Fairfield Heights Public School Newsletter

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Term 1 Week 9 - 2026 **Friday 27 March 2026**

Dates for your diary

TERM 1

MARCH

Monday 30 March
Cross Country

Tuesday 31 March
P&C Cake Stall

Wednesday 1 April
Easter Hat Parade

Thursday 2 April
Gold Banner Assembly
Last Day of Term 1

TERM 2

APRIL

Wednesday 22 April
First day of Term 2 for students

Monday 27 April
Anzac Day Public Holiday

Tuesday 28 April
P&C AGM

Friday 22 May
Gala Day

Tuesday 26 May
Stage 2 Excursion to Lizard Log

Thursday 25 June
Gold Banner Assembly
Reports sent home

Friday 26 June
Gala Day

Tuesday 30 June
Parent / Teacher Interviews
Googabinj Show

Wednesday 1 July
Parent / Teacher Interviews
Year 6 Leadership Day
Year 5 Excursion – Opera House

Message from Mrs Craig

As we near the end of Term 1, I want to take this opportunity to congratulate our entire school community – parents, students, and teachers – for working collaboratively to ensure such a successful start to the year. Together, we have fostered an environment where our students have not only met but exceeded high expectations for both learning and behaviour from Kindergarten to Year 6.
This term has been full of exciting learning experiences and achievements. A significant milestone was the completion of NAPLAN by our Year 3 and Year 5 students, who all demonstrated great focus and resilience throughout the assessment period. It is a testament to their hard work and the strong support they receive at home and school.

Physical activity remains a key priority for us, and I am delighted to report that all students from K-6 participated enthusiastically in weekly sports sessions with Motiv8Sports. These sessions have been instrumental in developing teamwork, fitness, and overall wellbeing. In addition, our students have represented our school proudly by taking part in the Network PSSA Gala Days. Some have also competed at a Regional level, showcasing not only their sporting skills but also their determination and school spirit.
In the arts, we have some exciting upcoming events. Our Year 6 students will be participating in a drumming concert next week, a wonderful opportunity to celebrate their musical talents. Furthermore, all students in Grade 5 will engage in drumming lessons throughout Term 2, which promises to be an enriching experience that will enhance their creativity and rhythm skills.

Looking ahead, we are all eagerly anticipating several special events. The P&C cake stall on Tuesday next week is a fantastic occasion for our community to come together and support our school. On Monday 30th March, the 3-6 Cross Country will be held, encouraging our students to challenge themselves physically and enjoy the outdoors. Additionally, our younger students will participate in the K-2 Easter Hat Parade on Wednesday 1st April, a colourful and joyful celebration that always brings our community together.

Finally, I am very excited about our first Gold Banner Assembly for 2026. This event will recognise and celebrate our student leaders and outstanding achievements by our students across all areas of the curriculum. It is a wonderful opportunity to acknowledge the hard work, dedication, and talents of our students, reinforcing our commitment to excellence in all aspects of learning.

Thank you once again to everyone for your ongoing support and dedication. Together, we continue to build a positive, inclusive, and thriving school community. I wish you all a safe and restful holiday break and look forward to an equally successful Term 2.

Warm Regards *Mrs Craig*

Excursions

Kindergarten
Kindy will be visiting **Calmsley Hill City Farm** on Friday 25 September (Term 3 Week 10)

Year 1
Year 1 students will be visiting **Featherdale Wildlife Park** on Tuesday 25 August 2026 (Term 3 Week 6)

Year 2
Students in Year 2 are going to the **Sydney Zoo** on Friday 7 August (Term 3 Week 3)

Year 3
Year 3 will be attending the **Australian Museum** on Tuesday 1 September (Term 3 Week 7)

Year 4
Students in Year 4 will be attending **Symbio Wildlife Park** on Thursday 3 September (Term 3 Week 7)

Year 3 and Year 4
Students in stage 2 will be attending **Lizard Log** on Tuesday 26 May 2026 (Term 2 Week 6)

Year 5
Year 5 students are going to the **Opera House** on Wednesday 1 July (Term 2 Week 11)

Year 5 and Year 6 CAMP
Students in Year 5 and Year 6 are invited to attend Camp. The camp will be at **Broken Bay Sport and Recreation Centre.** The 2 night camp will take place from Wednesday 19 August – Friday 21 August.

