

SCHOOL NEWS

Week 3

Year 6/7 Science

This week the students in 6/7 created a physical display of the planets. The students were positioned to represent the distance between planets – the scale was worked out at 1 metre to 45000000 kilometres.



The students are going to be making papier mâché planets in class and Helen has asked for donations of old newspapers please. (We need lots!)

Primary Swimming Lessons

Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 students started their swimming lessons yesterday. The students have shared some of their thoughts about their first lesson:

Swimming was lots of fun. Peyton

I enjoyed swimming because I learnt a lot. Razi

Swimming was super fun. Kai

Swimming was so much fun. Charlotte

Swimming was good, I can't wait to go back. Owen

Swimming was good. Ava

Swimming was fun because we got pushed in. Chelsea

Swimming was fun. Lulu

I enjoyed swimming because we had lots of fun. Eva

Student of the week:

Well done to Massi – Massi has an inquiring mind and isn't afraid to engage in meaningful conversation with others. He is described by the teachers as being personable and always exhibiting good manners.

Upcoming Events:

- 8 August (THIS FRIDAY) – Wodonga Federation of Government Schools Conference – Pupil Free Day
- 12 August – 2nd swimming lesson for year 3, 4, 5 and 6's
- 15 September – school vaccinations catch up

Celebrating Inclusion Week with a Rainbow Fashion Parade

This week, our school came together to celebrate Respectful Relationships – this week's theme is Inclusion. It gave us a chance to recognise and embrace the diversity that makes our school such a vibrant and welcoming place.

The highlight was our rainbow-themed fashion parade, which filled the hall with colour, creativity, and laughter. Students across all year levels showed off their outfits, each inspired by the colours of the rainbow and the message of inclusivity. From glittery costumes to simple but thoughtful designs, and a few pairs of rainbow socks, each participant expressed their individuality while sharing a collective spirit of acceptance and pride.

There was cheering, laughter, and applause. It was positive to see not only the creativity on display but also the support and encouragement students gave one another.

Inclusion also featured classroom discussions, activities, and reflections focused on kindness, respect, and understanding. Together, we explored how our everyday actions can help ensure everyone feels valued and included.

A huge thank you goes to the students and staff, who contributed to making the week such a success. Events like these remind us that when we celebrate diversity, we strengthen the bonds of our school community.

Our students are working hard at training

It has been wonderful to see our students succeeding both in the classroom and at training in Albury. Watching them balance their schoolwork with their circus training is a real reminder of their dedication, resilience, and passion. We are so proud of the way our students represent the circus and our school. It's a joy to watch them grow and succeed in both areas.



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FROM THE CIRCUS



FRIDAY 8 AUGUST

Friday 8 August is the Wodonga Federation of Government Schools Conference and is a pupil free day for both FFFCS and WSSC. This means that we will not be running morning training or in-school training. We will, however, be running after-school training for our Development and Foundation B (Friday training) students.

WE MAKE CIRCUS T-SHIRTS AVAILABLE NOW!

We've got a supply of *We Make Circus* shirts in stock—available in sizes 8, 10, 12 and XS. Grab yours for just \$35 from the front desk at circus

KNEE DEEP

Ensure you don't miss out on getting your tickets!

Performers (Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday 7.30pm)

Aoife Gordos, Emma Giasoumi, Finn Neill, Jake Kavanagh, Lucia Richardson

Performers (Wednesday, Friday 7.30pm, Saturday 5.30pm)

Jovita Paul, Joe Keating, Lucie Mariethoz, Maya Chynoweth, Peter Giasoumi

Tuesday 12 August - Friday 15 August at 7.30pm & Saturday 16 August at 5.30pm and 7.30pm

FFFC families can access a discounted ticket price of \$20 using promotional code: **COMM25**

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TERM 3 BORDERVILLE CABARET

Don't miss out on getting your Cabaret tickets!

Thursday 18 September, **7.30pm**

Friday 19 September, **7.30pm**

Saturday 20 September, **7.30pm**

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UPCOMING DATES

WEEK 3 (this week)	Friday 8 August	• Pupil Free Day – After school training only
WEEK 4	Tuesday 12 – 16 Saturday August	• Knee Deep Performances
WEEK 5	Monday 18 August – Friday 12 September	• Asking for Trouble Creative Lab
WEEK 6	Monday 18 August – Friday 12 September	• Asking for Trouble Creative Lab
WEEK 7	Monday 18 August – Friday 12 September	• Asking for Trouble Creative Lab
WEEK 9	Thursday 18 September Friday 19 September Saturday 20 September	• Borderville Cabaret 7.30pm • Borderville Cabaret 7.30pm • Borderville Cabaret 7.30pm
HOLIDAYS	Monday 22 Sep – 5 Oct	
WEEK 1	Monday 6 October 8 – 10 October Thursday 9 October	• Labour Day Public Holiday – No training • Nica Circus Summit • Circus Centre Melbourne Launch
WEEK 2	Monday 13 October	• 5.30pm FOFF meeting

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