

FHPS NEWSLETTER



Issue 2, Term 1, Week 2
Friday 9th February, 2024

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tue 13th Feb	Year 3 & 4 Body Education Parent Webex Session - 6pm
Fri 16th Feb	House Athletics Prep-2 Assembly - 1:20pm
Mon 19th Feb	Year 1-6 Student Leaders Assembly - 9:00am
Wed 21st Feb	District Swimming Sports
Thu 22nd Feb	Year 2 Coal Creek Year 3 AIS Incursion
Fri 23rd Feb	Year 3-6 Assembly - 1:20pm
Mon 26th Feb	Year 3 Body Education Year 3 AIS incursion
Wed 28th Feb	Year 4 Body Education
Mon 4th Mar - Mon 18th Mar	Smile Squad Dental Van
Mon 4th Mar	Year 3 Body Education
Tue 5th Mar - Wed 6th Mar	Meet the Teacher - 3:50pm- 6:50pm
Wed 6th Mar	Year 4 Body Education
Mon 11th Mar	Labour Day Public Holiday

Fri 1st Mar	Prep-2 Assembly - 1:20pm
Tue 5th Mar	Year 1 Activate Excursion
Fri 8th Mar	Year 3-6 Assembly - 1:20pm
Tue 12th Mar	Division Swimming Sports
Fri 15th Mar	Prep-2 Assembly - 1:20pm
Wed 13th Mar - Fri 22nd Mar	Year 3 & 5 NAPLAN
Thu 21st Mar	Student Free Day
Fri 22nd Mar	District Athletics Year 3-6 Assembly - 1:20pm
Tue 26th Mar	Italian Day
Wed 27th Mar	School Fun Run Regional Swimming
Thu 28th Mar	Easter Hat Parade Last Day of Term 1 (2:30pm finish)
Mon 15th Apr	First Day of Term 2

UPCOMING STUDENT FREE DAYS

- Thursday 21st March
- Tuesday 28th May
- Monday 26th August

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Congratulations to all involved in our Year 3-6 House Swimming today. It is one of our best opportunities to promote our House system at FHPS and to build team spirit and camaraderie amongst our school community. Well done to all of our participants for giving it your best effort and to all our parents and staff for your wonderful support!

Our House Athletics next Friday will be our next House competition for our Years 3-6. This is always a busy day for the students who compete in both track and field events. Thank you to those parent volunteers who are available on the day to attend and assist on an activity. We sincerely appreciate this amazing support from our families!

SCHOOL COUNCIL

It is that time of year for our annual School Council elections to be formalised. There are 3 parent vacancies. Nomination forms are at the office.

ANNUAL PRIVACY REMINDER FOR OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY

Our school collects and uses student and parent personal information for standard school functions or where permitted by law, as stated in the [Schools' Privacy Policy](#) and the [Schools' Privacy Collection Notice](#).

Our [Photographing, Filming and Recording Policy](#) describes how we collect and use photographs, video and recordings of students. The policy also explains when parent consent is required and how it can be provided and withdrawn.

[Google Workspace for Education](#) safely at the school and what parents can do to further protect their child's information. If after reviewing the guidance, you have any questions or concerns regarding your child using Google Workspace for Education, please contact the school. We ask parents to also review the guidance we provide on how we use Google Workspace.

For more information about privacy, refer to: [Schools' Privacy Policy – information for parents](#). This information is also available in ten community languages:

- Amharic
- Arabic
- Dari
- Gujarati
- Mandarin
- Somali
- Sudanese
- Turkish
- Urdu
- Vietnamese



LIBRARY NEWS

Welcome back everyone! I hope you all had a great holiday with lots of time for reading & relaxing. Just a few housekeeping reminders.

