# The Overport Times

#### From the Principal's Desk

#### **Dear Parents, Guardians and Students**

**Working Bee Thank You:** Last Saturday a group of our parents and staff braved the poor weather conditions to attend our working bee. We managed to get quite a lot done in the time and left the school looking great. Thank you very much for your support and efforts to the families: Barnes, Wheeler,

Robertson, Mallinson/Coyle, Camillo, Fitzgerald, Sykes/Matic, Gillott, White, Spreen, Hearn.

**Mathematics at OPS:** Mathematics is more than rules and knowing the four processes; it is about developing a strong understanding. Effective

mathematics teaching relies on knowledge of students' pre-existing ideas and the implementation of effective strategies to support students to develop more sophisticated mathematical understandings. Next term we will be having "Professor Maths" incursion for all students with a focus on Hands-on and manipulative materials. This is also as a celebration of a 100 days of school.



Request From Frankston High School: A number of our parents are parking in Frankston High School Staff carpark. This is causing major concerns for staff arriving and finding no where to park. Please note this must cease. While we understand that parking is of a premium in both the morning and after school, neither FHS nor our staff carpark is for parents as a drop off or pick up or to park. Please respect this request.

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#### **Diary Dates**



Friday 10th June Girls Football

Monday 13th June

Queen's Birthday Holiday -NO SCHOOL

Tuesday 14th June
Regional Cross
Country
Parent Club Meeting

Saturday 18th June Trivia Night

**Monday 20th June School Council** 

Thursday 23rd June Meal Deal

Friday 24th
June
Last Day of
Term 2
School
finishes at
2.30pm.



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#### **Curriculum Day:**

Our next Curriculum Day will be held on Tuesday 2nd August and will be spent on developing our whole school planning documents to align with the new

Victorian Curriculum. This is a vital part of the work being undertaken through our Annual Implementation Plans (AIP). Our AIP can be found on our website if you are interested to see the work being done within the school across this year to support our Strategic Plan and continuous school improvement.

#### Parents' Club Trivia-Night:

We are all looking forward to Parent's Club's Trivia night on Saturday 18th June, from 7.00 pm. There are still some tables left if you have not already put your name down...but you must be fast! It should be a great social evening with lots of laughter and fun. See you there!

Kind Regards, Julie Gleeson, Principal.

Thought for the week.

Numbers are the highest degree of knowledge.

It is knowledge itself!

0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9.

## Our school has an app

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#### 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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# **FRANKSTON**

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#### Year Level Reminders for this week:

#### **Foundation:**

Please check the PMP parent roster that was emailed out earlier in the term, to double check allocated dates/times.

#### Year 1:

During this weeks Big Write session your children will be encouraged to use interesting vocabulary words. Please take the time to brainstorm some ambitious vocabulary words with your child at home.

#### Year 2:

We have our Big Write session this week. Please talk about, "Would a monkey be a good pet?"

#### Year 3:

Please continue to listen to your child read every night and ensure homework requirements are met.

#### Year 4:

Please continue to listen to your child read every night and ensure homework requirements are met.

Please assist your child to remember to bring their school diary along each day.

#### Year 6:

Having a splurge on timetables. Also remember homework due every Monday.

#### **Assistant Principal's Report**

As mentioned in previous newsletters, the excursion levy notice for term 3 is coming home with all students today. **This payment is due by Monday 11<sup>th</sup> July**: the first day of term 3. It is very important to remember that we require BOTH payment and signed permission notices for your children to able to attend any of these excursions,

incursions or sporting events. Payment alone does not mean your child will attend. You MUST return the permission notice as well. Legally, we require your signed permission for each event. All notices are stapled together. It is advisable for you to sign all of these and return them together by the beginning of next term. Also be aware that there may be circumstances where late payment or late return of permission slips may not be accepted.