Details about excursions will be available on School Bytes as the dates become closer.

P&C

Our next P&C meeting for 2026 will be held in
Term 2 Week 2
Tuesday 28 April 2026
at 9.30am in the School Hall.
This meeting is the P&C AGM.

Morning Tea will be provided.
We hope to see you there!

Googabinj Performance – Naidoc Week

Fairfield Heights Public School will be celebrating Naidoc Week on Tuesday 30 June. (Term 2 Week 11)

We are very excited to present Googabinj – The Bush Turkey.

The Googabinj show with Craig Kemp presents a seamless entertaining and educational exploration of the ancient didgeridoo and modern technology.

Googabinj captivates students with his extraordinary live interactive performance, which enables students to develop a wider appreciation for traditional and cultural arts whilst students are introduced to the amazing world of music technologies.

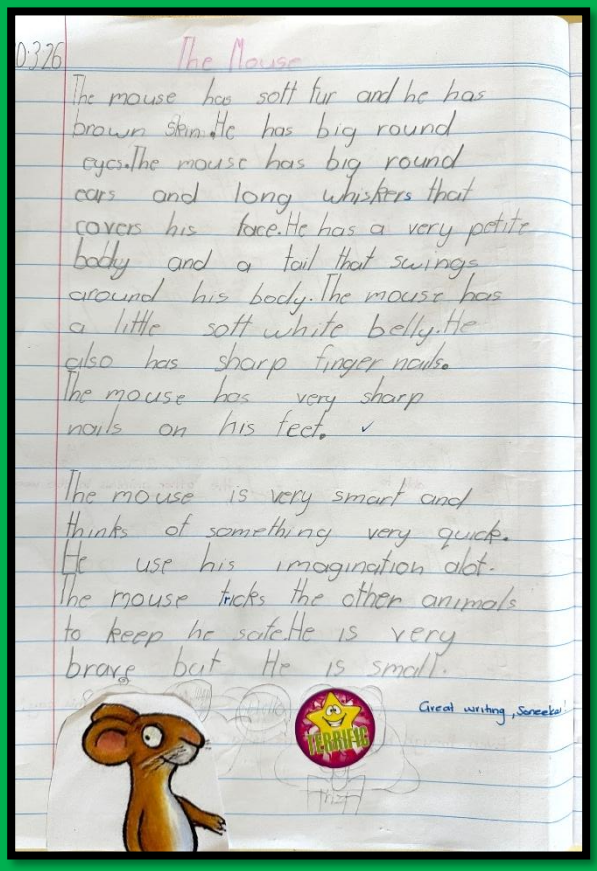
No Hat No Play

At Fairfield Heights PS we have a **No Hat No Play** policy. If your child forgets their hat they will be able to play under the COLA in the shade.
Hats are available to purchase from the office .

K-6 Enrolments

We are accepting all new enrolments from K-6. Please enrol online by clicking the link or get a paper form from the office. Enrol now.

2G Artwork, writing and numeracy!



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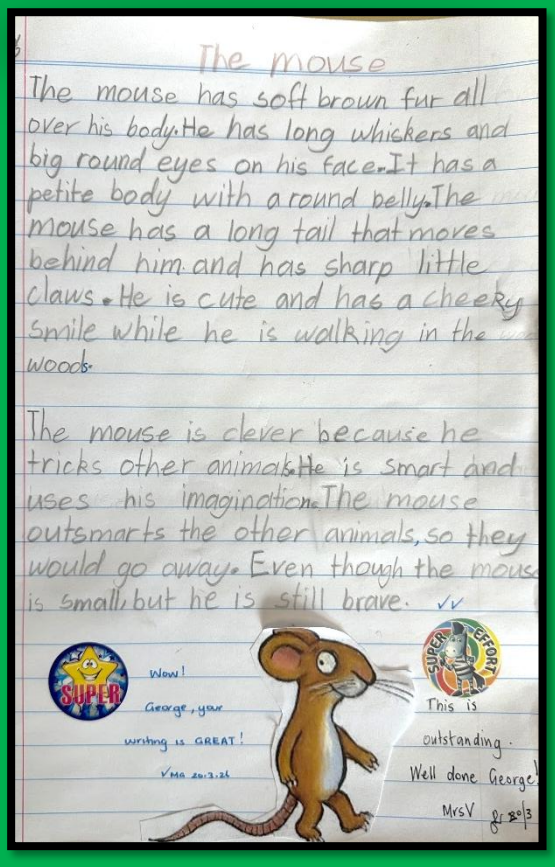
The Mouse

The mouse has soft fur and he has brown skin. He has big round eyes. The mouse has big round ears and long whiskers that covers his face. He has a very petite body and a tail that swings around his body. The mouse has a little soft white belly. He also has sharp finger nails. The mouse has very sharp nails on his feet. ✓

The mouse is very smart and thinks of something very quick. He use his imagination alot. The mouse tricks the other animals to keep he safe. He is very brave but He is small.

