Term 4 No: 7 Friday 21st November

Message from the Principal

Stage Three Mogo Camp
From all reports, and the very tired looks on the Stage 3 student’s faces yesterday, I know the camp to Mogo was fantastic! A big thank you to Mrs Thurston, Mrs Lo Surdo and Miss Dejanovic, who accompanied our students. Take a look at our school Facebook page for some glimpses of the wonderful activities they were involved in. I can’t wait to hear more about this adventure.

P&C Meeting
This coming Wednesday we will be having our final P&C Meeting for the year. It will be held at Figtree Gourmet Kitchen and to ensure we have adequate seating please RSVP to the P&C’s email address no later than Tuesday fhpspc@gmail.com. The shortened meeting will be followed by dinner to toast another successful year supporting our students and Figtree Heights Public School.

Twilight Night
A reminder that the end of year Twilight Night is being held on Friday, 12th December from 5pm. This night encompasses a variety of activities and celebrations to finish the year off with a fun-filled community event. All FHPS students are invited to perform an item or two with their class, showcasing what they have been rehearsing at school (this is not compulsory, but enthusiastically encouraged). There will be food stalls and we will be finishing the night with the P&C Movie Event. It will be a wonderful night and a great way to say a big “THANK YOU” to our families and friends for the ongoing support throughout 2014. Please save the date!

Presentation Day
This year’s Annual Presentation Day will be held at Figtree High School Auditorium on Tuesday 2nd December. Parents and family members are more than welcome to attend. To ensure we have adequate seating for all guests can you please indicate if you are intending on being at the presentation and how many seats are required. Seats will not be reserved; however, we would like to ensure we have adequate seating for our guests. The schools email address is figtreehts-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Have a great weekend!
Warm regards,
Skye Hayward
SILVER Value Wristband Awardees
Well done to the following students....

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GOLD Value Wristband Awardees
CONGRATULATIONS to
The following students....

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EMERALD Value Wristband Awardee
Congratulations to the following student....

| 3/4D  | Nathan Mitrevski |

Presentation Day Award Sponsorship
Thank you to our families who have taken up the offer to assist with award sponsorship.
Your donations and support of our students is appreciated.

Annual School Presentation Day,
Year 6 Graduation Certificate Presentation
Tuesday 2nd December commencing 9.30am
at Figtree High School Auditorium

This year, for the first time, we are holding our Annual School Presentation at Figtree High School. This decision was made for the comfort of our families wishing to attend the event. The morning will commence at 9.30am with parking available in the Church of Christ carpark located next door to the school. The event will conclude at approximately 11am with a morning tea for award recipients and their families to follow, finishing at approx. 11.30am. Year 6 students will also receive their Graduation Certificates at this event.

It will be a very exciting day for our students and full school uniform is to be worn by all students. Our students will be bussed to and from the high school. Staff and award recipients will be bussed back at approx. 11.30am, after the morning tea. All other staff and students will be bussed back in time to have recess at school.

Sponsorship of Awards
Each year we seek sponsorship for the awards. This year award students will receive a $10 gift-card in recognition of their excellent achievements in 2014. If you or a local business you know would like to sponsor one or more awards the school would be very appreciative. Sponsorship donations can be sent to the school office, receipts will be issued, and in recognition of your donation a thank you will be added to the Presentation Day program.

Figtree Heights staff appreciates your support of the school and students and look forward to seeing you on Presentation Day.
Happy Birthday to students who are celebrating their birthdays today, tomorrow and next week........
Paige Gibson, Poppy Tomczynski, Eva Davey

CANTEN COMMITTEE WANTED!!

Our school canteen 'The Hungry Figtree' is changing... it is getting a fresh new start!

We are looking for people to join our newly formed Canteen Committee.

As a committee member not only will you be involved in reviewing and changing our menu. You will assist in planning, assessing and managing our change and ongoing procedures and activities.

Shortly the committee will need to appoint new persons into the roles of management, roster coordination and purchasing.

If you are interested in joining the committee and other roles please fill in the below and return it to the office by Friday 6th December

Canteen Committee EOI
Yes, I am able to participate with the new canteen committee

Name:..............................................

Email:..............................................

Mobile..............................................

Would you like to be part of our Facebook (closed) group? ......

A HUGE Thank you to Eva Bonacina’s grandmother, Hanna, for covering our new infants home readers.

Sun Safe Reminder
As the weather is getting warmer please remind children to bring a drink and hat to school every day.
Canteen News:

Stickybeak insulated lunchbags $12 and wallets $10 are now available for sale at the canteen.

Canteen Roster
Mon, Wed & Fri – open for recess and lunch
Tues & Thurs – open for lunchtime snacks only

Mon  Trish Davey & Stephanie Wira
Tues  Cindy Ladmore & Jacqui Smart
Wed  CALENTEN CLOSED
Thurs Shari Fox & Fiona Rudd
Fri  Fiona Leo, Sonya De Bruyn & Taryn McCall

Useful Information

To download our school phone app go to the App Store on iTunes (Google Play for Android users), search for Figtree Heights and simply download. Username: community Password: figtreehtsp
Please make sure you allow notifications from Figtree Heights in your phone’s control settings.

$50 Voluntary School Contribution: P & C account BSB: 062644
Account No: 00900425

Uniform Shop is open Monday mornings from 8.30am – 9am for sales and fittings. We have limited stock remaining so please make your purchases promptly. Lowes Figtree are taking over as suppliers of FHPS uniforms. Stock will be available towards the end of the term. Thank you for your patience.

The Community Noticeboard is located outside near the office and is used to advertise local sporting groups and community groups who offer services to our students and families.

The canteen will be closed on Wednesday 26th November. Sorry for the inconvenience.

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New Rules have been issued
as a result of the NSW Labor
government's recent change in
the law.

Rules issued
8th September 2014.
What a STAR!

Take a look at the incredible artwork
**Artemisia James**
presented to the Big Fat Smile "Smarchies" exhibition last weekend.

There were 120 finalists and Artemisia was awarded a 'scholarship prize' - $150 worth of art classes!

Wow! What an achievement, Artemisia. I am sure we are going to see your artwork in a gallery one day!

CONGRATULATIONS!