Information in relation to our upcoming Family Forums will be coming home with your child today. These meetings will take place on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July. This is the second week back after the term holidays. On the reverse side of the notice, you will find the simple instructions on how to make a booking once you have logged on to the website. Family Forums are a chance to talk with your child and their teacher, celebrate their achievements and identify future learning goals. We anticipate all parents will take this opportunity to be part of their child's learning journey.

www.schoolinterviews.com.au The booking code for this event is **h9xbx**.

Semester 1 reports will be sent home to all parents on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> June.

We were to be holding a **Healthy Foods forum** for our parent community next Thursday, however this has now been postponed and will be taking place next term:

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> August.** We have been able to engage a guest speaker, who unfortunately was unavailable this term, but can attend in term 3; therefore we made the decision to reschedule this event. A flyer will be sent home early next term for you to indicate your attendance. Good luck to the girls who will be competing in the Girls Footy Gala Day tomorrow, which includes a clinic as well as a round robin competition. This is a great opportunity, and we hope you have a very enjoyable day.

Remember that next Monday is a public holiday. Students are not required at school. There will be no assembly next week.

Have a lovely long weekend everyone,

**Deborah Madder Assistant Principal** 

#### **Second Hand Uniform**

We are in need of second hand uniform, especially winter items, if you have any spare could you please bring them in to the office.

Thank you

#### '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.

Kosta OPA, Alphy OPB,
Dhanveer OPC, Milla OPD,
Toby 1A, Paige 1D,
Punnoose 2A, Shiva 2B,
Winter 2C, William 2D,
Krissy 3A, Bonnie 3B, Charlotte 3C,
Alwyn 4A, Toby 4C,
Zac 5A, Nathan 5B,
Jake 5C, Savanna 5D, Mia 6A,
Melanie 6B & Favour 6C.

# Student Banking

Reminder to all families that student banking is every

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Wednesday.

**Deposit slips must be completely filled in by family.** 



#### **Extend OSHC at Overport Primary** School



Last week was a great week, we got the pleasure of going outside and playing lots of different games, though football and fish out of water seem to be the ones played by the children. As for activities in the hall, our craft trolley is the draw card for all children that attend the program. Stencils and ribbon art were the two activities the children really enjoyed doing. More fun and exciting activities to come from the craft trolley.

Also don't forget to book your child or children into our holiday program.

Awesome activities and experiences are planned for the upcoming holidays. Go online to find out

WINTER HOLIDAY PROGRAM BOOKINGS ARE OPEN!

Book by the deadline to take advantage of lower rates!

VIC & QLD booking deadline:

Friday 10 June

We have heaps of fun activities planned these school holidays and can't wait for you to attend! Join in on Extends own mini Olympics tournament and aim for gold! Have fun with science experiments, come along in costume and join in on our party afternoons, and participate in a bunch of craft activities and team games. Join in on all this and more at Extends Winter Holiday Program.

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

Kelly and the gang

TERM 2 WEEK 10 ACTIVITIES Monday 13th June: QUEENS

**BIRTHDAY** 

Tuesday 14th June: Paper bag

**Puppets** 

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup>: Foam Dinosaurs Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> June: Marble Art

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> June: Winter Wonderland

**ONLINE BOOKINGS:** 

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

Happy Birthday to the children who celebrated their Birthday this week.

Eli 1A, Archer 2A,

🧖 Ruby 4A, Tarrick 4B, Bailey 4C, Baden 5C, Alphons Maria OOB, Bella-Rose OOC, Charlotte 2D, Amelia 2B, Ethan 4A, Luiza 6B, Holly 6C, Zebediah 5D, Sophie OOB & Dylan 3A.



**Canteen News** 

**Dessert Day Meal Deal** Thursday June 23rd

Pancakes with fruit, yoghurt & a juice, yummy!

Notices went home on Tuesday and must be returned by

Friday June 17th

We cannot accept any orders after this date due to ordering from suppliers.

No lunch orders or counter sales on this day