



Friday 28th February 2025

Principal's Report

We have had a very busy start to the term, with the half-way mark already here!

School Council

Our School Council process has completed and I look forward to working alongside our 2025 School Council:

- Kylie Stillman
- Jeremy Martin
- Tracey Thompson
- Kimberly Conway
- Abbey Rentoul
- Bonnie Smith
- Scott Manuel

And staff:

- Jo Booth
- Janelle Doyle
- Michelle Rudolph
- Renée Kennedy (Executive Officer)

School Council's first meeting of the 2025 year is Tuesday March 11th.

We do have one more parent position available - this is a one year tenure position. If you are interested, please don't hesitate to make contact with me.

Parent and Carer Association

Our Parent and Carer Association had our first meeting last week and have started planning a couple of next activities:

- Stay and Play Family Activity - Friday 4th April 2.30pm Beauty Park
- 2nd Hand Uniform Shop Sales - Mon 24th March 3 - 3.45pm
- Mothers Day Stall - Date TBD.

We had some great conversations for further activities in the future - more information to come.

We also elected office bearers for our Parent and Carer Association:

- President - Jacqui Young
- Vice President - Kate Anderson and Megan Cambell
- Minute Taker - Gemma Pearce
- Treasurer - Bonnie Smith.

Further parent members include:

- Bronte Nathaniel-Hogg
- Linda Vickers
- Katie O'Connor

We would really love more parents and carers joining us for our meetings - our next meeting is scheduled for:

- Friday 21st March 9am - FPS staffroom

We hope to see you there!

Student Leadership Presentation Assembly

This Friday 7th 9.30am we have our School Captain, SRC and Year 6 Leadership Presentation Assembly, and are welcoming local State MP, Paul Edbrooke, to our school community to assist in these presentations.

Our school leaders have commenced all of their roles with passion and integrity over these weeks and we are very pleased it is time to 'officially' present them with their certificates and badges.

All welcome to join us in this very special occasion!



We are absolutely thrilled to share that The Fathering Project is returning to Frankston Primary School!

The Fathering Project is a super fun, cool way for fathers and father figures to connect, do fun activities at school with their kids, learn together and take a moment to for active involvement in your kids lives at school.

WHEN: Mon 31st March at FPS Hall

TIME: 7.50am - 8.50am

WHAT:

- Activities run by Dads for Dads and Father Figures
- Enjoy breakfast
- Participate in a fun activity
- Have fun chatting and talking
- Be connected at school.

Further information about the Fathering Project can be found at: <https://thefatheringproject.org/>

Further information about this event will come out soon! Stay tuned!



NAPLAN 2025

NAPLAN (National Assessment Program) is a national assessment that students in years 3, 5, 7 and 9 sit each year that assess student's progress through their school years.

Students complete NAPLAN testing online (apart from Year 3 Writing which is completed in paper NAPLAN booklets).

When does NAPLAN take place?

The NAPLAN testing period has been moved forward this year, with the testing window takes place from Wed 12 March and finishes on Monday 24 March.

How are NAPLAN results used?

- Parents and Carers may use individual results to discuss your child's learning progress with their class teacher
- Teachers use the testing results to help identify students who require further classroom learning challenge or extra support
- Schools use results to identify strengths and areas for improvement in the teaching of literacy and numeracy.

Parents/Carers can support your child in this time:

- Ensuring your child is getting to bed early so they have good sleep ready for the next day
- Develop smooth morning routines so children are at school on time and prepared for the day
- Talk to your child about the testing time - encourage them to not worry about the test and just simply to do their best, and that their best is great!
- Don't hesitate to talk to your child's teacher if you have any questions in regards to your child's participation.

We believe in your kids - they will be great!

Bayside District Swimming Trials

Last Tuesday seven of our students attended the Bayside District Swimming Trials. Our competitors arrived at Pines Swimming pool in chilly conditions, ready for the challenge ahead. Poppy, Troy, Anastasia, Peter, Paris and Harlem represented their school with pride and displayed great sportsmanship.

Our students should all be extremely proud of their efforts. Well done to our Frankston Primary School swimming superstars!

I'm extremely happy to inform you that Harlem has advanced to the Northern Peninsula trials for U12/13 Freestyle. The event will be on the 26th March at YAWA in Rosebud. Congratulations Harper this is a fantastic achievement and you should be very proud of your efforts.





Just a friendly reminder that all children are required to wear a school broad-brimmed hat during the months of August to the end of April.

