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SCHOOL NEWS

Week 7

Welcome to week 7.

It is hard to imagine the term is coming to an end already!

SCHOOL JUMPERS

School jumpers will again be organised through the school. They are \$50 each. Orders (via email to admin@fruitflyschool.vic.edu.au - remember to include quantity and size) and payment to be received by Friday 22nd March.

Hopefully this cut-off date will mean early term 2 delivery.

No payment no jumper. Unfortunately, late orders cannot be accepted as that holds up the order for everyone. Payment can be made by cash or credit card over the phone to "Admin Jan" 02 6057 9180

Sizes can be checked at Finer Embroidery who have samples to try on or by using the attached sizing pamphlets.

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The primary students had a cooking lesson in the kitchen! Pancakes with berries, and syrup were made and enjoyed by all!

Upcoming Events.

- 20 March 2024 Open evening
- 22 March 2024 <u>School Jumper orders due</u> (see page 2), and Albury Gold
 Cup half day holiday all students will be at school on Friday afternoon
- 27 March 2024 WMYC and FFFCS Athletics Carnival
- 28 March 2024 Easter raffle drawn
- 28 March 2024 Last day of term 1

NAPLAN

The testing window for our Year 3s, 5s, 7s, and 9s commences today.

Our IT department has provided all students with an email with links to download the lockdown browser.

Parents/ Guardians with concerns regarding NAPLAN are welcome to contact the school.

CANTEEN

FFFCS students can drop their lunch order at the canteen from 8.30am to 9am.

OPEN EVENING

Wednesday 20th March

4:30 pm till 6:30 pm at the school

5:00 pm — We will make a presentation to the whole group; staff will then talk through their teaching program.

Parents will be able to meet and chat with staff after presentation, the Primary parents will attend a session with Greg.

EASTER RAFFLE

Tickets have now been sent home to all families (you may have to check in school bags...) Tickets are \$2 each or 3 for \$5. We are asking for donations of Easter themed items to make up hampers for the prizes. Donations can be left at the school office; (**thank you** to those that have already donated) our new SRC appreciate your support of their first activity. Tickets can be paid by credit card over the phone if needed – send in your completed tickets with your student.

2024 LAPTOP PROGRAM

The school is still accepting orders for our 2024 Laptop program. This program is available to all students across all year levels. All devices come standard with 3 years of onsite warranty and 3 years of accidental damage protection (opt in process required) to cover broken screens and water damage at no extra charge. More information can be found on our website at https://www.wmyc.vic.edu.au/our-college/ict and a list of frequently asked questions can be found at https://www.wmyc.vic.edu.au/our-college/ict/faq/.

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FROM THE CIRCUS



OUR COMMUNITY

Albury City's youth team are hosting Wellfest again this year, on **Saturday 16th March, 9.30am – 2.30pm** at QEII Square.

The youth team will be providing free pancakes, bacon and egg rolls and juice. They will have some keynote speakers, local youth service providers, performers, workshops, drumming, mindfulness activities, food trucks and more! Sounds great!

The main objective is the opportunity to promote what mental health supports and services are available for young people. The festival was initially conceived by high school students who wanted to talk about mental health with their peers.

There will also be the opportunity for young people to give input into Albury's Early Years Plan and what is important to young people in Albury, and people who participate can get free donuts or an ice cream.

TEMPO

<u>Last chance to get your ticket for Tempo in Wangaratta!</u>

To help support the team and allow students and families to attend (should they want to) we have cancelled after-school training on this Friday.

https://www.wpacc.com.au/Whats-On/TEMPO-Flying-Fruit-Fly-Circus

Tickets are on sale for all venues so share these links with your family and friends.

Wangaratta: Friday 15 March, 2024 Orange: 12 April, 2024 Warrnambool: 19 - 20 March, 2024 16 - 17 April, 2024 Parramatta: 19 - 20 April, 2024 Narre Warren: 23 March, 2024 Wyong: 24 - 26 April, 2024 Bendigo: 27 - 28 March, 2024 Port Mac: Wagga Wagga: <u>4 - 5 April, 20</u>24 30 April, 2024 Townsville: Alice Springs: 4 May, 2024 Griffith: 9 - 10 April, 2024

BORROWED TRAINING SHIRTS

Can all families please check their washing baskets and backpacks for any FFFC borrowed training shirts. The office has now been completely depleted of its stock and is unable to provide shirts when they are forgotten.

If you have any unwanted shirts at home that are suitable for training and would like to donate them, please drop them in to the office. We appreciate your support.

SEE SOME CIRCUS!

SMASH IT! By CIRCUS OZ

28 March – 21 April

Book tickets now! https://www.artscentremelbourne.com.au/whats-on/2024/comedy/circus-oz-smash-it

UPCOMING EVENTS

12 March - 6 May

IMPORTANT CIRCUS CONTACTS

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