

FRANKLIN NEWSLETTER



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Week 7 Term 1

It was great to see so many parents at last week's assembly. This is a wonderful opportunity to be part of your child's school life.

*Year 5 and 6 students are looking forward to Milson Island this Sunday. **Reminder** - All students need to be at school by 7-30am as the bus will be departing at 8am.*

Attached with the newsletter is an important form which needs to be completed by all families.

PLEASE UPDATE AND RETURN TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE A.S.A.P.

ROAD SAFETY

Unfortunately, over the past few weeks I have received a number of 'near miss' reports.

Although children may think they can handle crossing a road by themselves, remember that children:

- *are easily distracted and focus on only one aspect of what is happening*
- *are smaller and harder for drivers to see*
- *are less predictable than other pedestrians*
- *cannot accurately judge the speed and distance of moving vehicles*
- *cannot accurately predict the direction sounds are coming from*
- *are unable to cope with sudden changes in traffic conditions*
- *do not understand abstract ideas - such as road safety*
- *are unable to identify safe places to cross the road*
- *tend to act inconsistently in and around traffic*

Many children below the age of 10 years do not have the capability or judgement to handle many pedestrian situations. Children need to be accompanied and closely supervised by a parent or adult carer to keep them safer.

Students who are under 10 should only ride / scoot to school under the supervision of an adult.



SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

WEDNESDAY

SMILES NEEDED

*Students will be required to wear Summer Uniform (if cold, wear polo fleece that can be taken off for photographs. **No track suit pants**).*

- ➡ **Girls** – school tunic (if possible) or bottle green shorts and gold polo shirt.
- ➡ **Boys** – bottle green shorts and gold polo shirt.
- ➡ **Shoes** – **black** shoes with grey or plain white socks (**no stockings / coloured socks please**).
- ➡ Parents are encouraged to borrow from relatives or contact the school to resolve **uniform problems**.
- ➡ **Sport captains and vice-captains** need to bring (not wear) their sports uniform for a group photograph.
- ➡ **Band** members to bring their instrument.
- ➡ **Family photographs** will be available for students attending Franklin.
- ➡ **All students** (even if you are not purchasing) **will have a class and individual photograph** taken so all students are requested to return the payment envelope.



FRANKLIN PUBLIC'S SHOW DISPLAY

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ROLL OF HONOUR – WEEK 5 TERM 1 and WEEK 6 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

3H	Hayley Bell, Sonny Grady, Brock McMullen, Loren Paton
3/4A	Brandan Paton, Anisha O'Brien, Paige Weston, Riley Hillier
4W	Natalie Erbacher, Andrew Keen, Tyler Whitbread, Matilda Symons
4/5R	Lilly Giddings, Cameron Minogue, Abby Williams, William Atherton
5G	Hunter Lee, Ethan Gilchrist, Leith Turner, Abby Skein
6G	Liné Ferreira, Shay Thomas, Charisma Leinonen, Josh Kell

POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR for LEARNING AWARD

SAFETY	RESPECT	ACHIEVEMENT
Lilly Giddings	Clayton Crane	Charisma Leinonen
Alison Morgan	Ella Bradshaw	Jayde Randall

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Class	Week 5 Term 1	Week 6 Term 1	Class	Week 5 Term 1	Week 6 Term 1
3H	Brock McMullen	Sharlie Thomas	4/5R	Chloe Ferguson	Lachlan Clark
3/4A	Kelly Calonne	Bethany Rapley	5G	Siana Graham	Shae Hayes
4W	Logan Paton	Brayden McPherson	6G	Lachlan Piper	Brooklyn Randall

CHILD WELL BEING CORNER

Franklin Public school has the services of two specialists to support your children. Both ladies work at Franklin each Tuesday, they are happy to support families and students to gain success in the school setting.

USEFUL LINKS AND SUPPORT

When children begin school, it can be difficult to know how much to help to offer without giving them all the answers, particularly when it comes to homework. Check out top tips for independent learning.

<https://www.kidsmatter.edu.au/families/enewletter/top-tips-independent-learning>

FRANKLINCOVER by INSTALMENT

The second instalment

\$40 per child

due on or before Friday 28 March

SAYING NO TO FRANKLINCOVER IN 2014?

The following payments are now due for your child.

Year 1-6	PEG Spelling book	\$17
Kinder	PEG Spelling Book	\$13
FRANK Maths Tables book (Year 3)		\$2
Yrs K-6	Mathletics/Spellldrome	\$10

UP COMING EVENTS

14 March	Auskick
27 March	Trent Barrett
4 April	Performance "Halfway around the World"
11 April	Performance "Double Trouble"



Franklin Public last week received Earn and Learn rewards. The school received a wide range of new learning resource. Thank you to all who participated in the Earn and Learn program.

