PRINCIPALS MESSAGE

Stage 3 overnight excursion to Canberra last week was a great learning time. Our students visited a range of locations including the High Court of Australia, Parliament House, Australian Institute of Sport, Australian War Memorial, Questacon and the National Museum of Australia.

Our students enjoyed the opportunity and displayed good manners and behaviour. I’d like to thank Mrs McCabe for the organisation of the excursion and the willingness and support of Mrs Chegwidden and Mrs Farrell who attended the excursion.

Stage 1 students are off today to experience the Tree Top Adventure Park at Abbotsbury and participate in climbing activities. This should be a thrilling and exciting challenge for our students.

Stage 3 launched their rockets this week which they designed and made earlier this term. The joint venture with Liverpool Girls High School and our school has been very successful. I’d like to thank the principal and staff of LGHS for their time and commitment to our students.

Early Stage 1 students had the opportunity to learn about helpers in our community when the Police and Cabramatta Fire Brigade visited last week.

This week K/1 Lawson and K Bass visited Krispy Kreme to experience the production of donuts and decorate their own individual donut. Thank you to Mrs Brasier for the organisation of these important events that support the learning that takes place in the classrooms.

2014 NAPLAN student reports have been sent home to families of students in Year 3 and Year 5. These reports indicate how your child performed in the tests on the day and how they compare with other students in our school and the state. As a school we utilise this information to assist us to target areas for school improvement and continued growth in student learning. If you have any concerns with the report or how to interpret your child’s results please feel free to speak with your child’s teacher or stage team leader.

Next week our school is represented at the Liverpool Area Spelling Bee competition by Karan Thakker and Yash Chavan in the junior section and by Timothy Carling and Sam Vosota in the senior section. We wish you all the best! Thank you to Mrs McCabe for organising our school spelling competition.

Our Father’s and Children Afternoon was well attended on Wednesday 3 September. I’d like to thank the families who attended and Mrs Sharon Lalakobau for organising this event for our school community.
I’d like to thank Mrs Jackson for her organisation and preparations for next week’s Fun Day fete activities. We look forward to this event and the opportunity for our students who have shown appropriate behaviour both in the classroom and in the playground to participate. I appreciate the support provided to Mrs Jackson by our P&C, school community and school staff who have all contributed to prepare for this event.

As this is the final newsletter for Term 3 I’d like to wish our students and families a safe and relaxing holiday break. School resumes on Tuesday 7 October for both staff and students.

Kind regards
Mr B Marsland

FRUIT AND VEGETABLE MONTH
This is Fruit and Vegetable month. The theme is “eat a rainbow of fruit and vegetables every day”. To celebrate, our school posed a challenge to all classes. Which class could eat the most colourful array of fruit and vegetables over the week? The winning class was 4/5 Flinders. Congratulations Flinders and thank you to all teachers and students for participating. We encourage parents and caregivers to supply your children with a piece of fruit or vegetables to have during fruit break. Everyone should eat 2 pieces of fruit and 5 serves of vegetables a day. Can you eat a rainbow of fruit and vegetables every day?
Mrs Brasier

COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
Warwick Farm Public School is looking for keen and energetic garden lovers that would like to lend a hand one Friday afternoon from 12:20pm early in Term 4. We need assistance in providing a unique garden for students to unwind and relax between busy classroom activities. Mrs Cook is organising a fun filled and busy afternoon for weeding, pruning, replanting already established plants and constructing a river stone garden edge. Lunch will be provided for the wonderful volunteers. If you are interested in helping improve our garden and play areas please see Mrs Cook.

SCHOOL FETE
Friday
19 September
9:30am to 12:00pm

- Last week for donations or bits and pieces for fete.
- Anyone wishing to help on a stall, please see Mrs Jackson.

PARENT WORKSHOPS
All parents and caregivers are welcome to attend our last two workshops in preparation for our fete. Looking forward to seeing you there.
Mrs Lalakobau
Community Liaison Officer.

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<td>2:00pm Fete Arts and Crafts</td>
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P&C NEWS
The next P&C meeting will be held on Wednesday 8 October in the C4K Room (Community for Kids Room) at 9:15am. All parents and members of the community are most welcome.

KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS 2015
The school is now accepting applications for Kindergarten in 2015. Children, who turn 5 years of age before 31 July 2015, are able to begin school. Please enquire at the School Office for an application package.

Details of our extended ‘Transition to School Program’ have been provided to families of children starting school in 2015. The visits are coordinated for both children and parents to find out important information and assist in making the step to big school as comfortable and successful as possible for the children.
BREAKFAST CLUB OPEN DAILY FROM 8:30AM

The school is always looking for additional volunteers to help in the Breakfast Club. All parents are encouraged to “pop in” and lend a hand in serving the high number of children who attend Breakfast Club every day.

FRUIT BREAK INITIATIVE

The Fruit Break program is a highly successful initiative to encourage the children to improve their daily intake of fresh fruit and vegetables. You can support this initiative by making sure that your child has their “Fruit Break” snack every day.

NO HAT- PLAY IN THE SHADE

Does your child remember to bring their hat to School every day? Families are reminded that children need to have a hat to play in the playground with their friends. Children who do not have a hat are required to play quietly under the shelter.

FOOD-A-LICIOUS CANTEEN NEWS

Warwick Farm is a Health Promoting School and our canteen menu meets the requirements of the Healthy Canteen Nutrition Policy. Through the generosity of the Salvation Army the canteen is currently open 5 days a week as an outreach of the Food4Life Market. Canteen orders need to be placed before 9.00am. Over the counter purchases can be made at both Recess and Lunch times.

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<td>Best Start. Learning the 21st Century.</td>
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<td>The P&amp;C invites families to attend a morning tea.</td>
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ASSEMBLY ROSTER

Whole School Assemblies are held every two weeks in the School Hall. They begin at 12:20pm. Classes take turns in leading the Assembly. All community members are invited to attend.

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Fit and Healthy Tennis Lessons available at Club Marconi Tennis Centre.

Bookings & enquiries 0822 3336
Location - Club Marconi Pemulwuy Rd, Bonny Hills

[Contact details and website provided]
FESTIVAL

Friday 19th September 9.30 - 12.00

* Hotdogs $1
* Drinks $1
* Ice-cream $1
* Fairy Floss 50c
* Hairspray $1
* Nails $1

Bring the Family + Friends...

Soft-Toys 50c - $4
Cakes 50c - $1
Sausages -> $1

Lollies 50c - $2
Chocolates Wheel 50c
Coffee + Tea

Tattoos $1

Raffle Tickets $1

Face Painting $2

Lucky Dip $1

Nails $1

Books 50c - $4

White Elephant 50c - $5

Treasure Hunt

Free Activities

On Rain or shine.
Craft Stall

Prizes...
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