

Fassifern Flyer

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Term 1 Week 9

Date 27/03/2018

Calendar 2018

Term 1

Wednesday
Week 2
7th February
To Week 9
28th March
DANCE

Thursday
29th March
Dance Concert &
**Easter Hat Parade

**Friday
13th April
Last Day of Term

1300 880 021

**School Security
Number**

1300 880 021

MOBILE

PH: 0447 224 900

*Please add any dates
marked with an asterisk to
your Term Calendar*

Principal's Message

Our annual AGM was held last Friday. I congratulate our new incoming committee.

President: Ashleigh Mitchell

Vice President: Hailee Versluis

Secretary: Alena Harragon

Treasurer: Deborah Lightfoot

Fundraiser: Hailee Versluis

Uniforms: Bonnie Berry and Emma Pex

I would also like to give a big thankyou to our outgoing members, Julie and Teleia who have worked tirelessly in their positions. I hope to see them continuing their close association with the school.

Schools do not run as well without the time, effort and input of our P&C members.

Meetings usually take about one and a half hours in the morning, but importantly function as the forum for all parents and carers to share ideas, raise issues, keep abreast of school activities and find opportunities to get involved in developing the wider school community. While we understand that time is a scarce resource for most families, we are only as effective as the community that comprises us. So I invite all parents and carers to attend our meetings when possible and encourage you to contribute when and where you can. Meetings take place in the school library so, when circumstances require, it's possible to bring children along – and they can read

or play games. Come along to the next P&C meeting on Friday, 4th May.

We didn't have a volunteer for our canteen coordinator. Please consider this role, maybe with a friend to share. Our only option would be to close, which would be a shame as it a great service to our parents and children. If you don't want to be co-ordinator, make the job easier by volunteering for canteen duty, even if it's only once a month. Please contact the office with available days.

Our Dance Performance and Easter Hat

Parade are on this Thursday, 29th. The dances will start at 1pm. This will be followed by a short break, while hats are plumed and then our parade, egg hunt and raffle will follow. Don't forget your egg donation and tickets.

Dance Clothing: As an extra bit of fun before the Easter break Thursday will be out of uniform.

Wilai are asked to wear a mix of red, white and/or blue.

Pirama are asked to wear jeans with a white t-shirt and optional cap.

Makoro are just in anything comfortable and appropriate to dance.

Please don't go to any trouble or expense. This is a relaxed and fun day.



Regards
Relieving Principal
Karen Baker

Office News!

Money and Notes Due:

- * Deposit for 5/6
Canberra Excursion Due
before May.
- * Outstanding Dance
Money.
- * Selective placement
form for High School.

Facebook Page:

Don't forget to keep up with
the latest school news via
Facebook or Fassifern PS
website:

- ◆ The Tree house - Meet
the Author
- ◆ Code Club
- ◆ Pirama Art Class

[www.fassifern-
p.school.nsw.edu.au](http://www.fassifern-p.school.nsw.edu.au)

Superstar Student: Scarlett Johnson

Our latest Superstar Student is Scarlett Johnson from Wilai. Scarlett is a quiet, conscientious and reliable worker. She is always respectful to staff and friendly and polite to her peers. Scarlett demonstrates our Care, Share, Achieve expectations consistently in the classroom and in the playground. She listens well to instructions and completes her work to the best of her ability. Scarlett is always helpful to the Kindergarten students in her class and sets a fine example for others to follow. Congratulations on your achievements, Scarlett! We love seeing your bright smile every day!



Wilai	Indy-Rose Tierney	Working hard in reading groups.
Wilai	Tia-Grace Sharp	Amazing effort in learning her sounds.
Wilai	Amelia Hearne	Great effort in reading.
Wilai	Campbell Parker	Trying hard in Mathematics.
Pirama	Taj Williams	Enthusiasm and focus in dance lessons.
Pirama	Decklan Hearne	Being a steady & focused learner.
Pirama	Isaac Solomons	Trying hard in all areas.
Pirama	Hugh Johnson	Great effort in dance lessons.
Makoro	Gabrielle Mapstone	Persistence in Maths.
Makoro	Garett Osbourne	Using great detail in writing.
Makoro	Regan Smith	Huge effort in writing.
Makoro	Hannah Smith	Great effort in all subjects.



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Wilai Pet Visit



School's back!

