**Principal’s Message**

Dear parents and caregivers

**High Achievement Morning Tea**
It was wonderful to acknowledge the terrific achievement of so many students at the High Achievement Morning Tea today. Congratulations to the students and their families.

**The Gardens**
I think you would agree that the gardens at Fairfield West PS are looking lovely due to the hard work of staff and students. I have had the pleasure on several occasions of taking home some greens grown in the garden including spinach, kale, parsley and mint which is delightful. On other occasions I have also had some beautiful flowers picked by Gizela the cleaner and placed in a vase in my office. So I would like to say thank you to all who make our school environment including the gardens so beautiful.

**School Photo’s**
Reminder that next week on Tuesday 20 October we have the school photographs, so shine those shoes!

**K-6 Assembly 16 October 2015**
Kindergarten will be holding their assembly tomorrow all welcome to attend.

**Grandparents Day 30 October 2015**
Grandparents play a huge and important part in so many children’s lives, we would like to acknowledge this through a celebration in the hall at Fairfield West PS. Grandparents please join us on Friday 30 October 2015.
A separate note will go home soon.

Hope the weekend is enjoyable for all.

Genelle Goldfinch
Principal

**2R & 2S Class Report**

Our bags were packed and our passports were ready! 2S and 2R have travelled the world looking at various types of transport. We learnt interesting things about various forms of transport used in different countries and used this knowledge to create our favourite mode of transport. Together, we had an amazing time!

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**Dates for your Calendar**

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**KINDERGARTEN ORIENTATION**

Kindergarten Orientation information letters have now been mailed to families who informed us about toddlers beginning school in 2016. If you or any of your friends did not receive one, please contact the school office.

We are looking forward to meeting our future students. The first session will take place on Monday 2 November 2015.

**HIGH ACHIEVEMENT MORNING TEA**

Congratulations to the students who received High Achievement Certificates at our special morning tea today.

**PUBLIC SPEAKING COMPETITIONS**

This week, students from Fairfield West Public School represented our school in the Fairfield School Education Area Public Speaking Competition at Cabramatta Public School. All students did a fantastic job at presenting their speeches to the Fairfield district and demonstrated exceptional behaviour throughout the whole process. Great work to Deana Caronna, Noah Sievier and Jessica Pal who participated in the competition and a big congratulations to Sarah Mithani who came Runner Up in the Kindergarten division!

A big thank you to Ms Bradford, Ms Sommer and Ms Singh for coordinating this event.

**PARTICIPATION IS OUR VALUE OF THE MONTH**

Students demonstrate participation by being proactive and productive individual and group members, and having pride in contributing to the social and economic wealth of the community and the nation.

Fairfield West Public School now has a Skoolbag App. Newsletters, dates can now be delivered straight to your smart phone. For instructions on how to download the app visit our School Website.

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**GRANDPARENTS’ DAY MORNING TEA**

To celebrate Grandparents’ Day, all grandparents are invited to join their grandchildren for Morning Tea on **Friday, 30 October at 11:30am – 1:00pm** inside the school hall. Please RSVP below and return to your child’s classroom teacher by **Wednesday, 28 October**.

There will be a Photo Booth, Hands-On Activities, Lucky Door Prizes and Morning Tea provided on the day.

Name of student: ____________________________________________________________ Class: __________________________

Number of grandparents attending: __________