

2013 Snow Camp



Last Wednesday, eight students from Year 5 and 6 embarked on an exciting adventure to Mt Buller with Miss Yanni. The annual Snow Camp involved 37 students from local schools: Frankston Heights PS, Derinya PS, Frankston High School and Overport PS.

Each morning, we would have an energy-packed breakfast, get into our ski gear and extremely tight snow boots and walk down like crabs to the Mt Buller Ski School. There we were greeted by a number of ski instructors all dressed in blue ski uniforms. At 9.00am each day, the students and some of the teachers had a 2-hour ski lesson. We learnt how to stop, snow plough, jump and turn.

Most importantly, they taught us how to avoid obstacles on the ski slopes. Some of us were more successful than others. It was quite comical seeing people collide into other skiers, snow boarders, spectators, trees and pylons that held up the chair lift. Luckily, there were no injuries this year!



The food on camp was fantastic and the accommodation at the Ajax Lodge was very comfortable and warm.



One evening, we went on a night walk around the camp and saw how the snow was prepared for each day. The walk ended with a snow ball fight that saw snow being thrown everywhere! The camp was a lot of fun and extremely memorable.



