

# FHPS NEWSLETTER

Issue 24, Term 3, Week 9  
Friday 13th September, 2024

## UPCOMING EVENTS

<b>Mon 16th Sep</b>	Footy Day
<b>Wed 18th Sep - Fri 20th Sep</b>	Year 5 Weekaway Camp
<b>Fri 20th Sep</b>	Prep Scooter Education
<b>Fri 20th Sep</b>	<b>Last Day of Term 3 (2:30pm finish)</b>
<b>Mon 7th Oct</b>	<b>First Day of Term 4</b>
<b>Wed 9th Oct</b>	Division Athletics
<b>Mon 14th Oct - Wed 16th Oct</b>	Year 6 Peninsula Outdoor Camp
<b>Mon 21st Oct - Wed 23rd Oct</b>	Year 4 CYC City Camp
<b>Fri 25th Oct</b>	Senior Boys Netball Senior Girls AFL
<b>Tue 5th Nov</b>	<b>Melbourne Cup Day Public Holiday</b>
<b>Fri 15th Nov</b>	FHPS Fair
<b>Mon 18th Nov</b>	Year 1 Chesterfield Farm
<b>Fri 22nd Nov</b>	Jump Rope for Heart Day

<b>Wed 4th Dec</b>	Volunteer Thank You Morning Tea
<b>Fri 6th Dec</b>	Rotary Assembly & Afternoon Tea
<b>Wed 11th Dec</b>	Year 6 Graduation
<b>Thu 12th Dec</b>	End of Year Activity Day
<b>Fri 13th Dec</b>	Final Whole School Assembly
<b>Mon 16th Dec</b>	Christmas Carols Concert
<b>Fri 20th Dec</b>	<b>Last Day of Term 4 (1:30pm finish)</b>



## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

### YEAR 3 SCHOOL CAMP

Welcome home to our school campers! From all reports, the Year 3 students had the most amazing time. I've heard some fantastic stories about individual efforts, pushing personal boundaries to complete activities involving heights and challenging activities. A huge thank you to the teachers and volunteers who attended camp, it simply doesn't happen without you. I have no doubt that everyone is looking forward to a restful weekend!



### YEAR 6 MARKET DAY

What an incredible event! Congratulations to everyone (students, parents and teachers) for the time and effort invested in making our Year 6 Market Day very successful. It was evident based on the smiles that everyone had a fantastic time and enjoy the festivities of the market. In particular, I wanted to thank the Year 6 teachers and students for working so hard to bring the day to life.

### ONSITE SUPERVISION

Many thanks to all families for your cooperation on our day of extreme weather. A reminder that there is no supervision on school grounds until 8:50am, 10 minutes prior to direct instruction. The day also finishes officially at 3:45pm. If you require your child to be onsite outside these hours, please make contact with Camp Australia, our before and after school care provider. It is unsafe for children to be left unattended on school grounds. For older children walking or riding to school, please also remind them not to arrive prior to these times.

### FOOTY DAY

A quick reminder that this Monday, September 16th, is our annual Footy Day at FHPS. I can't wait to see everyone representing their favourite teams at our Footy Day parade in the morning. Go Pies!

Have a great weekend,

Ricky Joyce

Principal

### TERM 3 ASSEMBLY SCHEDULE

DATE	TIME	YEAR LEVEL
Friday 20th September	1:15pm	Whole School



## SPORTS UPDATE

Brilliant sporting results from around the grounds at FHPS!

### MIDDLE SCHOOL HOOP TIME BASKETBALL RESULTS

Mixed team - **1st Place**

Boys Future Stars team - **2nd Place**

### SENIOR CRICKET GALA DAY

Senior Girls Cricket team - **2nd Place**

Senior Boys Cricket team - **3rd Place**

### BIKE EDUCATION/SCOOTER EDUCATION



Our FHPS Bike Education program has now concluded for the year. Congratulations to all grade 3-6 students. We look forward to a successful scooter education program with our Preps starting today!



