

Welcome back

Welcome back to Term 2. It was great to see everyone return after the holidays and welcome to the new families. From what I have heard, everyone had a terrific break.

Year 6 to Year 7 Transition

Earlier in the week an information pack on Year 6 to Year 7 Transition was sent home with the Year 6 students. The pack contains a letter to parents and carers from the Regional Director, a list of Government schools in their region offering Year 7 classes, an application form for Year 7 Placement and Privacy information.

Please complete the Application for year 7 Placement form and return it to school no later than **Friday 11th May 2018.**

Fundraising

Thank you to the families that support the school's fundraising ventures and to those families that have contributed voluntary funds to our Building and Grounds funds. Our landscaping works, ongoing playground improvements and school resources such as air conditioning are paid for by various school fundraising events held each year and it is great to see this money being put to good use for our school community. A special thank you to the Parent and Friends Committee for their wonderful success with the Easter Raffle. They managed to raise \$734.70 which was a fantastic effort. Look out for the Mother's Day Raffle. Every little bit helps.

2019 Foundation Students (PREPS)

It is hard to believe that we are nearly half way through the year! It's now time to start thinking about Foundation (Prep) enrolments for 2019. Our transition program will begin at the beginning of Term 3, where all enrolled children will be able to spend time in the Foundation rooms on a regular fortnightly visit. If you have a little one at home who starts school next year, could I encourage you to enrol your child as soon as possible, so that we can begin planning our program. If you have friends or neighbours with preschool children could you please let them know about our transition program and encourage them to collect an enrolment pack from our office.

Please be advised that there are limited places in the Foundation (Cycle 1) Montessori classroom.

Coles Sports for Schools

Please return any Coles Sports for Schools vouchers to school by Monday 30th April, so we can return them for our sports equipment.



**Karen Luff
Principal**

Coming Events



May	
16th	School Council 6:30pm Naplan
17th	Naplan
23rd	Education Trail 4.30pm-6.30pm Walk Safely to School Day Scienceworks—Blast off 2/3A, 3/4A, 4/5A (Grades 3's & 4's only) Opera Australia Incursion
24th	Jump Rope for Heart
25th	Curriculum Day
30th	School Photos
June	
11th	Queens Birthday Public Holiday
20th	School Council 6:30pm
28th	School Disco
29th	End of Term 2:30pm finish
September	
5th to 7th	Grade 3&4 Camp Manyung
November	
5th	Curriculum Day

Calendar



Monday 30th April	Breakfast Club 8.15 to 8.45am
Tuesday 1st May	School Banking Running Club 8.30am to 8.50am
Wednesday 2nd May	Breakfast Club 8.15 to 8.45am
Thursday 3rd May	Breakfast Club 8.15 to 8.45am
Friday 4th May	Running Club 8.30am to 8.50am P & F Meeting—9.15am Community Room Icy Pole Sales \$1.00 each
Monday 7th May	Breakfast Club 8.15 to 8.45am
Tuesday 8th May	School Banking Running Club 8.30am to 8.50am
Wednesday 9th May	Breakfast Club 8.15 to 8.45am Bayside District Field Athletics Carnival
Thursday 10th May	Breakfast Club 8.15 to 8.45am
Friday 11th May	Running Club 8.30am to 8.50am Mothers Day Stall & Raffle Drawn Girls Movie Night Ivy Pole Sales \$1.00 each



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SCHOOL COUNCILLORS

President: Simon Tiller
Vice President: Lisa Agar
Secretary: Claire Montgomery-Campbell
Assistant Secretary: Danielle Goldsmith
Treasurer: Rachael Franks
Assistant Treasurer: Carol Chainey
Parents: Simon Tiller, Simone Power, Melissa Dillon, Stanley Mitchell, Claire Montgomery-Campbell
Executive Officer: Karen Luff, Rachael Franks
DET Representatives: Danielle Goldsmith, Deirdre Finnegan, Carol Chainey, Sam Marston
Community Members: Lisa Agar, Rob Lindsay

Supervision in the School Grounds

Teachers are on yard duty in the school grounds at the following times:

8.45 – 9.00am Before School
11.00-11.30am Morning Recess
1.45-2.30pm Lunchtime
3.30-3.45pm After School

2018 TERM DATES

Term 2: 16th April to 29th June
Term 3: 16th July to 21st September
Term 4: 8th October to 21st December

2018 School Hours

Classroom Session 9.00am-11.00am
Morning Recess 11.00am-11.30am
Classroom Session 11.30-1.30
Lunch Eating Time 1.30-1.45pm
Lunch Play Time 1.45pm-2.30pm
Classroom Session 2.30pm-3.30pm

CHANGE AT OFFICE

The office does not carry change, please provide exact change when sending money to school.

