

Welcome Back

It was great to see everyone after the holidays, I trust everyone had a good break. We have a very busy third term planned with a number of extra curricula activities happening such as a swimming, boy's movie night, student led conferences, 3/4 camp and footy day. I am pleased to say we have had an excellent start to the term with the students settling back into routine quickly.

Foundation (Prep) 2019

Our Foundation (Prep) transition program will start on Monday 6th August, between 2.30pm—3.30pm. From term 3 the children enrolled for next year are able to spend time in the classroom on a regular basis. If you have a little one at home who starts school next year, please enrol your child as soon as possible, so that we can begin planning our classes. If you have friends or neighbours with preschool children, please let them know about our transition program and encourage them to collect an enrolment pack from the office.

Other transition activities happening over the next few weeks are, The Great Toy Contest, an engaging and entertaining show for the preschool children on Tuesday 24th July at 9.30am and a Foundation Discovery Night on Wednesday 1st August at 6.00pm.

A Wonderful Performance

Over the holidays I was privileged to witness the amazing new talent of Thomas Gallop from M2B at the Drum Theatre in Dandenong. Thomas performed alongside seasoned performers in Madame Butterfly with Opera Australia. He confidently played the role of Sorrow and should be very proud of his efforts. Well done Thomas!

Parent Opinion Survey 2018

The Parent Opinion survey is completed annually by the Department of Education and Training and is conducted amongst a sample of randomly selected parents at every school in Victoria. This year, about 30 percent of parents will be invited to participate. All responses to the survey are anonymous.

The survey helps our school gain an understanding of how you view our school climate, student engagement, and relationships. Our school will use the results to inform school planning and improvement strategies.

The survey will be conducted online by ORMIA Research Pty Ltd and only takes 15 minutes to completed. It can be accessed from Monday 23rd July Sunday 26th August.

The Survey is available in English, Arabic, Vietnamese, Mandarin, Chin (Hakha) and Hindi.

For more information, see Parent Opinion survey (<http://www.education.vic.gov.au/school/teachers/management/improvement/Pages/performsurveyparent.asp> (<http://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/events/prc//Pages/Default.aspx>).

Karen Luff
Principal



Coming Events

- July**
23rd to 27th Swimming program Prep to Grade 4
- September**
5th to 7th Grade 3&4 Camp Manyung
- October**
31st School Concert
- November**
5th Curriculum Day

Calendar



Monday 23rd July	Breakfast Club 8.15 to 8.45am Swimming P-4
Tuesday 24th July	School Banking Running Club 8.30am to 8.50am Swimming P-4 Prep Incursion
Wednesday 25th July	Breakfast Club 8.15 to 8.45am Swimming P-4
Thursday 26th July	Breakfast Club 8.15 to 8.45am Swimming P-4
Friday 27th July	Running Club 8.30am to 8.50am Swimming P-4
Monday 30th July	Breakfast Club 8.15 to 8.45am Dentist Visit
Tuesday 31st July	School Banking Running Club 8.30am to 8.50am Dentist Visit
Wednesday 1st August	Breakfast Club 8.15 to 8.45am Dentist Visit
Thursday 2nd August	Breakfast Club 8.15 to 8.45am
Friday 3rd August	Running Club 8.30am to 8.50am Icy 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, Rachael Franks
Executive Officer:	Karen Luff
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 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

ABSENCE LINE **9788 4838**

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

Thankyou.



BREAKFAST CLUB

The breakfast club is at Karingal Primary School.

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

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.

ABSENCE VIA WEBSITE

You are now able to report your child's absence via our website.
www.karingalps.vic.edu.au



NOTICES

In order to make it easier for parents we are endeavouring to place all permission forms onto our website.

Permission forms for excursions can be found on our calendar and you can print them from home if necessary.

Website: www.karingalps.vic.edu.au





JULY

20th	Chase	M2A
22th	Reilly	01B
29th	Kailee	23A
30th	Emily	01A
30th	Bailey	M2A

AUGUST

1st	Raydon	M2A
1st	Arwynn	4/5A
2nd	Zarah	01A
3rd	Levi	01A
3rd	Peyton	01B



ATTENDANCE

Please look out for parent information on attendance coming home next week.

Everyday Counts

Learning Starts at 9.00 am

Attend today to achieve tomorrow

Let us know if your Child is Away

Working Together = Success



WRITERS OF THE WEEK



Karingal PLACE Preschool

103 Ashleigh Avenue

Frankston

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We are reminding our local families to enrol for Preschool in 2019. Our numbers are currently a little low for this time of the year, so we are eager to increase them to continue to provide our quality program for as many children as possible!

We have 2 rooms so can accommodate 2 groups of Preschool children - as we have this year. We are happy to invite prospective families to come and say hello and 'have a look' and talk to us about our program.

Enrolments are made online with Frankston Council for both 4yo and 3yo groups.

Please do so as soon as possible, as decisions regarding our timetable for next year will be made in July.

