



Acting Principal: Carly-Marie Clark
 Assistant Principal: Rose Arena

UPCOMING EVENTS

DECEMBER

4

FAMILY NIGHT - GATES OPEN 5PM

DECEMBER

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ORIENTATION DAY FOR GRADE 6 STUDENTS

DECEMBER

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STEP UP DAY FOR GRADES FND TO 5

DECEMBER

11

GRADE 6 GRADUATION

DECEMBER

15

SPECIAL ASSEMBLY FOR OUR SCHOOL LEADERS

Our school values underpin everything that we do at Fawkner Primary School and are part of everyday life for the staff, students and families.

We promote the school as a safe, fun learning environment where every child is valued and all children are challenged to achieve their best. Our values uphold everything we do at Fawkner Primary, and help to maintain our integrity for being the best school members we can be.

EFFORT



RESPONSIBILITY



HONESTY



RESPECT



KINDNESS



REMINDERS

If your child will now no longer be attending Fawkner Primary School in 2026 would you please contact the office to let us know as soon as possible. We appreciate that things change, for example you may move or your child may gain entry to another school.



MESSAGE FROM THE ACTING PRINCIPAL

- This time of year is always an exciting one- reflecting on the progress of the students and the school during 2025, as well as finalising preparations and setting goals for 2026. A lot of work has been going on behind the scenes to ensure that Fawkner Primary School is set up for a successful 2026.

Foundation Transition

It has been wonderful seeing our 2026 Foundation students attend our Tuesday morning transition sessions. Each week their confidence has grown as they become more familiar with the school setting and our teachers. Our Year Five students have been enjoying their visits to the Lorne St Kindergarten as part of our Buddies program.

Step Up Sessions

This fortnight, students have had the opportunity to be with students from other classes as they 'Step Up' for a session. Teachers are using this time to support students with the transition to a new year level, teacher and classroom.

It is natural for students to feel a little nervous- I remember when I was in primary school, every year I was worried that the work in the next year level was going to be too hard... not realising that all the work I had done that year had prepared me for the learning that was going to happen in the next year!

As always, our teachers will provide learning instruction and wellbeing support at the students' point of need, providing extra support or extension where necessary.

2026 Grade Structures

In 2026 we are anticipating approximately 215-220 students.

This means that we will be running 10 grades.

The grades will be:

2 x Foundation/One classes

3 x Grade One/Two classes

2 x Grade Three/Four classes

1 x Grade Four/Five classes

2 x Grade Five/Six classes

At our final Step Up Session on Tuesday the 9th of December, students will get to meet their 2026 teacher and classmates.

Carly-Marie Clark
Acting Principal



2026 STAFF

We have a number of staff who are returning in 2026, and a number of staff who have accepted positions at other schools.

Whilst it is always sad saying goodbye, we know that they will be wonderful assets to their new schools and we wish them all the best.

We welcome back Ms Coatsworth and Ms Lorenzini to FPS in 2026. We welcome Mr Nichols to FPS- he will be teaching the STEM program in 2026.

Farewell and Best of Luck to:

Mr Jordan Beckerleg who has accepted a classroom teacher position at Coolaroo South Primary School.

Ms Courtney Gleeson who has accepted a classroom teacher position at St Thomas More Catholic Primary School.

Mrs Meg D'Ortenzio who has accepted a STEM teacher position at Meadows Primary School.

Our 2026 Staff:

Foundation-One Team: Pina Di Nucci, Holly Russell

One-Two Team: Ellen Sturrock, Zoe Clinnick, Catherine Ivic, Molly Boyle

Three-Four Team: Jaime Winchester, Rachel Eggby, Hannah Coatsworth

Four-Six Team: Lauren Bird, Teaghan Rooks, Nabiha Rustom

Intervention Support: Kayla Lorenzini

STEM: Matthew Nichols

Italian: Vicky Viscuso-Panozzo

Phys Ed: Rebecca Strangis and Asli Yuksel

The Arts: Belinda De Propertis and Asli Yuksel

Learning Specialist- Teaching and Learning: Lill Hancock

Mental Health and Wellbeing Leader: Carmela Ballato

Disability Inclusion Leader: Rebecca Thompson

Assistant Principal: Rosalba Arena

Business Manager: Janice Miskimmin

Admin Team: Louise Mifsud and Paula Northey

Education Support Staff: Janine O'Brien, Ruza Quin, Kim Graham, Rob Don, Ashton Driscoll, Lisa Busuttil, Anna Iaria, Diana Nader



Fawkner Primary School now has a facebook page!

