medical or social appointments should be made out of school hours if possible. Also haircuts, birthdays and shopping for school clothes etc... should be done before or after school. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation around this topic. If you have any concerns please do not hesitate to contact me.

Our students were rewarded on Thursday and Friday of this week for the amount of Hadley awards that were given out over the term. Mr Dutton from Forster Active OOSH lent us their blow up soccer field and classes were rostered on to spend some time on it. Practicing their sportsmanship skills, this was a great way to recognise student's efforts in keeping to our school core values of Personal Best, Safety and Respect.



I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your support and involvement in Forster PS for another busy term. I hope you all have a restful holiday with your family and friends and look forward to working with you all again in term 4.

Students return to school on Monday 14 October and students finish the school year on Wednesday 18 December.

Annie Everingham
Principal



Tell Them From Me Parent Survey

Please click on the following link

<http://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/9f9k3>

We have had very few responses and we would appreciate your involvement in this survey.

School Leaders Report

On Friday week 6, a few of our highest achieving students represented Forster Public School in the Hunter/Regionals athletics carnival. The students competed in many events based on their athletic skills. It was pouring rain and everyone was drenched but that didn't stop them from doing their best. Everyone who participated made Forster Public proud and we had 10 students make it through to the state carnival to be held in Sydney in November.

On Friday 13th, Week 7 was when many students went to represent Forster Public School in the netball and footy gala day. Both teams played well and showed great sportsmanship, and the teams came back with a good end result.

This week has been very exciting for the students at Forster Public School. Recently we've had auditions for the year six play to determine the positions which we will be performing soon in term 4.

The kids at Forster Public have been working hard on fundraising for the colour run, soon to be held in term 4. Money raised will be put towards new play equipment.

By: Charlie & Sophie



FLASH MOB

During dance lessons, 6-3 Rosellas, 5/64 Tree Frogs, 5-1b Hummingbirds and 5-1 Pythons were inspired by watching examples of flash mob dances performed throughout the world. Straight away they were excited by the idea of surprising our school with an upbeat, personally choreographed dance. The students practised their dances regularly throughout Term 3 before surprising the school with their group flash mob at the Week 9 K-6 Monday morning assembly. Some students found the idea of performing a little out of their comfort zones, however all students participated with enthusiasm and smiles. The positive vibe was infectious and began the school day with a buzz. We all walked away from the morning assembly happy with a memory to keep forever.

Keep an eye and an ear out for future spontaneous performances.

Ms Simmons and Mrs B - (Famous Dance Choreographers)



Congratulations to Lucas 6/3 on winning the Great Lakes District Award in the 2019 Newcastle Permanent Primary Mathematics Competition.

Thousands of year 5 and 6 students participating in this math skills test this term as part of the Newcastle Permanent Primary School Mathematics Competition.

The 35-question paper is sat without the use of calculators, rulers or other mathematical instruments, challenging the students problem solving skills. Well done Lucas!

The LaST Lunch Group

The LaST lunch group has been busy expanding and Mrs Henderson is now teaching guitar to some lucky students.



Kate and Raya have been busy building this creation for weeks!



All kids are welcome to come along and visit us at second half lunch if they are looking for something to do!

TERM 4 School Planner and Canteen Information

Week/ Month	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Term 4	14	15	16	17	18
Week 1	Students Return to School Term 4				Yr 1 Seal Rocks Excursion
October					
Week 2	21	22	23	24	25
October	Support Unit Camp Happy Hallidays	Support Unit Camp Happy Hallidays	Support Unit Camp Happy Hallidays		School Fun Run
Week 3	28	29	30	31	1
October	P&C Meeting 5.30pm			K-2 Gold Principal Assembly	

OCTOBER FETE!
Saturday 12th October 2019
8:30-11pm
Come Along for Family Fun!
6 St Alban's Pl,
Forster NSW 2428
Get in Touch with Us:
Judy - 5543 7683
Or Clive - 0412 453 041
www.forsteranglican.com

Plant Stall!
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Jumping Castle!
Devonshire Teas!
Sausage Sizzle!
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- Includes a FREE Participant Pack!
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NEXT P&C MEETING

Monday 28 October

5:30pm Staffroom

All welcome!

Sept-Oct FOOTBALL SCHOOL HOLIDAY CLINIC
JSFC JEFF SUMMERS
6-13 YEARS

INSTRUCTOR JEFF SUMMERS - FFA Advanced C - Level Licence

VENUE BORONIA PARK, Water Street FORSTER

DATES [WEEK 1 OF SCHOOL HOLIDAYS]

MONDAY 30th September 9am -12pm
TUESDAY 1st October 9am -12pm
WEDNESDAY 2nd October 9am -12pm

* Cost \$150 & siblings \$120
Ref: Forster Clinic and child's name

Sausage sizzle each day!