August to end of April the following year is Sun Smart time - and a school broad-brimmed hat is a compulsory part of school uniform - keeping our students (and staff) safe from harmful UV rays through this high UV index period

Please remember to name your child's hat so that we can get it back to them in a timely fashion.

We all want our students to be able to learn and play outdoors, but as educators we need to support children and families to know the risk of UV. By teaching sensible sun protection habits from an early age and implementing sun protection measures, schools and early childhood services can play a significant role in reducing skin cancer risk.

[Sun-Smart-Policy-2022.pdf \(frankstonps.vic.edu.au\)](https://www.frankstonps.vic.edu.au/Sun-Smart-Policy-2022.pdf)



Dear Parents and Carers,
Our 2024 Leadership and SRC
Presentation Ceremony will take
place on Friday 7th March 2025 at
9.30am (sharp)
in the school hall.

Please be seated by 9.20am
We look forward to seeing you and
celebrating our 2025 leaders!



Lunch Time Activities



Exciting News!

Next week our Fun Time Lunch Time activities will be in full swing. Lunchtime clubs help to build student engagement, social skills and inclusion for all students. They support friendships and interactions within the school environment.

Fun Time Lunch Time will benefit the whole school community with:

- Improved peer-to-peer and teacher-student relationships and wellbeing
- A sense of personal empowerment and student voice
- Development of social and emotional skills
- Positive school climate

Look out for our Fun Time Lunch Time schedule, that includes gardening, art, music, mindfulness, sport and games.

Teachers will be talking in greater depth the students during our daily wellbeing check ins.



Hamburger Lunch

We have our next “Friday special lunch” coming up in March!
Order forms will go home with all students in the coming week.
Please ensure all order forms have been returned & paid for by the due date, to ensure that no one misses out!

What's Included: Hamburger with Patty, Lettuce, Tomato, Cheese & Sause Plus a drink

Date: Friday 21st of March

Cost: \$10.00



Canteen—Fundraising



Fruit Kabab With a Marshmallow

Recess

Tuesday 4th March \$3.50 Each



Chocolate Custard With Berries

Recess

Wednesday 5th March \$3.00



Hommus, Carrot & Corn Chips

Recess

Tuesday 11th March \$ 3.00



Cheese Toastie

Recess

Wednesday 12th March \$3.50



FRIDAY LUNCH TIME ICE CREAMS & ICY POLES!

Zooper Doopers \$1.00 Each

Ice Creams \$2.00 Each



****** Please note only 1 ice cream or zooper
dooper per child******





State Schools' Relief is proud to be delivering the Glasses for Kids program between 2024 and 2027.

Our school has been invited by the Department of Education to participate in this incredible opportunity!

Glasses for Kids staff and optometrists will visit our school and offer students who provide consent with initial vision screening and if required, further testing and glasses for **FREE!**

All screening and testing sessions will be completed during school hours

Who can participate?

Prep/Foundation to Year 3 students

Please feel free to visit the Glasses For Kids website [Glasses for Kids by State Schools' Relief](#)

Keep and eye out on Class Dojo for communication around the forms coming home with your child/ren in the coming days.





FPS Calander Term 1

WHAT'S ON

Monday 3rd March	School Assembly @ 2.45 in the school hall
Tuesday 4th March	Clean up Australia Day
Friday 7th March	Leadership Assembly—9.30am
Monday 10th March	Labour Day Public Holiday
Mon 12th – Mon 24th March	Years 3 & 5 Student NAPLAN Testing
Friday 13th March	Special Hamburger Lunch
Monday 17th March	School Assembly @ 2.45 in the school hall
Friday 21st March	Harmony Day (more Information to Come)
Monday 31st March— Tuesday 1st April	Glasses for Kids program years Prep—3
Monday 31st March	School Assembly @ 2.45 in the school hall
Tuesday 1st April	District Athletics Track 3 - 6 - selected students
Friday 4th April	Last Day of Term 1 Easter Bonnet Parade—9.15am—10am 2.30pm Dismissal
TERM 2	
Tuesday 22nd April	First Term 2
Thursday 24th April	ANZAC Day Assembly 9.15am—10am

Please note that this page will be updated each newsletter
as new events are schedule



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ENROL NOW FOR 2026

PREP 2026 OPEN MORNINGS AND AFTERNOONS *We look forward to meeting you!*

TERM 1:

Thurs 20 Feb 9.30 – 10.30am
 Tues 25 Feb 9.30 – 10.30am
 Tues 4 March 9.30 – 10.30am
 Thurs 6 March 9.30 – 10.30am
 Tues 18 March 9.30 – 10.30am & 4 – 5pm
 Thurs 20 March 9.30 – 10.30am & 4 – 5pm
 Tues 1 April 9.30 – 10.30am