We want to share with the wider community all of the great things our school offers.

Jump online and give the page a follow!

ACMI EXCURSION

On Monday 24th November some grade 4 and 5 students caught the train into the city to visit ACMI, The Australian Centre of the Moving Image. Students participated in a Kids News Workshop and then had an opportunity to explore the museum.

ACMI was so cool! We learnt about using a greenscreen, interviewing people and how to get ready to film. We had to be 'Quiet on Set' and took turns using the clapboard. We practiced our interview script and got to watch our Kids News at the end. It was fun to dress up too. I loved the acting but sometimes it was tricky. I overcame it by just having a go.

By Yusuf, Zaheer, Ruhama and Muhammad.

We also had the chance to explore ACMI's Story of the Moving Image exhibition. There was so much to see and do. We saw olden day techniques for filming and animating. The car was fantastic and so was the Cuphead Zoetrope. It had lots of different figures and then spun around. When the lights flashed it tricked our brain to make it look like it was moving. It was completely amazing. The Garden of Memories was cool too where we held our hands under a special light and old home movies were projected onto our palms.

By Chelsea, Penny, Fatima and Zaheer.



ACMI EXCURSION



1/2 PLANETARIUM EXCURSION

Our Grade 1/2 students explored the science behind Earth's changing seasons with an immersive visit to the Melbourne Planetarium at Scienceworks. This full dome show took students on a visual journey through space to uncover how Earth's tilt and orbit around the Sun create the seasonal patterns we experience.

We saw a movie at the Planetarium. It was like a cinema but the movie was on the roof! The chairs went right back and we learnt all about how the galaxy works. It showed us the tilt of the earth and how the axis means we have different weather through the year. It was very relaxing in those comfy chairs. It was really realistic.

We also got to explore Scienceworks. There was a mirror maze which was awesome. We got to design our own car in the Think Ahead section. My car looked the fastest ever! We loved the Sports section too where we got to have running races, play footy and wheelchair races with each other. Others loved going upstairs to play with the foam beads and watch how they blew around as they controlled the fans. It was an awesome day!

By Eshal, Arthur, Isaac, Aaliyah, Matilda, Yousuf, Zakariya and Aarizul



1/2 PLANETARIUM EXCURSION



FOUNDATION MOPA EXCURSION



Our Foundation students had an excursion to the Museum of Play and Art (MOPA) on Wednesday, 26th November. This hands-on experience provided a wonderful opportunity for the children to explore creativity and learning through play and art.

There were so many toys, it was awesome! There were trains, drums and two big cities. One was blue and one was red and purple. There was a little flying fox inside and a big slide that was our favourite. I got stuck in the huge city but then someone helped me. In the building room we made a giant tower, a car and some exercise things. At the end we all got together in a room with a fancy stage and had the best Dance Party! We danced to Twist and Shout and it was so, so, so much fun!

By Evie, Khan, Fareeshy, Adam, Ishaq and Ayesha



FOUNDATION MOPA EXCURSION



SCHOOL HATS

UV AHEAD

SunSmart

Slap! on your **hat** and Slop! on **sunscreen**, when the UV is 3 or above.

Even on cool and cloudy days.

In Victoria, UV is 3 and above generally from mid-August to the end of April.

sunsmart.com.au

Use all five forms of sun protection: Slip, Slop, Slop, Seek, Slide.

Cancer Council Victoria

A reminder that during Terms 1 and 4, students are required to wear a school hat at all times when outside.

If your child needs a new hat, they can be purchased from the school office for \$17.



STEP UP DAY

Over the past two weeks, students have had the opportunity to engage with students and teachers who may be part of their year level next year. They participated in one-hour sessions last Thursday and again this Thursday, during which they worked within different groups and were introduced to new students.

