

## FINGAL HEAD PUBLIC SCHOOL

### Dates to remember...

#### Term 2 Sport—Athletics

- ◆ Thursdays

#### Library borrowing

- ◆ K-2 Thursday
- ◆ 3-6 Thursday

#### Religious Education

- ◆ Resuming Term 2

#### Story Dog with Meg and Kyah

- ◆ Commencing 4 May

#### Parent/Teacher Interviews

- ◆ TBA

#### Friday Breakfast

- ◆ Commencing 6 May

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#### School Photo Day

- ◆ Friday, 29 April

#### NAPLAN—Yrs 3 and 5

- ◆ 10 May to 16 May

#### Pirate Day

- ◆ Friday, 13 May

#### P&C AGM—Rescheduled

- ◆ Friday, 13 May

#### Get Hooked Fishing Program

- ◆ Monday, 1 June

#### Dorroughby Incursion Years K-2

- ◆ Wednesday, 8 June

#### Small Schools Athletics Carnival

- ◆ 21 and 22 June

#### Last Day of Term 2

- ◆ Friday, 1 July

*We welcome our students and families back to Term 2, and hope everyone had an enjoyable holiday!*

Our School Newsletter will continue to be sent out fortnightly. We will print and upload these to the School Stream App and the School Website.

Important updates will be sent out on School Stream if necessary. Please register for School Stream if you have not already done so.

### Our School Cross Country

Our School Cross Country was held in the last week of Term 1.

Congratulations to all of our students who participated! Based on times, Kobe, Maddison, Ezra, Olivia, Derayne, Jaidyn, Cai, Callum and Zalia will progress to the District Cross Country which is to be held on Friday, 13 May at Bilambil.

Many thanks to Crystal and the P & C for supplying the fruit, and to our parents who were able to help out on the day.

### Student Photos -This Friday

This Friday, 29 April is our School Photo Day. The students have been given their individual photo envelopes and sibling family envelopes. These went home at the end of last Term.

If you wish to purchase Student Photos, please return your envelope with the correct money enclosed prior to Friday.

Orders and payments can be processed online also. Included on the envelope is your child's name and order identification barcode.

If you require school uniforms please, organise these prior to the day to avoid delays on Student Photo day.

### Term 2 Sport-Athletics

The students will continue their athletics coaching again this Term with funding from the Sporting Schools grant.



The children enjoyed this in Term 1 and the extra training will prepare them for our Small Schools Athletics Carnival being held in June.

Dave from Athletics Australia will commence the 6 week program tomorrow, Thursday, 28 April.

### End of Term 1 Fun Day

The students had a fun day on the last day of Term 1, with the Easter Hat Parade and Jump Rope for Heart.

\$260 was raised for the Heart Foundation.

### P&C—AGM—Rescheduled

Unfortunately we have had to reschedule our P & C Meeting and AGM. This will now be held on Friday, 13 May at 3pm.

We look forward to seeing you all and welcome your support.

### COVID-19 update

Students must not attend school if unwell, even with mild symptoms. Any student with any COVID-19 symptoms must be sent home and not return to school unless:

- ◆ they have negative COVID-19 test result and are symptom free
- ◆ they have obtained a medical certificate stating their condition

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### Story Dog Program

The Story Dog reading program will recommence this Term. The program focuses on children in Year 2, although Meg is happy for all our K to 2 students to have the opportunity to be included in the program.

Our Story Dog, Kyah and her handler Meg will come to the school each week for a 2 hour session.

The children involved in the program have received a consent form to be completed and returned to the school prior to their participation in the program. Children without a signed consent form will not be included in the program. This is a Story Dog requirement.

*Many thanks to Meg and Kyah for bringing this program to the school once again.*

### Friday Breakfast

Friday breakfast will recommence next week on Friday, 6 May at 8.30am. No early arrivals please.

### Reminder.....

### Parent/Teacher Interviews

Our parent/teacher interviews will be conducted this Term.

Teachers will be in contact with parents to arrange a suitable time and date.

### Dorrourby Environmental Education Centre—Camp

New dates for Year 3-6 camp will be Wednesday, 2 November to Friday 4 November 2022.

