The Overport Times

From the Principal's Desk

Dear Parents, Guardians and Students,

Production – Ready, Set, Go! The students are excited and ready for our production, Space Pirates. On Wednesday the students had their run through in the hall and the teachers were delighted in their performances. All the hard work and preparation is almost over and now we look forward to another wonderful evening where the children will present to you this year's production.

Year 5 Science Displays: Our year 5 students have been working very hard in science this term. They researched an element of the Periodic Table and created an information card about the element as well as a diagram of the atomic structure using pasta shells for the electrons. Here are some photos of the science displays that the students of 5C worked on for this unit on Chemistry.





Frankston Youth Services, The Hangout at OPS. Every Monday at lunchtime, Cristina and Imogen come over to the school from The Frankston Recreation Centre opposite our school to work on building social skills with the Year 6 students. They are both social workers from Frankston Youth Services, The Hangout. This was started by Miss Stacey Clark about two years ago and continues to be very successful. Miss Yanni has continued it recognizing the many benefit for our students.



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Diary Dates



Saturday 27th August Working Bee

Monday 29th August Whole School Production.

Wed 31st August
Father's Day stall
Metro Presentation
- Year 5
Yr 3/4 Hoop time

Thursday 1st Sept Father's Day stall District Athletics

Friday 2nd Sept
Prep Father's Day
event
Yr 5 final camp
payment due

Friday 16th Sept End of Term 3 2.30 dismissal

Monday 3rd October Start of Term 4

Tues 25th October Pupil Free Day

Thought for the week;

There is no business like show business!

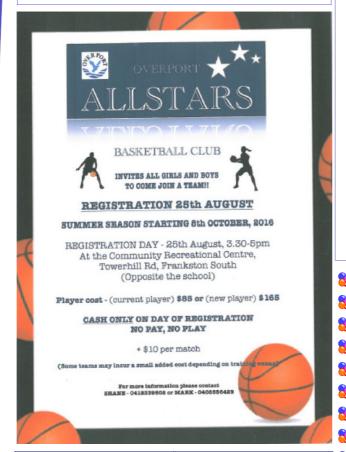


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Late Passes: While we strongly encourage students to arrive on time, we recognise there are times where a variety of things may impact. However, if your child is arriving after 9.05 am and therefore, requires a "Late Pass", they MUST be signed in by an adult. Students cannot sign themselves in when arriving late. This is a requirement from the department. Please assist us in this matter.

Father's Day Stalls: Don't forget that next Wednesday 31st August and Thursday, 1st September our Parents' Club members will hold their annual Father's Day stalls. Thank you to Parents' Club for undertaking this event again.

Kind Regards, Julie Gleeson, Principal.





'OVERPORT CARES' AWARDS







These certificates are awarded at assembly each week for children who have excelled in an academic or social endeavour throughout the previous week.

Taylor OPA, Lacy OPB,

Grace OPB,
Adrian OPC, Ruby PD,
Grace 1A, Mary 1B, Ethan 1C,
Aleksandra 1D, Marli 2A, Bill 2B,
Brady 2C, Jack 2D, Jett 3A, Boyd 3B,
Seth 3C, Rose 4A,
Courtney 4B, Charli 4C,
Rhiannon 5C, Leila 5D,
Ayshia 6A, Holly
& Taleah 6C

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

Happy Birthday to the children who are celebrating their
Birthday this week.

Charlie 2C, Deren 2D, Emilie
2D, Amelie 5D, Charlie PA, Max
5D, Enyinna 6C, Damon 5A,
Phoebe 1C, Lily 1B, William 6A,
Jaxs PB & Josh 6C



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Assistant Principal's Report

Last week was National Support Staff week – a celebration to build respect and recognise the fantastic job all of our Education Support Staff do for us at Overport Primary School. In our office we have Viv, Melissa and Linda. Supporting children and staff in classrooms you will find Sue, Wendy, Jenny, Eleanor Bianca and Kamla. Venetia assists in the library, Monica runs our fabulous canteen and Joy is doing an amazing job looking after everyone in the sickbay. Without the support of these wonderful people, our job here would be all the more difficult. Thank you all!