1. ALL students need a Library Bag to borrow books from the Library. Students in Year 1 to Year 4 should have your red satchel from previous years. Preps will get theirs in your Stationery Box. New satchels are available from the office.
2. Please check around your home for any Library books, Take Home Readers & Lexile books. There is over 600 books that have not been returned from 2023. If overdue books are not returned they must be paid for.
3. Bookclub is back for 2024. Issue 1 will be coming home soon. Please see the notice below for some "Bargain" news. Orders need to be placed online by 4pm Friday 16th February.
4. Library Timetable : Monday – Year 5, Tuesday – Year 4, Wednesday – Year 6, 2A & 2B, Thursday – Year 3 & Year 1 and Friday Preps, 2D & 2C.

Happy Reading!

Ms Gayle Parker – Library Manager



BOOK CLUB - KICK START READING FOR 2024!

Welcome back to school. Get ready to kick-start reading with Book Club.

Book Club will support your teachers' efforts to foster literacy through a love of books and the joy of reading for pleasure.

Parents GET \$5 CREDIT for orders over \$35 on Issue 1 to help keep the reading rolling! (Valid for LOOP Parent online orders only. See Terms & conditions [here](#)).

- START A NEW SERIES from only \$3 to get students hooked on reading.
- 50 BONUS BARGAIN BOOKS online at low, low prices



sports for better minds

Frankston Heights Primary School



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In Term 1 2024,

Sports X will be running the following **after school sports program** at Frankston Heights PS:

Soccer X -- Every Monday | 3.45 - 4.45pm | 7 weeks | \$120 (starting **Week 2, February 5th**)

contact 0488756751 for a free trial

The programs are available to students from Prep - Year 6.

On arrival children will be split into groups according to age.

All sessions will be run by qualified coaches who hold blue cards.

The sessions will be fully inclusive & fun-based, catering for all abilities.

REGISTER HERE



For more information and online registrations please visit www.sports-x.com.au Please contact us via email for further enquiries: semel@sports-x.com.au

ROVERS WANT YOU!

Frankston Rovers JFC is seeking new players to join our family friendly club in 2024!



Family orientated, fun and encouraging club!



Welcoming Auskickers & Junior U8, U9, U10 & U11's players. All levels of experience!

Join Rovers new U8 Girls team!



Bruce Park, Bondi Avenue, Frankston



Register your interest by scanning the QR code or contacting Club President, Aaron Gale via 0430 820 489.

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JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB

**REGISTER NOW FOR
2024!**

LINK HERE



CLUB VALUES

RESPECT for oneself, all club members, opposition,
league officials and members of the community
SELFLESS commitment to the club and our objectives
ENJOYMENT for all club members
HONESTY & INTEGRITY by all club members
PURSUIT OF EXCELLENCE in all aspects of our
operations
SPORTSMANSHIP on and off the field
FOOTBALL SUCCESS
PARTICIPATION opportunities for all members of the
community
FAMILY friendly environment

**GIRLS & BOYS TEAMS
FROM U8 (MIXED) TO U16**

A BRIGHT, BOLD FUTURE

REGISTRATION PER CHILD:

* 1st Player- \$270

* 2nd Player- \$180
Automatic reduction when
registering 2nd child

* 3rd Player- \$100
Contact Registrar on
sszwaja.frankstonycw@outlook.com
for a code if registering 3 or more
players



2023 Premiers

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Supporting Primary School Aged Children and Families with School Refusal and Resistance

Communities For Children Frankston Community Workshop Series is designed for local parents/carers, volunteers and staff working or living with children, who are seeking information and practical strategies.

Facilitated by The School Refusal Clinic

*Is your child experiencing distress and reluctance at the idea of going to school?
This free, online workshop will provide information on:*

- An understanding of the complex factors that influence school refusal and ways to address them
- An understanding of specific challenges that children may face
- The different ways that school refusal can present
- Practical strategies that support the whole family to increase their child's attendance at school

DATE: Wednesday 21st February 2024
TIME: 7.00pm – 8.30pm
WHERE: Online event via Zoom webinar



For questions contact Emma Rafferty at
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