During the school year we have achieved many great accomplishments. As a school community we have been involved in many community events including ANZAC Day, Lanterns on the Lagoon, NAIDOC Day celebrations, Proud and Deadly awards and individual students have excelled in academic, cultural and sporting events.

Bluearth has been an outstanding program where the students have been building team work, co-operation and encouragement through sport.

Tikirah’s outstanding effort on receiving The NSW Exceptional Young Person Award for Generosity at Government House this year was an amazing experience for her. Franklin School is very proud of her achievement.

Franklin School continues to grow in academic strength. I am privileged to work with such a strong team of professionals who deliver quality learning opportunities to your children every day. Our teachers are really making a difference!

Our classrooms are in the process of being refurbished to cater for creative ways of learning. Technology across the school has been enhanced along with our outdoor learning environments.

Having families come into Franklin School and being a part of your child’s educational journey is so very important to all of us. Grandparents Day was an amazing day and it was great to see so many families in the school sharing the morning with our students. We always welcome your visits to our school.

The wonderful opportunity for the school choir to sing at the Opera House is a memory that will last a lifetime. These opportunity’s don’t just happen they happen because we have hard working, committed staff who plan, organise and work towards ensuring students achieve success.

This year we have had the opportunity of forming a new partnership with the Red Cross. Red Cross has supported us in running our breakfast program three mornings a week. We are grateful for their support in assisting with this program. Over 7000 breakfasts have been served!
As a school community we have so many things to be proud of this year. Last week when talking to Mrs Green our Instructional Leader, we celebrated the successes in particular our Stage One students who have achieved so much educationally this year. When we look back at our 2015 kindergarten students, we see just how much they have learnt and grown this year. Wow! Another very proud moment for staff.
We have TWO more weeks left of playgroup and we will be continuing our Christmas crafts for the rest of the year. Please note the last week of playgroup (8th, 9th and 10th Dec) we will be having our Christmas party for each of the playgroups. Please bring along a plate to share, and also swimmers/rash shirts and hats for the little ones as we be doing lots of water play.

On FRIDAY 11th of December, we will be having our annual Community BBQ Christmas party for all our playgroup families at 5pm at the Duck Park. All Welcome, Will be a great night!

Call Krystle on 6947 6961 or come to the SaCC building to find out more!

If you can, please bring along a piece of fruit for fruit time!!

Tumut Schools As Community Centres

Tumut’s Rotary Carols By Candlelight
13th December 2015
Richmond Park
Franklin students and parents can enjoy this event.
More information next week

Infants PBL Draw

Respect: Mia Buckingham, Lucy Swan
Achievement: Nate Stafford, Elysia Jackson
Safety: Lucy Swan, Adrian Barnard

Franklin Radio News
FM 96.3
Thursday at 10.30am with Kade & Mackenzie
Franklin Five - Week 9

- At school every day OR providing an absence note on first day back at school
- On time for lessons – 9.10am
- In uniform – including black shoes and school hat/cap
- Home Learning and Home Reading completed
- Positive behaviour in class/playground

3R in Action

Aston and Seth showing off 3R’s new artwork

Byron, Zac, Sarah and Alex working hard on the computers

Chloe, Jett, Brock and Allie working hard on the new iPads.

In the next couple of weeks we farewell Year 6. In their time at Franklin, they have had many memorable moments from their very first day in kindergarten and their continued quest to learn and grow both in and out of our classrooms. The extra-curricular opportunities they have gained, along with the amazing excursions where they visited Canberra, Mogo, Milson Island and Victoria and the great learning opportunities at the Riverina Environmental Education Centre and the visiting performers who have visited Franklin to share their skills and talents, all contributed to their wide and varied experiences at our school.

Week 9

Monday 30th November
Swim school starts

Wednesday 2nd December
9:30am Captain and Prefect Speeches
Miles Franklin Hall
Bluearth

Thursday 3rd
TPS performance 11am
No more ticket sales. Our seats are booked!

Friday 4th
Reports home

Monday 7th
Swim school continues

Tuesday 8th
Year 6 Farewell Dinner
6pm Club Tumut

Thursday 10th
Thank You Morning Tea
11:15am to 11:45am

Friday 11th
Annual Awards Day
Stage 1 - 10:30am – 11:30am
Stage 2-3 12pm – 1pm

Monday 14th
Class Parties
Stage 1 Carols in the Main Street

Wednesday 16th
Last Day