

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

POLWARTH SPORTS

Congratulations to all of our students for their efforts at last Thursday Polwarth Athletics Sports Day. All of our students tried their best in the various track and field events and should be very proud. Thank you to the parents, carers and grandparents that supported the event. It was great to see such a large contingent of Forrest families under our marquee.



this is a quick turnaround after the ballot but there are strict protocols that we need to follow from the department of education in terms of dates and timelines for school council elections.

SOVEREIGN HILL

A reminder that the Sovereign Hill Camp for students in years 3-6 is next week commencing on Wednesday 30th of March. Please remember to hand in completed forms and money to Sarah as soon as possible.

SOUNDSWRITE

Our Senior Room teacher, Alison Matthews has been conducting SoundsWrite training in her own time over the first few weeks of this year. She has nearly completed the training and this will allow us to have consistent, evidence-based literacy practice occurring in both classrooms as Kaz Standish has already completed the training and has

SCHOOL COUNCIL ELECTIONS

We will be able to communicate the results of the School Council Election process tomorrow. Please note that the first sitting of the new school council is on this Wednesday 23rd of March at 3:45pm. I acknowledge that

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

MARCH

- 23 Art (MACC Visit)
- 23 School Council Meeting@3.45pm
- 24 BACK UP- Polwarth Sports Day
- 30 Library (MARC Visit)
- 30 – 1st Apr Camp Grade 3-6

APRIL

- 6 Art (MACC Visit)
- 8 End of Term 1
- 26 Student Free Day
- 27 First Day Term 2



Polwarth Sports Day 2022



Students of the Week

been using the approach in the Junior Room.

PRINCIPAL'S AWARD

Congratulations to Jock Roberts for winning last week's Principal's Award. Jock will be joining myself and other Principal's Award winners for morning tea shortly.



Birthday Greetings for
Willa, Fox & Sunny

JUNIOR SCHOOL NEWS

The Junior School Council have met to discuss who we can support by fundraising. The plan is to raise money and donate it to flood victims in NSW and Queensland. We are asking for a minimum donation of a gold coin from students wearing free choice clothing on the last day of this term.

Thank you,

Junior School Council and Mrs Matthews

HELPING HANDS

- ✓ FOX FOR HELPING CLEAN UP UNDER THE OAK TREE
- ✓ ABIGAIL FOR HELPING CLEAN UP SPORTS EQUIPMENT WHEN IT WASN'T HER JOB

SPORTS UNIFORM REMINDER

Please return your sports shirt to school to be laundered, ready to be loaned again for the next event.

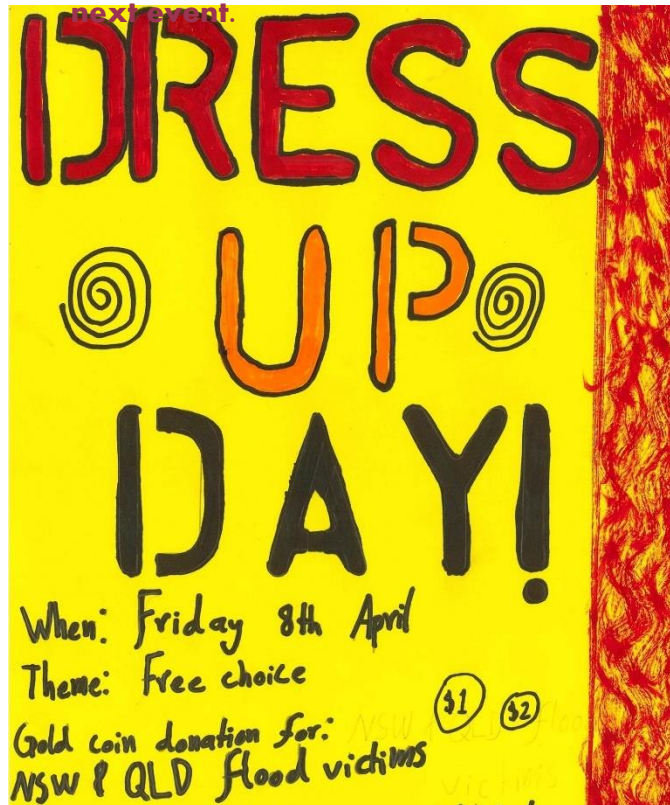
STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Learning effort: Marlon Bradshaw for listening carefully to his teachers. Terrific efforts Marlon!

Learning behaviour: Sion Roberts for his creative thinking at the woodwork table and following through with his idea. Excellent persistence Sion!

Learning effort: Betty Olle for successfully incorporating a variety of persuasive devices into her writing. You are very convincing Betty!

Learning behaviour: Jasmine Crabbe for confidently explaining to her peers how to use the greater than and less than symbols when comparing numbers. Well done Jas!



COMMUNITY NEWS

REGISTRATION NIGHT

JUNIOR NETBALL

- Friday night CDNA teams starts Term 2
 - Under 9s
 - Under 11s
 - Under 13s
 - Training Thursday at Birre and games Friday in Colac
- Net Set Go
 - No games just beginner training
 - Thursday at Birre in Term 2
 - Grade Prep and up

March 24th 4-4:30 pm
Birregurra Netball Courts

Any queries: Kirsty Kelly 0424 166 864
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Colac Secondary College



- Open Night -
Monday 21st March - 2022
PRESENTATIONS 5pm & 6 pm

Email: colac.sc@education.vic.gov.au 173 Queen Street, Colac
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Forrest Weeding Group and
Gerangamete-Forrest Landcare Group



PLANTING DAY
SUNDAY 3RD APRIL.
9.30AM-11AM

Come along and help revegetate the site where the invasive holly was removed in 2021.

**MEET AT THE START OF THE HENNIGAN CRES
WALKING TRACK. BYO GLOVES, TROWEL, WATER
BOTTLE, HAT, SUNSCREEN. CONTACT F&DNH TO RSVP**

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