Maree, Sharyn, Sue, Suzanne & Sam - Preschool Staff

Helping Children Learn Positive Friendship Skills

Friendship patterns in the primary school years

Children choose friends who have similar interests and enjoy similar activities. During primary school close friendships are most often with a child of the same sex. This is related to children's preferences in play. Boys tend to prefer active kinds of play in groups, whereas girls typically prefer gentler games in pairs or threes and use talk more than action. Such preferences may be especially strong around the ages of eight and nine when many children become more aware of social expectations regarding girls' and boys' behaviour. These expectations can create difficulties for boys who are interested in gentler kinds of play and for girls who prefer the kind of active play that is usually associated with boys.

The Great Jellybean Guessing Game

Congratulations to Harrison J (56A) who was the winner of the jellybean guessing competition. The exact number of jellybeans in the jar was 975. Harrison was the closest guess, guessing 973. The RIPRR team raised \$112 which will go towards purchases for lunchtime clubs. Thank you to everybody who supported the competition, and a big thank you to Miss Goldsmith for organising the competition.

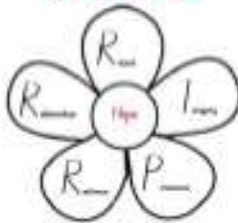


Karingal Klubs

The last Thursday of Term 2 saw the whole school participate in Karingal Klubs rotation activities. This was a thoroughly enjoyable afternoon. Children will complete all activities in the next whole school Karingal Klubs (at the end of this term). Congratulations to the school leaders who organised and led the fun activities.



RIPRR Award



Congratulations to Jabez (34A) and Vicky (parent) for receiving the RIPRR award.

Jabez received the award for reading when he is asked to and presenting all the RIPRR values.



Vicky received the award for the incredible amount of work she puts into the veggie garden, getting the kids involved and applying for the grants. Vicky is also a wonderful team member of the P & F committee.

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

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Fun with the Bunnerong House

Captain

Morgan



What do you enjoy about being a house captain?

I like to help people.

What is your favourite sport?

Soccer.

What is your favourite subject?

Writing.

Do you have any pets?

1 dog, 1 cat, 60 pigeons, a few fish and 2 blue tongued lizards.



What is your favourite TV show?

I don't have one.

What is your favourite food?

Sushi.

What football team do you barrack for?

I don't barrack for anyone.

What do you like doing in your spare time?

Walking around.

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

Teleportation.

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NAIDOC WEEK

Today we celebrated NAIDOC Day. NAIDOC stands for National Aborigines and Islanders Day Observance Committee.

We were fortunate to have John (Koorie Education Support Officer) to speak to us at a special assembly. The students asked great questions of John to further improve their knowledge.

Buddy grades got together and celebrated by doing activities.

A special acknowledgement to Taylah H (5/6B) for organising and presenting activities to classrooms.





BASKETBALL CLINIC TUESDAY 17TH JULY

On Tuesday 17th July Physical Education classes participated in a Basketball clinic ran by the Frankston Blues basketball team. We had the privilege of Ryan Wells from the Blues youth team and Sam Muldrow an American Import playing in the Blues Senior Team. The students learnt new skills and had the opportunity to talk with the players about life as a basketballer and what it took to reach their goals. We would like to thank the Frankston Blues for giving our students this opportunity and we look forward to future clinics.



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PRIMARY
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The staff at Karingal Primary

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2019 FOUNDATION TRANSITION PROGRAM



FOUNDATION TRANSITION PROGRAM OUTLINE

DATE	ACTIVITY	TIME	WHERE	OUTLINE OF ACTIVITY
Tuesday 24th JULY	The Great Toy Contest	9.30-10.30	Karingal Place Hall	The Great Toy Contest is an engaging and entertaining show for all children.
Wednesday 1st AUGUST	Foundation Discovery Night	6.00-7.00pm	Prep Learning Area	This will be a night of discovery whereby you can chat to the teachers and explore the learning activities, games and fun of the Prep classroom.
Mondays 6th & 20th AUGUST 3rd & 17th	Fortnightly Transition Activities	2.30-3.30pm	Prep Learning Area	All children will participate in fun activities and preparing themselves for school.
Friday 24th AUGUST	A Blast from the Past Parade	11.30am-12.30pm	Karingal Place Hall	Children may get dressed up in a costume from the 'days of old'.
Mondays 12th, 19th & 26th NOVEMBER 3rd & 10th DECEMBER	Classroom Activity Sessions	2.30-3.30pm	Prep Learning Area	All children enrolled participate in enjoyable classroom transition sessions.
Thursday 13th DECEMBER	Foundation Information Evening	7.00-7.45pm	BER Building	Information is provided to prepare your child for school. Class and teacher allocation will be given.
Tuesday 18th DECEMBER	Foundation Orientation Day	10.30-1.30pm	Prep Learning Area	Children will be in class with their Prep teacher and participate in a range of school activities. 1pm—T-shirt presentation with sausage sizzle to follow. Parents welcome.

NEXT CHESS TOURNAMENT

The next Chess Tournament will be held on Wednesday 22nd August at St John Vianney's Primary School in Parkdale. Notices will be handed out in the next couple of weeks.



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