## GREEN TEAM

We have a new team at our school – The Green Team! Two students from each class have been selected to join our new sustainability-focused team, which is led by our Sustainability Leaders, Peta Eate and Emma Turner, along with guidance from Ms Raich and Ms Braun. The Green Team members will be responsible for showing leadership and innovation in their classrooms and in the yard, helping to make our school cleaner and greener. We have already held our first two meetings this term and everyone was brimming with ideas and enthusiasm about how we can reduce litter, increase nude food, create a more leafy school ground and ensure we recycle as much as we can. The senior team was announced and presented with their sashes last week, during assembly. Our junior students will be announced and celebrated this week!

Congratulations to all the students who have been selected for the inaugural Green Team!

GRADE 3	GRADE 4	GRADE 5	GRADE 6
<b>3A:</b> Danni & Charles <b>3B:</b> Henk & Miles <b>3C:</b> Zoe & Cheyenne	<b>4A:</b> May & Malcolm <b>4B:</b> Tara & Isla <b>4C:</b> Teuila & Sadie	<b>5A:</b> Shiloh & Darius <b>5B:</b> Kellum & Vincent <b>5C:</b> Lilly-Ann & Charlotte	<b>6A:</b> Ivy & Amelia <b>6B:</b> Sarah & Rylee <b>6C:</b> Ava & Lilly





# SCHOOL FAIR

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

Friday 15th November, 2024

1.00 to 6.00pm

Kalmia Street, Frankston

All Welcome.



# FHPS School Fair - Friday Nov 15

## THE COUNTDOWN TO OUR 2024 SCHOOL FAIR IS UNDERWAY - 9 WEEKS TO GO!

FHPS community, we need your HELP! Thank you, to the parents who have already volunteered their time to support our 2024 fair. Many hands make light work! It would be great if each stall had at least two parent representatives to communicate organisational details to families. Please contact your child's class teacher, or send an email to [frankston.heights.ps@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:frankston.heights.ps@education.vic.gov.au) marked attention Michelle Smith, if you are able to assist with this major school event.

STALL	CLASS & PARENT REPRESENTATIVE	STALL	CLASS & PARENT REPRESENTATIVE
Show bags & stick lotto	0A - Kelly Beard	Lemonade games	3A
Face painting & hair	0B&0C	Wine & beer garden	3B&3C
Canteen sales - food & drink	1A&4C	Lego competition	4A - Sam MacDonald
Ice creams & spiders	1B	Loll stall	4B - Vanessa Goodman
Preloved clothes	1C - Shanelle Derrick	Books & preloved toys	5A - Lauren Bellert
Funny faces	2A - Alicia Baronessa	Chocolate toss	5B
Silent disco	2B - Jess Flahive & Amy Ducksbury	Toy raffle & lucky \$100	5C
Sun protection - hats & sunscreen	2C - Rae Jamieson	Lucky bags	6A
Cake stall	2D	Fairy floss, popcorn & slushie	6B - Jess Coombes
		Plant stall	6C - Vera Eate & Lynne Cox

## FAIR RAFFLE DONATIONS

We are currently seeking donations for our fair raffles

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
- new bike, scooter and toys
- weekend get away (this is always a very popular prize)



# School Saving Bonus

Dear families,

You may be aware that The Victorian Government are implementing a one-off \$400 School Saving Bonus payment for school aged children in 2025.

This support will help cover the cost of school uniforms, textbooks, and school activities like camps, excursions and sports.

Parents and carers do NOT need to apply for this payment.

## **Actions for parents and carers at this stage:**

Parents and carers are required to do the following by **Friday 18 October 2024**:

- **Check your contact information**

Ensure your contact information is up to date. Details should be checked by logging into the Sentral Parent Portal. Any necessary amendments should also be made through the Sentral parent portal.

- **Confirm your child or children's enrolment**

If your child, or children are leaving FHPS and enrolling into another primary school for 2025, please notify our school office and complete an exit form as soon as possible. Please confirm and complete your child or children's enrolment with their new school no later than Friday 18 October.

All Prep & Year 7 enrolments must also be finalised by this date.

FHPS are aware all Y6 students will be transferring to their secondary schools in 2025, there is no need to notify us your Y6 child will be leaving FHPS.

If your P-Y5 children will remain at FHPS in 2025, there is no need to notify us. For more information, read about [Enrolling in School](#).

