

Week 5, Term 4 2023



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Calendar

📋 FRI 17 NOV

Assembly; Parent Coffee Morning

TUE 5 DEC Year 6 Graduation

FRI 8 DEC Assembly– Chief Ministers award & COP Award

MON 11 DEC
Preschool Graduation

WED 14 DEC Last Day of Term



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Principals Message

Good afternoon Parents & Carers,

This week was a busy one for Forrest Parade as we went through our second school review. A School Review is conducted every 4 years, over 3 days, with the resulting report providing detailed, evidence-based feedback in relation to each of the 9 School Improvement Tool Domains. The School Review Report also consists of a set of overall Commendations, Affirmations and Recommendations.

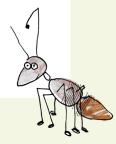
Over the last 3 days we have show-cased all we do at FPS and our reviewers heard and saw our commitment to our students, families, and each other. Our Comprehensive Literacy pedagogy and PODD focus was called out as exemplar work as well as our commitment to highly differentiated teaching and learning. Our strong partnerships were recognised, and the review team acknowledged and commended the great work we are doing around data. Thank you to the families and FPS partners who spoke to the reviewers.

A huge thank you to our awesome staff. We are so proud of our achievements, and this would not be possible without each and every member of the FPS team.

Thank you to our families and friends who attended our Open Garden this week. As always, we had a tremendous turn out and staff and students did themselves proud in sharing learning in the garden.

Lastly, I would like to thank the tireless efforts and incredible dedication of all our staff for World Teachers Day which we celebrated last month. The success of our school is a reflection of your inspired teaching and passion for education, and I thank you for all you do.

Annie Keighran



School News



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2,4 Class

In 2A we have been learning about seasonal changes in our environment. Each week we are focusing on one of the four seasons.



Danny and Kyden are sorting hot and cold items in our environment. We also made ice cream!









Cruz is colour sorting items from our sensory bucket. We also made Halloween themed cupcakes!



This week we tried different ways to melt ice and unfreeze the creatures inside. Our fa*vourite method*

used bicarb soda and vinegar.





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2 B Class

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A minibeast is a small animal. It does not have a skeleton.

Minibeasts live all around us, including in our houses! They are found all around the world.



Name: Dragonfly Food: flying insects like midges and mosauitoes

Fact: Dragonflies have been round for 300 million years





Name: Butterfly Food: Drink nectar

Fact: Butterflies taste with their feet.



Name: Ant

Food: Seeds, Nectar, Worms, Spiders, Small Lizards, Fruit Fact: Ants are really strong! They can carry between 10 and 50 times their body weight.



Name: Honeybee Food: Honey Fact: Bees are the only insects that

make food that human can eat.





Name: Ladybird Food: plants, greenfly, other insects Fact: Ladybird bleed from their knees when they feel threatened.



Name: Snail Food: rich in calcium to keep their shell strong

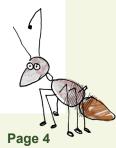
Fact: Snails have a shell on their back. This shell is for protection. When it feels threatened, a snail can pull itself all the way back into its shell.





Name: Spider Food: insects, small animals like millipedes, wood lice, frogs Fact: Some male spiders give dead flies as a present to females.





School News



This term we have been engaging in different group learning activities with me (Yoshi) as their new teacher. These different learning activities have provided us with the opportunity to create and develop relationships and further build those preexisting relationships. It has been fantastic to see all the children engaged and displaying positive teamwork!



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2C Class

Class 2C have been learning about Circuits and Switches. The students have been learning about what electrical components are required to build a circuit that creates a pathway for electricity to flow around.



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The Rosebery Satellite Class have had a fantastic time learning a variety of AFL skills during our PE Inclusion with Ms Bakers Year 3/4 Class. Coach Dillion from AFL NT showed the students how to hold the football correctly, techniques in hand balling and doing a drop punt.



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Moulden Satellite

Enjoying our time swimming again on Wednesdays at Forrest Parade



We have been having fun with conducting different Science experiments where we use our awesome thinking and investigating skills.



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Howard Spring Satellite













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Active Inclusion Wellbeing Fun Day



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IDEAS IN NUTRITION

Be more active more often

Less than 1/4 of Australian school children are moving their bodies enough to get all the benefits they can.

Activity can help kids

- sleep
- improve mental health
- have strong muscles and bones

You could try

- having a school friend over for a play date
- walk or ride to school
- help your child join a local group or team
- turn on some music and dance



THE LIONS GLUB OF PALMERSTON IS PROUD TO PRESENT...

2023 DARWIN RAZZAMATAZZ VARIETV SHOW

THANKS TO THE GENEROUS SPONSORSHIP FROM THE GREATER DARWIN BUSINESS COMMUNITY, THIS INCREDIBLE SPECTACLE ALLOWS CHILDREN AND YOUNG ADULTS OF DIVERSE ABILITIES AND BACKGROUNDS TO EXPERIENCE MAGNIFICENT CIRCUS AND COMEDY THEATRE. FEATURING WORLD-CLASS PERFORMERS WITH SKILLS YOU WON'T BELIEVE YOU HAVE JUST SEEN.

ENJOY A FAMILY-FRIENDLY AND SUPER FUN-FILLED SHOW IN AN INCLUSIVE. ACCESSIBLE AND FLEXIBLE ENVIRONMENT WITH A RELAXED ATTITUDE TO AUDIENCE NOISE AND MOVEMENT.

*ALL TICKETS ARE COMPLIMENTARY, INCLUDING FOR FAMILIES AND CARERS.

*ONE TICKET PER PERSON IS REQUIRED FOR ENTRY.

*BULK AND INDIVIDUAL TICKET ORDERS FROM SCHOOLS, ORGANISATIONS, FAMILIES AND CARERS ARE WELCOME. INCLUDING TENTATIVE BOOKINGS.

*AVAILABLE ON A FIRST-COME, FIRST-SERVED BASIS UNTIL BOOKED OUT.

SUNDAY, 26 NOVEMBER 2023]]AM.]PM & 4M SHOWTIMES

@ PALMERSTON EVENT CINEMAS JMAX THEATRE

TO BOOK YOUR COMPLIMENTARY TICKETS.

PLEASE EMAIL OR TEXT YOUR TICKET ORDER AND CONTACT DETAILS TO ... MEREDITHNEWMAN@SHOWINTENT.COM.AU 0404-367-782



ADMITS 1 CHILD AND 1-2 PARENTS/CARERS

SATURDAY, 9TH DECEMBER

YOU ARE INVITED!

DARWIN CONVENTION CENTRE

DOORS OPEN 10:30AM PARTY FINISHES 2:30PM

FOOD AND DRINKS, ENTERTAINMENT, RIDES AND ACTIVITIES. COME AND JOIN US TO MEET SANTA AND RECEIVE PRESENTS!

PLEASE HAVE YOUR WRISTBAND ON BEFORE ENTRY!



