Enrolments
We are starting to look ahead to 2016 and getting our numbers finalised. If you know anyone who is yet to enrol their child for Kinder please encourage them to do so as soon as possible to ensure they are able to attend our Kinder orientation sessions. Invitations were to sent our new kinder at the end of last term. Also, if you are moving out of the area and changing schools please send a message through to the office. This will enable us to determine class sizes and staffing to ensure a smooth start to 2016.

Silver Afternoon Tea…
Friday 27th November
If your child has been invited they are welcome to come in mufti! Only students with an invite can attend. We will be holding an afternoon tea every week this term so no one will miss out.

Kinder Orientation #5…
Our next Kinder Orientation will be held this Thursday 26th November from 9:15am to 11:15am. It will be held in our SaCC. We look forward to seeing you all then.

Swimming Scheme…
The swimming scheme began this week and it will run for two weeks, finishing on Friday 4th December. Please remember to pack a bag with the following items: Drink, towel, rash vest, sun screen, hat, goggles. We ask that children wear their swimmers to school and pack underwear to change into. Children must wear their school hat.

School Banking…
A reminder that your banking pouch may be handed in to the office any day during the week. It is collected and processed by the IMB on Fridays.

For Your Calendar
26/11 Kinder Orientation - SaCC Playgroup 9:15 - 11:15am
26/11 K-6 Assembly - Cooinda presenting ~ 2pm
26/11 K-6 Disco - 5pm to 7pm
27/11 SUBWAY Day!! - Orders and money to the office by Thursday 26th November!
27/11 Silver Afternoon Tea
27/11 Book Club money due!

Kinder Orientation

If you missed out on getting a ticket to our K - 6 Disco, don’t worry! You will be able to purchase a ticket for $5 at the door. This will allow entry to the disco but no food will be included.

See you around the playground!

Pam Grosse
Principal

Email: farmborord-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au
Website: www.farmborord-p.schools@det.nsw.edu.au
Stage 3 Camp 2016

All students should have now received their medical information and liability forms for the 2016 Stage 3 camp. These forms are due back to school ASAP. If you are having difficulty with them, please contact the school to organise support. The next payment of a minimum of $80 is also due by the end of this term. If you would like to pay the full $260 before the end of the year that would be greatly appreciated. Alternatively, if you are having difficulty paying, please contact the school ASAP to discuss further options.

High School Orientation

All Year 6 students should have received information regarding high school orientation days and times through the post or electronically by their 2016 high school. If you have not already received this please contact your child's high school ASAP.

Year 6 Leadership Speeches...

We will be holding a special assembly on Thursday 3rd December at 10am to conduct our school's 2016 leadership speeches. All students who have nominated for school leader in 2016 will need to present a speech to the whole school audience on why they should be elected school leader for 2016. Voting will take place after this assembly and students will be notified in due course. Please note this will also double as the school's and Yulara's assembly for Week 9.

Book Club...

Book Club brochures were sent home last week! This will be the last book club for the year! Order in time for Christmas!!! Please remember to return your order and money to the office by Friday 27th November. NO late orders will be accepted.

Stage 2 Excursion… Wollongong Science Centre…Reminder!

Years 3 & 4 have been completing a Science unit titled The Seasons. To accompany this topic, an excursion to the Wollongong Science Centre and Planetarium has been organised. This will be on Monday 7th December (Week 10). Please see the attached permission note for more details.

Art Workshops…

Sixteen of our students have been invited to Visual Arts workshops being held at Wollongong Art Gallery over 4 days next week. The following students have been nominated by their teachers and have received a final information note this week.

Year 3: Alex, Alexis, Stewart, Tahlia (December 1st)
Year 4: Lola, Georgia, Phoebe, Hugh (December 2nd)
Year 5: Jade, Jason, Lachlan G, Aleesha (December 3rd)
Year 6: Harrison, Ella, Lachlan W, Tayla (December 4th)

Parents are reminded that they must provide transport and that students must wear uniform and take their lunch, recess, water bottle and permission note.