Thank you



PLEASE RETURN ANY COLES SPORTS FOR SCHOOLS VOUCHERS TO SCHOOL ASAP SO WE CAN RETURN THEM FOR OUR SPORTS EQUIPMENT.
THANK YOU



2018 PARENT PAYMENT CHARGES

Essential Education Items and Optional Extra Fees are now due.

SCHOOL HATS

BROAD BRIM SCHOOL HATS ARE COMPULSORY DURING TERM 1 & 4

School Hats are available at PSW, 21 Playne Street, Frankston and the School Office



ABSENCE LINE

9788 4838

When you phone please leave your child's name, grade, date of absence and reason for absence

Thankyou.





APRIL

28th	Eva	M2B
	Autumn	2/3A
29th	Mitchell	1/2A
	Krispin	3/4A
30th	Isabella	4/5A
	Jocia	M3A



MAY

1st	Isabella	M2A
	Hayley	4/5A
4th	Tommy	1/2A
	Millabella	M2A
	David	4/5A
9th	Cassie	5/6B



CAMPS, SPORTS AND EXCURSION (CSEF) APPLICATION FORMS DUE

Parents are reminded to lodge the CSEF application form to the school office ASAP.



BREAKFAST CLUB

The breakfast club has started at Karingal Primary School.

When: Monday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings from 8:15am to 8:45am in the Community Room

Donation: 50cents

Run by: Volunteers from St Luke's Anglican Church and Karingal Primary School Staff Members.

If you would like your child to attend please fill in a permission form from the school office.



Don't forget that **Tuesday** is School Banking day and students should bring in their weekly deposit.

For every deposit made at school, no matter how big or small, students will receive a cool Dollarmites token. The first token will be received upon the first deposit at school. Once students have individually collected 10 tokens they can then be redeemed for a range of great, exclusive reward items in recognition of their continued savings behaviour.

Thank you for supporting the School Banking program at Karingal Primary School.

HOUSE SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

On Thursday the 3rd May 2018 your child/children will be participating in the house school cross country. Students in Years P-2 will participate on our school oval between 10-11am and students in Years 3-6 will participate in the school and surrounding grounds on a 1km track for 9 year olds, a 2km track for 10 year olds and a 3km track for 11/12 and 13 year olds. We will be using the general local excursion form for permission at this event due to it being held both in the school grounds and surrounding sidewalks. If you would **NOT** like your child/children to participate please contact Miss Holmes as soon as possible.

This is a time when your child/children can celebrate that they are part of by wearing their house colours to school. No face paint or hair spray is allowed on the day.



EASTER BONNET PARADE



KARINGAL PS

Parents and Friends Official Newsletter

SPECIAL EVENTS

MAY 4, 2018

P&F Meeting - 9.15am
in the community room

MAY 11, 2018

Mother's Day Stall and Raffle
Draw

JUNE 28, 2018

School Disco

ICY POLES

As of Friday 27th April Icy Poles will be on sale for \$1 instead of the previous price of .70c. This small increase will also be put towards funding for playground upgrades.

We are always looking for extra volunteers to help with the sales of Icy Poles. If you have free time on Friday's between 1.30 - 2.15 and would like to help, please leave your name and number at the office and we will get in contact with you.

Thanks heaps,

from your friends at P&F

MOTHER'S DAY

Hello and welcome to Term 2! Our annual Mother's Day stall will be held on Friday 11th May. A notice will be sent home mid next week with all the details.

Our team have been working hard to gather some fantastic prizes for our Mother's Day raffle. We have over \$600 worth of prizes!!