SAFETY

RESPECT

ACHIEVEMENT

P&C NEWS

SCHOOL BANKING

Wednesday

Bank books to office before school.

TERM 1 WEEK 7 - 2014

TERM 1 WEEK 8 2014

CANTEEN ROSTER

Mon - 10.03.14	Angela Keen, Linda Frowd	Mon - 17.03.14	Vicki Kell, Kelly Lowther
Tue - 11.03.14	CLOSED	Tue - 18.03.14	CLOSED
Wed - 12.03.14	Emma Ferguson, Michelle White	Wed - 19.03.14	Lana Turner, Jackie Sheriff
Thu - 13.03.14	CLOSED	Thu - 20.03.14	CLOSED
Fri - 14.03.14	C. Jaques, L. Green, B. Graham	Fri - 21.03.14	Danielle Emonson, Megan Considine

COMMUNITY NEWS



Lunch bags a can be purchased from the office for \$10

FRANKLIN RADIO NEWS

FM 96.3

**Thursday at 10.30am
with Maddison & Jack**

**BOOK CLUB ORDERS ARE DUE
TO THE OFFICE BY
WEDNESDAY 19 MARCH**

BULBS DIRECT

Please return
orders by
Friday 21 March

P & C MEETING

19 MARCH 2014, 7PM

STAFFROOM

ALL WELCOME TO ATTEND

Tumut Bull Ants Junior Rugby Union Club

Registration & Try Rugby Player Registration

Date: Tuesday 18th March 2014

Where: Jarrah Oval Tumut - Bulls Home Ground.

Time 5.00pm

Cost \$50 per player

Rugby is a great social event for the whole family with 2 games (Sunday) every 2nd weekend, keeping 2 weekends a month free.

Girls are welcomed in age groups U 7 – U 9s.

Age groups include under 7s, 9s, 11s, 13s & 15s.

Training is held Tuesdays at Jarrah Oval, Tumut 5.30pm.

Enquires contact David Elworthy on 0418 694401.

For more details visit;

www.tumutbullants.rugbynet.com.au



Do you have a child in year 4, 5 or 6?

**Have you
missed out
on thousands
of dollars?**

In 2001 the Government introduced the 'First Child Tax Offset' and surprisingly many Australians did not know about it and have NOT claimed any benefits.

If you have **ANY** child that was born between **1 July 2001 and 30 June 2004** you may be eligible to receive up to \$12,500 of entitlements.

The government has a 30 June 2014 deadline on this entitlement so please email childoffset@twelve.com.au today to receive more information.

Twelve Chartered Accountants ABN 61 712 659 747
www.twelve.com.au Principal: Derek Nolan CA

**ACT NOW!
DEADLINE
JUNE 2014**



Your Family Tax Specialist

SCHOOL AS COMMUNITY CENTRE NEWS



Baby Ccino - Tuesdays 9.30-11.30
Paint and Play - Wednesdays 9.30-11.30
Gurinya (Aboriginal Playgroup) - Wednesdays 12.30-2.00
Paint and Play - Thursdays 9.30-11.30
Batlow Playgroup - Friday 10.00-11.30



FRANKLIN FIVE - Week 7

- At school every day OR providing an absence note on first day back at school
- On time for lessons – 9.10am
- In uniform – including black shoes and school hat/cap
- Home Learning and Home Reading completed
- Positive behaviour in class/playground



Kaigan – K/1B



Keegan – 1C



Rhys- 4W

3/4A in Action

3/4A has been learning about water in Science and we learnt about buoyancy. We experimented with floating and sinking.



Kade

Leith

Abby

Jorja



Shae

Hannah

Tikirah

Sophie



Abby

RIVERINA PSSA SWIMMING
CARNIVAL

Good Luck to all competitors



Will

Michael

Tikirah

Grace



Reggie

Abby

Last Friday, 15 students participated in trials for the Highlands PSSA girls and boys basketball teams to participate in the Riverina selection trials at Albury on Monday 17 March. Six students were successful in selections trials

CLAIMING the DATE

Tuesday 12
Friday 14
Sunday 16
Friday 21

School Photos
1C Assembly
Milson Island Departs
Milson Island Return

Tumut Locksmith
Stubbs Backhoe
Outdoor Power Centre
Tumut Toyota

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of
Franklin

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NRMA Tumut
Pie in the Sky
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G & L Turner Mechanical Repairs