

# FRANKLIN NEWSLETTER

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### Week 9

### **Tuesday 11th Dec**

- Swim School
- Year 6 Farewell
   Dinner

### **Wednesday 12th Dec**

Swim School

### **Thursday 13th Dec**

- Last day of Swim School
- Family Fun Night

### Friday 14th Dec

- Presentation Day
- Thank You Morning
   Tea 10:45am—11:15
   am
- Last day of Canteen

### Week 10

### **Monday 17th Dec**

PBL Reward Day

### **Tuesday 18th Dec**

- Infants Christmas Carols
- Class ChristmasParties

#### Wednesday 19th Dec

Last day of Term 4







### **Proud and Deadly Awards**

The Franklin Indigenous students celebrated their achievements this year with community members on Monday afternoon in Bila Park.







#### **Swim School**

Around 100 students from Franklin have been participating in this years swim school program. The program is run by Narelle Buckingham and her staff at the Tumut pool. The students have been extremely enthusiastic and the growth in their abilities that they have shown in just 5 days has been amazing! The program will run until Thursday the 13th December.

We would like to thank Narelle and the swimming instructors at the Tumut pool and would also like to congratulate all the students for their respectful behaviour.

### **Presentation Day**

When: Presentation Day will take place on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> of December.

Infants presentations will take place from **9:30 a.m.**—**10:30 a.m.** while Primary presentations will take place between **11:30 a.m.**—**12:30 p.m.** 

Where: The Miles Franklin Hall.

Note: Please remember full summer school uniform,

including white socks and black shoes.



### **CELEBRATING FRANKLIN!**







### From the Library!

Students from Sturt and Cook have has lots of fun with paper mache! Ugh! It was gluey, messy and sticky but we have made some amazingly colourful 'Santa Pants' to decorate our Christmas tables.

### Learnscape















### Franklin Public School is now enrolling for 2019!

To meet a friendly staff member for a school tour please enquire through our school office on (02) 6947 1533.











### **TOGETHER WE LEARN**

### **Celebrating Our Achievements on our School Reports!**

Report time is approaching and teachers will be busy gathering information about your child's progress to date. When you read your child's report take the time to read it carefully, as they are set out differently from the grades you might remember from your school years.

The new A to E grades indicate whether your child is 'on track', and learning what is expected, doing better than expected or needs more help.

<u>C</u> means that your child is 'on track' in relation to what he or she is expected to learn. Other grades will indicate whether your child is doing better than expected or needs more help.

The Board of Studies has developed the following descriptions of achievement for use by all NSW schools.

- <u>A Outstanding achievement</u>: The student has an *extensive knowledge and understanding* of the content and can readily apply this knowledge. In addition, the student has achieved a *very high level of competence* in the processes and skills and can *apply these skills to new situations*.
- <u>B High achievement</u>: The student has a *thorough knowledge and understanding* of the content and a *high level of competence* in the processes and skills. In addition, the student is able to *apply this knowledge and these skills to most situations*.
- <u>C Sound achievement</u>: The student has a *sound knowledge and understanding* of the main areas of content and has achieved an *adequate level of competence* in the processes and skills.
- <u>**D** Basic achievement</u>: The student has a *basic knowledge and understanding* of the content and has achieved a *basic level of competence* in the processes and skills.
- **<u>E Limited achievement</u>**: The student has an *elementary knowledge and understanding* in few areas

### **Thank you Moring Tea**

A big thank you to all our community helpers for your support during 2018.

This will be held between the Stage 1 Presentation Ceremony and before the Stage 2—3 Presentation

10:45am—11:15am



#### **Its Christmas Time**

A Christmas party open for all junior players.
Includes a round robin tournament, hot shots matches, tennis games and lots of fun

5—7pm

Wednesday 12th December

\$5.00 per child

Dinner will be provide Please contact Birdie on

0427 343 904 or 6947 4968

Email: birdietennis@bigpond.com

### Tumut School's As Community Centre



It's our favourite time of the year, its Christmas time!! So naturally this week we'll be exploring everything Christmas. We'll be writing letters to Santa, developing our fine-motor skills and co-ordination by decorating the 'belonging Tree' and discovering sparkling Play Doh. We'll get crafty











making Christmas decorations and painting with our finger tips, hands and feet to create magical Christmas prints.

### **TOGETHER WE LEARN**

## Lawson in Action!

Students have been learning how to build, program and manoeuvre Lego EV3 robots this term! More Robotics Kits are also on the way for next term for students of all ages to enjoy!



Katie, Angelina & Chloe after successfully building, programming and testing their



Jorja & Jessica are busy using the coding software to send information to their robot's intelligence brick.



Cody & Kevin about to test out the accuracy of their programming!

### FRANKLIN STARS — Week 9

Students who follow our PBL school values of:

~ ACHIEVEMENT ~ SAFETY







Lilly Jeffery Cook



Kayla Gilchrist Blaxland

#### **Claim the Date**

The next few weeks at Franklin Public School will be full of great learning opportunities and exciting activities!

A reminder of upcoming events:

- Year 6 Farwell Dinner Tuesday 11th of December.
- Christmas Carols Thursday 13th at 4:30 p.m. All Franklin students are encouraged to sing Christmas carols in the main street. Meet Franklin staff outside the jewellers at 4:30pm
- Presentation Day Friday 14<sup>th</sup> of December. Infants presentations will take place from 9:30 a.m.— 10:30 a.m. while Primary presentations will take place between 11:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m. in the Miles Franklin Hall. Please remember full summer school uniform, including white socks and black shoes.
- Thank You Morning Tea Friday 14<sup>th</sup> of December between Infants and Primary presentation ceremonies.
   Last day of Canteen— Friday 14th of December
- PBL Reward Day Monday 17th of December
   Bike, Scooter day.
- Infants Christmas Carols Tuesday 18th of December. Students are encouraged to wear a Christmas hat or headband.
- Christmas Parties Tuesday 18th of December.
- Last day of Term 4 Wednesday 19th of December.
- First day of 2019 for Years 1– 6: 30th of January
- First day for Kindergarten 2019: Monday 4th of February.