### Events

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### Growing our sustainability

As part of developing our own Sustainability program at Ferny Grove State School, we made a visit last week to Bulimba State School to see their amazing work. Our School Captains, Meggenn and Zanden, along with Mr Shackleton, Mr Bryant and three of our parents, Dan, Juanita and Tony experienced the program that has been developed over the last 10 years. This includes student involvement in kitchen gardens, recycling, composting, waste reduction, energy reduction and cooking. Meggenn and Zanden joined in with some culinary action at Bulimba SS. Cooking and eating together is a valuable part of their gardening and sustainability project. Our visit gave us plenty of ideas for our own kitchen garden. We would love to incorporate plenty of parent helpers just as Bulimba do so please contact us (see Page 2) if you would like to be involved.
School Review

Early next term our school will take part in a review of all of our work over the last few years. The review will be conducted by members of the School Improvement Unit within Education Queensland and is a part of every school’s four year planning and review cycle. Three reviewers will spend the best part of a week in and around our school talking to staff, students and community about the work we do and the impact it has on student learning and development. A report will then be written for us and used to inform our next three year plan for improvement. We are looking forward to having an external lens placed on everything we do and the presentation of clear recommendations for future improvement. At this stage we expect the review to be conducted in week 2 of term 3.

Worth celebrating

I wanted to take this, my last opportunity this semester, to thank all the wonderful parents and teachers that have contributed to a term of events and celebrations worthy of this great state school and the community it serves. What a term!

- SPAG BOL ‘I SPY’ production.
- ‘Walk to school safely’ Day
- Launch of Quicksmart maths intervention Program
- Maths Jam in Year 5 and Amazing Race culminating activity last week.
- Disco for Prep to year 7 with nearly $4000 raised by our Student Council for Humani.
- Bright Sparks Expo.
- 2015 Parent enrolment evening.
- Chaplaincy Dinner and Chappy Breakfast.
- NAPLAN
- Senior Music Camp and QYMA performances
- Book fair in our Library.
- Athletics Carnivals (to come next week)
- ANZAC Day and completion of memorial garden.

And many more I can’t remember.

Great schools provide a range of diverse opportunities for students to make the most of their unique talents, passions and interests. I think we have done that. Remember that our vision says the following.

Emperor and Connect Learners for Sustainable Futures

Through the following principles:

*Connectedness  *Engagement  *Diversity  *Creativity

Brett Shackleton, Principal

Are you interested in Gardening or Sustainability?

We are putting together a group of interested parents to be involved with the planning and implementation of an overarching Sustainability plan at Ferny Grove State School including such things as gardening and composting. We are also looking at opportunities to incorporate these practices into our curriculum and encourage our students to be “hands on”.

If you are interested please contact Dan on 0423 056 499 or dviero@yahoo.com OR Juanita on 0439 720 618 or jayat46@bigpond.com.
General news

School Opinion Survey
Each year, the Department of Education undertakes a survey of parents, students and teachers to gauge their satisfaction with important aspects of schooling. Later in the year, the school will receive a report outlining the results of the survey for our school. The results will help the school to evaluate and to reflect on how well the school is going and to identify areas for future development.

This year the School Opinion Survey is being conducted earlier than in previous years. All parents may complete the survey online and a letter will be sent home next week with details as to how families can access and complete. The survey will open from 29 June and remain open until the 31 July. The longer period is to enable more families the opportunity to complete the online survey.

Junior Band – Marching Band
Junior band will have their first performance next week. They will complete a march past at sports days on Tuesday and Thursday. Monday morning will be the usual rehearsal and the band will not only continue to practise marching and playing at the same time but also learn how to turn and march back along the running track. On Tuesday and Thursday children will need to bring their instrument to school. They will not be wearing their performance uniform. They have been having so much fun learning their instruments and marching and the sports days will give the band an opportunity to “show off” their skills.