Students will be informed of their teacher and classmates for next year on Tuesday, 9 December.





ROTARY PEACE POLE PROJECT

This week we were visited by Kathleen Matthews-Ward MP, Pat Solibakke, Bruno D'Aprano and Deborah D'Aprano from Rotary, Joe Russo from Nelson Alexander Real Estate and Merri-Bek councillor Sue Bolton, for our Peace Pole Ceremony.

Peace Poles are marked with the message "May Peace Prevail on Earth" in four languages. Our Peace Pole includes this phrase in English, Wurundjeri, Urdu and Arabic. The Peace Pole stands as a silent reminder for all to live in harmony and to think and act in the spirit of peace.

The Chinese philosopher Laozi wrote the following message for Peace over 2500 years ago:

If there is to be peace in the world
There must be peace in the nations.

If there is to be peace in the nations
There must be peace in the cities.

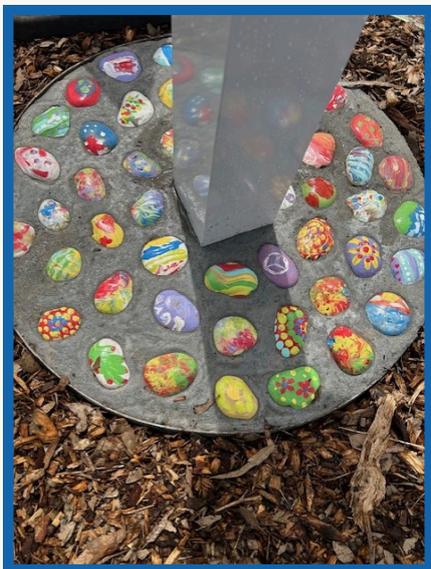
If there is to be peace in the cities,
there must be peace between neighbours.

If there is to be peace between neighbours,
There must be peace in the home.

If there is to be peace in the home,
There must be peace in the heart.



May there always be peace and harmony in our school community.



FAMILY NIGHT 2025


Gold Coin
Entry

FPS FAMILY NIGHT

MUSIC

TIME MACHINE



THURSDAY DEC 4TH

GATES OPEN 5:00

Fawkner Primary School

Yummy Halal sausages &
Fresh donuts available

CATCH UP CLUB

Fawkner PS

COMMUNITY HUB

Upcoming Event

- Come along and join other Fawkner Primary parents for a relaxed morning of conversation, connection, and community! ☕
- Tea and coffee will be provided, and you're very welcome to bring along something to share if you'd like.
- It's a great chance to meet new faces, catch up with friends, and see our beautiful new Community Hub in action. 🌀
- All parents welcome

FPS Catch-Up Club – Meet & Greet
Tuesday, 2nd December

🕒 9:00am – 10:00am

📍 Fawkner Primary School – Community Hub



FAWKNER PRIMARY SCHOOL

TERM 4 - 2025

week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	October				
	06	07	08	09	10
2					
	13	14	15	16	17
3					
	20	21	22	23	24
4					
	27	28	29	30	31
5	November				
	03	04	05	06	07
6					
	10	11	12	13	14
7					
	17	18	19	20	21
8					
	24	25	26	27	28
9	December			Family Night	
	01	02	03	04	05
10		Orientation Day for Grade 6 Students		Grade 6 Graduation	
	08	09	10	11	12
11	Special Assembly for our School Leaders		Grade 6 Big Day Out		Last Day of Term 1.30pm Finish
	15	16	17	18	19



FAWKNER PRIMARY SCHOOL

TERM 1 - 2026

week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	JANUARY AUSTRALIA DAY - PUBLIC 26 HOLIDAY	27	FIRST DAY OF TERM 1 FOR STUDENTS 28	29	30
2	FEBRUARY 02	03	04	05	06
3	09	10	11	12	13
4	16	17	18	19	20
5	23	24	25	26	27
6	MARCH 02	03	04	05	06
7	09	10	11	12	13
8	16	17	18	19	20
9	23	24	25	26	27
10	30	School Photos 31	APRIL Tabloid Sports Carnival - 01 Whole School	Last Day of Term 1 2.30pm 02 Finish	

