

*OUR COMMUNITY IS COMMITTED TO
LEARNING, GROWING and ACHIEVING
TOGETHER.*

This week we welcomed our newly formed School Council at their first official meeting.

We are pleased to announce that Natalie Pahi has been elected as the returning School Council President and Chris Wood has taken on the role of Treasurer. We would also like to extend a warm welcome to our School Council members: Emily Doran, Tamara Simari and Tracy Bullen.

We sincerely thank all members for their willingness to give their time and contribute to the school. Serving on the School Council is a valuable commitment and we greatly appreciate the dedication, insight and care each member brings.

As the school holidays approach, this is a friendly reminder that when families are upgrading school shoes, they should be all black. They can be either runners or school shoes depending on your child's preference. Black shoes with a white sole are not acceptable, neither are any visible brand names. School uniform is an important equaliser in schools, it allows all children to be equal. It also promotes pride in the school and follows our STARR Values of Respect and Responsibility.

As we move into the holidays, I would like to wish everyone a safe a happy holiday and I hope everyone is able to spend time with the people they love and care for and we look forward to seeing you all in Term 2.

Finally, as a part of our community, please follow our Facebook page at [Fairhills Primary School | Melbourne VIC | Facebook](#) and our Instagram page at [fairhills.ps](#)

Tanya Burton
Principal



Our STARR Award for Term 1 goes to Ellie.



Ellie consistently demonstrates our school values of safety, teamwork, achievement, respect, and responsibility. She shows excellent teamwork by working and playing cooperatively with others, offering help and encouragement. Ellie approaches her learning with determination, embracing challenges, asking questions when unsure, and persisting when tasks

become difficult. She treats others with kindness and honesty, showing genuine respect in all interactions. Ellie also demonstrates strong responsibility by making positive choices both in the classroom and in the playground.

Congratulations!!



Calendar Dates	School Information
<p>April</p> <p>20th First Day Term 2 Life Education Incursion</p> <p>22nd Grade 3/4 Camp</p> <p>23rd Grade 3/4 Camp</p> <p>24th Grade 3/4 Camp</p> <p>27th Life Education Incursion</p> <p>30th SCHOOL PHOTOS</p> <p>May</p> <p>1st Fairhills Second Hand Uniform Assembly</p>	<p>Principal: Tanya Burton School Council President: Natalie Pahi Parents and Friends (PFA) President: Tamara Simari Lauren Thornton</p> <p>Phone: 9758 3007 Email: Fairhills.ps@education.vic.gov.au</p> <p>Absence notification: via Compass Parent portal or by phone. (This must occur prior to 9.30am on the day of a child's absence)</p> <p>Office Hours: for communication, payments and enquiries. Monday: 8.30am-4.00pm Tuesday: 8.30am-4.00pm Wednesday: 8.30am-4.00pm Thursday: 8.30am-4.00pm Friday: 8.30am-4.00pm</p>

Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club will be run on a Tuesday and Thursday during Term 2, 8.15am to 8.45am.

Thank you to our wonderful parent volunteers Tamara and Natalie who are running Thursday morning.



TERM TWO MINI EVENTS

PIKELET TUESDAY

Breakfast Club
Week 4
Tuesday 12 May



DAYTIME DISCO

Recess & Lunch
Week 6
Tuesday 26 May

SUPER SMOOTHIES

Breakfast Club
Week 8
Tuesday 9 June





SCHOOL
PHOTOGRAPHY

FAIRHILLS PRIMARY SCHOOL, FERNTREE GULLY

SchoolPix is coming to photograph on:

Thursday, 30 April 2026

SIBLING ORDERS

must be placed prior to 8am on
Thursday, 30 April 2026



Order at order.schoolpix.com.au

Orders with **FREE delivery**

to your school **CLOSE 5 WORKING DAYS** after your last photography session. A postage fee will apply for orders placed after this date.

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Thursday April 23
5:30pm - 8:00pm



Knox Government Schools Information Evening

An opportunity to meet the Principals and
school leaders from Knox Government
Primary and Secondary Schools

Knox Civic Centre

Primary School Information session
5:30pm and 7:00pm

Secondary School Information Session
6:00pm and 7:30pm



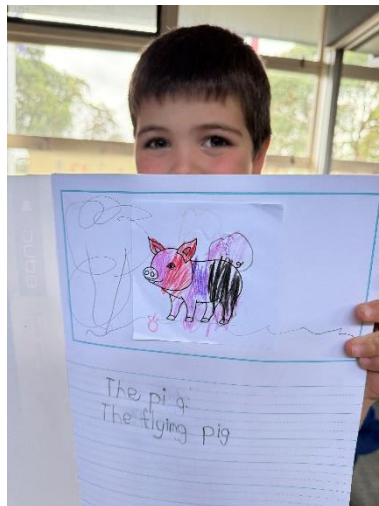
Junior News

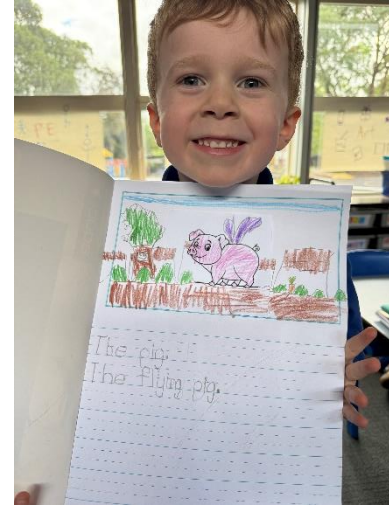
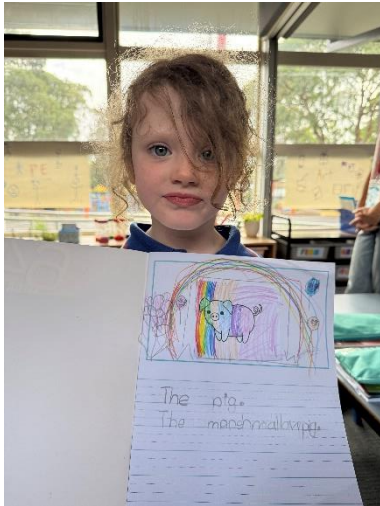
The last few weeks have been super busy and very engaging in the Junior School. We enjoyed the Fire Brigade visiting us and teaching us about safety in the home, the RACV visiting us and teaching us about safety on the roads and yesterday we went on a fabulous walking excursion where we got to track down land marks and signs, as well as enjoying a wonderful picnic in Fairpark!

On top of that, we have continued with our very busy learning in the classroom. Take a look at some of our fabulous photos.

Kind regards,

Brigid Minas, Jess Johnstone and Raelene Schumann





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Senior News



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GOOD CLEAN FUN

PLAY.AFL/AUSKICK

Fairpark Auskick Centre

Fairpark Reserve
Scoresby Road
Starting Saturday 2nd May
9:00am - 10:00am
No additional club fees!

ALL GIRLS GROUPS AVAILABLE

Free personalised training top



Additional sessions at no cost