**Further details on the implementation of this payment and how families can access it will be provided to families in the coming weeks.**



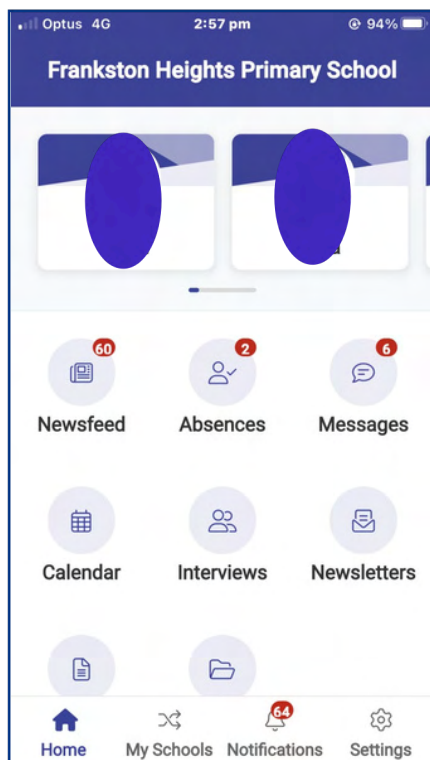
# EXCURSION PERMISSIONS & SICK BAY NOTIFICATIONS ARE MOVING TO SENTRAL

This term, FHPS is transitioning to online parent permission for school activities (excursions/incursions) and sick bay attendance notifications.

Paper permission forms and sick bay slips are becoming redundant. This term parents/carers will be notified of all school activities and sick bay attendance via the Sentral parent portal.

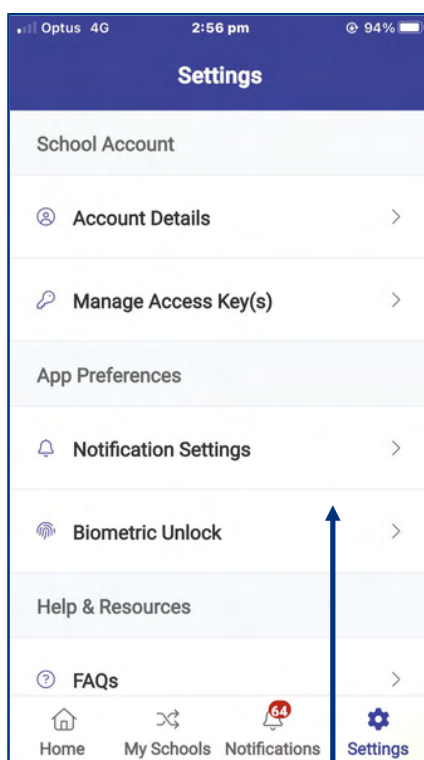
**All FHPS families need to have a Sentral account with notifications turned on** to receive immediate communication about daily student absences, portal messages, school activity permissions and sick bay attendance.

## TURNING NOTIFICATIONS ON IN SENTRAL



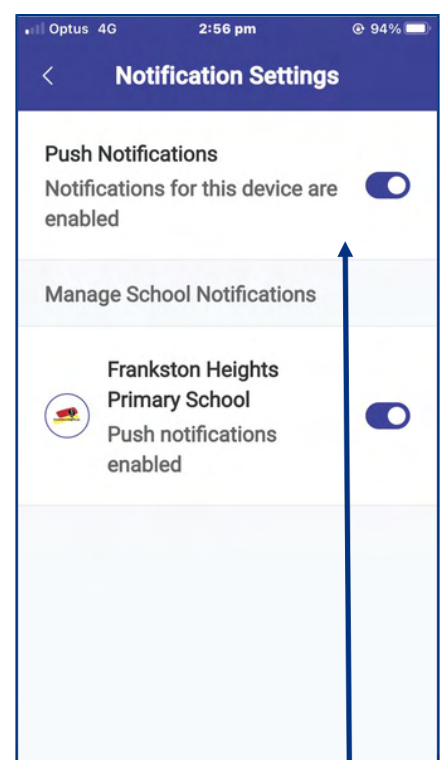
### STEP 1

- Log into your Sentral account
- Select **SETTINGS** in the bottom right corner of your screen



### STEP 2

- Select **NOTIFICATION SETTING**



### STEP 3

- Enable **PUSH NOTIFICATIONS**

## SICK BAY NOTIFICATIONS IN SENTRAL

Parents/carers of students who attend sick bay this week will receive both a paper and Sentral notification. In week 2, all sick bay notifications will be communicated via the Sentral portal. Remember to have **NOTIFICATIONS turned on!**

The notification will appear in the **HOME FEED**. **MARK AS READ** once viewed.