2026 STARTING SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR FOUNDATION STUDENTS

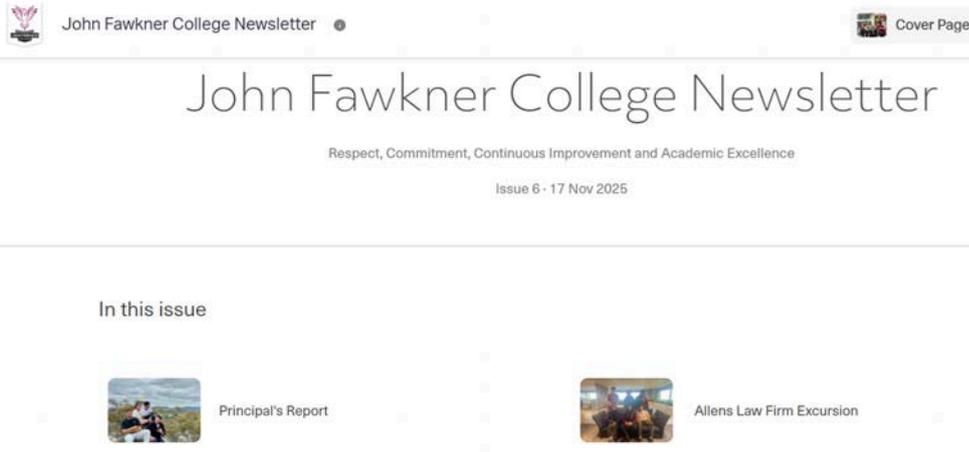
JANUARY

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1st New Year's Day 	2nd	3rd
4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
11th 	12th 	13th	14th	15th	16th	17th
18th	19th	20th	21st	22nd	23rd 	24th 
25th	26th Australia Day 	27th School Tomorrow!	28th 1st Day of School! 9:00 - 12:30 	29th 9:00 - 12:30 	30th 9:00 - 12:30 	31st Home Weekend 

FEBRUARY

1st FEBRUARY TODAY!	2nd 9:00 - 3:30 	3rd 9:00 - 3:30 	4th No School	5th 9:00 - 3:30 	6th 9:00 - 3:30 	7th
8th	9th 9:00 - 3:30 	10th 9:00 - 3:30 	11th 9:00 - 3:30 	12th 9:00 - 3:30 	13th 9:00 - 3:30 	14th

Testing - will be by appointment. Your child will be allocated a testing session. They will bring a note home with their time.



Many of our past students attend John Fawkner College (and many of our current students plan to attend)- see what experiences they have had this term.

[LINK TO JFC NEWSLETTER](#)

Brunswick Neighbourhood House



Dear Friend,

Please join us this Sunday 23rd of November for the Brunswick Multicultural Festival! Explore the program below and enjoy a vibrant day of free workshops, live music, performances, delicious food trucks, market stalls and tunes from DJ General Vibes. We can't wait to celebrate with you!

Event Details
Brunswick Multicultural Festival
Sunday 23rd November
10:30am - 2:30pm
Warr Park & Brunswick Neighbourhood House
43A De Carle Street, Brunswick

From the team at,
Brunswick Neighbourhood House

What is happening, when and why?

From **10 December 2025**, social media platforms must take reasonable steps to deactivate social media accounts held by children under 16 and prevent new accounts. A “social media platform” is one that enables social connection and user interaction. The Online Safety Amendment (Social Media Minimum Age) Act 2024 introduced these restrictions to delay exposure to social media risks and to allow time for digital literacy and maturity.

Which platforms are affected?

As of November 2025, the following platforms are included:

- Facebook • Instagram • Snapchat • TikTok
- YouTube • Threads • Reddit • Kick
- X (formerly Twitter)
- Twitch

This list is subject to review. Platforms may be added or removed over time.

Children under 16 can still use **YouTube Kids** and view regular **YouTube** without logging in (with limited functionality).

Will children under 16 break the law if they continue using social media?

No. Children, parents, carers, and teachers will not face penalties. Platforms are responsible for enforcement and may face fines if they fail to comply.

What about existing content?