TERM 2:

Tues 29 April 9.30 – 10.30am & 4 – 5pm
 Tues 13 May 9.30 – 10.30am
 Thurs 15 May 4 – 5pm
 Tues 20 May 9.30 – 10.30am
 Thurs 29 May 4 – 5pm
 Tues 10 June 9.30 – 10.30am & 4 – 5pm
 Tues 24 June 9.30 – 10.30am

Prep Parent Information Session

Thurs 1st May 6.30 – 7.30pm
 Thurs 5 June 6.30 – 7.30pm

TERM 3:

Tues 22nd July 9.30 – 10.30am
 Thurs 24 July 4 – 5pm
 Tues 29 July 9.30 – 10.30am

OR CALL US AND BOOK YOUR PERSONAL TOUR

Davey Street, Frankston, 3199 T: (03) 9783 3769 E: frankston.ps@education.vic.gov.au
www.frankstonps.vic.edu.au

Outside School Hours Care Newsletter



24/02/25

Frankston Primary School

**Your
OSHC.**



A message from you're your OSHC Team

Hello Families!

We have enjoyed some very, warm/hot days, so please ensure a bucket or wide brimmed hat is supplied for your child/ren during term 1, and sunscreen if they cannot have the generic brand. Sunscreen is needed for times when the UV is 3 and above.

The children have now practiced all 3 mandatory safety drills—lockdown, fire and medical emergency.

They have also celebrated Kindness Week and wrapped this up with a Kindness Disco. Week 5 is 'All about me' week where the children will learn about themselves and what makes them unique!



Activities coming up

- BIG ART Friday - 3D hand drawing
- Cooking experience—DIY oat milk and Anzac biscuits

Make a booking

Join in the fun of Outside School Hours Care activities and experiences with Your OSHC and Rocketeers.

[Book now](#)

Register free and book in 24/7 via our app

To attend our program, you must register your child. You can register an account with us at pp.campaustralia.com.au or by downloading our Camp Australia smartphone app from the Apple App Store or on Google Play. Once registered, it's easy to make bookings and manage your account.



Find out more and book now at www.campaustralia.com.au



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Federal election work

100,000 paid jobs.

Work before, on and after the day.



AEC

Australian Electoral Commission

Authorised by the Electoral
Commissioner, Canberra

Do you want to work at the polling centre!

The Australian Electoral Commission (AEC) has 100,000 temporary jobs available across Australia at the next election.

Although the date for the 2025 Federal Election is yet to be announced, we need to ensure we have the temporary workforce to run the event.

There are jobs available before, on and after election day.

All jobs are paid, no experience is required, and training is provided, although the candidate must be an Australian citizen, aged 18 years and above.

If you or anyone you know are interested in applying, please register your interests on the AEC website here: [Working at the Election 2025](https://www.aec.gov.au/working-at-the-election-2025)



AEC

Australian Electoral Commission

Make sure you're **enrolled to vote**.
Visit www.aec.gov.au

Community Aspire Optimism Respect Resilience Empathy Inclusion

Frankston Primary School: Term 1, Week 5 2025



Community News



We are delighted to invite Grade 5 and 6 students at Frankston PS to our Open Night at McClelland College. This is a wonderful opportunity for your senior students to explore our campus, meet our dedicated teachers, and discover all that we offer to support their growth and success after they graduate from Frankston PS.

Event Details:

Date: Monday 24th March

Time: 6pm-8pm

Location: 31Belar Ave, Frankston

- Throughout the evening, prospective families will have the chance to:
- Tour our classrooms and facilities
- Attend informational sessions about curriculum and extracurricular activities
- Discover the range of options offered as part of our McClelland Academy Program
- Meet our friendly staff and ask questions
- Learn about the various programs and support services available to our students

This event is open to all prospective families. We look forward to sharing the exciting things happening at McClelland College with your Children on the night.