Great writing, Soneela!



The mouse

The mouse has soft brown fur all over his body. He has long whickers and big round eyes on his face. It has a petite body with a round belly. The mouse has a long tail that moves behind him and has sharp little claws. He is cute and has a cheeky smile while he is walking in the woods.

The mouse is clever because he tricks other animals. He is smart and uses his imagination. The mouse outsmarts the other animals, so they would go away. Even though the mouse is small, but he is still brave. ✓✓

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Wow! George, your writing is GREAT! ✓Mrs 20.3.21

SUPER EFFORT

This is outstanding. Well done George! Mrs V 20/3

Vanessa

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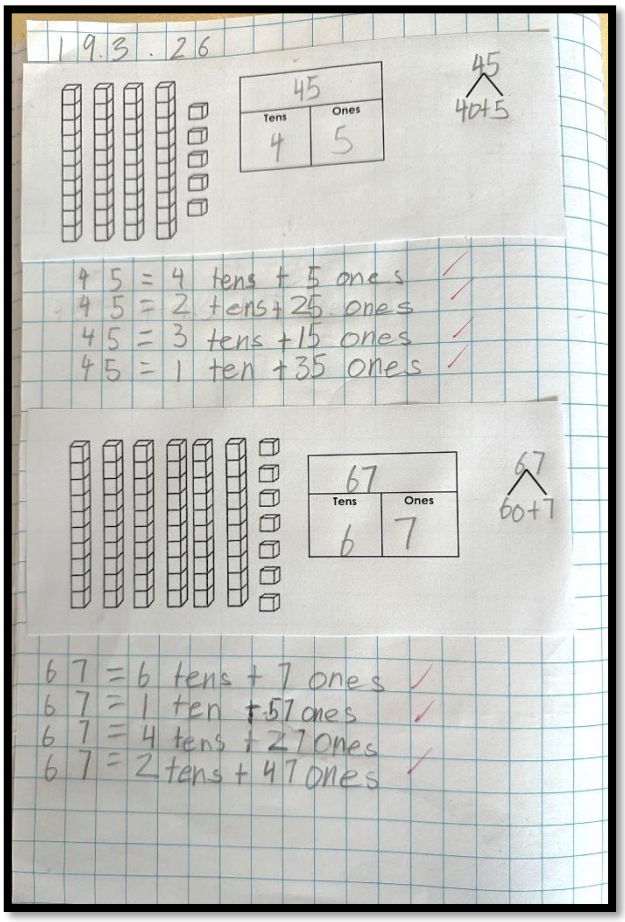
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Fairfield Heights PS
P&C

We are having a Cake Stall

On Tuesday

The P&C are holding a cake stall on Tuesday 31 March during recess.

We are asking parents to bake cakes, cupcakes, slices, cookies, muffins etc and donate them to the cake stall.

Donations can be dropped off in the hall before 10am on Tuesday 31 March. Please include a list of ingredients used to make the baked goods.

Please avoid using peanuts or nuts due to allergies.

Food prices will range from 50 cents to $2.

Please send your spare coins with your child so that they can buy items at the cake stall.

Harmony Day

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everyone belongs

Events coming up in Term 2.....

Year 3 and Year 4 are attending Lizard Log on Tuesday 26 May.
This is a free excursion. Information will be sent home in Term 2.

If you have applied for the **Selective High School test,** it is on Friday 1 May. Appplications have closed for these classes already. Please check your emails for further advice.

The OC placement test is on Friday 8 May. Applications have closed for these classes. Please check your emails for further advice.

Horsley Zone Cross Country is on Friday 8 May.

Term 2 Gala days are Friday 22 May and Friday 26 June.