- A family pass to a crazy cool stunt show at The Drum Theatre
- Entry into Strike Bowling inclusive of 1 free game of bowling, 1 hour of Karaoke, Laser Tag and food
- A FUNTASTIC party for 8 at Lollipops Playland
- A 90 minute Reconnect to Self session and 2 x Mindful Mum's Support Group session from Awaken Insights
- Some stunning beach towels from Adairs
- A hamper from Henry's Bayside Mercato
- Yummy cupcakes from 'Cakes By The Novelty Housewife'
- An assortment of gorgeous gifts provided by Yu Pharmacy in Karingal with everything from bath bombs to hot chocolate mixes.

AND MORE!

Tickets will be coming home on Monday 30th April so be sure to keep your eye out for them. All fundraising proceeds will be put towards playground upgrades.



Helping children with the ups and downs of friendships *Children develop friendship skills through playing with other children.*

Cooperation

- How to share, how to take turns, how to work together towards a common goal.

Communication

- Using words to explain what you want and listening to others respectfully.
- Paying attention to body language (eg making eye contact, smiling, being able to read others' nonverbal reactions).

Understanding and managing feelings

- Being able to express feelings in ways that help others understand you.
- Recognising and responding to others' feelings.

Accepting and including others

- Recognising others' needs for respect and friendship.



A World Free from Bullying Poster Competition Winners

Congratulations to Chloe A, Thomas G and Isabella G for their wonderful posters about a world free from bullying.

RIPRR Team

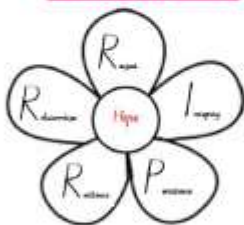
It was wonderful to present the RIPRR team with their badges at assembly last Friday.



Karingal Klubs

The first Karingal Klubs activities will take place on Thursday 10th May. This week students will be choosing their activity they would like to participate in.

RIPRR Award



Congratulations to Marco (M2A) for receiving the RIPRR award.

Marco received the award for always being nice, even if he feels mad!



*Where flowers bloom, so does hope -
Lady Bird Johnson*

BULLYING. NO WAY.
www.bullyingnoway.gov.au

Fun with the Paringa House

Captain

Nicholas

What do you enjoy about being a house captain?

Helping at assemblies.

What is your favourite sport?

Basketball.

What is your favourite subject?

Maths.

Do you have any pets?

Yes: a dog named Lexa.



What football team do you barrack for?

Essendon.

What do you like doing in your spare time?

Play PS4.

If you had a super power, what would it be?

Levitation.

*Where flowers bloom, so does hope -
Lady Bird Johnson*



What is your favourite TV show?


I don't watch TV!

What is your favourite food?

Vegetarian lasagne.

SCHOOL PHOTOS


School photo packs have been sent out to every student.
 School Photos will be taken on Wednesday May 30th.
 If you wish to have a family photo please collect an envelope from the office.



PO Box 332 East Bentleigh VIC 3185 • (03) 9570 9311 • www.elschoolphotography.com.au


PACKAGE OPTIONS

DELUXE PACK




One 20 x 25 cm Two 13 x 18 cm Four 65 x 90 mm Two 33 x 58 mm
includes a black and white and a color photograph

STANDARD PACK



One 20 x 25 cm One 13 x 18 cm Four 58 x 82 mm Two 33 x 28 mm

BASIC PACK



One 20 x 25 cm

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Please read all relevant instructions for your preferred payment method, and ensure payment is made, prior to, or on the day.

I have ordered online and my reference number is

YOUR LOGIN CODE IS **ESP202515**

Student Name _____

Class _____


School _____

ORDER FORM

Deluxe Pack	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$22.00	
Standard Pack	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$20.00	
Basic Pack	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$14.00	Amount Enclosed \$ <input style="width: 50px;" type="text"/>

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Sibling's Name _____ Sibling's Class _____



SIBLING PHOTOGRAPH ENVELOPE

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DO NOT PLACE THIS ENVELOPE INSIDE ANOTHER ENVELOPE AS IT MAY RESULT IN YOUR FAMILY PHOTOGRAPH NOT BEING TAKEN.

If you wish to purchase a Sibling photograph of your children attending this School, please fill in the details clearly and enclose correct payment in the envelope. We encourage students to smile, please practice their smile prior to the day.

