



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents,

Thank you Parents for your Generous Hearts

I cannot thank our beautiful community enough for their exceptional generosity and gratitude shown with the provision of such a beautiful morning tea to say, 'Thank You' for all of our hard work. Wow, that's our pleasure. We felt so special and our morning tea was sincerely appreciated by all staff at FHPS. We are blessed to have such supportive, caring and generous parents who show their appreciation to the teachers in the kindest and most incredible ways. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts for giving us this treat. A special thank you to Erin Le Souef and Megan Hough for organising this surprise.

Green Gecko Charity—Special Visitors to FHPS

Thank you to Mr Tickell for organising through the Rotary Club, for our special visitors to attend our school this week. They were university students from Cambodia, and we were thrilled to host them at FHPS.

This is Ivy and Sophia's speech presented at assembly this week.



On Wednesday, we had some special students come to the Grade 4 homestead to tell us about their previous lives. They told us about how they used to have to beg on the streets for food and money but then they met some people from a charity called Green Gecko that changed their lives forever! Green Gecko is a charity that helps families that have absolutely no money. They supply them with food, money and shelter plus new friends and family. They also supply them with study and education opportunities. One of the people that visited us started school when they were 15, one started when they were 12 and one at 13. They are all studying at university now. They are all so thankful for the opportunities that Green Gecko gave them! They are all now living lives that they could never have dreamt of before meeting this wonderful charity full of kind and caring people.

Written by Ivy and Sophia—Yr 4



Footy Day— Last day of Term 3

It was a fantastic way to complete term 3, with all our students and staff dressing in their favourite footy colours, enjoying a footy lunch and the footy inflatable activities, organised by Ms Sutcliffe. What a fun day we had together, in all our colours and in great team spirit.



Staff Leave

I thank all of our exceptional school community for the wonderful term we have just finished. I continue to be so proud of all students for their efforts and successes and I am so lucky to have such an amazing and dedicated staff caring for the youngsters in their care. Our parents are gems and we are blessed to have this special FHPS community. I specially thank Mrs Craig and Mrs Smith my Assistant Principals for stepping in during my LSL to Europe, as I was away for the bulk of this term. Mrs Craig is now on her LSL until Melbourne Cup weekend in T4, with Mr Shane Long acting in the Assistant Principal role for this period of time. For any wellbeing questions, please don't hesitate to contact Mr Long at the school and he will gladly address your queries. I wish all students and their families a very 'Happy Holiday'. Keep safe, take care and I look forward to seeing you all back on Monday 3 October to start term 4.

Kind Regards, Cheryl Clark FHPS Principal

IMPORTANT DATES

Term 3 2022

16 Sep	Footy Day & Canteen Footy Lunch
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16 Sep	Last day of Term 3 - 2.30pm dismissal
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Term 4 2022

3 Oct	Term 4 Commences
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7 Oct	Grade 3/4/5/6 Bike Ed Friends of Heights Meeting
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10 Oct	School Council Meeting
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14 Oct	Grade 3/4/5/6 Bike Ed
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19 Oct	Y6 Graduation BBQ Lunch Fundraiser
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21 Oct	Year 2 Mad About Science Incurison Grade 3/4/5/6 Bike Ed
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24 Oct	Jump Rope for Heart
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1 Nov	Melbourne Cup Holiday
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Bookweek 2022

Dreaming with eyes open

Preps and Year 1's made their own Dreamcatchers



Winners of the Dress-up competition



FRIENDS OF HEIGHTS NEWS

FRIENDS OF HEIGHTS MEETING - FRIDAY OCTOBER 7

All FHPS parents and friends are welcome to attend.

Focus is the 2022 School Fair on Friday November 18.

- ♦ **TIME: 9am**
- ♦ **PLACE: FHPS staffroom**

FHPS SCHOOL FAIR - FRIDAY NOV 18

SILENT AUCTION AND RAFFLE DONATIONS

Our School Fair relies heavily on **donations for the silent auction and raffles**. If you have a business or connections to a business that could donate new goods or services please contact the school office.