Platforms may deactivate accounts for users under 16 instead of deleting them, but this is not guaranteed. Encourage your child to download any data they want to keep (such as posts, chats, photos, and videos) before December 10.

Can under-16s bypass the limit?

No system is perfect, and some children under 16 may try to bypass age restrictions, similar to other age restricted activities. Platforms must take steps to prevent this, including blocking fake IDs, AI tools, deepfakes, and VPNs that disguise location.

A GUIDE FOR PARENTS AND CARERS HOW TO USE AN INTERPRETER TO CONTACT YOUR SCHOOL

This free* interpreting service is available for parents and carers to communicate key information about their child's education. This service is available Monday to Friday, between 8:30am and 6:00pm.



The telephone numbers and languages listed below are designed for parents and carers to call a school.

Step 1. Have the phone number of the school ready to give to the interpreter.

Step 2. Find your language in the list below.

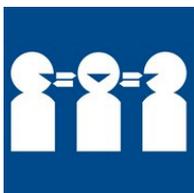
Step 3. Use the phone number for your language to connect with an interpreter.

Step 4. Tell the interpreter the name and phone number of the school.

Step 5. The interpreter will call the number you have provided and connect you with the school.

Step 6. The interpreter will stay on the call and interpret until you're finished.

<u>Arabic - العربية</u>	038820 1504	<u>Pashto - پښتو</u>	038820 1519
<u>Assyrian Neo-Aramaic - ܐܘܪܝܝܢܐܘܪܝܝܢܐܘܪܝܝܢܐ</u>	038820 1505	<u>Persian - فارسی</u>	03 8820 1520
<u>Burmese - မြန်မာစာ</u>	03 8820 1506	<u>Punjabi - ਪੰਜਾਬੀ</u>	0388201521
<u>Cantonese - 廣東話</u>	03 8820 1507	<u>S'gaw Karen - ကညီကျိ</u>	03 8820 1522
<u>Chaldean Neo-Aramaic - سوره</u>	038820 1508	<u>Samoan - Gagana Sāmoa</u>	03 8820 1523
<u>Dari - دری</u>	038820 1509	<u>Somali - Soomaali</u>	03 8820 1524
<u>Dinka - Thuɔŋjäŋ</u>	03 8820 1510	<u>Spanish - Español</u>	03 8820 1525
<u>Hakha Chin - Laitong</u>	03 8820 1511	<u>Swahili - Kiswahili</u>	03 8820 1526
<u>Hazaragi - هزارگی</u>	038820 1512	<u>Tamil - தமிழ்</u>	03 8820 1527
<u>Hindi - हं द</u>	03 8820 1513	<u>Thai - ภาษาไทย</u>	03 8820 1528
<u>Khmer - ខ្មែរ</u>	03 8820 1514	<u>Tigrinya - ትግርኛ</u>	03 8820 1529
<u>Malay - Bahasa Melayu</u>	03 8820 1515	<u>Turkish - Türkçe</u>	03 8820 1530
<u>Mandarin - 普通话</u>	03 8820 1516	<u>Urdu - اُردُو</u>	038820 1531
<u>Nepali - नेपाली</u>	03 8820 1517	<u>Vietnamese - Tiếng Việt</u>	03 8820 1532
<u>Oromo - Afaan Oromoo</u>	03 8820 1518	<u>Zo - Zomi</u>	03 8820 1533



Learn more about the
[National Interpreter Symbol](#)

**For all other languages, please contact 03 9605 3053
and connect with our operator who will help you.**

This service is not available to parents and carers of full-fee-paying international students.
Please contact the school directly to arrange an interpreter.

