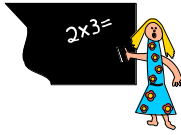




Dear Parents, Children & Friends of the School,
A very warm welcome back to the first week of 2012. It was a delight to see both current and new pupils all excited and looking forward to a great year in 2012.



We welcome Mrs Jo Wilkinson to Room 9. Mrs Hayley Ford continues with reading recovery and will be retraining this year. As Principal I am very excited with the leadership and professional teaching team that we have for your children in 2012.

All staff encourage you to share in your child's achievements throughout the year.

I would also like to congratulate the Frankley Ossies cricket team division 1 winners from term 4 2011. Well done to Todd Burbidge, Phil Gard and team.



Not everything can be star quality, so if you need to discuss your child's progress, attitude, behaviour or other matters, please **do not delay** in making a time to see the classroom teacher or senior management.

Newsflash – We have Interactive Whiteboards in Room 5 and Room 10. That brings our total up to 6. We also had our new turf laid in the holidays on the bottom court.

STAFFING & CLASSES 2012

Rm 1	Year 1	Kay Jones	Te Kakano Team R1-4
Rm 2	Year 1	Jan Hawkins (Associate Principal)	
Rm 3	Year 1/2	Mr Ben Single	
Rm 4	Year 1/2	Jenny Cooksley	
Rm 5	Year 3/4	Geraldine Irvine	Te Tipunga Team R5,6,9
Rm 6	Year 3/4	Jackie Cameron	
Rm 9	Year 4/5	Jo Wilkinson	
Rm 8	Year 5/6	Ryan Fleming	Te Rangatahi Team R8,10-11
Rm 10	Year 5/6	Kim Cribb	
Rm 11	Year 5/6	Merryl McAllister (Deputy Principal)	

Support staff:

- Reading recovery/Testing Hayley Ford
- Resource Manager/Librarian Tracey Kogut
- Teacher aide Teena Win
- Teacher aide/Office assistant Leah Uhlenberg
- Teacher aide Paula Ryan
- Teacher aide Lynda Morris
- Teacher aide Jenny Reeve
- SLS Teacher Jo Morris George
- Caretaker Ross Letcher
- Office administrator Robyn King
- Release teachers Jane Rogers, Fiona Baylee, Tina Johnson, Damon Ritai

Principal

NEW ENROLMENTS & FAMILIES

A special welcome to our newest pupils and welcome. We started the year with 215 children, 6 new enrolments. **New Entrant Children**

Kaylee MOORE	Te Aroha TE PIRINI
Fern COOK	Ethan LECHER
Grace WILLIAMS	Joseph KOCH

Older children

Henry SAMPSON	Sophie WILKINSON
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SCHOOL DAY

Upon arrival at school in the morning, children assemble in the safe area outside the administration block. At 8:30am a bell is rung permitting children to enter the classrooms. Children are to be in their rooms at 8:55am ready for the school day to begin at 9:00am.



PLEASE: NO CARS ARE TO USE THE INSIDE SCHOOL CAR PARK TO DROP OFF OR UPLIFT CHILDREN unless special permission has been granted by staff. The gate will be closed from 8:30am -9:00am and 3:00pm – 3:15pm.

School finishes at 3:00pm, ensure that children are collected from the front gate. Teachers will check that all children have been collected. Any children still waiting will be escorted to the office and they can be collected from here.

Reminder of scheduled times for the day

9:00 – 10:00	Literacy
10:00	Munch crunch break
10:10 – 11:00	Literacy
11:00 – 11:20	Morning tea – with 10 min eating time, 10 min play
11:20 – 12:50	Literacy / Numeracy
12:50 – 1:40	Lunch - with 10 min eating time, 40 min play.
1:45 – 3:00	Topic, theme, PE, The Arts,

The munch crunch, brain break is a real hit with the children. Check out this website for more information on fresh fruit and vegetable. <http://www.5aday.co.nz/>

ERO DRAFT REPORT

We have received our draft report from the Education Review Office. The Board and staff have an opportunity to read through this and give it the final sign off. We hope to have this confirmed in March / April.