# EXCURSION PERMISSIONS ARE MOVING TO SENTRAL

## SCHOOL ACTIVITY PERMISSIONS

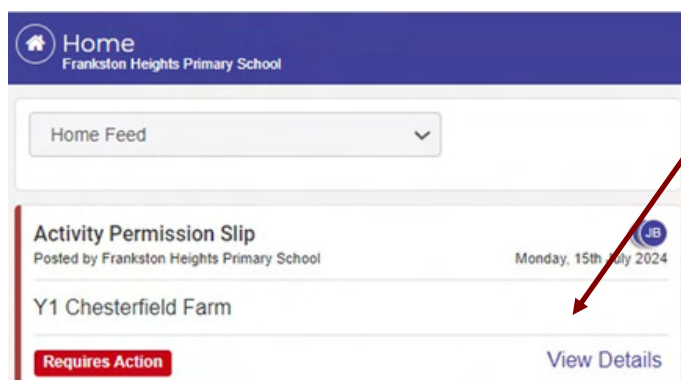
Parent/carer permissions for all future school activities (excursions, incursions and sport events) will be completed on Sentral. Please note, 2024 Y3-6 school camp documentation will be sent home as a hard copy.

## SCHOOL ACTIVITY PAYMENT

**Payment** for all school activities can be made using one of the following methods: **BPAY, eftpos, CSEF or family account credit**. Family BPAY details have not changed. If you do not have your school BPAY details stored in your online bank, please contact the school office. BPAY details are not provided on Sentral.

## GRANTING PERMISSION FOR SCHOOL ACTIVITIES (excursions, incursions and sport events)

Once a school activity has been organised, parent/carers will receive a notification message on Sentral. The message will look similar to the one below.

