I know it’s cold and nearly winter but…
Black Shoes and school jumpers… Please!

Shoes… I did a uniform snap inspection the other week and only half the school received merits, which was a bit disappointing. The uniform policy says ‘Black Shoes’! We have every colour known to man coming to school at the minute. Parents, we ask for your support in getting students to wear their black shoes. It is simple really… don’t buy them coloured ones for school!

Jumpers… I know it is getting cold and the need to rug up is important. Please ensure that your children come to school with the school jumper on. We have several students coming to school in a variety of jumpers. Teachers send them up to the office to change the jumper into a school one, so please if your jumpers are not coming home get the children to check lost property or send them straight to the office and we will organize a jumper for them. We have a fantastic school uniform, our students look great in our uniform. Please ensure they are doing their part and wear their uniform!

Semester 1 Reports & Parent Teacher Meetings!

Reports for this semester will go home on Friday 5th June.

Teachers are allowing 15 minutes per interview.

Please see the table on the following page detailing the dates and times available.

See you around the playground!

Pam Grosse
Principal

For Your Calendar

27/5 ‘State of Origin’ Footy Fever Fan Fun Bag!!
28/5 K-6 Assembly ~ Presented by Cooinda at 2pm
3/6 Mt Keira Excursion ~ Stage 3

Onwards and Upwards

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Website: www.farmborord-p.schools.det.nsw.edu.au
**P & C News…**

Dear Parents & Carers

Hope you all had a wonderful weekend. Our Annual Brick Fun Day this year will be held on Saturday the 20th June from 11am to 3pm. There will be Lego displays, free play with Lego, Lego inspired jewellery and name badges, Lego movies and games plus lots more. So tell all your family and friends that it's on again, hope to see you all there.

Have a great week and take care.

Sally Taylor
President

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**Canteen News…**

The State of Origin is coming to the canteen tomorrow, Wednesday 27th May. Show your true colours by pre-ordering a Footy Fever Fan Fun Bag at the office or canteen for only $3.00! Each bag contains either blue or red treats. So whether you are a cockroach or a canetoad, be sure to get your order in TODAY to avoid disappointment. Leftover bags and treats will be sold, while stocks last, on the day.

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**Uniform Shop News…**

The uniform shop is open 8.30 to 9.15 Thursday mornings and is staffed by parent volunteers. We accept cash or cheque only. Layby is available for your convenience. If you can't make it on a Thursday morning please leave your order and payment with our lovely office ladies and we will have your items ready to pick up from the office the following Thursday. A copy of the Uniform shop pricelist can be found on the school website. Click on "Newsletters and Notes" and then "P&C, Canteen and Uniform Shop".

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| **Yulara** Mr Haines    | Wednesday 10th June 3:15 - 4:30  
Thursday 11th June 3:15 - 4:30  | Wednesday 17th June 3:15 - 4:30  
Thursday 18th June 3:15 - 4:30  |         |
| **Amaroo** Mrs Crossingham | Tuesday 16th June 12:45 - 1:45  
Wednesday 17th June 3:15 - 4:15  
Thursday 18th June 3:15 - 4:15  
Friday 19th June 3:15 - 4:15  |         |         |
| **Araluen** Mrs Beaumont | Thursday 18th June 9:00 -11:00  
Thursday 18th June 3:15 - 4:15  
Friday 19th June 3:15 - 4:15  | Monday 22nd June 3:15 - 4:15 |         |
| **Cooinda** Mrs Daly     | Tuesday 9th June 9:00 - 11:00  
Tuesday 9th June 3:30 - 5:00  |         |         |
| **Leamurra** Mrs Lyons   | Wednesday 10th June 2:30 - 5:00  | Wednesday 17th June 2:30 - 5:00  
Wednesday 24th June 2:30 - 5:00  |         |
| **Myaree** Mr McGee      | Tuesday 9th June 3:15 - 4:30  
Wednesday 10th June 3:15 - 4:30  
Thursday 11th June 3:15 - 4:30  | Monday 15th June 3:15 - 5:00  
Wednesday 17th June 3:15 - 5:00  
Thursday 18th June 3:15 - 5:00  |         |
| **Jimboomba** Mr Richardson |         |         | Monday 22nd June 3:15 - 4:30  
Tuesday 23rd June 3:15 - 4:30  
Wednesday 24th June 3:15 - 4:30  |
| **Jamberoo** Mr Hackner  |         |         |         |
| **Ningaloo** Mr Freel    | Tuesday 9th June 3:15 - 4:00  
Wednesday 10th June 3:15 - 4:00  | Monday 15th June 3:15 - 4:00  
Wednesday 16th June 3:15 - 4:00  |         |
This week's Assembly is for K - 6 on Thursday at 2pm
Presented by Cooinda