*Standard Call Charges Apply

School Holiday Program January 2026

Brunswick East Primary School

195a Stewart Street, Brunswick East Ph: 0408561026 (only operational during program)



Monday 5	Tuesday 6	Wednesday 7	Thursday 8	Friday 9
<p>Art - Pasta Necklace Create your very own coloured funky pasta jewellery accessory that's as fun to make as it is to wear or gift to someone special.</p> <p>Science - The Fidget Ball Using everyday materials like balloons and flour (or rice), children create their own squishy, squeezable stress ball to play with.</p> <p>Craft - Origami Butterflies You will be amazed to find that you don't need many craft supplies to make these adorable colourful butterflies, you can even hang them in your bedroom at home.</p> <p>Science Experience - Lemon Volcano Using Lemon and vibrant colours you will be amazed to see the fizzing bubbles, and foamy eruptions in front of your eyes. Turn a simple science experiment into an exciting science adventure.</p> <p>Sport - Ball Games Let's enjoy some exciting ball games. Some may be new to you and some you already know,</p>	<p>INCURSION – Merri-bek Senior Citizen Visit 10.30AM-12.30PM This morning, we will enjoy the company of some of Merri-bek's residents. We will hear stories about their childhood, games they played with friends and enjoyable stories about their school years.</p> <p>Cooking - Cookie Fruit Sandwich A fun and tasty activity where kids layer fresh fruit between two cookies to make a colourful, sweet treat to enjoy!</p> <p>Art & Craft - A4 City Let's use your imagination and get creative to learn more about the realm of architecture by building your very own city.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Paper Crown Get creative and design your own royal paper crown!</p> <p>Sport - Dodge Game Join in on a fun dodgeball game with your holiday program friends. Group games teach children the importance of fair play and the essential social skills.</p>	<p>Art & Craft - Blow Painting Create beautiful, colourful patterns using straws and paint! Blow the paint onto paper through the straws to make some unique and fun designs.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Rock Monsters Transform ordinary stones into colourful creations to decorate in your very own garden at home.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Banjo Making A fun and eco-friendly craft where kids use old lids to create a body of a banjo, stretching rubber bands over them for strings and attaching a stick as the neck.</p> <p>Science - Play Dough This activity is a fun, hands-on project where kids can mix and create their own colourful playdough from simple kitchen ingredients and enjoy throughout the day.</p> <p>Sport - Musical Statues A lively game where kids dance to music and freeze like statues, when the music stops. Great for fun, listening skills, and body control!</p>	<p>Environment - Nature Walk Get ready to head out to the back of the school and see what bugs and creatures you can find. We might even make a hotel for them to stay in!</p> <p>Art & Craft - Sand Art A fun and colourful craft where kids create beautiful designs by layering or sprinkling coloured sand onto sticky surfaces or inside bottles.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Waterlily Pond Make your own waterlily pond with paper lily pads and fish. Use your fine motor skills while creating the love of colour.</p> <p>Art & Craft - String Art A fun and creative activity where you use classic art projects you'll ever try. Use any string to create beautiful artworks you can admire.</p> <p>Group Games - Capture the Flag Capture the flag is a classic childhood game that requires lots of energy but also requires strategy and teamwork.</p>	<p>Cooking - Fruit and Chocolate Pizza Let's chop the fruits and melt the chocolate to make yummy fruit and chocolate pizza.</p> <p>Creative - Funny Sock Puppets Bring an old odd sock from home and let's make a new friend. Use as many googly eyes and materials as you want to make them look as cool and as funky as possible.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Pokémon paper plate Poké Ball paper plate craft is a fun activity</p> <p>Design a crooked funny face on a peg. No laughing required!!!</p> <p>Sport: Down ball Competition Enter Brunswick East's down ball competition, and see if you can become the ultimate champion.</p>
Monday 12	Tuesday 13	Wednesday 14	Thursday 15	Friday 16
