Hi Everyone,

A huge thanks to Lee-Ann, Melinda, Kelly, Jenny, Brooke, Elodie, Deanna, Julia, Sarah, Barb, Kylene and Nycole for helping out in the tuckshop last week, I couldn’t do it without you! I would also like to thank the children, they all have such beautiful manners and I love how they go out of their way to come and say hi to me, I love my job :) I would really like to get a roster done up for Term 4, so if you would like to help out, pop in and put your name on the calendar, would be so great to see some new face too.

The Mexican Wednesday meal deal is still on until end of term and you can just put your orders in tomorrow morning, I will always have enough for everyone.

Only 4 tuckshop days to go! Regards, Amanda

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Please check the notice board for the following community notices.

• News from the Guidance Officer
• 50th Anniversary Teddy bear’s Picnic
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Children's Development

Whole School Numeracy Language

The perimeter of a shape is little more than three times the length of one side of that shape. What could the shape be? What are its dimensions?

How would you go about solving this problem? Problem solving involves finding solutions to questions that may have more than one pathway to an answer or more than one answer.

Studies indicate that children who have difficulties when problem solving in maths, read the problem and give up because they think it is too hard. This may be because the problem has been presented in a different way to questions posed in a maths text. To assist students, it is important that they have a process to attack any problem.

At Farnborough, we are using the following four step approach:

• Understand – Do I understand what the question is asking? (literacy) What are key words? What part of maths knowledge do I need to use? (measurement, shape)
• Plan – Choose from one or more of our six strategies (to be explained in forthcoming newsletters)
• Do – Have a go. Try to solve the problem.
• Check – Is my answer reasonable? Does it work? Explain my reasoning to a partner or the class. Share the different strategies and thinking to a solution.

Help your child develop a positive approach to problem solving by using these steps.

Carol Butler – Mader (Principal)

Lorraine Nielsen (Head of Curriculum)
Student of the Week Awards

Prep Purple
Noah W for super Science work in the garden.

Prep Yellow
Eli P for fantastic work on your reading.
Chase E for fantastic work on sight words.

Year 1 Purple
Sam McL for being a confident speaker.
Islah S for great work with her spelling this term.
Harriette S for using super reading strategies for difficult words.

Year 1 Yellow
Emma McG for fabulous writing of a report about insects.
Callum S for detailed writing about insects in his report.
Eskarina P for writing a great Insect report.

Year 2
Oliver L for improving in his reading.
Katana N for great leaps and bounds with her reading.
Finn G for contributing great facts and knowledge for our information reports.

Year 3
Jasmyn P for the effort she is putting into her maths.
Jodie W for always handing homework in early.

Year 3 / 4
Dylan McL for showing self motivation to finish the Premier’s Reading Challenge.
Lara F for working hard to create funny poems.

Year 4
Kiera Leigh for fantastic explanation for the meaning of words.
Alexandrew R for using a great persuasive advertisement on sunglasses.

Year 5
William B for working hard in maths problem solving.
Anna N for having a great attitude in the classroom.

Year 5 / 6
Lara F for fantastic progress and organisation in maths.
Lexy W for a positive start to your new school.

Year 6
Ainslie W for always working conscientiously in class.
Campbell M for always helping and working conscientiously in class.

SEPTEMBER

DATE CLAIMER

8th P & C Meeting @ 6:30pm in the library

18th Last day for Term 3

OCTOBER

5th PUBLIC HOLIDAY — Labour Day
6th TERM 4 Commences
14th Prep Induction / Information Meeting @ 3:15pm
19th Student Free Day

FROM YOUR P & C ASSOCIATION

Many thanks to the lovely Deanna Gardener, who helped clean out the P&C shed last week. Sadly, no possums – but on the bright side, no snakes either! A job well done.

Thank you to those parents who have already purchased from the Toy Catalogues. There are still a few missing items that may be spare (in the office if you missed out). The easiest and quickest way to order is on-line.

You can browse all available products, add them to your shopping basket & have them delivered to your door. Be sure to select Farnborough State School as your preferred school when you process payment for your order, so we can use the funds raised to purchase resources for our students.

All are welcome to the P & C Meeting tonight - Tuesday 8th September at 6:30pm in the Library. Children are able to attend. Bring a book or some colouring in to do, or they might like to use one of the Library computers. Meetings usually conclude just after 8pm. Kathy King (0400 681 442)

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