FRANKSTON PRIMARY SCHOOL
SCHOOL DENTAL SERVICE REMINDER

Frankston Primary School has agreed to support the Mobile Dental Service utilising the Child Dental Benefit Scheme.

In order to utilise this service at our school YOU MUST complete ALL consent forms and medical questionnaires that were sent home last week and return them to school as soon as possible. This service will only be offered at our school for a limited time so please be prompt with the return of all necessary forms.

Please note: It is necessary to complete a separate set of consent forms and medical questionnaires for each individual child. Using a team of accredited and experienced dentists Future Care Care Mobile Dental Service Victoria Pty Ltd (FCMDS) will provide high quality, on-site, general dental care to students in our school (who have consented to participate in the program) under the Child Dental Benefits Scheme (CDBS).

THANKS to all those parents who have returned forms already.

Jo Booth (Assistant Principal)

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COSTS OF NEWSLETTER ADVERTISMENTS 2012

Business card size: $15.00 (1x entry) $10(weekly/1 term)
1/4 page once: $25.00
(Costs include 10% GST)

Distribution of your own flyers to each family in the school: $25.00 (which includes school notice board display).

Advertisers may provide their own advertisement (email to: booth.joanne.c@edumail.vic.gov.au or “wording only” and design provided.

All our newsletters are made available on our school website www.frankstonps.vic.edu.au

NOTE: We reserve the right to refuse inappropriate advertising at our school and provide no guarantees for businesses or services advertised in this newsletter.

Don’t cope alone!
CALL PARENTLINE 24 HOURS - 13 22 89

FRI 10TH JUNE ‘CURRICULUM DAY’ FRI 10TH JUNE
“DON’T FORGET THIS IS OUR PUPIL FREE CURRICULUM DAY FOR REPORT WRITING AND STUDENTS ARE NOT TO ATTEND SCHOOL ON THIS DAY”

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FRANKSTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

MONTH OF MAY

Monday 23rd to Friday 27th
Library Book Fair
Opening Times
8:30 – 9:00am every day
3:30-4:00pm every day except Fri

Friday 27th
5/6 Interschool Sports

MONTH OF JUNE

Friday 10th
CURRICULUM DAY REPORT WRITING

Students are NOT required at school on this day so please mark this on your calendar.

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NAPLAN

The NAPLAN testing is now finished for another year and I would like to congratulate our students in Year 3 and Year 5 for their efforts. I was really pleased with our writing and although I didn’t read all of the stories before they were sent off, I can say that our students wrote many pages. Most of our year 5s wrote the maximum of three pages in the allotted time, and many year 3s were able to write two full pages and several were into their third page. The important thing was that each child effectively used paragraphs, each child remembered to use correct punctuation and throughout the stories each was enhanced with “powerful” words or phrases. Every child tried really hard with their tests and I am sure they did the best they could. If they were assessed for effort, they would have achieved 100%. Last week there was a letter that was circulated on social media regarding NAPLAN that I would like to share with you because every year when I write about the NAPLAN tests in the newsletter, I always mention that these tests are just a snapshot of your child on the day.

‘Dear Year 3 and 5 Students

Soon you will all sit the NAPLAN test. Before you take this test there is something very important for you to know. The test does not assess all of what makes you exceptional and unique. The people who score these tests do not know that you are loving, able to draw and can teach others how to use a computer program. They have not seen the way that some of you can dance or speak confidently to a large group. They do not know that your friends count on you to be there for them when they are sad. They do not know that you participate in sports, help your Mum or Dad or that you play with your little brother, sisters or cousins. They do not know that you are caring, thoughtful and that every day you do your best. Because these attributes cannot be tested.

The success you get from this test will tell you how you did on that day, but they will not tell you everything. They can’t tell you that you have improved on something you once found difficult. They can’t tell you that you brighten up your teacher’s day. They can’t tell you how amazingly special you are. So come to school ready to do your best for the NAPLAN test and remember there is no one way to “beat” all of the wonderful things that make you, ‘You’.

Hope you all have a good weekend.