Types of donations include:

- vouchers for professional services (hair and beauty salon, photography, landscaping, fitness training, etc.)
- restaurant, café, movie, amusement park vouchers/ gift certificates
- bookstore, jewellery, artwork, audio, electrical or other goods vouchers or stock
- holiday house weekend get away (this is always a very popular prize)



In term 4 we will be collecting books and preloved adult and children's clothing and toys. All donated second hand items need to be in good, clean condition and suitable for resale.

Please note, items cannot be dropped at school until week 6 in term 4.

FAIR RIDE WRISTBANDS

Wristbands for rides at the school fair will go on sale the first week of term 4.

Cost per wristband is \$35 prior to the event or \$40 on the day of the fair. Individual rides will cost \$5 each.

Michelle Smith
Assistant Principal





SCHOOL FAIR

- RIDES • STALLS • FOOD & DRINKS
- ENTERTAINMENT + LOADS MORE!

1.00 to 6.00pm on 18th November, 2022
Kalmia Street, Frankston

Bringing the school community together.



FRANKSTON ROVERS



CALLING ALL GIRLS & BOYS AGED 5 TO 9 YEARS

We are building for our 2023 season, please get in touch if you are interested in attending off season football clinics ran by AFL accredited coach Aaron Gale.

Aaron Gale (Vice President) Ph : 0430 820 489
W: frankstonrovers.com.au
F: Frankston Rovers JFC



*To The Wonderful Parents of Frankston Heights Primary School,
The staff wish to thank you for the Special Morning Tea you provided
us this week.*

We are extremely grateful.



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Have fun these holidays

learning footy off an amazing coaching group with AFL, AFLW and VFL experience.

- Footy finals trivia
- Handball games
- Footy relay races
- Word searches
- Island footy
- Kicking technique
- Mini games
- Colouring in

Footy Fun FINALS FEVER



5-9
YEARS

SCAN ME



\$75

Mt Martha - MON 19 & 26 SEP
Frankston - MON 19 SEP
Prahran - TUE 20 & 27 SEP
Bonbeach - WED 21 SEP
Langwarrin - WED 21 & 28 SEP
Rosebud - THU 22 SEP
Somerville - MON 26 SEP
Carrum - WED 28 SEP
Mt Eliza - THU 22 & 29 SEP
Pearcedale - THU 29 SEP

CLINICS RUN FROM
9:00AM - 3:15PM

\$10 off if booked by August 31st

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- Running program
- Agility races
- Midfield craft
- Defensive work
- Match simulation
- Strength work (body weight)
- Off-season nutrition
- Goal kicking routine
- Pre-game preparation
- Contested ball

PREP FOR '23 ELITE SESSIONS

10-14
YEARS

\$95

CLINICS RUN FROM
9:00AM - 3:15PM

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Moonlit Sanctuary

the best way to see Aussie animals

GO WILD THESE SCHOOL HOLIDAYS AT MOONLIT SANCTUARY KEEPER CLUB

Kids enjoy environmental activities, animal encounters and native animal care. The day includes interactions with dingoes, pythons, feeding animals and food prep, and animal enrichment activities. Learn about our animals, their conservation and the environment.

For ages 7-14 years.



Spring 2022 School Holiday Program Dates:

Monday 19th, Tuesday 20th, Wednesday 21th, Thursday 22th September

Monday 26th, Tuesday 27th, Wednesday 28th, Thursday 29th, Friday 30th September

Cost: \$99.00 per day | Small groups of 16 children | 9:30am start - 2:30pm finish

Bookings are essential as spaces are limited to 16 per day

Moonlit Sanctuary Wildlife Park

550 Tyabb-Tooradin Rd, Pearcedale | Phone 5978 7935

www.moonlitsanctuary.com.au

Open daily between 10am and 4pm. **Keeper Club runs from 9:30am-2:30pm.**





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KEEPER CLUB HOLIDAY PROGRAM

GO WILD THESE SCHOOL HOLIDAYS!

