

FORREST PRIMARY SCHOOL AND EARLY YEARS CENTRE NEWSLETTER



LEARNING FOR LIFE

FORREST PRIMARY SCHOOL AND EARLY YEARS CENTRE IS A CHILD SAFE ENVIRONMENT AND HAS A ZERO TOLERANCE OF BULLYING.

PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

TRANSITION

Commencing this week, our 2022 Prep students will commence transition. This will also mean that our Year 2s will commence stepping up into our Senior Room for some sessions as well. The Year 6-7 transition program will continue to be guided by our students' new secondary schools for 2022.

WE NEED HELP!

In the absence of a working bee this year, there are a number of jobs that we'd love some support from parents/carers with. If you are interested in doing any of the below tasks, please contact Rob on the school's number.

- Pressure washing
- Spreading mulch
- Whipper snipping
- Weeding
- Repairing garden bed near junior room

STUDENT ATTENDANCE

Whilst we are drawing closer to the end of the year, it is still vital that students attend school each day unless of course they are unwell. Our

classroom teachers are still preparing engaging, purposeful lessons and we want to continue to maximise the time we have with students onsite after an interrupted year.

REMEMBRANCE DAY

Last Thursday, we had a Remembrance Day service at the Forrest Memorial. Students from the Early Years Centre and School placed down wreaths and students did some respectful solemn readings.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

NOVEMBER

- 15 Swimming Lesson 2
- 16 Art (MACC Visit)
- 16 Excursion – Grade 6's only
- 18 Prep/School Transition 9-11 am
- 22 Swimming Lesson 3
- 23 Library (MARC Visit)
- 25 Prep/School Transition 9-11 am
- 29 Swimming Lesson 4
- 30 Art (MACC Visit)

DECEMBER

- 1 3 Way Conferences
- 2 3 Way Conferences
- 2 Prep/School Transition 9-11 am
- 3 Pet Parade 9am
- 6 Swimming Lesson 5
- 7 Prep/School Transition 9-1 pm
- 8 Whole School Excursion
- 14 Concert/Gr 6 Graduation
- 15 SC Meeting

HAPPY



BIRTHDAY

Birthday Greetings for

Aarli Hoey – 21st November

INDO CORNER:

BODY PARTS – BAGIAN BADAN

MOUTH – MULUT

SHOULDERS – BAHU

EYES – MATA

HANDS – TANGAN

TOES – JARI KAKI

KNEES – LUTUT

NOSE – HIDUNG

ARMS – LENGAN

TONGUE – LIDAH

TEETH – GIGI

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Learning effort: Aurora Bradshaw for her fabulous story writing when we innovated our focus text of the Gingerbread man. Aurora was carefully sounding out words and using her own knowledge to add in characters such as Pegasus. Terrific work!

Learning behaviour: Sion Roberts for his growing organisation and self awareness of his actions that improve his learning! Well done Sion!

Learning effort: Hamish Finnie for referring back to his book after reading to find examples to help him answer comprehension questions. Well done Hamish!

Learning behaviour: Zoe Wilson for confidently sharing her knowledge and opinions during class discussions. Keep it up Zoe!

COMMUNITY NEWS



Frogwood Arboretum

OPEN DAY

Sunday 5th December 2021

Open 11am - 4pm
12 Deans Marsh/Lorne Road, Deans Marsh
Entry opposite former Martians Cafe (parking in the cafe carpark)

- Explore over 10km of grassy pathways which wind their way through 40 hectares of some of the world's most remarkable tree species
- Enjoy avenues of trees and vistas stretching the full width of the Arboretum
- Bring a picnic blanket and refreshments ready to laze away a couple of hours in your favourite grove of trees
- Have a quiet sit in the "Neolithic" rock Henge
- Take a stroll along an undulating graded track, following the course of a rehabilitated section of the Deans Marsh creek
- Map and list of tree species available at the gate, dogs on a leash at all times please
- The Deans Marsh market will be open between 10am - 2pm on the same day

Information talk by the Arboretum Designer at 12pm at the Ancestor's Henge (Arrive at 11.30 to reach the Henge in time)

All Welcome!
Gold coin donation entry
www.frogwood.com.au





The Country Women's Association of Victoria Inc.

Polwarth CWA Group

2021 Festival of Gardens

Sunday 21 November
10am to 4pm

OPEN GARDEN LOCATIONS

82 Jennings St, Colac
Gardens stalls with produce and merchandise. (eftpos available)

44 Banksia Drive, Elliminyt
Garden (cash only)

615 Colac Lavers Hill Road, Barongarook
(off Wilsons Rd), Garden with Devonshire Tea available (cash only)

COST
Entry to all three gardens \$10pp
Devonshire Tea available at \$7pp
CWA merchandise & produce for sale
Tickets available at the gates

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY
Covid Double Vaccination is required for all persons 16 and over. (DHHS exemptions only apply)
Children must be supervised
No Pets
NO Toilets available for public use

Contact e: polwarthgroupcwa@outlook.com
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Forrest CFA members plus family and community members.



FORREST CFA BUSHFIRE



*BBQ and
Information day*

Come and have an informal chat with your local fire brigade, and increase your knowledge around bushfire in your landscape.

Free BBQ

SUNDAY 12th OF DECEMBER

Forrest Fire Station

BBQ 11:30am – 1:30pm

Find out more about the towns fire brigade. Brigade members will be on hand to also talk to you about bushfire survival and planning.

Enquiries Call : Peter Ashton 0457 476 830



**COLAC OTWAY
ROVERS**
A.F.C.



COLAC OTWAY ROVERS JUNIOR CLINICS 4 WEEK PROGRAM

WHEN: Wednesday nights from 10th November – 1st December

WHERE: Central Reserve Hockey Grounds, Colac

COST: FREE

TIME: 12yo and under	4:30pm – 5:30pm	Lower field
13yo – 18yo	4:30pm – 5:30pm	Upper field