Belinda Evans, Deputy Principal

Student Council news
Once again we had a very successful disco with the proceeds of the disco and free dress amounting to $3800. Theses funds will go to our sister school in Zimbabwe, Humani to support the education of these children and support their families who live in Humani village.

Early years news

Happy holidays
It is hard to believe that term two is almost over. They say time flies when you are having fun, in that case we must just be having far too much of it here at school!! I would like to wish everybody a very safe, fun filled and relaxing break as I am sure next term will be just as busy.

GOTCHAS
Matilda C 1/2C  Zara E 3R  Max Th 2C  Dana J 1NV

Well done to our Year 3 Early Years Assembly presenters, I think they do a fabulous job every week. Everybody who would like to have a go at this will get the opportunity to before the end of the year.

Jacki Schott, A/Deputy Principal
Sports days 2015
One of the highlights of Semester 1 for sport is fast approaching! Yes that’s right time to dust off the running shoes and perfect our jumps for this year’s sports days.

The Carnivals on Tuesday and Thursday commence with a March Past at around 8.30am with events to commence immediately following the March Past. Great time to get the kids out of bed and at school a little earlier than normal (if you can !!). The programs for each day are below.

Program for Monday 22 June - 9-12 Yrs Sports day
High jump and Distance races will be held on the Big Oval. Ball games will be held on the Yr ¾ Oval

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* 9yrs will run 600m and 10/11/12 yrs 800m

Program for Tuesday 23 June - 9-12yrs Sports day

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Program for Thursday 25 June - Prep-Year 3 Sports day

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Students need: Hat * Water bottle * Sunscreen * Lunch * House colours (if unsure, check with class teacher)

### HELP NEEDED ON THE DAY - IF YOU ARE ABLE TO HELP ON THE AT LEAST PART OF THE DAY COULD YOU PLEASE LET YOU CLASS TEACHER KNOW ASAP

Typical jobs for sprints and relays will be: * Starters * Finish officials * Marshalls *,Activity marshalls (for tabloids)

**NOTE** - Many students in Year 3 will already be 9yrs or are turning 9yrs this year. These students will participate in the events on Monday and Tuesday. (This allows them to compete for House points & Age Champion medals). They will also be able to compete on Thursday with Prep to Yr 3 classes.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Gary Kirby, PE Specialist
Science Club Wk 7 + 8 : Finding Fossils

Dinosaur hunters rejoiced as the Science Club took on the role of Palaeontologists this fortnight. First they learned what the job involves, what to do in the field and some of the techniques used.

Armed with fine palaeontology brushes and gentle hands, they were let loose to explore the samples of fossil containing sand (from the sandpit of course). It wasn’t long before caution and patience were forgotten as the excitement kicked in and fossils were being pulled from the sand here, there and everywhere.

The identification of items which left the fossil shapes was a lot of fun as students became fossil detectives by matching likely suspects to their preserved evidence. Everyone left happy, a little sandy and holding a coffee-dough fossil recipe.

Still accepting bookings for Trivia Night this Saturday - email Vanessa vbair4@eq.edu.au to book your table and pay on Flexischools or at the door. BYO Nibbles. Drinks available. 45 raffle prizes. Lots of fun!!

Chappy news

Thanks to our Chaplaincy Committee volunteers for once again running a successful Chappy Breakfast - our students always love the opportunity to meet their friends before school and eat pancakes!!

We also joined with Ferny Grove State High School recently to host a dinner to raise funds for Chaplaincy at our school. A great turnout and a reminder of the great work that Chappies do in our school!

Eleisa our Chaplain is on maternity leave, and we will...
**Defence news**

*Catch up Club*
Defence students have been busy creating Australian themed placemats for the children of Uthando House Orphanage in Africa. In the true spirit of our core value of care and compassion some of our Defence students have surpassed our expectations over the past couple of weeks. We would like to thank the children for their dedication and fantastic colouring. We will continue working on this project until Friday 19th June and we would welcome all defence students and their friends to come and help us complete the placemats. A big thank you to Mr Michael Jeh who will be delivering these gifts to the children at the orphanage during the school holidays.

