

# FRANKLIN NEWSLETTER



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*Franklin students looked very smart in their uniform last Wednesday for school photographs. The photographer commented on the high dress standard of our students. My appreciation and thanks go to all parents for their support of the school uniform code. Parents should expect to receive student photo packs early in term 2.*

The March meeting of the P&C will be held on Wednesday commencing at 9:30am in the staffroom.

## BUCKET HAT INTRODUCED

Students now have a choice, a **school cap** or a **school bucket cap**! As an introductory offer students may purchase the **bucket hat** for only \$6. Orders must be placed at the school office **this week** to receive this special price. Two sizes available 54cm and 58cm. Next week bucket hats may be purchased for \$11 at Swans of Tumut.



## 5/6W ASSEMBLY – NEW TIME

This Friday 11:45 to 12 30

Reason - clash of sporting commitments

## CHOIR NEWS

Sixty members of the **Primary Choir** will perform at the Senior Citizens Concert the RSL Club on Wednesday (around 1:30pm). As a school community we are proud to support Senior Citizens Week. Parents and friends are most welcome to come along and hear the delightful voices of our choristers.

## PREMIER'S READING CHALLENGE

Just 'Google' Premier's Reading Challenge. Students log on using their DET user name and password to register or record books they have read.

## FRIENDS of FRANKLIN GROWS

The Franklin School community appreciates the generous sponsorship of the Franklin Newsletter by:

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Their sponsorship allows the weekly newsletter to be printed in colour. These local businesses possess a wealth of knowledge and experience and would welcome the opportunity to meet the needs of Franklin parents.

## RIVERINA BASKETBALL REPS



Tahlia Coe and Scott Cooper have been selected to represent Riverina at NSW PSSA Basketball carnivals. Tahlia heads off to Menai while Scott travels to Coffs Harbour.

An outstanding achievement!

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## ROLL OF HONOUR – WEEK 7 TERM 1 and WEEK 8 TERM 1

Teachers recognise and acknowledge the positive endeavours and personal achievements of students in a variety of ways. One such way is the presentation of Honours and Student of the Week certificates and Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) awards at the whole school assembly.

This segment of the newsletter lists those who received Student of the Week and Honours Certificates and PBL awards. As the year progresses we will acknowledge those students who receive **Fantastic** and **Super** Student Awards as part of the school's student welfare policy. Congratulations go to:

### HONOURS

<b>KG</b>	Jaya Praljak, Byron Belt, Jaya Driscoll, Will Brown
<b>KP</b>	Braith Hilly, Sarah Starr, Patrick Erbacher, Jecayla Coe
<b>1H</b>	Jakob Connolly, Jason Graham, Teaghan Barrish, Tyson Whiting
<b>1N</b>	Beau Cleary, Sonny Grady, Brock Baker, Mikayla Morgan
<b>2M</b>	Brayden McPherson, Riley Hillier, Ashton Baker, Kade Jackson, Matilda Symons
<b>2W</b>	Emily Beavan, Tyler Whitbread, Joseph Roddy, Brayden Patey, Jayden Mellen

### POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR for LEARNING AWARD – *Respect Safety Achieve*

Class	Week 7 Term 1	Week 8 Term 1	Class	Week 7 Term 1	Week 8 Term 1
<b>KG</b>	Kaitlin Jones	Nate Jackson	<b>1N</b>	Bree Walsh	Rubin Russell
<b>KP</b>	Lachlan Minogue	Cooper Ballard	<b>2M</b>	Bethany Rapley	Paris Freestone
<b>1H</b>	Trinity Davies	Brock McMullen	<b>2W</b>	Paige Weston	Chloe Doon

### STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Class	Week 7 Term 1	Week 8 Term 1	Class	Week 7 Term 1	Week 8 Term 1
<b>KG</b>	Aliyah Billings	Chace Nelson	<b>1N</b>	Brayden Whiting	Coen Power
<b>KP</b>	Shiloh Espie-Whitburn	Jake Ashe	<b>2M</b>	Saffron Shepherd	Michael Keen
<b>1H</b>	Loren Paton	Emily Clarke	<b>2W</b>	Ceanne Bisset	Joshua Rose