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Community News



mentone girls'
secondary college

A government
school for
every girl
from
everywhere

Show & Tell Night

A student-led information evening for prospective families

7pm, Tuesday 29 April 2025



2024 VCE Results

Dux ATAR 99.30

Median Study Score 32

6th ranked non-selective
government school

24% ATARs 90+

48% ATARs 80+

Visit on a
typical day
Book a Tour

Mentone Girls' Secondary College, 175 Balcombe Road, Mentone Vic 3194
mgsc.vic.edu.au



Parent/Carer Resources

Parents Guide: Respectful relationships



Recommended quality
Australian texts



Guiding questions and
discussion prompts for
you and your child



PETAA
PRIMARY ENGLISH TEACHING ASSOCIATION AUSTRALIA
petaa.edu.au

Primary English Teaching Association Australia
*A national not-for-profit association supporting teachers to deliver
best-practice English and literacy instruction across the curriculum.*

Link: [Respectful relationships 260225](#)



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FRANKSTON LOCALS



\$5 BURRITOS

**MAD MEX BAYSIDE
8TH MARCH**



**RSVP
TO THE
EVENT**



MAD FOR IT

MAD MEX

AVAILABLE 8TH MARCH 2025, IN-RESTAURANT AT MAD MEX BAYSIDE ONLY. PRODUCT LIMITS PER PERSON MAY APPLY.



Community Sporting Clubs

Carwen Calisthenics



**FIRST 2 CLASSES FREE!
FOR ALL NEW MEMBERS.**



TOTS AGES 3-4:

SATURDAYS 9-9:45AM STARTING SATURDAY FEB 8TH

TINIES AGES 5-7:

SATURDAYS 9:30-11AM STARTING SATURDAY FEB 8TH



SUBBIES AGES 8-10:

TUESDAYS 4:30-7PM
STARTING TUESDAY FEB 4TH

JUNIORS AGES 11-13:

TUESDAYS 4:30-7PM
STARTING TUESDAY FEB 4TH

**ALL CLASSES HELD AT
FRANKSTON HEIGHTS
PRIMARY SCHOOL HALL**

FOR ALL OTHER SECTION INFORMATION
PLEASE GET IN TOUCH.



Carwen Calisthenic College



Carwencalisthenics



carwencc@gmail.com



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Community Sporting Clubs

HOOK in 2 HOCKEY! FRANKSTON HOCKEY CLUB

FIRST SESSION IS FREE!
ALL EQUIPMENT PROVIDED!



23 Feb 2025 – 30 Mar 2025, 0900-1000

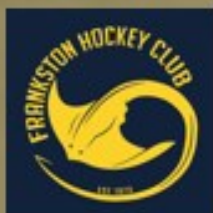


Peninsula Hockey Centre, 1-3 Bloom
St, Frankston, VIC 3977



juniorsrep@frankstonhockeyclub.com

SCAN ME





Community Sporting Clubs



BRUCE PARK NETBALL CLUB

BPNC is looking for players born
2016, 2017 & 2018 to join our Net Set Go
team in Winter 2025

CONTACT US TODAY!

bruceparknetballclub@gmail.com

COME &
TRY
NETBALL
JUBILEE
PARK
FRANKSTON



#team
kristenandjax



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Community Sporting Clubs



SOUTH EAST MELBOURNE
MAGIC
Ford
aussie
hoops



🌟 SEM Magic is honored to be an official provider of Basketball Australia's renowned introductory program, Aussie Hoops, the premier national program for children aged 5-10 years!

REGISTRATION & ENQUIRIES

🌐 www.semmagic.club
✉ admin@semmagic.club
☎ 9783 0642

TERM 1 PROGRAM

- 🕒 Friday 4:15-5:15pm
- 👤 Age Guide: 5-8 years (Mixed)
- 🏟 Venue: Jubilee Park Stadium
- 📍 Address: 83R-85R Hillcrest Rd, Frankston 3199
- 📅 9 weekly sessions
- 📅 Commences Friday 33 January
- 💰 Registration Fee: \$79.00



GIRLS OPEN DAY SOCCER



SUNDAY 16 FEB

Played before or
never played
before
all welcome!

#FunFriendsSoccer

mountelizasoccerclub.com.au



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Community School Holiday Programs

ASC
AUSTRALIAN SPORTS CAMPS

234.50 for 3 days! Offer ends March 16!

PROGRAM INCLUDES

- 01** 9-3pm each day
- 02** Basketball, AFL, Netball, Soccer on offer
- 03** Suitable for all ages and skill levels
- 04** Guest appearances at selected programs

THREE DAY SCHOOL HOLIDAY SPORTS CAMPS!

LOCATIONS

- Brighton Grammar School, Brighton - 9, 10, 11 April 2025 and 14, 15, 16 April 2025
- Cheltenham Secondary College, Cheltenham - 15, 16, 17 April 2025
- Firbank Grammar, Brighton - 9, 10, 11 and 14, 15, 16 April 2025

“It was overall very positive and the kids made great connections with coaching staff and other participants”

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