Due to the sports carnivals in week 10, we will not be able to run our Catch up Club and Courtyard Games programs. We look forward to seeing you at the carnivals and in week 1 of term 3. Have a fantastic holiday!

*Jessica De la Jara & Liz Heddershaw*
*Defence School Transition Aides*

**Coffee, Cake & Craft Mornings**
We would like to extend a big thank you to parents Kim Seamons-Houley and Gayle Mercer who have been helping us create Australian themed pillowcases for the children of Uthando House Orphanage. Your input and commitment is sincerely appreciated.

**Rex D. Dog is coming to Ferny Grove State School!**
On Wednesday 24th June our Prep and Year 1 Defence students will be treated to a special visit from Rex D. Dog. Rex is a story character that features in a book series created by Defence Housing Australia to address many of the issues that are unique to our defence families. On this upcoming visit the children will hear Rex’s new adventure ‘Sticking Together’ and participate in a craft activity, as well as get their photo taken with Rex. D. Dog.

We look forward to this experience and hope to invite Rex D. Dog to visit our Year 2 and 3 students later in the year.

**The Extended Learning activity “Busy Builders” has been running for the last four weeks. The children are involved in making their own wooden castles. The children are thoroughly enjoying this activity and are very proud of their castles.**
Year 5 Maths Amazing Race
As a culminating activity to the year 5 Maths Jam program, students last week participated in an exciting team challenge, a bit like the Amazing Race. The first activity for the teams of 4 students was a problem solving relay, where the aim was to complete as many problems as possible in 20 minutes. The points awarded for this activity determined a handicap system for the second part of the Amazing Race. The teams were given the challenge to visit as many activity stations in an hour. Armed with a map and timetable, the students needed teamwork, tactics and tenacity to score maximum points.

Our winners were from 5H, Elliott, Bella, Jessica & Zach who visited 8 stations and 3 mystery brainteasers, scoring 34 points! It was great to see the kids excited about Maths and using all the maths skills they have learnt this year. Thanks to all the staff and parents who helped make such an engaging learning experience for students.

Wendy Read, Head of Curriculum

QuickSmart” Update
On Thursday 4 June, our QuickSmart students enjoyed hosting their parents for a “come and see” afternoon.
A welcoming “cuppa” was followed by a brief presentation outlining this program’s research base, aims and benefits led by program co-ordinator, Lena Roberts, one of our support Teachers in Literacy & Numeracy. The rest of our trained QuickSmart team; Lyn Vickerson, (ST LaN) and tutors Denise McPherson, Cindy McNab and Jan Spathonis, shared highlights of the journey so far.
The parents then had fun trying out some of the activities their children experienced as part of Quicksmart. Next excited students paired with their parents to share their successes. The smiling faces all round reflected the success of the afternoon. Another opportunity for parents to visit the QuickSmart room with their children, will be offered towards the end of Term 3.

Lyn Vickerson, Learning Support Teacher
**National Collection of Data on School Students with Disability**

Collecting data on school students with disability helps teachers, principals and education authorities support the participation of students with disability in schooling on the same basis as students without disability. All Australian Governments have agreed to work together on the annual collection of data on school students with disability.

In 2013, 10% of Queensland state schools participated in the first year of implementation. In 2014, two thirds of Queensland schools, including ours, participated and this year all schools will collect data. Please be reassured that the Department will not provide on to another organisation any data that can identify an individual student.

The only data being collected at the school level to be reported nationally is the:

- number of students in the school who are provided with an adjustment to address a disability;
- level of adjustments we provide for those students; and
- broad category of disability.

Consultation with parents is important not only for the data collection but also to ensure you are aware of the adjustments being provided to support your child. We will therefore continue to consult with you.

While only data that cannot identify your child will be submitted outside of the Department, if you do not wish for your child’s details to be included, please let me know. Information and fact sheets are available to help you make a decision from the:


Alternatively, if you have any queries about the collection or use of this data I encourage you to contact me directly.