Our Term 2 **Gold Banner Assembly** is on Thursday 25 June.
Invitations will be sent home to the parents of recipients closer to the date.

Parent / Teacher interviews are Tuesday 30 June and Wednesday 1 July.
Bookings will be on School Bytes closer to the event.

Next Week...

Next Week the students at Fairfield Heights Public School have a very busy week.

On Monday students in Year 3-6 and students turning 8 in Year 2 will be running in the **Cross Country**. This event will be held at school.

On Tuesday the **P&C Cake stall** will be on at recess. Don't forget to drop your home-made cakes off at the hall before 10am on Tuesday.

Wednesday is the **K-2 Easter Hat parade**, parents are welcome to come and watch the Easter Hat Parade from 2.30pm. Access will be through Gate 1 on Station St, and Thursday is our Term 1 **Gold Banner Assembly.**

Attendance - Arriving late and leaving early

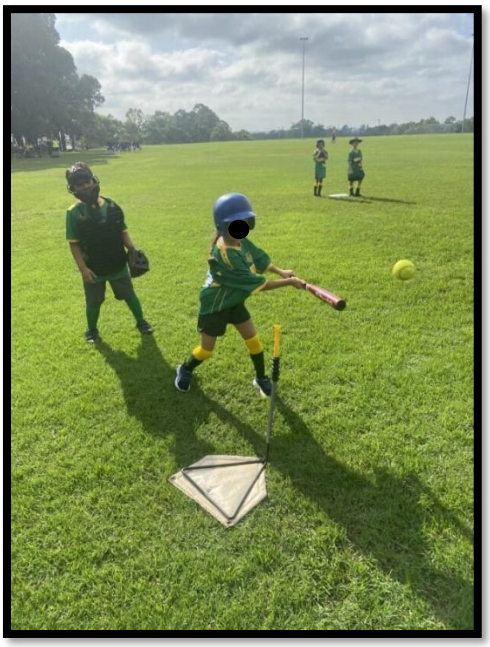
At Fairfield Heights Public School you child is required to be at school before 9:10am. If your child is late they must go directly to the school office to receive a late slip. Parents will not be allowed to pick their child up early between 2:45pm and 3:15pm unless they can provide an explanation eg. Dr's appointment. All students should be collected promptly at 3.15pm.

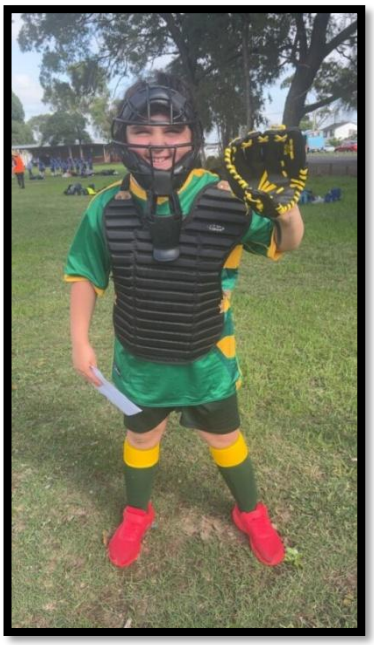
Gala Day T-Ball

On Friday the 6th of March, our boys and girls t-ball teams travelled to Brenan Park to play in the first summer gala day for 2026. Both teams are to be congratulated on their excellent sportsmanship and skills that were displayed on the day. We look forward to competing again in Term 4.

Boys results
Game 1: Fairfield Heights 7 - Harrington St 6
Game 2: Fairfield Heights 10 - St Johns Park 13
Game 3: Fairfield Heights 16 - Smithfield 12

Girls results
Game 1: Fairfield Heights 9 - Harrington St 4
Game 2: Fairfield Heights 8 - St Johns Park 11
Game 3: Fairfield Heights 12 - Smithfield 16





Gala Day Softball Teams

Congratulations to Gordon Tauiliili

Gordon Tauiliili represented Fairfield Heights Public School at the Sydney Southwest Swimming Carnival on Tuesday 24 March.
Gordon came first in the 50m Freestyle and 50m Breaststroke events and came third in the 50m Backstroke and 50m Butterfly events.
Congratulations Gordon! Fairfield Heights Public School staff and students are very proud of you.
Gordon will now compete at the State Championships to be held at Homebush next term.

K-2 Playground

The students in K-2 are enjoying the new seating that was put in the K-2 playground this week.