



NORTHCOTE PRIMARY SCHOOL FETE

SATURDAY MARCH 2
10am - 4pm

Fete Newsletter 3

Here's the latest on the 2019 fete. If you would like to help out too, please contact those listed below, or send an email to npsfete@gmail.com.

Helen's Harvest

The 2019 Fete might feel like it's a long way away, but you can help now by making jams and chutneys in advance. There are thousands of recipes online, but here's a one to get you started. Don't forget to label your creations, including ingredients. Keep an eye out for more recipes in coming newsletters.

Easy Apricot Jam!

1 kilogram apricots
1/2 cup water
1/4 cup lemon juice
1 kilogram sugar
1tsp vanilla paste
(optional)



- Halve apricots and remove stones.
- Combine apricots, water and lemon juice in large saucepan or boiler. Bring to the boil, reduce heat, simmer, covered, 15 minutes, or until apricots are tender.
- Add sugar, stir constantly over heat, without boiling, until sugar is dissolved. Bring to the boil and boil, uncovered, without stirring, 30 minutes, or until jam will gel when tested on a cold saucer.
- Stir occasionally towards end of cooking to make sure jam is not sticking. Stand 5 minutes before pouring into hot, sterilised jars. Seal when cold.

Want to know more? Contact Kylie Chong (Edie, Grade 5) - kyliejchong@gmail.com

Plant Stall

In 2019 the Plant Stall will have a new coordinator – Mark Gillingham (Lucas, Grade 4, and Alice, Grade 2). Thanks to Mark for taking on this role.

Next year the plant stall will have plenty of native plants, veggies, herbs, houseplants and succulents to choose from.

If you want to help we would love to hear from you, we have many roles. You could be a plant seller, a plant grower, a plant collector (from our suppliers), or a plant arranger.

Now is the perfect time to think about collecting old teacups and taking cuttings from your favourite houseplants or succulents. If you start now they will be perfect in time for the fete.



Second-hand Donations

Donna Cassidy is collecting for the second-hand stalls at the fete.

We would love donations of good quality books, toys, bric-a-brac, clothes and small furniture (no electrical items).

Call or email Donna to arrange to drop off your goods.

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