

Year 2 Newsletter



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**Term 4
Newsletter 1**

Welcome back to the last term of the year! During term 4 we have a number of activities to look forward to including our learn to swim program at the Ford Swimming Centre and our end of year 'This is Australia' school concert, and not to mention Christmas and end of year celebrations are just around the corner—stay tuned for more information about this throughout the term!

Year 2 Swimming Program Ford Swim Centre

This term will see the Year 2s participate in a 2 week swimming program during weeks 7 & 8.

Permission notes and information has now been sent out to all students. This year we will be walking to and from the Ford Swimming Centre next to St Pauls Traralgon. Students will swim each day Monday– Thursday over the 2 week block.

Students need to wear their bathers to school each day underneath their uniform, bring their hat, drink bottle and normal snack and lunch to school. As this is physically a busy time for the students an extra snack in their lunchbox might be a good suggestion in order to keep up their energy levels. Modified learning times will be conducted depending on the day and time that each grade swims.

Students will still get their adequate break and eating times. If parents have any questions please don't hesitate to ask.

ALL STUDENTS MUST WEAR A SWIM CAP IN THE POOL AT ALL TIMES DURING THE SWIMMING PROGRAM, THIS IS A REQUIREMENT OF THE CENTRE.

FORD SWIMMING CENTRE CAN SUPPLY CAPS TO THOSE STUDENTS WHO DON'T OWN ONE.



CAN YOU HELP?

The Year 2 classrooms are looking for any donations that we could add to our tinkering areas. Old computer parts, bikes, toys etc that are not needed that students could 'tinker' with or a donation of nuts, bolts, nails, screws etc would be greatly appreciated!

End of Year Concert

This year the end of year whole school concert theme is 'This is Australia!'

The year 2 classes are all doing songs by Australian artists that depict something unique about Australia.

2SL: Hunters & Collectors 'Holy Grail' - Australian Rules Football

2A: Jessie Bloch 'Home Among the Gumtree's and Vance Joy 'Riptide - Outback Aussie

2J: Jimmy Barnes 'Working Class Man' - Aussie Workers

Costume Ideas

2SL



Cheerleaders:

White t-shirt, navy skirt



Football Players:

Football Guernsey (any club) shorts (football if you have them otherwise Stocky shorts)

2A



Denim: shorts ,
jeans or skirt

White t-shirt

Flannelette top



2J



Denim shorts or overalls

White t-shirt or Hi-vis shirt

Flannelette top

Hard hat

Work boot