*Brett Shackleton, Principal*

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**Library news**

It was fantastic to see our students so excited about books at our recent book fair. I hope they are enjoying reading them as much as buying them. Here are some of the great books we have been able to buy to put in the library for all our students to enjoy.

*Premiers Reading Challenge*

The premiers reading challenge is well under way. With the school holidays close hopefully everyone will have some spare time to add a few more books to their list. The students have until August to read their quote of books. If your child has lost their form they can download a new one at [http://education.qld.gov.au/schools/readingchallenge/pdfs/school-reader-record-form.pdf](http://education.qld.gov.au/schools/readingchallenge/pdfs/school-reader-record-form.pdf) or collect one from the library. Have a great holiday.

*Leane Dunn, Library Coordinator*

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**Sports news**

*Representative Sport*

At Ferny Grove we are fortunate to have a high participation rate in sport with students given many opportunities to participate in lessons, Friday afternoons and during play. We also provide many opportunities for students to achieve and participate at higher levels.

This semester a large number of our students have represented at District and Regional level in a variety of Sports. Well done!

We congratulate these students on achieving representative selection at District level.

Amy Ryan  Adrian Tebbutt
Brendan Karrasch  Kelsey Dunn
Brandon Lam  Jasmine Cherry
Kai Tobin  Alex Gould
Aaliyah Moriarty  Dillon Burgess
Abi Jones  Erin O Connell
Sierra Jeh

The following student have been selected in District and Regional teams

Tai Matapo  Georgia McCulloch
Isaac Newsome  Jackson Pere
Tahia Blinkhoff  Zanden Jeh

Well done to all those students and best wishes for those still to play in Carnivals!

*Gary Kirby, PE Specialist*
Important Dates

June
20 Trivia Night - 6.30pm Hall
July
13 FAST Meeting - 7pm Library
14 Success Meeting - 7pm Library
15 P & C Meeting - 7pm Library
21 IMPS Meeting - 6pm Staffroom

FAST Committee—Sports Day Canteen
Tuesday 23rd & Thursday 25th June. The Hall canteen will be open for parents to buy hot food, snacks and drinks. Students are not able to purchase from the Hall canteen as this service is provided for parents and staff only. Students must still order their lunch from the Tuckshop. (see deals for students!)

We need volunteers to work on those two days to help serve food - sign up here if you can help! www.volunteersignup.org/XCWC4. Parents can leave the canteen to watch their child race/participate and then come back to help.

Also looking for anyone who would like to bake something sweet for us to sell. Can also sign up online! Thank you for your help!

Stationery & Uniform Stores
OPEN MONDAY & FRIDAY 8-10AM, WEDNESDAY 2-5 PM.
Charyl Cowles, Stationery Convenor
3550 5359 (0431 265 068)
stationery@fernygrovepandc.com.au
Madonna Morton, Uniform Convenor
3550 5342 (0409 272 062)
umiformstore@fernygrovepandc.com.au

Tuckshop
Start the Day with $1.00 Breakfast @ tuckshop
8:00am – 8:30am Counter sales only
Raisin Toast $1.00
Vegemite Toast $1.00
Jam Toast $1.00
Hash Brown $1.00
Fresh Fruit $1.00
Warm Milo $1.00

Sports Day tuckshop menu will be available
Monday 22/6
Tuesday 23/6
Thursday 25/6
We are promoting Healthy eating for PE. All food categories are Green (eat plenty) and of course a well deserved treat (Rainbow Cookie with food, apple with Drinks). To avoid missing out Order via www.flexischools.com.au.

Choices include:
Champion Wrap
Medal Burger
Sprinter Pasta
Hydrate Station
Cheer Leader Choice

Also being the last week of term we may have limited choices available on Wednesday 24/6 and Friday 26/6, so we ask that you please cancel your recurring orders in Flexischools.

New Menu for Term 3 will be emailed soon - Check out our new specials like Scrolls, Quiches of the day, Snack attack and Salad Shaker

Frozen Treats are available for sale second break from 1.20pm.

