



From Julie's desk.

Overport Newsflash

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Winter Advice.

As we are now at the beginning of winter, it is important to ensure that unwell students remain at home until they have recovered. We currently have several illnesses going through the school and this will assist in reducing the spread. Please advise the school of your child's absence through the Compass App. Click on the **+ Attendance Note** bar at the bottom of your screen and enter the information as required including if they have tested positive to COVID. The absence line on the school's main phone number 9783 8777 may also be used if Compass is unavailable. If they are a close contact to a family member who has tested positive, they can still attend school; however, if they are over the age of 8 years old, they must wear a mask in class. Should you need masks or RAT test kits, these are available at the office.

Annual Report

Our Annual report is now complete and available on our website for parents to peruse. Please find it at <https://www.overport-ps.vic.edu.au/annual-report.html>

District Cross Country Carnival

Mia T of 6C performed extremely well at the Division Cross Country Carnival, finishing 13th, narrowly missing out on progressing to regional level. We are extremely proud of her!



Enrolments for 2024.

Apply now to enrol your child in Foundation (Prep) for 2024

It is important to follow the statewide timeline to enrol your child in Foundation (Prep). If you have a child starting primary school in 2024, you are required to submit your enrolment application by **Friday 28 July 2023**. If you are in Overport's school zone (<https://www.findmyschool.vic.gov.au>) or enrolling the sibling of a student at our school for Foundation in 2024 and both children will be attending our school at the same time, your child is prioritised for a place at our school as per the department's Placement Policy. Families will be notified of the outcome of your application by Friday 11 August 2023. If you receive an enrolment offer, you should accept the offer by Friday 25 August 2023. **For more information, please read about when and how to enrol your child in Foundation** at [vic.gov.au/enrolling-foundation-prep](https://www.vic.gov.au/enrolling-foundation-prep). If you are seeking to enrol your child into Foundation next year, please visit our website <https://www.overport-ps.vic.edu.au/enrolment.html>

Student Free day and Public Holiday

This is a reminder that we have a Student Free Day tomorrow, 9th June. Extend will offer care should you require it. Please contact them today to book your child into the program. This coming Monday is the King's birthday and as such is a public holiday. This will give all our families a lovely 4 day weekend.

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Smash the Dash Results.

Thank you to our wonderful Parents and Friends Club members and the many parent helpers who are supporting the school and its fundraising efforts. The students thoroughly enjoyed the Overport Dash and it raised a total of \$7,404.27. The winners for the major prizes were: 1st Prize- Tatum C, 5C, who won the bike from Giant Frankston, 2nd Prize- Mollie O, 5A, who won the phone from Optus, 3rd Prize- Lachlan D, PB won a voucher from General Games and 4th Prize, Lachlan B, 2E– won a voucher from Trigger Bros. Thank you to all our generous sponsors.

Our Mother's Day Stall and Do It For Dolly Day Results.

Our Mother's Day stall was extremely well attended by our students keen to buy a gift for mum, nanna or the important woman in their life, raised \$1953.76. The 'Do It For Dolly Day' that was also used to highlight to our students the importance of responsible use of social media, raised \$689.95 which was donated to the cause. In term 4, the Parents and Friends Club will be running a School Disco for all students to attend just for fun. On November 17th, they are arranging a full School Fair with amazing rides and lots of wonderful stalls. This will be a great highlight for the year and no doubt we all look forward to this fantastic evening.

"Every Student, in every school, every day, deserves a great day"

-Department of Education

Kind Regards

Julie Gleeson,

Principal.

Thought for the day:

***"Animals are such agreeable friends—they ask no questions; they pass no criticisms,"
~ George Eliot***



Moonlit Sanctuary

the best way to see Aussie animals

GO WILD THESE SCHOOL HOLIDAYS!

JUNIOR KEEPER CLUB



ENVIRONMENTAL ACTIVITIES, ANIMAL ENCOUNTERS AND NATIVE ANIMAL CARE

Includes interactions with kangaroos, pythons, feeding animals, food prep and animal enrichment activities. Learn about our animals, their conservation and the environment.
For ages 7-14 years.

Winter Holiday Program

Week 1: Monday 26th, Tuesday 27th, Wednesday 28th, Thursday 29th, Friday 30th June

Week 2: Monday 3rd, Tuesday 4th, Wednesday 5th, Thursday 6th, Friday 7th July

Cost: \$99.00 per day | Small groups of 16 | 10:00am start - 3:00pm finish

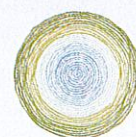


Moonlit Sanctuary Wildlife Park

550 Tyabb-Tooradin Rd, Pearcedale | Phone 5978 7935

www.moonlitsanctuary.com.au

Open daily between 10am and 4pm. Keeper Club runs from 10:00am-3:00pm.



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MyTime is for parents and carers of a child with a disability, chronic medical condition or other additional needs including developmental delay.

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BAM Arts Inc
1 Rosella Street, Frankston
Monday 10:00am – 12:00pm

CONTACT:

Facilitator: Sue Batcheler
Phone: 0413 655 659
Email: suzanneb@mytimevic.com.au







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Supporting parents of children with disabilities

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MyTime term plan

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DATES	GROUP ACTIVITY	CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY
22/05/2023	"Mini Expo" Sharing of resources, tools etc. we have found helpful for our kids	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dancing 
29/05/2023	Craft Activity supplied by Bunnings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Craft activities 
05/06/2023	Guest Speaker: EACH services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Toys and blocks 
19/06/2023	Coffee & Chat	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stories and Singing 
NOTE: No session 12/06/2023 due to Public Holiday.	<p>BAM DETAILS</p> <p>Bam Arts Inc are dedicated to providing arts programmes, events and opportunities for people with disabilities of all ages. MyTime at BAM Arts Inc will be a creative and fun time for children and adults. We will host a 30 minute weekly music and movement session for children where we will sing and dance and make new friends.</p>	



It's support
for you



It's free to
join



Professional
support



Pre-school aged
children are welcome