<p>INCURSION – Summer Multi Sports 10.00AM-11.20AM Join in as the AUS Open Tennis & Cricket Test series filter through our Australian summer sports calendar. You will have the chance to try your hand at some new skills on the court or field and challenge a game of match play.</p> <p>Cooking – Fairy Bread We are making the most delicious and colourful fairy bread to enjoy as a treat.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Paper Bouncy Frog Hop into creativity with this fun paper frog craft! Children can fold, cut, and decorate their own jumping frog.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Paper Windmill A fun craft where kids fold and pin colourful paper to make a spinning windmill.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Pop Stick Craft Learn some new skills and make a pencil holder using coloured pop sticks.</p> <p>Sport - Capture the Flag Capture the flag is a classic childhood game that requires lots of energy but also requires strategy and teamwork.</p>	<p>Art & Craft - Tie Dye Let's make beautiful Tie Dye T-shirt to wear loud and proud this summer. Bring your own white t-shirt and learn the skill of tie dye.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Floral Butterfly Arrangement Join us for a creative and fun-filled holiday craft activity where you can design your own Floral Butterfly Arrangement!</p> <p>Crown Making Decorate with colourful paper, glitter, and gems to make your very own sparkly unique crown.</p> <p>Science - Magic Milk Today you will witness colours exploding and morphing in this exciting new experience.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Parachute Making Let's create our own mini parachutes and put them to the test on the oval outside, will they fly up high into the sky!</p> <p>Sports - Musical Chairs Dance around chairs while the music plays! When it stops, quickly grab a seat, the last one to sit on the last chair will become the winner!</p>	<p>EXCURSION – Crocs Indoor Play Centre Epping. 9.00AM-3.00PM A huge indoor playground with jumping castles, slides, climbing frames and much more. Test your climbing and jumping skills with friends. Don't forget your socks!</p> <p>Art & Craft - Diorama Craft A creative 3D project where kids build miniature scenes inside a box using paper, clay, and small objects.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Bubble Wand Create your own magical bubble wand and enjoy endless bubbly fun! Use pipe cleaners, beads, and your imagination to shape a wand that's perfect for blowing big, beautiful bubbles.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Floral Tree Create your own charming floral tree using colourful clay and small tree branches.</p> <p>Sports- Egg Race The classic egg and spoon race! Who hasn't our seen the chaos of fun when trying to balance an egg on a spoon, shuffling forward with full concentration.</p>	<p>INCURSION – Splashtastic 1.00PM-3.00PM Cool down with some super fun water games. Partner battles, team challenge and so much more. Be prepared to get wet and completely drenched by the end of the incursion. Remember to bring along some spare clothes.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Pompom Bookmark Join us for some fun in creating a pompom bookmark! Children will learn to transform Popsicle sticks into beautiful bookmarks.</p> <p>Art & Craft - 3D Flower Card Let someone know how blooming awesome they are with this 3D flower card!</p> <p>Art & Craft - Paper Fan Make your own colourful fan using just paper to beat the heat this summer.</p> <p>Sport - Scavenger Hunt Get ready for an exciting adventure! Join our nature scavenger hunt. Search for things in the playground and share your interesting finds with your friends.</p>	<p>Art & Craft - Mug Decoration A fun and artistic activity where kids use ceramic paints or markers to decorate plain mugs with their own designs.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Star Magic Wand What would you do with a magic wand? Use your imagination and see if your wished will come true.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Pompom Wall Decoration This pom-pom wall decoration activity is a fun and creative craft where kids use natural sticks, colourful pom-poms, and wool to make beautiful hanging decorations.</p> <p>Science - Seed Planting We will be introducing children to gardening, a project that involves growing seeds and talking about the seed's growth cycle.</p> <p>Sports - Ballon Tennis Balloon tennis is a fun and easy activity for all ages. It only takes a couple of supplies to create the rackets and then you can let the fun begin.</p>
Monday 19	Tuesday 20	Wednesday 21	Thursday 22	Friday 23
<p>Cooking - Chocolate Truffles A simple no-bake cooking activity where kids mix, roll, and decorate their own chocolate truffles, then get to enjoy them as a treat.</p> <p>Art - Face Painting A fun and imaginative activity where kids' faces are transformed through paint. Choose your favourite animal, superheroes, or anything you dream to be.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Glove Chicken Turn an ordinary glove into a cute and quirky Chicken. Using craft gloves, feathers, googly eyes, and more, kids can create their own clucking masterpiece.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Little Fairies A magical craft where kids cut and decorate fairy shapes from cardboard using paint, glitter, fabric, and wings made from paper or leaves.</p> <p>Games - Dance Party A high-energy activity where kids dance to fun music, play movement games, and express themselves freely. Great for exercise, coordination, and pure fun and joy!