While production has taken up a lot of our thinking just lately, there are also some other exciting things our students have been involved in at the same time. Today we had a large group of students competing in senior Hoop time competition. Hoop time for year 3 and 4 students takes place next Wednesday. We wish all teams' good luck, and hope they have a great day.

Our parents club will be running our Father's Day stall next Wednesday 31st August and Thursday 1st September. All classes will be timetabled to attend the stall, and students are encouraged to bring along some pocket money to purchase a gift for dad.

Our Sunsmart policy requires all students to be wearing a broad-brimmed hat in the playground from the beginning of September. This is only a week away, so now would be a great time to start looking for that hat.

Due to next Monday 29th August being Production Day, there will be NO ASSEMBLY next week. All students will be attending a full dress rehearsal at Frankston Arts Centre. Please be aware of your child's costume requirements for the day, and also make-up requirements for the night performance. All junior classes and Year 6's, must arrive at 5.15pm for the 5.45pm performance. Year 3-5 students need to arrive at 7.00pm for their 7.30pm performance.

DVD orders for Space Pirates will be accepted until the end of next week. if you would like to order a copy, please send your order form by Friday 2nd September. Another copy of this order form is included in today's newsletter.

See you all at the Frankston Arts Centre next Monday for 'Space Pirates'!

Have a great weekend everyone,

Deborah Madder Assistant Principal



'Space Pirates'
Tickets available from the
box office at
Frankston Arts Centre.
Ph: 03 9784 1060
Web: http://
artscentre.frankston.vic.gov.au

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SHOW DATE

Monday 29th August 2016

SHOW TIMES

Junior Show (Prep, Year 1, 2 & Year 6 Main Cast): **5:45pm**

Senior Show (Years 3-6): 7:30pm

VENUE

Frankston Arts Centre

Don't forget to wear your hat



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Extend OSHC at Overport Primary School

What a great week have had

last week. Our Mc Gilbert Farm display was a great success. All the children had so much fun creating all our farm animals with different types of materials. We had a couple of nice afternoons where the staff and children were able to spend a little more time outside playing on the playground, doing lots of tricks on the monkey bars and also showing off their footy skills playing football.

Kelly and the Gang

SPRING HOLIDAY PROGRAM BOOKINGS ARE OPEN!

Book by the deadline to take advantage of lower rates!

VIC booking deadline: Friday 2nd Sept

We have heaps of fun activities planned these school holidays and can't wait for you to attend!

Have fun with science experiments, participate in a bunch of craft activities with access to a plethora of art media, and get active with a variety of sports and team games. Join in on all this and more at Extend's Spring Holiday Program.

To check out what's on visit our website at extend.com.au and book via the Parent Portal

Term 3 Week 8 Activities Extends Disney week

Monday 29th August: Enchanted

Rainforest

Tuesday 30th August : Stress Balls Wednesday 31st August : Fairy pegs

Thursday 1st September : Magic

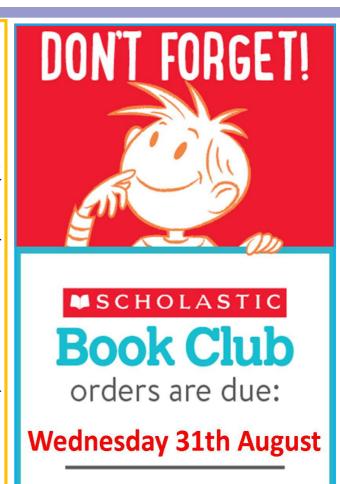
Toadstools

Friday 2nd September: Lava Lamp

ONLINE BOOKINGS: extend.com.au

OUR OFFICE: 1300 366 437





Our school has an app

We are now using an app to send instant messages, newsletters and notices.

The tiqbiz app will help our school keep you fully informed and up-to-date with newsletters, notices, news and events. It's easy to use and also has the benefit of helping reduce our paper consumption by printing less.



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