#### HIGHLANDS PSSA NETBALL

Selection trials were held last Thursday at the Tumut Netball courts. Mrs Hillier was very happy with the skills and effort of our representatives – *Emma Symons, Tahlia Coe, Brynn Turner, Kaitlyn Bond, Madilyn McAlister, Shannah Barrish, Macey Lee, Sophie Buckingham, Nikita Penrith and Emma McLean.*

Congratulations go to **Tahlia Coe** who was selected in the Highlands netball team to participate in Riverina pre –selection trials on Monday 26 March in Albury.

#### HIGHLANDS PSSA FOOTBALL

Melissa Grant, Michala Oakes, Keigan King, Bailey O'Neil and Ryan Corby participated in football selection trials in Tumut today. If selected to represent the Highlands PSSA, boys will travel to Lisarow on Tuesday 27 March and girls to Panania on Wednesday 28 March for Riverina selections trials.

#### RIVERINA PSSA CRICKET

Finally the rain eased allowing the Riverina PSSA cricket trials to take place in Deniliquin last Monday. **Riley Green** and **Hamilton Clear** represented the Highlands PSSA. The boys demonstrated strong skills with the bat and the ball but were unsuccessful in gaining selection.

Trials will take place this Friday at Twickenham Oval in Open and Under Eleven divisions commencing at 12.30 pm.

Mr Wheaton will manage our representatives from Stage 2 and Stage 3.

#### HARMONY DAY - THURSDAY



Students will celebrate Harmony Day by dressing as their favourite sports person (past or present) or in their weekend sports gear.

Harmony Day 2012 celebrates the important role sport plays in bringing Australians from all walks of life together to share in a common passion with the key message '*Play, Engage, Inspire*'.

In the Aussie sporting tradition the canteen committee has organised a meat pie or sausage roll meal deal for Thursday.

#### CLAIMING THE DATE

Franklin Cross Country – Thursday 26 April  
Franklin Athletics – Friday 25 May

**REMINDER - Stage 2 excursion notes and money for 'Boggy Creek' need to be returned by tomorrow: - Tuesday 20 March 2011.**

# P&C NEWS

## SCHOOL BANKING

**Wednesday**

*Bank books to office before school.*

### TERM 1 WEEK 9 - 2012

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#### CANTEEN ROSTER

Mon- 19.03.12	Kathy Piper, Kate Stubbs	Mon- 26.03.12	A. Keen, K. Jones, L. Frowd
Tue- 20.03.12	Liz Blake, Stacy Blundell	Tue- 27.03.12	J. Hilly, C. Stubbs, J. McAlister
Wed- 21.03.12	Robyn Reakes, Bec Baker	Wed- 28.03.12	M. Day, K. Jones, L. James
Thu- 22.03.12	CLOSED	Thu-29.03.12	CLOSED
Fri- 23.03.12	L. Turner, M. Cooper, J. Sturt	Fri- 30.03.12	V. Kell, E. Ferguson, S. Arragon

# COMMUNITY NEWS

### CANTEEN NEWS -

**HARMONY DAY MEAL** - Volunteers are needed in Canteen on **Thursday 22 March 2012** to help distribute lunches for Harmony Day. If you can assist please come to Canteen Thursday morning at 11:00 am, Thank you.

### AAS

Active After School (AAS) finishes for Term 1 on **Thursday 22 March 2012**.  
Thank you, Miss Pinnuck and Mrs McDonald.