Make sure your kids are protected from headlice. For some handy tips on how to prevent head lice in your home click on this link for more information

www.moov.com.au/school-program/

CANTEEN ROSTER Term 1

Month April

WEDNESDAY

4th April

Deb

11th April

Deb

FRIDAY

6th April

Dallas &
Ashleigh

13th April

Hailee & Deb

P&C News

Please remember to send back raffle tickets and any donations of Easter Eggs before Friday.

**The Next P&C Meeting
will be held on Friday 4th May
at 9am in the Library
ALL WELCOME!**

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Pirama Art Class

Pirama had some wonderful volunteers come in to teach art last week. These are some photos of Pirama creating the artworks by tracing around a range of natural materials to create their own individual compositions.



Code Club!

Code Club is going well!

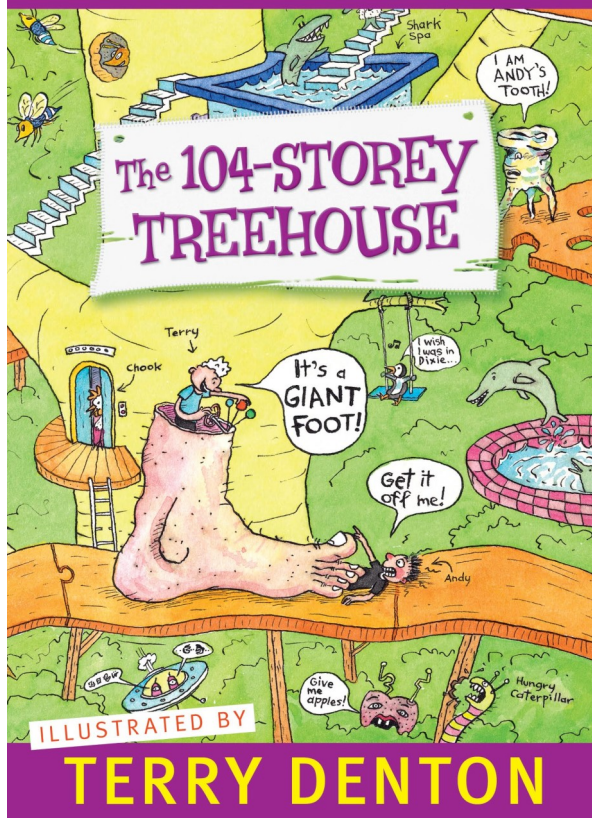
Last week they made their first animation.



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ANDY GRIFFITHS



The Treehouse Series - Meet the Authors

The Treehouse Series is a crowd favourite at Fassifern PS and the authors are coming to Newcastle.

See the below details or look at our Facebook page for details and book tickets if you can:

<http://www.newcastlewritersfestival.org.au/andy-griffiths-terry-denton>

What a fantastic opportunity for students to meet their favourite authors!

Also remember that all of the Tree house books are on The Premiers Reading Challenge Booklist and can be recorded on student personal reading logs.

VACATION CARE



COME & JOIN US THESE SCHOOL HOLIDAYS! WE WILL HAVE YOU REACHING NEW HEIGHTS, PARTICIPATING IN PROGRAMS SUCH AS:

GYMNASTICS TRAMPOLINING ATHLETICS TEAM CHALLENGES TABLOIDS
SCRAPBOOKING ARTS & CRAFT BUSHWALKING SCIENCE DRAMA

During these holidays, we have 2 new Vacation Care programs!! NINJA KIDS & MOVIE EXCURSION

Vacation Care is available from
MONDAY 16th April -
Monday 30th April
(closed public holidays)

7.30am - 6.00pm Meals Included

The Hunter Sports Centre also runs

Trampoline Holiday Programs, Skills Clinics, and all **NEW** Ninja Kids and Ninja Teen (inspired by the TV program, Ninja Warrior).

For further information, visit our website.

The Hunter Sports Centre has achieved a Meeting National Quality Standards rating under the National Quality Framework.



HunterSports
Centre

BOOKINGS FOR ALL PROGRAMS ESSENTIAL

Contact the Centre
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WHERE?

Toronto Baptist Church

186-192

The Boulevarde

WHEN?

9am to 12:30pm

April 16th - 19th

COST

**\$20 per child
for K - Y6**

(\$50/family)

Includes T-Shirt, all activities,
and morning tea each day

REGO

- **Online at** (closes 3rd April)
at torontobaptist.org.au

OR;

- **In person** at Toronto Baptist Church, Sat 24th March
9:30am - 12:30pm

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