We are needing some donations for kitchen equipment/appliances, if you can help please email tuckshop@fernygrovepandc.com.au.

As always thanks to our hardworking Volunteers. Visit our online signup as we still have some places to fill! www.volunteersignup.org/8ELL1 If you know anyone who can spare 3 hours once a month send them our way!

Liz Mu, Tuckshop Convenor

Air Conditioning project
Find all the information for this major project here. Don’t forget the three ways you can help:
1. Tax deductible donation to our School Building Fund
2. Supporting our main fundraiser each year – Festival
3. Attending and supporting our fundraising events

FNSD
P&C
Association

Ferny Grove State School
Parents’ and Citizens’ Association

Air Conditioning Project
FUNDS RAISED - $1000
TARGET $28,150

What a great start—thanks to all those who have contributed so far! Don’t forget to return your donation forms to the office before the end of term to use as a deduction for this financial year’s tax return.

Great kids & families  Great staff  Great learning opportunities
Don’t forget School Banking each Thursday. The school and our students receive great rewards for participating, and can also win great prizes. Sign up now!

Rewarding regular savers with amazing prizes.

We’re bringing the exciting news that an intergalactic Prize Portal has appeared on Planet Savings, giving students who demonstrate good savings behaviour the chance to win amazing prizes.

- 75 x iPad minis Wi-Fi 16GB
- 125 x Beats by Dr. Dre Solo² Headphones
- 200 x $30 Booktopia Gift Certificates

Help the Dollarmites activate the Prize Portal for a chance to win
To activate the Prize Portal, students must simply make three or more School Banking deposits during Term 3 and they will automatically be entered into the competition for a chance to win one of hundreds of prizes. Students can also complete a Money Mission at commbbank.com.au/prizeportal to double their chance of winning a prize. (Please note, students can start the Money Mission at any time, but are required to make three deposits by the end of Term 3 to double their chance of winning).

Win books for your school library
We’re also giving schools participating in the School Banking program a chance to win one of 75 sets of children’s books for their school library, valued at $200.

For more information, visit commbbank.com.au/prizeportal

Things to know before you Can: Conditions apply, see commbbank.com.au/prizeportal. Promotions start 9:00 am AEDT 13/7/18 and end 11:59pm AEDT 25/9/18. Student Entry: Entry is open to all YouthSave customers aged 4-15 years. 1 entry received when 3 deposits are made through the School Banking Program. 1 bonus entry received when completing a Money Mission activity at commbbank.com.au/prizeportal and submitting a fully completed entry form. Max. of 5 entries per person. Entries will be divided into the following State/Territory groups: NSW/ACT, VIC, SA/N.T, Tas, Qld and WA. A total of 400 prizes comprising 75 x iPad mini Wi-Fi 16GB space grey tablets valued at $299 each, 125 x $30 Booktopia Gift Certificates, 25 x $30 Booktopia Gift Certificates, 25 x $30 Booktopia Gift Certificates, will be distributed amongst the State/Territory groups. The winners’ names will be published in the public notices section of The Australian on 20/10/18. School Entry Terms: Entry open to all schools operating in Australia who participate in the School Banking Program and have at least 1 student entered into the Student Element of this promotion. Limit of 1 entry per school. Entries will be divided into the following State/Territory groups: NSW/ACT, VIC, SA/N.T, Tas, Qld and WA. A total of 75 prizes of a selection of children’s books to the value of $250. For each winning School’s Library will be distributed amongst the State/Territory groups. Prize draws will take place at 12 noon AEDT 15/10/18 at Commonwealth Bank, Level B, 11 Harbour Street, Sydney. Telph:-000 739 347 75. Apple is not a participant or sponsor of this promotion. "iPad mini" and "Beats by Dr. Dre" are trademarks of Apple Inc., registered in the US and other countries. The Promoter is Commonwealth Bank of Australia ABN 48 123 123 124 of Level 2, 11 Harbour Street, Sydney NSW 2000. NSW Permit No LPS/10/02936, ACT Permit No 1P/10/031/1, VIC Permit No 10/812, SA Permit No 10/832.

