

FHPS NEWSLETTER

Term 2, Week 4
Friday 15 May, 2026

TERM 2 DATES	
15 May	Year 5 Mount Erin Immersion Day Senior Interschool Sport Round 2 FHPS vs Woodleigh Minimbah Assembly - 2.45pm P-2
18 May	Splash of Colour Day
18 May - 22 May	Prep & Y1 PARC Swimming
19 May	Year 4 Stand Tall Wellbeing
21 May	Year 3 Stand Tall Wellbeing Y6 Mt Erin Day
22 May	District Cross Country Assembly - 2.45pm - Y3-6
25 May - 29 May	Y2 PARC Swimming
26 May	Year 4 Stand Tall Wellbeing
27 May	Fathering Project Event 5-6pm
28 May	Year 3 Stand Tall Wellbeing

29 May	Senior Interschool Sport Round 3 FHPS vs St Augustines Assembly - 2.45pm P-2
2 June	Year 4 Stand Tall Wellbeing
4 June	Year 3 Stand Tall Wellbeing
5 June	Senior Interschool Sport Round 4 FHPS vs St Johns Assembly - 2.45pm Y3-6
8 June	King's Birthday Public Holiday
9 June	Student Free Day
10 June	Senior Sport Lighting Prem
12 June	Prep - Y2 Cross Country Assembly - 2.45pm P-2
17 June & 18 June	Book Fair
19 June	Assembly - 2.45pm Y3-6
23 June	P-2 3 Way Conferences
24 June	Y3-6 3 Way Conferences
26 June	End Term 2 - 2.30pm finish

Splash of Colour Day - Monday 18 May

This Sunday, 17 May, marks the International Day Against LGBTIQ+ Discrimination (IDAHOBIT). At Frankston Heights Primary School, we believe every child and family deserves to feel safe, valued, and respected. This day is a wonderful opportunity to reinforce our commitment to an inclusive school culture.

How We Are Marking the Day

To celebrate diversity and inclusion, our school will participate in the following ways:

Wear a Splash of Colour: On **Monday, 18 May**, students are invited to wear a colourful accessory—like bright socks, a hair ribbon, or a colorful shirt—alongside their regular uniform.

Classroom Discussions: Teachers will guide age-appropriate conversations focused on kindness, inclusion, and what makes each of our families unique and special.

Library Showcase: Our library will feature a special display of books celebrating diverse families, friendships, and the power of being yourself.



Rotary Peninsula 2.0 x Melbourne Symphony Orchestra excursion

On Friday 8th May, a group of Year 4 students attended Beethoven's Gaming Quest at the Melbourne Symphony Orchestra to find out the answer to 'What if Beethoven was a video game composer?'. Students experienced the exciting sounds, big emotions, and powerful ideas in some of Beethoven's most famous orchestral music to discover the perfect ingredients for an epic video game soundtrack. It was a day full of imagination and wonder as students watched the orchestra bring the soundtrack to life within different gaming stages. We would like to thank Mr Tickell and the Rotary Peninsula 2.0 who helped support our excursion to the Melbourne Symphony Orchestra.



SPORTS UPDATE:

Senior Interschool Sport:

Week 1 results vs Bayside Christian Colledge

Mixed AFL 129- 27 Won

Netball Girls- 48- 8 Won

Netball Mixed- 7- 17 Lost

Soccer Girls- 2 - 1 Won

Soccer Mixed- 1-1 Drew



Week 2 results vs Woodleigh

Mixed AFL – 122- 24 Won

Netball Girls- 30 – 1 Won

Netball Mixed 19-13 Won

Soccer Girls – 3-0 Won

Soccer Mixed 4-0 Won

Congratulations to students who have progressed onto representing our school in the Bayside District Cross Country. District Cross Country will be held on Friday 22nd May at Ballam Park reserve.

Division Cross Country 3rd June at Hastings.

Prep – Y2 Cross Country being held on Friday 12th June at school.

Reminder Swimming lessons for our Prep and Y1 is starting next week in Week 5 at PARC Swimming complex.

Y2 Swimming lessons will be held in Week 6, also at PARC.

Run Club 8:30am Thursday mornings.





2026 INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIONS & ASSESSMENTS FOR SCHOOLS (ICAS)

Dear Parents/Guardians,

We are excited to once again offer students in Years 2-6 the opportunity to participate in the 2026 ICAS (International Competitions and Assessments for Schools).

ICAS is a globally recognised online competition in English, Mathematics and Science that challenges students to think critically and apply their problem-solving skills in new and engaging ways. It provides a wonderful opportunity for students to extend themselves beyond the classroom and experience academic challenge at an international level.

All participants receive a certificate and a detailed results report to celebrate their achievements and track their progress. High-performing students may also be awarded prestigious ICAS medals.

We encourage families to consider this opportunity for children who are motivated to challenge themselves and further develop their academic skills.

The 2026 online ICAS assessments will be held at Frankston Heights Primary School on:

Assessment	Date	Cost (inc. GST)
English	Monday August 10	\$21.95
Science	Monday August 17	\$21.95
Mathematics	Monday August 24	\$21.95

HOW TO REGISTER & MAKE AN ONLINE PAYMENT

- Go to the ICAS Shop: <https://shop.icasassessments.com/pages/parent-payment/GXF105>
- Enter student details and click **SAVE STUDENT**
- Select the ICAS test(s) you wish to purchase
- Select proceed
- Go to the checkout
- Make payment (you will receive an order confirmation email, please keep this for your records)

IMPORTANT: Please enter your child's name accurately into the system. The details you enter are the details that will appear on your child's ICAS certificate.

Online payment closes **Monday 27th July 2026.**

Michelle Smith (Assistant Principal)



FRANKSTON HEIGHTS PRIMARY SCHOOL FAIR

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Rides | Stalls | Food & Drinks
Entertainment + Loads More!

FRIDAY 20 NOVEMBER

1.00PM - 6.00PM

ALL WELCOME