This Weeks Assembly is for K-6 presented by Cooinda @ 2pm

Yulara - Ayden, Summer
Amaroo - Tia, Tara
Araluen - Deegan, Josh
Cooinda - Hayden M, Cynthia
Myaree - Paige, Aaron
Leamurra - Jaynie, Dior
Jimboomba - Alex, Harrison
Ningaloo - Jordyn, Gabbi
Jamberoo - Ruby, Balin
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Please feel free to share your donation using the hashtag #theshellharbourgivingtree

• Just drop off a gift or food to The Shellharbour Club (Shelly’s)
  Cnr of Shellharbour and Wattle Road, anytime during 10am - Midnight!
  • Donations must be received by 20/12/15
  • Gifts must be unwrapped and new
  • Food items must be non-perishable (eg, Long-life items, tinned ham, custard, tinned fruit and vegetables, puddings & cakes etc).
  • Gift cards are great for food outlets (Woolworths and Coles) or given as gifts for children (toy shops and electrical stores). That way, the family or child can choose exactly what they want.

Please donate to the fourth annual Shellharbour Giving Tree!

COMMUNITY NEWS…

PARKER’S TENNIS COACHING

LESSONS NOW AVAILABLE AT FARMBOROUGH HEIGHTS COMMUNITY TENNIS CLUB

We are a locally run tennis coaching business with over 25 years experience in the area.

We will be offering:

Before and after school tennis lessons
Hot Shots Tennis
Cardio Tennis
School holiday tennis clinics

We will be running a 2 day tennis clinic on Thursday 14/1/16 and Friday 15/1/16 from 9.00am - 12.00pm. Cost: $60

For more information please call:
Andrew Parker on 0407 029 731
Email: arparker@bigpond.net.au
www.facebook.com/parkerstennis

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FICTREE COMMUNITY CAROLS

Save The Date
Sat Dec 12
Fictree High School
5:30-9:30PM
Free Entry

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Lunch 1 – Friday 27th November

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**All for** $6.50

NAME:  
CLASS:  

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Wollongong Science Centre Excursion

Dear Parents/Carers,

This term Stage 2 has been completing a Science unit titled *The Seasons*. To accompany this topic, we have organised an excursion to the Wollongong Science Centre and Planetarium. At the Science Centre students will have the opportunity to view Science and Planetarium shows as well as participate in some hands on activities.

The excursion will be Monday 7th of December (Week 10) and will be go for the whole day. Students will get the bus from school at 10am and have recess at the grassed area at the Science Centre before entering and have lunch after the presentations. The bus will return students back to school by 2.30pm.

The cost will be $15 per student, which covers the bus and entrance to the Science Centre. Students will need to bring a hat, recess snack, lunch and water bottle in their normal school bag. Students must wear full school uniform.

The Science Centre has also asked if they may photograph students interacting with the exhibits and enjoying the science shows. These photos will be used for future excursion guides and brochures (no student names would be published). If you are happy for your child to be photographed, please indicate on the permission slip.

If you wish your child to attend this excursion, please complete the permission note below and return it to school with the $15 payment by Monday 30th of November. (Notes can be emailed to the following address: Gillian.lyons@det.nsw.edu.au or stephen.mcghee1@det.nsw.edu.au).

Regards,

Ms. Lyons and Mr McGee

*Stage 2 Science Centre Permission Note*

I give permission for my child________________________ of class __________________

to attend the Wollongong Science Centre and Planetarium on December 7th 2015, and to travel to and from the venue by bus.

I agree to let my child be photographed by the Science Centre for publication purposes: YES / NO

Signed:________________________ Date:_____________

*Credit Card Authorisation Form*

Charge my Credit Card Type: Visa / MasterCard

Card No: ______________ Card Holders Name: __________________

Amount: ______________ Expiry Date: ______________

Contact Number: ______________ Childs Name: __________________ Class: ______ Activity: __________________
I, ____________________________________ will be attending the Year 6 Farewell on December 14/12/15 and have enclosed _________________________ .

I have the following dietary requirement_______________________________

Signed: ____________________________________ Date: ______________

Students in year 5 received a separate note, inviting them to come along to the disco that will follow dinner. No charge applies for this. Please return your permission slip if you would like to attend this event.