</p>	<p>EXCURSION – FoMo Cinemas Brunswick East 9.00AM-3.00PM Relax and enjoy a latest new release film at FoMo Cinemas. Our private room has recliners for everyone! The film choice will be rated either G or PG depending on the movie releases at the time.</p> <p>Art & Craft - 3D Face A fun and artistic craft where kids create a face using cut and folded paper to add 3D features like noses, eyes, and mouths.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Catapult A cool STEM craft where kids build a simple catapult using popsicle sticks, rubber bands, and a spoon to launch small objects.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Paper Pumpkins A festive craft where kids cut, fold, and decorate paper to create colourful pumpkins of all shapes and sizes.</p> <p>Sports - Silent Ball Using the strength of concentration can you master tossing a soft ball around the room in complete silence. Drop it or make a sound, and you're out!</p>	<p>INCURSION – Mind Body Circus 10.00AM-12.00PM Join us for a blend of fun and challenging activities. Participate in active games as well as explore circus skills like juggling, hoop trick, spinning plates, flower sticks and much more.</p> <p>Art & Craft - God's Eye Weave colourful yarn around simple wooden sticks to create beautiful, symmetrical designs that symbolise protection and connection.</p> <p>Science - Kinetic Sand A fun DIY sensory activity where kids mix sand, cornstarch, and oil to create soft, mouldable kinetic sand.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Basket Weaving A hands-on craft where you weave strips of paper, yarn, or natural materials to create their own small baskets to take home to store some of your favourite things.</p> <p>Sport - Ball Games Have a great day playing many different types of games. Such as, Chinese wall, dodge ball, octopus and head down & head up game, etc.</p>	<p>INCURSION – Duck Cameron 1.30PM-2.30PM Get behind the smoke and the mirrors and learn some of the secret magic tricks of a magician along with a fun filled show full of magical surprises.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Clay Sea Creatures With the use of clay create your own sea animals, shells, and plants, arranging them into a seascape of beauty.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Paper Lantern Looking for a trendy and fun idea for your summer and party decorations this year? Then grab these neon papers and join us in making cool paper lanterns.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Hamma Beads Bracelets We all love hamma beads, so let's make cool hamma beads bracelets this holiday program.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Collage Art Cut out scrap paper or magazine scraps and mix with drawing to make your own creative masterpiece.</p> <p>Games - Animal Charades Act like your favourite animal no words allowed! Can others guess what you are.</p>	<p>Cooking - Rice Paper Rolls A tasty and hands-on cooking activity where kids fill rice paper with veggies, noodles, and more to make their own fresh rolls.</p> <p>Science - Magical Potion Fizz Powder A fun and fizzy science activity where kids mix colourful powders (like baking soda and citric acid) with water to create bubbling "magic potions."</p> <p>Art & Craft - Squishy Paper Toy Kids design and decorate their own paper toy, stuff it with soft filling, and tape it shut to make a fun, squeezable squishy.</p> <p>Art & Craft - Clay Cloud Ornament A sweet craft where kids shape soft clay into fluffy cloud designs, then decorate and hang them as ornaments.</p> <p>Games - Water Play Bring your own spray toys, no guns, a towel and change of clothes. Time to have fun and get wet!</p> <p>Sports - Down Ball Let's develop your down ball game skills during the holidays. You too can become king. Go for it!</p>

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CELEBRATING ONE YEAR BACK AT FAWKNER LEISURE CENTRE

Friday 5th December | 3pm–6pm

It has been one year since Fawkner Leisure Centre reopened! Celebrate with ice cream, popcorn, fairy floss and pool inflatable. Bring the family and have some fun. No need to book – standard entry fees apply.

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END OF SCHOOL PARTY AT COBURG OLYMPIC SWIMMING POOL!

Friday 12th December | 3pm-6pm

Celebrate the end of the school year at Coburg Olympic Swimming Pool! Join us for an afternoon of fun with popcorn, fairy floss, and giant pool inflatable. No need to book – standard entry fees apply.

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END OF SCHOOL PARTY AT OAK PARK SPORTS AND AQUATIC CENTRE

Friday 19th December | 3pm–6pm

Celebrate the end of the school year at Oak Park Sports and Aquatic Centre! Join us for an afternoon of fun with popcorn, fairy floss, and giant pool inflatable. No need to book – standard entry fees apply.

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