### BAND NEWS

All band members please bring instruments for lessons and band tomorrow (Tuesday).  
First lesson at 9:00 am: **Liam, Cooper, Bryleigh**.  
Thank you, Mrs Argæet

### SCHOOL HOLIDAY TENNIS CLINIC

With Norman Cahil – Master Coach, Tue 10 April – Fri 13 April  
9:00 am – 10:30 am BEGINNER (5-8yrs)  
10:30 am – 12:00 md INTERMEDIATE (9-11yrs)  
1:30 pm – 3:00 pm ADVANCED (12-16yrs)  
Limited numbers per class so bookings are essential. Contact  
Bernadette Cahill on 6947 4968 or 0427 343 904. Email:  
birdietennis@bigpond.com

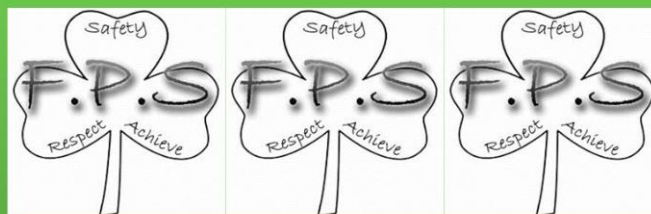
### FLOOD TRAUMA

A major event such as a flood can be a mixed experience for many involved. Children's reaction after a major trauma depends on their personalities, age, the degree of actual threat and how upset everyone else is. If you believe your child has been traumatized by the recent flood crisis, then collect an information package from the school office or seek an appointment with our school counsellor.

### PBL Corner – What is PBL?

#### Positive Behaviour for Learning

FPS has three main values: **RESPECT, SAFETY, ACHIEVE**.  
All staff are working positively to encourage developing these 3 core values in all settings throughout the school. Mrs Mieke Skein is our Coach/Mentor. We recently received a score of 87.5% - which showed that our staff and students are aware of and are working towards these values. **WELL DONE FPS!**  
Next week – What are PBL tokens and how they are used?



## SCHOOL AS COMMUNITY CENTRE NEWS

**Monday: 10.30 and 11.30 Mini Mites Music**  
**Tuesday: 9.30-11.30 Baby Ccino**      **11.30-2 Gurinya TAFE Certificate 3 childrens services**  
**Wednesday: 9.30-11.30 Paint and Play**      **12.30-2 Gurinya**  
**Thursday: 9.30-11.30 Paint and Play**

Tumut Breastfeeding Support meets on the first Monday of each month, 9:30 am – 12:00 pm  
( Please phone Elaine on 0432 430 671 or Krystle at SaCC for more information)

*For more information on our free playgroups and programs please call Krystle on 6947 6961*




### Batlow Paint & Play Fridays'

**10:30am – 12:30pm**  
Come along, all welcome!  
Meet new people and bring  
a piece of fruit to share.



## FRANKLIN FIVE - Week 6

- At school every day
- On time for lessons
- In uniform
- Homework completed
- Positive behaviour in class/playground

		
Tyson – 1H	Karina – 5R	Imogen- 5/6W

## 3M in ACTION



3M used descriptive words from the story James and the Giant Peach to imagine what the Cloud Men looked like. Here are Mackenzie, Teri-Anne, Dakota, Rhyce, Tavia and Kaden



Jalen and Erin are working hard on our COGs unit, 'Being Australian'. We have been learning about values and roles within groups



Dottie, Jordan, Rhys and Grace are standing at the front of our individual shields. After looking at the coat of arms, we designed an individual coat of arms to show some of the things important to us.



Lilly, Alison and Alyssa working hard in maths to make some graphs.

## RIVERINA SWIMMING SUCCESS

Despite the very wet and cold conditions Franklin swimmers produced strong performances in the pool. Congratulations go to Scott Cooper, as he now goes on to represent Riverina at the NSW PSSA Swimming Championships in the 50m Freestyle at Homebush on 4 and 5 April.

Many of our swimmers recorded PB's in their events and came close to Riverina selection.

## ACLO VISIT

Tony Rudd, the Aboriginal Community Liaison Officer visited Franklin where he met staff and enjoyed a game of Oz Tag with our primary students



## NETBALL FUN

Year 3 and 4 girls, Miss Anderson and lots of mums enjoyed a netball gala day which introduced many of the girls to netball. A great time was had by all. Our two teams experienced the thrill of competition, winning, losing and even tying their round robin matches. Sharnie Newland and Grace King were noted for their efforts

## WELCOME to FRANKLIN



Shiloh



Jake

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