Please return the Consent Form with a \$50 deposit as soon as possible to confirm a place in our year-ly camp experience.

Full payment of \$200 is due by Friday, 23 November 2022.

### Fingal Head PS Bumper Stickers

Our P & C have designed and are selling our Fingal Head Public School stickers. Stickers can be proudly placed on your car as a bumper sticker if you wish!

Bumper stickers can be purchased from the school by completing the attached order form and returning it to the school with payment.

Stickers are \$5.00 each or 3 for \$10.00

### Late Arrivals and Early Departures

It is Department Policy that all students arriving late or leaving early MUST present at the office to be marked in the roll.

We have received a directive from the Department that absences such as sleeping in, traffic conditions etc must be marked as unjustified in the roll. For other reasons such as sickness, family concerns and appointments, please present a note marked with the date and reason for lateness or early leaving.

If your child presents at the office without a parent or a note we must mark the absence as unjustified. Thank you.

### Sushi Lunch

Don't forget to put your Sushi order in each Thursday for the following **Monday's** lunch. An order form is attached to this Newsletter.

Please send in 1 order form per child with the correct money. Orders **MUST** be returned in an envelope with payment to school by Thursday each week for your child to receive their order the following week.

### School Website

A reminder to check our school website for updates. You will find our weekly newsletter on this also.

Occasionally photographs are taken of individual students or classes and may be included on our School Website. If you DO NOT wish your child's photo to appear on the Website please notify the school.

### School Travel

Applications for 2022 school travel are available via [www.transportnsw.info/school-students](http://www.transportnsw.info/school-students)  
A new application is required if you are applying for a travel pass for the first time; enrolling in Kindergarten or requesting an additional entitlement as a result of a shared parental responsibility situation. New bus passes will be mailed to the school within the next 2 weeks.

### Online Payments

Parents can make online payments to the school for amounts owing for students, via a secure payment page hosted by Westpac. Payments can be

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made using either a Visa or MasterCard credit or debit card, and can be made via computer, tablet or mobile phone.

The payment page is accessed from the front page of the schools website by selecting [\\$ Make a payment](#).

Items that can be paid include voluntary school contributions, subject contributions, excursions, sales to students and creative and practical arts activities. There is also a category called 'Other' this to cover items not covered in the previous headings, Other can be used to make a complete payment of a school invoice.

When you access the [\\$ Make a payment](#) you must enter:

- ◆ the students name, and class and reference number

OR

- ◆ the students name, and date of birth.

These details are entered each time you make a payment as student information is not held within the payment system. **There is also the option to enter the Student Registration Number and Invoice number if you are aware of them, these are optional fields OR there is also the option to enter the Student Registration Number and Invoice number these are not used at our school, please leave blank.**

This is a secure payment system hosted by Westpac to ensure that your credit/debit card details are captured in a secure manner, these details are not passed back to the school.

You have the ability to check and change any details of the payment before the payment is processed. Receipts can be emailed and/or printed.

Details of the payments are passed daily to the school where they will be receipted against your child's account. As a receipt has been issued from the payment page a further receipt will not be issued by the school.

For any enquiries regarding the Online Payment process please contact the School Administration Office.

**Term Dates and Staff Development Days**

The last day of Term 2 will be Friday, 1 July for students and staff.

Staff Development Days—The first day of Term for Terms 3 and the last day of Term 4.

Students do not attend school on Staff Development Days. Students will commence Term 3 on Tuesday, 19 July.

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## FINGAL HEAD PUBLIC SCHOOL – SUSHI ORDER

Order for Monday, 2 May

Form & payment to be returned to school by Thursday, 28 April

Please enter the amount of sushi's you would like in the box next to the sushi & complete the details below

**\$2.50 per roll**

Chicken Teriyaki Roll

Chicken & Avocado Roll

Tuna Roll G/F

Tuna & Avocado Roll G/F

Salmon & Avocado Roll G/F

Avocado Roll G/F

Popper \$1 per popper

Name of Child: -- \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed (CASH ONLY):-- \_\_\_\_\_



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I would like to purchase \_\_\_\_\_ Fingal Head Public School Stickers.

I have enclosed \$\_\_\_\_\_ payment.

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