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FRANKSTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

WANT TO PLAY SOFTBALL?

FREE COME & TRY DAYS / REGISTRATION

3rd SEPTEMBER 10:00AM - 12:00PM & 10th SEPTEMBER 12:30PM - 2:30PM

Football Park Sports Pavilion
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All Equipment Provided

Family Player Discount
All Welcome Boys & Girls
U13 Mixed, U15 Girls & Boys
U17 Girls & Boys
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Murray Rubinstein (Principal)

Friends Learning Together

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Students to dress up as their favourite book character or favourite Australian Animal.

Parade starts at 9.15am on lower basketball court.

All welcome to attend.

Friday 26th August
Basketball Lightning Premiership

PRINCIPAL’S REPORT

Olympics Day

What a wonderful day we had on Wednesday for our Olympics day. Our students participated in many varied activities, one being a sporting event and the other a craft or cultural activity.

Some groups made masks, others made Olympic torches and others made the Olympic Bird Mascot just to name a few. At 2:30 we had our closing ceremony and it was amazing to see what a wonderful show our students could put on after participating in a 40-minute activity. We had dancers and gymnasts and drummers and many others, who all contributed to a wonderful “closing ceremony.” It was also great to have an audience of parents at school to watch this special event. Thanks to Sally Graze-Moore and Jannelle Doyle for organising the day and a special thanks to our senior students who assisted as group leaders and did a wonderful job. Well done to all.

NAPLAN

We received our NAPLAN results for 2016 this week and there are a number of significant results that are evident. First of all we have had a huge improvement in writing which is most pleasing as this has been one of our major goals since our School Review in 2014. Although individual students’ scores vary, in reading our Year 3 students scored above the state average and our Year 5 students achieved 31% high growth (that is an improvement of greater than two years since students’ NAPLAN in Year 3 for 31% of our students.) The state average for high growth was 25%. While our Year 5 students were marginally below the state average in most areas, they demonstrated good growth figures from their year 3 results. Our average growth results were slightly higher than the state average in Reading, Writing and Grammar and Punctuation and only marginally below in Numeracy.

It is important to also understand that for some of our students, the NAPLAN tests are very difficult but every student tried their best with their work and should be congratulated for this. During semester 2 last year we introduced a new spelling program as we recognised that there was a need to focus on this area. Our spelling results demonstrate this and that is why we now have a major focus on trying to further improve in this area.

Morry Rubinstein (Principal)
HAPPY BIRTHDAY
TO THE FOLLOWING STUDENTS
CELEBRATING THEIR BIRTHDAY
THIS WEEK

Riley  Charlie  Adrian
Madison  Charlie  Kai
Elijah  Lewis

May the year ahead be a great one!
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NOTE: If you are planning to provide a class treat for your child’s birthday please check with your child’s teacher first to arrange a suitable time and to check on numbers of students in the class.

SPECIALIST AWARDS
PHYS ED with Mrs Kylie Crebbin
Irysh 1/2M
VISUAL ARTS with Mrs Janelle Doyle
Rhynona 5/6S
PERFORMING ARTS with Mrs Sally Grage-Moore
Przemek PR
CULTURAL STUDIES with Mrs Sally Grage-Moore
Shen 1/2G

ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS
CLASS AWARDS - THIS WEEK
PREP R  Caleb
PREP L  Chase
GR 1/2G  Senna
GR 1/2M  Haylee
GR 1/2H  Harshu
GR 3/4W  Emily
GR 3/4H  Kate
GR 3/4N  Joshua
GR 3/4M  Kane
GR 5/6M  Lucy
GR 5/6S  Kayla
GR 5/6F  Jase

SMOOTHIE CLUB AWARDS
The following children were commended for excellent behaviour and attitude for achieving personal goals set for them. These students joined in celebrations at Frankston Primary School’s Smoothie Club as part of the ‘YOU CAN DO IT’ program.

Commendable Behaviour Awards
Harrison  Angel
Riley  Benjamin
Elijah  Bailey
Cohen  Ru’a
Hatim  Genesis
Dave  Jase

Personal Goal Awards
- Congratulations kids keep up the great effort!

CANTEEN TREATS NEXT WEEK
WEDNESDAY  Custard with fruit  $2.00
(custard with banana and/or strawberries)
THURSDAY  Nachos  $2.50 ea
ICE CREAM FRIDAY
Ice cream cones on sale every Friday at lunchtime.
$2.00 each

FRANKSTON PRIMARY SCHOOL’S
Olympic Day Celebrations

SPECIAL THANKS
BUNNINGS BBQ
A HUGE thanks to all those parents and staff who volunteered last Saturday at Bunnings to help with our school’s sausage sizzle. It was a super day and a very successful fundraiser. We managed to raise just over $2000 profit for our school which is a wonderful result. We couldn’t do it without your help so THANKS again. Let’s countdown until the next one in 2017!

BREAKFAST CLUB
A BIG thanks to Lisa Hill one of our parents who heard that we were in need of some egg cups for our Sunnyside Up Club. Lisa purchased a whole set of egg cups for our school and today the kids enjoyed boiled eggs. THANKS Lisa, we really do appreciate your generosity and thoughtfulness.

UNIFORM SWAP/DONATE/SELL DAY
Due to the success of our last Uniform Swap/Donate/Sell Day held at school last term we have decided to hold another one in the last week of this term. We will certainly confirm the actual day with you shortly but in the meantime if you have any school uniforms in reasonable condition that you no longer need and wish to donate to the school then please send them along to the school office.
If you are wanting to swap or sell school uniform you must be at school in person on the day or organise another friend to do this on your behalf.
Keep a watchout in the school newsletter for confirmation of the actual day!