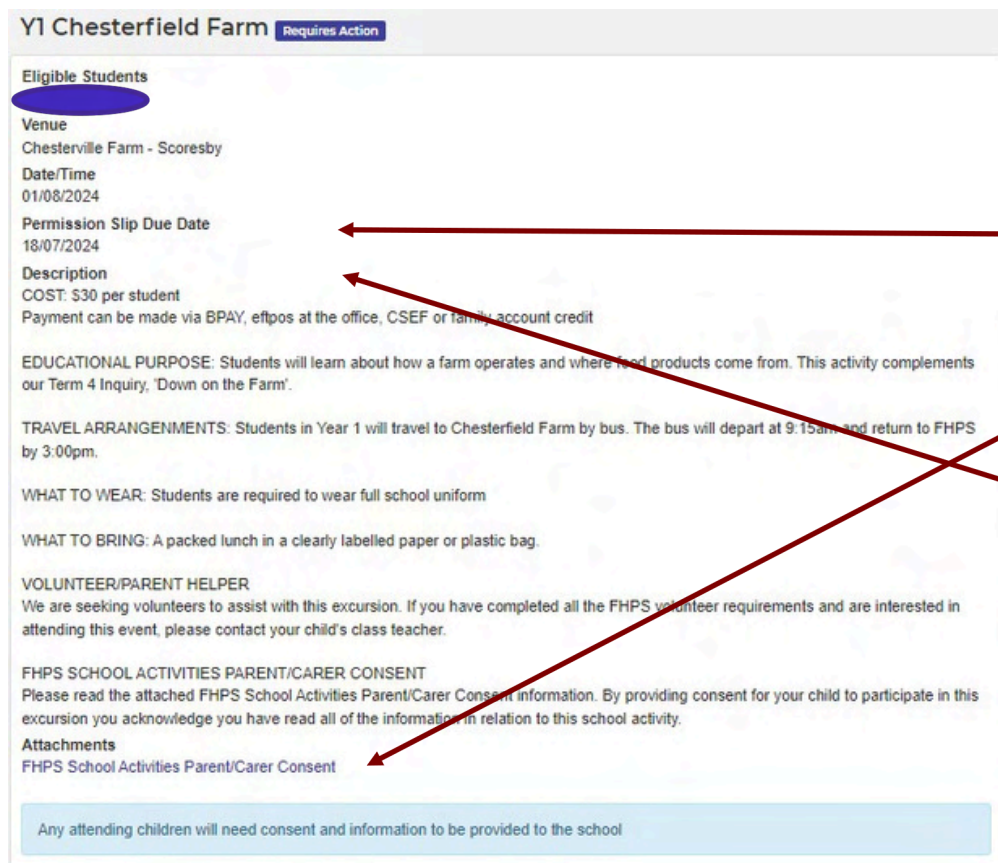


A message will display in the **HOME FEED** on Sentral.

Select **VIEW DETAILS** for information about the school activity and to provide consent for your child to participate.

**PAYMENT** is made separately using one of these methods **BPAY, eftpos, CSEF or family account credit**. Payment is not made on Sentral.

After selecting **VIEW DETAILS**, you will be provided with information about the school activity. See example below

A screenshot of the 'Y1 Chesterfield Farm' activity details page on Sentral. The page has a 'Requires Action' status. It lists 'Eligible Students' and provides details about the venue (Chesterfield Farm - Scoresby), date/time (01/08/2024), and permission slip due date (18/07/2024). The description states the cost is \$30 per student and payment can be made via BPAY, eftpos, CSEF, or family account credit. It also includes sections for 'EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE', 'TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS', 'WHAT TO WEAR', 'WHAT TO BRING', 'VOLUNTEER/PARENT HELPER', and 'FHPS SCHOOL ACTIVITIES PARENT/CARER CONSENT'. A red arrow points from the 'View Details' link in the previous screenshot to the top of this page. Another red arrow points from the 'Requires Action' status to the right-hand text box. A third red arrow points from the 'Attachments' section to the right-hand text box. A blue box at the bottom states: 'Any attending children will need consent and information to be provided to the school'.


Parents/carers need to read the school activity details and the attached FHPS School Activities Parent/Carer Consent.

**Please complete the permission and make payment by the due date.** Parents will not be able to access the activity permission after the due date.



# EXCURSION PERMISSIONS ARE MOVING TO SENTRAL

## Student Attendees

Do you consent for  to attend this activity? Yes No

1. Payment cannot be processed through Sentral. I will pay for this excursion using: \*

☒ BPAY – via online banking using my family BPAY details

☐ eftpos – at the school office

☐ CSEF – school office will notify if insufficient funds available


☐ Family account credit – school office will notify if insufficient funds available

2. I have read the FHPS School Activities Parent/Carer Consent information in the attachments section. \*

☒ YES

Please review the following details and confirm that they are complete and accurate. If anything is incorrect or missing, supply the relevant details below.

**Medical details**



Amendments for medical details

Amendments for emergency contact details

Additional instructions for this day/event

Back Submit

To **provide consent** parents/carers need to:

- select **YES**
- **indicate payment method**
- acknowledge the **Parent/Carer consent information** has been read
- update any medical or emergency contact details
- select **SUBMIT**

Parent/carers permission is given upon submission. Please provide permission

- Once parent/carers permission is submitted, **payment** needs to be made by the **DUE DATE**.
- **Permission must be provided before the due date.** Access after the due date is not available.
- REMEMBER if electing to pay by BPAY to use your family BPAY details. These are the same details you have used to pay for previous school activities.
- A reminder communication will be sent out on Sentral the day prior to the event.

# FHPS VOLUNTEER INFORMATION PACK

Frankston Heights Primary School values the support and assistance of volunteers. Anyone who assists with school programs is classed as a volunteer.

## **VOLUNTEER REQUIREMENTS**

1. Read all the documents in the Volunteer Pack below. This is a requirement for all volunteers assisting with classroom programs, excursions, sport events, camps, school concerts, fundraising events and other child-related programs.
2. Come into the school office and sign the Child Safety Code of Conduct, Volunteer Confidentiality Agreement and Volunteer OHS Checklist.
3. Present a current Working With Children Check (WWCC) to the school office. Forms can be collected from the post office or visit the Working with Children Check website at [www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au](http://www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au) A WWCC can take several weeks to be processed. However, volunteers can assist in the classroom once they have a receipt for their WWCC.



