



From Julie's desk.

Overport Newsflash

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Last Day of 2025.

Tomorrow, Thursday **18th of December** at 9.00am is our end of year Christmas concert which will be held in the morning on our soccer field. Each year level will perform and students are encouraged to dress up in Christmas clothing for the day. Parents are very welcome to join us. ***Don't forget...Friday 19th of December is the last day of the year and we will finish at 1.30 pm prior to lunchtime.***

Year 6 Graduation

Yesterday, we celebrated the graduation of our Year 6 students and our hearts were filled with pride. It was a special opportunity to acknowledge their growth and the wonderful young people they have become as they prepare for the next stage of their learning journey. We will miss the laughter, joy and energy they brought to our school each day. We also sincerely thank the families and teachers who have supported and guided them throughout their primary years. We wish our Year 6 graduates every success and happiness as they move forward and pursue their dreams.

Outstanding PFC Fundraising Results– 2025.

Once again our amazing Parents and Friends Club (PFC) members have had another incredible year raising a significant amount of fund. Our Christmas market raised \$11,593.32 which is an excellent outcome as well as a wonderful community engagement opportunity. Throughout the year a total of \$62,555.87 was raised through all the wonderful activities they undertook, which is outstanding. They have already begun plans for next year with a welcome to new school year barbeque scheduled for 6th February, 2026. We look forward to seeing all our families join us.

First Day of 2026

Next year, our teachers will commence back at school on 27 January 2026 which is a state-wide Curriculum Day. Students from years 1 to 6 return on 28 January and our new preps commence on 30 January at 9.30 am. Our parent/teacher meetings for years 1 to 6 are on the 4th of February and prep interviews are on the 11th of February. On the 16th of February we have Curriculum day to address wellbeing. Extend will offer care if required. More information regarding the final three curriculum days will be forwarded early next year though they will all be in term 4.

Warm Regards

Julie Gleeson

Principal

*“Santa Claus is coming, Santa Claus is coming,
he's not very far away...”*

Eight more sleeps!





BE THANKFUL!

*Be thankful that you don't already have everything
you desire*

If you did, what would there be to look forward to?

Be thankful when you don't know something

For it gives you the opportunity to learn

Be thankful for the difficult times

During those times you grow

Be thankful for your limitations

Because they give you opportunity for improvement

Be thankful for each new challenge

Because it will build strength and character

Be thankful for your mistakes

They will teach you valuable lessons

Be thankful when you're tired and weary

Because it means you're made a difference

It is easy to be thankful for the good things

A life of rich fulfilment comes to those who are also thankful for the setbacks

GRATITUDE can turn a negative into a positive

Find a way to be thankful for your troubles and they become your blessings.

Author unknown.

May Christmas bring you peace and many opportunities to be thankful!

Best wishes from

Julie Gleeson

Principal.



DEC-JAN

SUMMER HOLIDAYS

AT SAXON SPORTS FRANKSTON
Under New management - Nov 2025

DEC 27	Cricket Clinic
JAN 2	Youth Sporting Mechanics
JAN 3	Shane Savage: Aussie Rules Clinic
JAN 12	Soccer Skills Clinic
JAN 16	Soccer Tournament



Cricket Clinic

9:00 AM - 10:30 AM
SATURDAY 27 DEC
\$40

Small group cricket clinic (kids aged 6 to 14). Led by experienced coach Greg Burch & supported by local cricketers. It's available for all skill levels (groups arranged based on age & skill level).
*Expressions of interest are also welcome for a full-day clinic in January & a potential hockey clinic.

Youth Sporting Mechanics

FRIDAY 2 JAN
\$15

50 min group session by Lachy Sutherland, Exercise and Sport Science Graduate and Masters of Physiotherapy student.
• 8:30 - 9:20: Junior/Beginner (Ages 7-10): Developing foundational skills through interaction.
• 9:30 - 10:20: Youth/Intermediate (Ages 10-13): Introduction to advanced locomotion techniques essential for success in junior sports.

Shane Savage - Aussie Rules Clinic

9:00 AM - 10:30 AM
SATURDAY 3 JAN
\$45

Footy clinic led by 165 game former Hawk, Saint & 12-year AFL veteran. For kids of all skill levels aged 8 and above. Shane specialises in game IQ, decision-making and high-energy skill development, all while keeping sessions fun, competitive and confidence-building.

Soccer Skills Clinic

MONDAY 12 JAN
\$40

A 90-minute session run by George Hughes and friends from local and professional coaching appointments including Melbourne Football Stars:
• 9:00 - 10:30: Beginners (new players born approx. 2017-2020)
• 11:00 - 12:30: Developing (2nd/3rd season players or sporty newbies born 2015-2017)
• 1:00 - 2:30: Intermediate (approx. 2015 Kangaroos, 2014 Wallabies or older D/E grade)
• 3:00 - 4:30: Advanced (approx. U13A/B - U15C grade)

Soccer Tournament

8:00AM - 9:00 PM
FRIDAY 16 JAN
\$260 PER TEAM
\$65 INDIVIDUAL

5 v 5 tournaments for existing & new teams with a min. 3 games (over a 3-4 hour period).
• All-day schedule starting with U7/U8s in the morning & finishing with teenagers in the evening.
• Saxon will help place players without a team and will refund fees if a suitable team/competition cannot be found.

Casual Pass

\$20 per 3-hr pass
(\$10 if attending a summer program that day)

Open play on our courts (soccer, cricket, badminton, pickleball, etc) with games organised on the hour 10am-4pm. All major sporting events will be on TV in the bar to make parental supervision a bit more fun (compulsory for U12s). Walk-ins available but bookings are recommended as there are limited spaces.

More information:

- Centre open: 8am - 8pm from 26th Dec - 26th Jan.
- House rules will ensure safe sharing of space during busy periods.
- Unsupervised children (over 12) will need to be registered by a parent that leaves emergency contact details.
- Parents can also buy a pass if they want to play.

Saxon Season Pass

10 x casual Passes for \$80

Term 1 Indoor Soccer

Term 4 2025 was our biggest season ever. Registrations open now for Term 1 2026. Early bird team rates are \$730 until 31/12/25 then \$890 from 1/1/2026.

Bookings via QR code or saxonsportsfrankston.com.au
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Spaces are limited for all activities; additional dates may be added based on demand.