If you have some junior wildlife lovers looking for fun over the holidays, check out Moonlit Sanctuary's Keeper Club holiday program.

In a day full of fun hands-on activities, kids get up close to many animals including dingoes and pythons and learn how their keepers work to keep them happy and healthy.

Places are limited so book early and make your junior keeper's day!

For ages 7-14 | Cost \$99

See our website for more info.



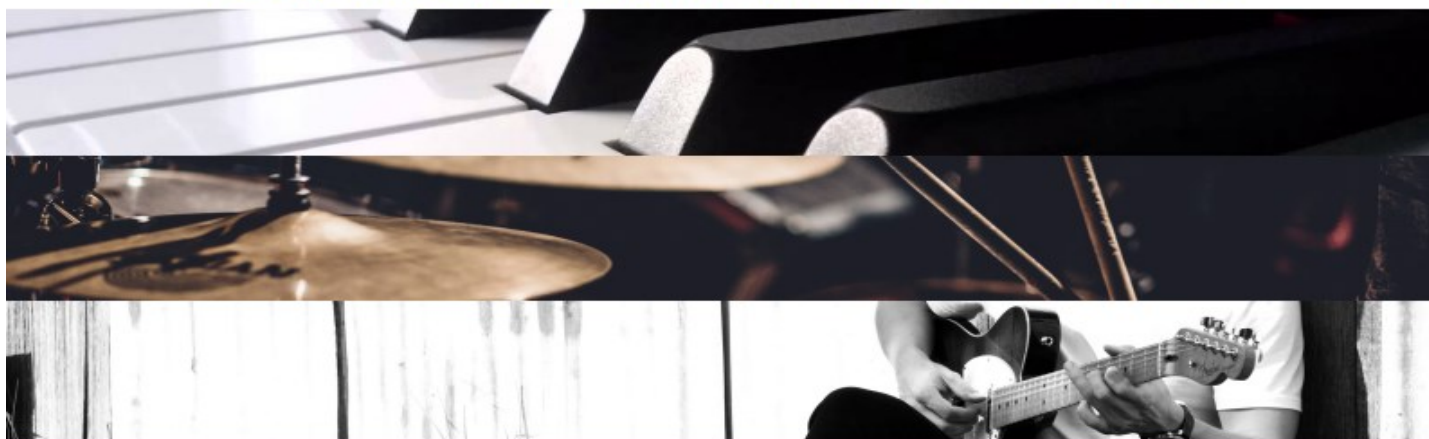
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DW MUSIC TUITION



KEYBOARD | VOCALS | DRUMS | GUITAR

Group Lessons \$15 (Max 4) | Private Lessons \$30



CONTACT -

DANIEL@DWMUSIC.NET | 0409 024 553 |

WWW.DWMUSICTUITION.COM.AU



FHPS CLASSROOM HELPER TRAINING COURSE

FHPS is looking forward to welcoming classroom helpers back into our learning spaces later this term. Parents, carers and other adults wanting to assist in the classroom must complete the requirements listed below.

The FHPS Classroom Helper Training Course has been designed for volunteers who are interested in assisting with our classroom learning programs. The course outlines school expectations for classroom volunteer helpers and provides basic techniques, strategies and information to effectively support small groups and individual students.

Volunteer classroom helpers are required to:

- **Read through the course content and complete the classroom helper quiz**
- **Sign the confidentiality agreement and return the form to the school office**
- **Present a current Working With Children Check (WWCC) to the school office.**

Please note if you have previously participated in the onsite or online classroom helper training course you are not required to do it again. The school has records of all volunteers who have completed classroom parent helper training.

Any queries can be directed to Michelle Smith (Assistant Principal)



RESPECT

RESILIENCE

RESPONSIBILITY



SENTRAL INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

NOTIFYING THE SCHOOL OF A STUDENT ABSENCE

Regular attendance at school is important for students to reach their potential. Parents are required to inform the school if their child is absent from school.

This process can be completed easily using the **Sentral Parent Portal** or **Sentral for Parents app**.