**All volunteers are to familiarise themselves with the following documents. Click on the hyperlinks to access each document. Hard copies are available at the office.**

- [Frankston Heights Primary School Volunteers Policy](#) - **READ**
- [Frankston Heights Primary School Child Safety Policy](#) - **READ**
- [Frankston Heights Primary School Child Safety Responding and Reporting Policy and Procedures](#) - **READ**
- [Frankston Heights Primary School Child Safety Code of Conduct](#) - **READ**
- [Frankston Heights Primary Volunteer Child Safety Induction Pack](#) - **READ**
- [PROTECT: Four Critical Actions for Schools – Responding to incidents, disclosures and suspicions of child abuse](#) - **READ**
- [FHPS Volunteer OHS Induction Handbook](#) - **READ**

**RESPECT**

**RESILIENCE**

**RESPONSIBILITY**

# Outside School Hours Care Newsletter



11/9/24

Frankston Heights

Your  
OSHC.



## A message from your Coordinator

We have reached the end of another term! This term has been very busy with lots of different activities including bookmarks, Science Week, celebrating the Aussies at the Olympics, outside footy, playing on the oval, and basketball. This week we celebrate our 30th birthday! Thank you to all the children who came. We open at 2.30pm on Friday the 20th of September for the last day of term.

**Please remember to bring a hat for Term 4!**



## Activities coming up

- Footy Activities
- Big Art Friday End of Term party

## 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](http://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.



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[www.campaustralia.com.au/rocketeers](http://www.campaustralia.com.au/rocketeers)

### DID YOU KNOW?

You don't have to attend the school where we operate to join our awesome holiday programs. Simply book into any of our convenient locations.

### SAVE BIG THIS WINTER!

Child Care Subsidy  
available for  
eligible families.

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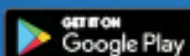
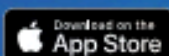


# **NOMINATE US TODAY**

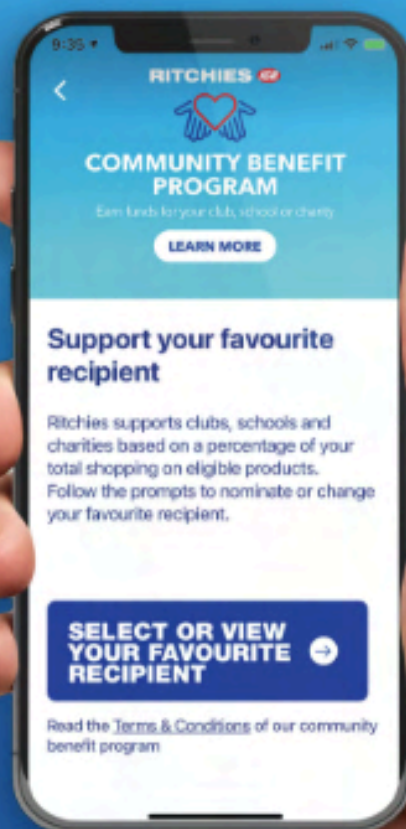
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# **WESTERNPORT REGIONAL BAND HOLIDAY PROGRAM**



Westernport Regional band is running 2 school holiday workshops to give young instrumental students the opportunity to learn some of our songs in a supportive environment and participate in our rehearsals

**September 26th and October 3rd, 6-8pm**

**Mount Erin Secondary College**

Participants will work on 3 songs as a group and at 7.30 our full band will join them to play along. Songs will be emailed in advance for home practice.

Participants under 18 need to be accompanied by a parent/guardian

To register your interest please contact Kate, [kate@peninsulawoodwind.com.au](mailto:kate@peninsulawoodwind.com.au)

## **AMAZING TOYS**

**School Holiday Activities**

### **Plaster Painting & Sand Art**

**10am - 4pm**

**Monday - Friday**

**No bookings required**

45 Mornington Tyabb Rd, Mornington [www.amazingtoys.com.au](http://www.amazingtoys.com.au)  
PH: 59768889

