Hi Families,

You could not wipe the smile off our students’ and staff members’ faces today as we reflect and celebrate the incredible evening we shared together last night. I feel incredibly privileged to be a member of this special community and rate last night equal to any moment in my twenty five years working in education.

The highlight for me last night was seeing almost every individual student performing to the best of their ability. Students were carefully chosen in roles that showcased their unique talents. For some students this included dancing, singing and narrating for others it was listening, following instructions and staying with the group. I really felt our students rose to the occasion.

The concert demonstrated the capacity our students have to learn. Goals were set for them that were specific, measurable and achievable and most importantly they were given a sufficient amount of time to practise their roles. This a proven recipe for success and a model we must continue to follow in our classroom practice to develop the capabilities of our students.

I made mention in the last newsletter that we are at that stage of the year of choosing class groups for next year. If you have issues regarding the placement of your child for next year, I invite you to put your concerns to me in writing by Friday 1st November. Issues must relate to the individual needs of your child and not personal likes and dislikes. Please address your requests to me and not your child’s teacher. I am confident we can achieve the best outcome for your child.

A reminder that my door is always open should you have any questions regarding your child’s education. I encourage you to drop in and say hello.

Have a great day!

Scott Tucker
Principal

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO THE FOLLOWING STUDENTS
18th October  Rhyan
21st October  Myesha
21st October  Reagan
24th October  Tyrel
26th October  Ariana

DATES TO REMEMBER
Thursday 20th October  Whole School concert 7pm– 9pm
Tuesday 1st November  Cup Day Public Holiday
The students in Room 1 enjoyed making play dough. They mixed the flour, water, salt and cream of tartar in a bowl. Mikaela then added pink food dye. The students had lots of fun!
PARENT/CARER COFFEE CLUB
Please feel welcome to join us
9:30am - 12:00pm
Coffee group is open to all parents and care/givers of students at Frankston SDS and runs all term
For details required, please contact Emily or Patrycia
Look forward to seeing you 😊

Just a reminder that in Term 4 all students are to wear a hat outside or they are to play in the shade.

PARENT AND CARER RELAXATION
Take some time out for yourself and come along to our weekly relaxation group to help increase feelings of calm and inner peace and join us for a cuppa afterwards.
Every Friday in the Library from 9.30—10.30am. Please contact Patrycia if you require more details.

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Play for FREE at silly Sea Horse Playcentre

Monday 24th October 3.30pm - 5pm

This special will be available to all families from FSDS FREE tea & coffee

2/213-225 Wells Rd, Chelsea Heights
Ph: 9776 3100

FOR A HEALTHY LUNCHBOX SOMETHING FROM EACH GROUP 1-6!

1. FRUIT
2. VEGETABLES
3. MILK, YOGHURT AND CHEESE
4. MEAT OR MEAT ALTERNATIVE
5. GRAIN AND CEREAL FOOD
6. WATER

Developed in conjunction with the Healthy Together Achievement Program to support a whole-school approach to healthy eating. Healthy Together Victoria is improving the health of Victorians, funded by the Victorian Government.
Allstars Drama Group
Commencing November 2016

Weekly all abilities classes for people 14 years & over

Mondays 5 - 7:00 p.m.
The Knave Room
24 High St Frankston

Enrolments now open with limited places available.
Call 0425 721 848 to enquire
All Abilities pre-school
music & movement
for children 2.5 - 6 years

Weekly sessions
social - inclusive - accessible
$15 per class

Wednesdays 9:30 a.m.
161 Park Rd Cheltenham
Commencing November - book now!

For bookings & enquiries call Lisa 0425 721 848
Starting from mid November

SANTA

Santa photos at Frankston SDS
Package includes
1 6” X 10” Print +
Up to 5 digital images on disk.

Only $20

Please return all order forms by Friday 10th November.
Photos will be taken at school on Monday 14th November 10am—2pm and Thursday 17th November 10am—2pm.
Halloween Disco Night!

A Special Needs Event

Change of Date: 22nd Oct 2016
Halloween -> 4th Saturday of October 2016

Come Dressed In Your Halloween Costume!

Come along to Pakenham Dance Studio for our Halloween Disco Night!
Have a fun night filled with lots of dancing and socializing with your friends

Normally The 3rd Saturday of Every Month

Date: Saturday 22nd October, 2016
Time: 7pm-10pm
Entry Fee: $12
2/907 Princes Highway Pakenham 3810
Ph: 5940 8402

Special Needs Disco Nights

7pm to 10.00pm

- Awesome music
- Great people
- Snacks & Soft Drink available to purchase
- Stacks of fun!!!!

Transport Available on Request / Booking

Normally The 3rd Saturday of Each Month—Except October

2016 Calendar

January 16th    July 16th
February 20th   August 20th
March 19th      September 17th
April 16th      October 22nd
May 21st        November 19th
June 18th       December 17th

Entry

$ 12

Rules for PDS "Disco Nights" Dances

- This is a Drug, Alcohol & Smoke Free Environment
- No objectionable behaviours will be allowed
- No chewing or bubble gum is allowed
- Management reserves the right to refuse persons entry.

DRESS CODE

- Clean respectable dress that is not offensive.
- Dress shorts/pants, good t-shirts and shoes. No torn clothing with holes, no thongs or barefoot.