Merit Awards
Term 2 Week 5
Yulara
Gracie, Lochlan
Araluen
Lochlan, Joshua
Amaroo
Evan, Jayden
Cooinda
Beau, Hamish
Leamurra
Kiana, Taylor
Jimboomba
Mairead, Alex

Year 6 Guessing Competition…

Year 6 are holding a guessing competition to raise funds for their yearly initiatives. Please support Year 6 by participating in the guessing competition.

Details:
3 different lolly jars to guess (Smarties, jellybeans and snakes).
Each jar is a different competition
3 competitions in total.
50c a guess or 3 for $1.
Students, Parents, Grandparents and staff are welcome to try their luck.
No one has guessed the correct amount yet!

Competition guesses on sale at 8:30am and Lunch 1 in front of the Library.
Presentation draw held at Week 8 assembly, unless all ‘guesses’ sold out prior.

Birthdays…
Congratulations to the following students who will celebrate their birthday this week:
Mairead 25/5 ~ Harry 26/5 ~ Isabel 25/5

Book Club…
Catalogues for the last Book Club of the term will be sent out today. Please have your order forms and payment to the office no later than Friday 5th June. Buy two or more items and go into the draw for a Minion Mayhem prize pack – see catalogue for details!

Celebrate Attendance
Hints and Tips No. 6: School Community

Everyone in the school community has a role to play in helping with school attendance.
Having students attend school is extremely beneficial to the future of local communities. However, many students do not attend school regularly or fail to attend at all.
Schools, parents and caregivers, local community members and businesses are all an essential part of providing and supporting education in our schools.
The NSW Department of Education and Training employs Home School Liaison Officers across the state. These officers are teachers who support schools and the school community to ensure that all students attend school regularly.
Parents having difficulty getting their child to school should not hesitate to contact either the school principal or the Home School Liaison Officer at your nearest Department of Education and Training office.
Call toll free 131 536 for your nearest regional office.

Responsibility  Excellence  Respect
Beginner Guitar Lessons - Free trial lesson!

Beginner guitar lessons are now available with local guitar tutor, Lucy Mills. Book a free, 30 minute trial and get started! If you’re happy with your trial, continue with affordable, regular lessons in a one-on-one, safe and enjoyable atmosphere.

Prices are: 30 mins - $25  1 hour - $35

Lucy holds a current Working with Children Check. Contact her at any time to discuss your trial lesson or further details.

E-mail: lucy.mills@hotmail.com    Mobile: 0435 718 580

TAKE HOME A BIG BROTHER OR BIG SISTER

Give your children the wonderful opportunity to have an international big brother or big sister by hosting one of our exceptional international students arriving in Australia in July 2015 for their 3, 5 or 10 month programs.

Our international exchange students from France, Germany, Italy, Spain, Switzerland, Sweden, Norway, Denmark, and Finland will live as a local, attend a local secondary school, arrive with their own spending money and comprehensive insurance cover – all arranged by Southern Cross Cultural Exchange.

Visit us at www.scce.com.au, email: scceaus@scce.com.au or call us toll free on 1800 500 501. Request our international student profiles, and capture the spirit of family and friendship!