Morry Rubinstein (Principal)
ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS
CLASS AWARDS - THIS WEEK
PREP R
Kalisha
PREP L
Abhishek
GR 1/2G
Oskar
GR 1/2M
Hans
GR 1/2H
Armani
GR 3/4W
Lachie
GR 3/4H
Kate
GR 3/4N
Max
GR 3/4M
Lucky
GR 5/6F
Genesis
GR 5/6S
Kai
GR 5/6M
Lola

SPECIALIST AWARDS
PHYS ED with Mrs Kyle Cribbin
Lisa 5/6S
VISUAL ARTS with Mrs Janelle Doyle
Eleanor 5/6S
PERFORMING ARTS with Mrs Sally Grage-Moore
Jack 1/2M
CULTURAL STUDIES with Mrs Sally Grage-Moore
Rasna 5/6M

SMOOTHIE CLUB AWARDS
The following children were commended for excellent behaviour and attitude OR 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
Przemek
Holly
Kalith
Alice
Dash
Pepper
Lucia
Charlie
Jacob
Cherie
Brooke
Tanika

Personal Goal Awards
Jonas

Congratulations kids keep up the great effort!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
TO THE FOLLOWING STUDENTS
CELEBRATING THEIR BIRTHDAY
THIS WEEK
Caleb
Kamila
Jonas
Bilal
Alannah
Zoe
Jack
Tyson

May the year ahead be a great one!

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.

HEAD LICE
We have recently had a few cases of head lice at school and are asking parents to ensure that you check your child’s hair and treat if necessary. Unfortunately children sit and play in close proximity to one another and this is how head lice quickly spreads. If all parents regularly inspect their child’s hair and can encourage them to tie their hair back, we will have a much, greater chance of keeping on top of this common school problem. Thanks for your cooperation with this matter.

LATE ARRIVALS
Just a reminder that if for any reason your child is late to school you MUST accompany your children to the office and sign them in. We have too many children arriving at school and bringing themselves into the office without an adult accompanying them. This is a safety issue and we ask that all parents comply with our request to escort their children to the office. Ultimately we would like to see all children arriving on time to school so that they are not missing out on valuable learning time.

LIBRARY NEWS
The Book Fair is Almost Here...
In conjunction with ‘Read More in May’ we are having a Book Fair at our school from Monday 23rd May until Friday 27th May. The Book Fair will be open from 8.30am- 9.00am and from 3.30- 4.00pm each day (except Friday 27th - only available before school) for book sales.

The proceeds from our Book Fair allow us to purchase more new books for our Library! Please note to ensure that students/ teachers are not responsible for large amounts of cash there is a limit of $30.00 cash for students to be able to bring to the Book Fair without a parent or guardians’ presence or written permission.

Please ensure this is handed to your teacher to be stored in a safe place in a clearly named envelope or wallet etc.

Remember you are welcome to attend the Book Fair with your children or grandchildren and credit card facilities are available.

Happy reading,
Janelle Doyle/Kelly Gosch.

Library Book Returns:
Just a reminder that Library books are a valuable and expensive resource. Keep your eyes peeled for those sneaky F.P.S Library books hiding under beds or tucked away on book shelves and please return these so others may use them.

ROTARY CLUB RAFFLE TICKETS
ALL BOOKS MUST BE RETURNED
Ticket selling has now ceased and it is vital that ALL books and money are returned to school immediately as our audit has now commenced.

Any LOST books will require a statutory declaration as part of the audit so please ensure your books are returned even if they are unsold.

Thanks everyone for your efforts with this great fundraiser.

CANTEEN TREATS NEXT WEEK
WEDNESDAY Spider drinks with ice-cream $2.00 ea
THURSDAY Nachos $2.00ea
(Corn Chips, cheese, tomatoes and sour cream)
ICE CREAM FRIDAY
Ice cream cones on sale every Friday at lunchtime.
$2.00 each

ICE CREAM FRIDAY

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Our Engagement Program this week focussed on how food impacts our mind and body. Children classified foods into ‘sometimes’ choices and ‘everyday’ choices and spent time sorting food into different categories. The children then enjoyed following a recipe for zucchini slice. It was great to see them all grating, chopping and mixing and discovering that vegetables really do taste delicious.

A HEALTHY ME

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Books vary in price and there is also a range of novelty pens etc for purchase through Ashton Scholastic.

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