The Sibling pack includes:

Your login code to order a pack is

One 13cm x 18cm professional portrait **Cost \$14.00**

Four Wallet sized prints & Two Passport sized prints **ESP202515**

I have ordered the Sibling photograph online and my reference number is _____

Family Name _____ School _____

Child's Name _____ Class _____

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WRITER OF THE WEEK

Which is better, basketball or football?

I think basketball is better than football because it is easier to score goals in basketball, it is easier to bounce a basketball and you get to touch the ball more when you play basketball.

Scoring in basketball is easier because you just have to throw the ball through the basketball hoop. In football it is harder because you have to kick the ball into the goals.

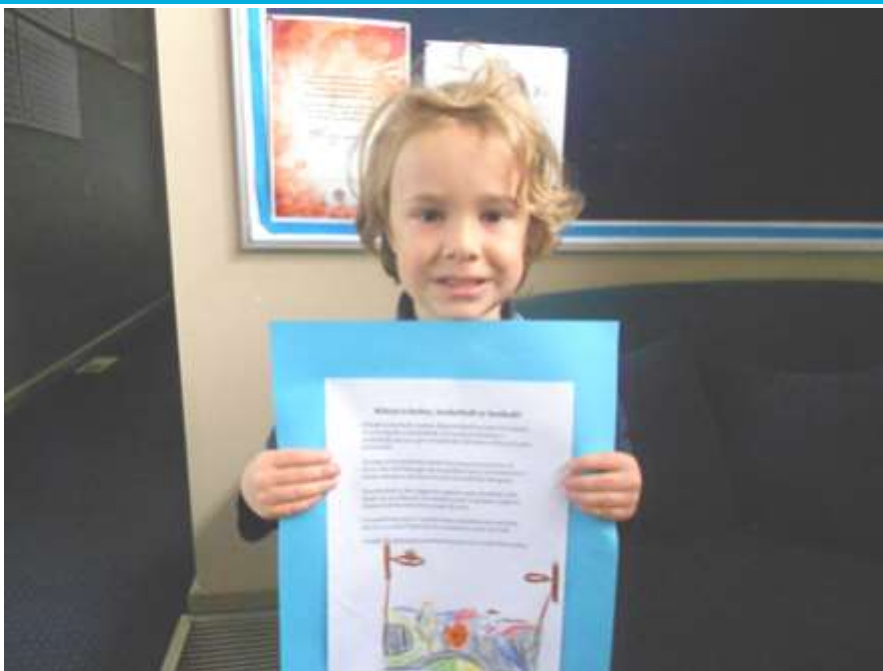
A basketball is the shape of a sphere and a football is the shape of an ellipsoid. It is much easier to bounce a sphere shaped ball because it is round all over.

A basketball court is smaller than a football oval and that means you don't have to run as much to catch the ball.

I really like playing basketball because it is really fun to play.



BY HUGO M12



VEGETABLE GARDEN NEWS

The Sugar Snap Pea Challenge

The Prep/1 classes have been set a challenge -to grow the biggest and tastiest sugar snap peas in KPS history. Mr Bodley, Miss Goldsmith and Carol's Montessori students are growing their own sugar snap peas at school in front of the Prep area. Progress photos will be sent to Frankston City Council, Dirtgirl World, Frankston Standard Leader, Bayside News, Gardening Australia and Junior Landcare for sponsorship and support for future projects. Mrs Luff will judge the competition and a prize will be awarded to the winning class.



Thank you to all the families and friends who collected stickers for the Woolworths Earn and Learn Program.

We received all this amazing equipment from the program last week.



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Koorie Kids Homework Club

Come along All Koorie Kids, Get together, Get help with homework and learn more about Culture.

Every Wednesdays

(Excluding school holidays)

Time 4pm to 6pm

Venue Nairm Marr Djambana

Address Nursery Ave Frankston 3199
(Near the corner of Craig St)

Available for 5—12 year olds

Food & drinks provided

Please contact the office 9701 4200 or mobile 0488 030 594 if you need Bus pick up.