1. Log on to the Sentral **Parent Portal** or the **Parent app**
2. Select the **absences** tab
3. In the parent portal select the '**Notify of an absence**' tab.
On the parent app select the **+ symbol** in the top right hand corner.
4. Select the name of the **child** that is absent. This will place a tick by their name.
5. Using the drop down list, select the **type** of absence.
e.g. illness, medical
6. Select the **Start Date** for the absence from the Calendar.
7. Select the **End Date** for the absence from the Calendar.
8. Type in a Comment explaining the reason for the absence.
9. Click the **Submit/Send** button.

< New Absence

Students
Select students

Reason
Please provide a reason

Start Date
19/08/2021

End Date
19/08/2021

Comment
Please provide any additional information

Submit

RESPONDING TO NOTIFICATIONS OF UNEXPLAINED ABSENCES

If parents do not provide a reason for their child's absence, notifications of unexplained absences will appear in the newsfeed on the app and the home feed in the portal. To provide an explanation for the absence parents need to :

1. Click on the absence
2. Enter the absence reason in the text box provided.

Parents are also advised to check unexplained student absences via the absences tab on the portal or app.

1. Log on to the Sentral parent portal or the parent app
2. Select the absences tab
3. Any unexplained absences will appear
4. Select the unexplained absence and provide an explanation.
5. Select submit to send reason for absence to the school.

Messages

☒ Absences

Newsletters

Date absent: Wednesday, 18 August 2021 Type: Whole Day
Reason: Whole Day (Unexplained)

Explanation

Submit



SENTRAL INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

UPDATING CONTACT DETAILS ON SENTRAL

It is imperative that the school has the current contact details of all parents.

If your address, contact number or child's emergency contact details have changed, please log on to the portal or select the cog in the top left hand corner of the parent app to update your information .

1. Log on to the parent portal or parent app
2. In the portal go to the left hand menu on the home page and select **My Details** or on the app select the cog in the top left corner and tap the **Account Details tab** to see your current details such as: family and emergency contacts and student details.
3. To edit a section, click the **Edit** button for the detail you want to change.
4. The data that can be edited appears on the right side of the screen.
5. Make the necessary change and click **Submit Details**.

MESSAGING TEACHERS FROM THE PORTAL

In addition to the school email and Seesaw for P-2 families, messaging on Sentral through the parent portal or app can be used by parents to contact teachers directly.

To message a teacher from the parent portal:

1. Go to the FHPS website and click on the **SENTRAL** tab
2. Log onto the FHPS parent portal using your user name and password
3. Click on the **MESSAGES** tab on your home page



Messages

4. Click on **Start a conversation**



Start a conversation

5. Select the teacher you wish to communicate with from the drop down menu under **Teacher**

New Conversation

Teacher

Select

6. Enter the **Subject**

Subject

Subject

7. Type **Message**

Message

8. Click **Send**

Attachments

Send

Direct queries to Michelle Smith—Assistant Principal



Download the app for canteen ordering.

Apple store and Google play store

Register as a parent

- Enter your email, add a password. It requires 8 characters. 1 capital letter, 1 lowercase letter, numbers and a special character. Something like your child's Name@birthyear would be easy to remember. Save it in your contacts.
- Add your student name and a unique email.
- If they don't have an email add a number to yours and use it or put their name, first.surname@sck.com. It just needs to be different from yours. They won't receive any notification.
- Choose their school, add their grade, with the year number & letters. Please add your phone number in your profile, just in case there is an issue with your students order.

Welcome to our App

- The menus are ready for you to order.
- Some schools have a recess menu and lunch menu. You can order for all students and check out in one transaction.
- You can pay with your credit card (fees apply) or transfer to our account SCK BSB 062-692 Acc 48298332 add the parent name and reference code in the wallet and we will credit your App wallet for fast checkout without the credit card fees. There is an app service fee of .30 per order
- You can order in advance or on the day until 9am
- Please get in touch if you need any help.
 - support@stircrazykids.com.au
 - or call Donna 0405110407