ROAD PATROL

There will be a training session for parent supervisors and teaching staff on Tuesday 07 Feb 8:30am. Parent supervisors will also have another one on Tuesday 14 February 8:30am. Our roster and timetable can be found online at;



<http://www.frankley.school.nz/uploads/Newsletters/Road%20Patrol/term%201%20wk%201%20-2.pdf>

CRICKET. Teams will be arranged next week the first game is Saturday 11th February. Registration forms were sent home earlier in the week and were due back today. There will be a reshuffle of players due to children moving on. Not everyone will be in the same team. Ossie's term 1, 2012 has been confirmed.



ONLY children with completed registration forms will be placed in teams.

SUMMER 'n Sun hats n Sun glasses



The Frankley School Board of Trustees and staff support sun protection in our policies. Children must wear hats when outside. If a child forgets a hat, they are to remain under shaded areas including the shade cloth. It is a good idea to always have a spare hat in your child's bag. We have run out of school hats and are looking for potential businesses to sponsor future hats for our school. If you are interested please contact the office.



SCHOOL PICNIC

The annual school picnic will take place (weather permitting) on **Thursday 16 February.**

All pupils travel by bus to Belt Road, dropped off on the coastal walkway and have a gentle walk to the rock pools for morning tea, and then onto Ngamotu Beach. At the picnic area the children will be involved in activities, including a supervised swim. **WE DO REQUIRE PARENTS TO ASSIST US IN THE WATER.**



At 12:00 we WELCOME parents/grandparents and friends to join the children for a picnic lunch.

Anyone who wishes to participate in the walk is more than welcome, but would need to arrange your own transport to the drop off areas.

Detailed programme will be sent out Tuesday

Weetbix Tryathlon Wednesday 28th March

If children or teams are interested in doing the tryathlon then we can register you here at school. Michelle Erb has volunteered to assist with this process. Please register your interest at the office.

Swimming pool

Swimming has started so please ensure that children have their togs, towel and swimming bag.

A huge thank you to Mr Kirk Sanger for keeping our pool nice and clean over the summer holidays. It certainly has been a hive of excitement and there were many families that used this facility during the summer holidays. Once again thank you very much for your support.

The Great Frankley Camp Out

On Saturday 18 February at 12:30pm we will be having a camp out evening, pitch a tent and stay the night and have some fun. Registrations will be sent out Tuesday.

Sharing Assembly

Our famous Frankley School sharing assemblies will be on every second Friday at 2:15pm in our school hall. The first assembly will be on Friday 10 February at 2:15pm. Families are most welcome.

School stationery

All children will have bought home a stationery list. Classroom packs were handed out Wednesday.

School Banking

We normally have school banking on Thursday morning. At this stage we are still organizing what this will look like in 2012. Further details will be sent out over the next few weeks.

Pet Dogs

Please ensure that dogs arriving at the school are on a leash at all times and kept at a safe distance from children.

Walking School Bus

WSB is a safe and fun way for children to get to and home from school. Children and parents get to meet new people and it helps to reduce congestion at the school gate.

We are keen to have more children join the WSB, please see Mrs Cooksley in Room 4.

We desperately need a parent to coordinate the Bustrack run – it is just a matter of Mrs Cooksley giving your phone number to new parents to let them know days and times the bus runs and also maybe the roster for the drivers.

For any enquiries please contact Mrs Cooksley in Room 4, thank you.

Website

Our school website is <http://www.frankley.school.nz>. All flyer newsletters, up and coming events and general information can be found here. Check it out. Make sure that you subscribe to our newsletters to keep up to date with what is happening at school.

Up coming events-check our school calendar online @
<http://www.frankley.school.nz/events.html>

- 16 Feb – School picnic
- 18 Feb – Great Frankley Campout

All newsletters can be found on our website at
<http://www.frankley.school.nz/quick-links/our-newsletters.html>

We look forward to a very positive 2012. We appreciate and value your presence and positive support.

Regards

Damon Ritai – Principal