Southern VACCA

Level 2, Plaza Business Centre, 26 McCrae St, Dandenong VIC 3175
PO Box 7052, Dandenong VIC 3175

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STEP
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Connect to us

Select the "Search" icon and type in our
name. Select us from the results.

STEP
03

Select your communication groups

Click the "Add" icon beside the
communication groups that
apply to you.

STEP
04

Get started

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GIRL GUIDES

Friendship, fun, challenge and achievement!

OVERPORT Guides welcomes girls aged 6-12

Meetings are at the Delacombe Park Guide Hall, Wednesdays 6:15 pm to 8:15 pm

Our units are open to new members at any time.

You are welcome to visit a unit to see how you like it.

Adults also welcome as members & volunteers in a number
of roles.

Contact: District Manager, Deb Abbs 9787 5709

Laura Ames 0414 612 715

Email: frankston@guidesvic.org.au



Girl Guides Website: www.guidesvic.org.au

**Helping girls and young women grow into confident, self-respecting, responsible
community members**



KIDS CHESS TOURNAMENT

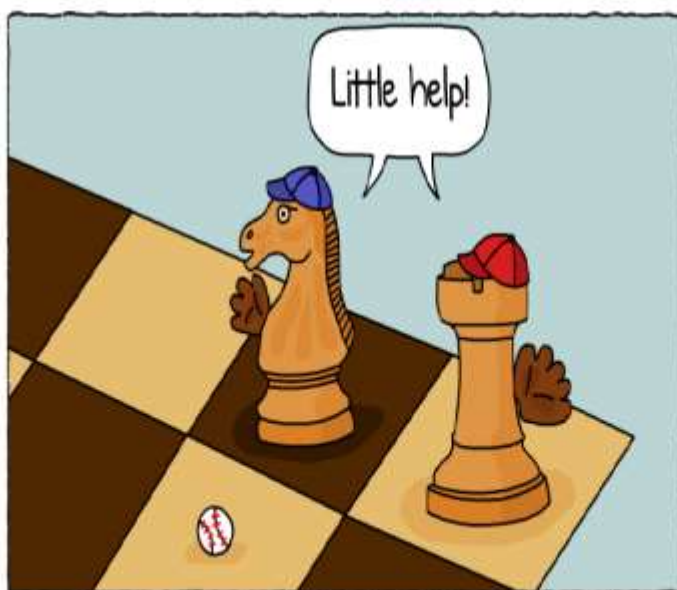
FREE ENTRY

DATES: Friday 4th May (rounds 1-2)
Friday 11th May (Rounds 3-4)
Friday 18th May (Rounds 5-6)

TIME: 7.00pm to 8.00pm

LOCATION: Frankston Chess Club
Leewarra House
200 Beach St, Frankston

Frankston Chess Club would like to invite all kids to a free entry chess tournament. Two games played each night, each player has 15 minutes per game. A few small prizes to be won. Suitable for all levels and not compulsory to attend every round. Come down and meet new kids that enjoy playing chess and learn some new moves.



enquiries: Rafael 0413 358 673 Rafael@SmartyChess.Com

BECOME A VOLUNTEER HOST FAMILY



"If you're thinking about hosting, do it! It's the most rewarding experience for your family. Our daughter has a sister now, someone to talk to other than mum or dad."
Nicole, three-time host mum.

CAN YOU HOST ME?

**EMAIL SYLVIAKELLY@WEP.ORG.AU
CALL 1300 884 733
SMS 0428 246 633**



GIULIA F 16 from Italy

"People say I have a spontaneous and bubbly personality. I enjoy trying new things and expressing myself through art. I aspire to become an architect and maybe a famous pianist.

WEP IS LOOKING FOR AUSTRALIAN FAMILIES TO JOIN OUR COMMUNITY OF WONDERFUL VOLUNTEER HOST FAMILIES.

HOST A HIGH SCHOOL EXCHANGE STUDENT!

IF YOU HAVE AN INTEREST IN OTHER CULTURES, WE WOULD LOVE TO HEAR FROM YOU! REMEMBER, SOMETIMES THE GREATEST REWARDS IN LIFE COME FROM DOING THINGS YOU NEVER THOUGHT YOU WOULD!

CONTACT WEP ON 1300 884 733 FOR MORE INFORMATION.

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