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**Community news**

**Ferny Grove State High School news**

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**A CRAFTY DAY**

All funds raised will be donated to the Cancer Council

Join us and *Craft With Anything*

Sun 19th July
9:30-5

$30 Per Person
Includes all food

The Grove Sports Club
20 Tramway St
Ferny Grove

RSVP & Payment by - Thursday 9th July
Amy: 0424743725 or amydanmartin@hotmail.com
Kim: 0408719512 or kimborm@bigpond.com.au

Lunch options on the attached menu
Goodie Bags & Raffle Prizes
Photo Booth 10am-12pm ($10 for 3 Photos)
Cancer Council Merchandise
Morning & Afternoon Tea

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**60th Dayboro Show**

**July 4 & 5**

Families $30

Freestyle motorcycle display  Woodchop
Helicopter rides  Animals  Laser Skirmish
Chainsaw racing demos  Horse Events

Competition Entries close Friday 3 JULY by 10:30am

More details on facebook & the web

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☑️ Great kids & families  ☑️ Great staff  ☑️ Great learning opportunities
### School holiday fun

**Mitchelton Library**

**Winnie the Pooh Teddy Bears Picnic**
Bring along your own favourite teddy bear for this very special event.
**Tuesday 30 June 10:30-11:30am**

**Horrible Histories**
Share some gory stories, songs and interesting facts and take part in creating your own ancient masterpiece.
**Tuesday 30 June 2-3pm**

**Make your own sprout farm**
Did you know sprouts are one of the freshest and healthiest superfoods you can eat? In this hands on workshop for children and their carers, you will make your very own sprouting jar full of sprouts to take home and start growing. Suitable for ages 5-12.
**Wednesday 1 July 2-3:30pm**

**Geronimo Stilton**
Join us for a fabumouse session. Dress up and share in themed activities, games and quizzes. Ideal for children aged 7-12.
**Wednesday 1 July 3:30-4:30pm**

**Brisbane Libraries**

**Learn to knit**
Learn knitting basics with Mitchelton Library purlers knitting group. Learn to knit a super scarf. Ideal for children aged 7-12 years
**Thursday 2 July 1-3pm**

**Zac Powers**
Secret agents of the GIB unite. Share in your favourite Zac Power moments and participate in themed activities. Ideal for children aged 6-10 years.
**Wednesday 8 July 2-3pm**

**The Treehouse Series**
Come share your favourite Treehouse levels with activities and games. Ideal for children aged 6-12 years
**Thursday 9 July 2-3pm**

*Bookings essential.*
Call Mitchelton Library on (07) 3403 7410 for more information.
Community news

Fame Theatre Company Proudly Presents

**Little Red Riding Hood**

*Give your children a live theatre experience these holidays*

“**Little Red Riding Hood**” will be lunching in the park after the show. Please join us. **BYO picnic.**

**BOOKINGS NOW OPEN**
Ph 3252 4806
www.fametheatre.com

C&K Arana Hills Kindergarten

**35th Anniversary Celebrations**

25 July
2pm till 4pm

Come and have a play for our 35th Birthday!
Come and share your kindy experiences with past, present and future families!

At the event we are having face painting, balloon animals, afternoon tea, live music and a historical photographic display of the centre. Everyone is welcome as it is for past, current and future families.

135 Olearia St West, Everton Hills


Come and see the range and quality of the art that these local, creative people produce. Follow our trail, and enjoy the picturesque locations and inspiring work.

From Mt Gravina to Oakley View - studios, galleries and other venues will be hosting our region's artists' workshops, demonstrations and various techniques and workshops for those who want to learn more.

This is a free event and one we are convinced you and your family will enjoy.

STUDIOS TO VISIT

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- 2. The Crypt
- 3. The Playroom
- 4. The Artist Studio
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