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JOIN US FOR A FUN DAY
PLAYING GOLF FOR CHARITY!
SUNDAY 27th OCT 8AM-4PM
WINHAM GOLF CLUB, 30/32 COUNTRY CLUB DR

SHOT GUN START 8AM-11AM | SECOND GAME 1PM-4PM
9 HOLES, 4 PERSON AMBROSIO \$15 PP FOR NOMINATIONS &
CART BOOKINGS CALL WINHAM GOLF CLUB 65534 781

11AM- 2PM UNLIMITED KIDS ENTERTAINMENT \$10 PP
PSYCHOACTIV - JUMPING CASTLE - 31 FACE PAINTING - PUMP RIDES
KIDS PUTTING - 65 & 50YD RACKS - 11 CIRCLED RACKS & CATCH RACK
FOOD & DRINK - CAKE STALL - ALL DAY BBQ - 12PM RAFFLE DRAW
SPECIAL GUEST APPEARANCES FROM THREE RESCUE SQUAD,
THREE POLICE AND WINHAM FIRE & RESCUE

THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS

TERRACYCLE COLGATE RECYCLE & WIN
A COMMUNITY GARDEN FOR YOUR SCHOOL

Please help us win the Terracycle Colgate Community Garden Challenge by voting online. The web address is <https://www.terracycle.com/en-AU/brigades/colgategarden> and it only takes less than 1 minute to vote.

Students may need to register their email address the first time they vote, after this it will be a fairly quick exercise. **You can vote once a day, every day until the competition closes.**

Schools can earn additional Garden Points through online votes from the community. Voting will be open till the 30 September 2019. Each vote will count as one (1) Garden Point.

***** And remember - continue to bring in your used oral hygiene waste to help us win a Recycled Garden worth up to \$7000. We are currently coming 13th but can only climb the ladder with your help. All brands of oral hygiene products are accepted. *****

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Spring Ball

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Forster Tuncurry Bowling Club
Reflection on Wallis
Wilko's Waxes
Sinners and Saints Ice Creamery
Super Cheap Auto



SCHOOL FUNRUN

The @schoolfunrun is here! Students have their sponsorship forms and we are fundraising!

Total Raised so far = \$5745!!!!

For raising just \$10 students will receive a reward and they'll be helping us to **replace the fixed playground equipment**

Parents help students sign up at: schoolfundraising.com.au

- raise money online by direct deposits!!
- any cash money is due back on the 1st Nov with the sponsorship form!!

Make sure you buy a white t-shirt for your child to run in on the day

Active OOSH FORSTER

Spring Vacation Care Program

Monday 30th Sept

Kmart Day

One of our most popular days! Jump on the bus with us as we take a trip to Stockland Forster. We provide the children with \$10 to spend on an exciting new toy!



Tuesday 1st Oct

Forster Entertainment Centre

Bowling, putt-putt and laser tag! What more do you need? Come and see who can get the highest score!



Wednesday 2nd Oct

Nerf Wars & Scavenger Hunt

Can you be the ultimate nerf champion in the arena? Join us for a huge scavenger hunt around the school, prizes to be won!



Thursday 3rd Oct

Science & Slime Day

Do you love volcanoes? Or slime? What about Coke and Mentos explosions? Today we have all of these and much more!



Friday 4th Oct

Movies

Sit back and relax! We're heading over the bridge to Great Lakes Cinema 3 to watch the newest blockbuster!



Ticket, popcorn & drink provided!



Monday 7th Oct

PUBLIC HOLIDAY!

Active OOSH are closed for the Public Holiday! We hope everyone enjoys their long weekend!



Tuesday 8th Oct

Tech Extravaganza

Join us for Minecraft challenges, giant Just Dance, and iMovie creations!



Wednesday 9th Oct

Inflatable World Taree

We are heading to Taree today to bounce ourselves silly! Don't forget your socks!



Thursday 10th Oct

Aqua Golf & Jeff Summers Soccer Academy

We're off to Aqua Golf at Tuncurry today! And world class soccer coach Jeff Summers will be visiting today to share some of his skills with us!



Friday 11th Oct

Movies

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Contact information

Location: Forster Public School

Operation Times: 7am - 6pm

Contact Number: 0423 328 040

Email address: forster@activeoosh.com.au

New Enrolments Are Always Welcome!

PRICES START FROM \$10.78 per child per day!!

Just some of the other activities we offer every day at the centre:

- Dodgeball
- Xbox
- Outside games
- Craft