On Sunday 62 students and 5 staff travelled to Milson Island. They will return on Friday. Parents please check our Skoolbag APP for regular updates of their time on the island. They aim to return by 5pm on Friday.

FRANKLINS BIRTHDAY
Last week we held a meeting for the 40th Birthday celebration of Franklin Public School. The committee are working hard to coordinate this celebration to be held in October. PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE OF DATE. Saturday 15th and Sunday 16th October 2016

CONGRATULATIONS
Mia Buckingham and Kian Knight are attending the Riverina Swimming Carnival in Albury today. Good Luck!

VIRTUAL EXCURSION
Last week, Stage 2 had a follow-up virtual excursion (video conference) with the State Library after their visit to our school during the previous week.

It was a very exciting experience for the students to talk to the historians via video link and to see themselves on the screen. The ladies at the State Library presented more artefacts from the early days of European settlement in Australia. They displayed a belt that the Tahitians gave to Captain Cook when he was visiting Tahiti before arriving in Australia on his first voyage from Great Britain. This belt was a very intricate design made of leather to hold his ammunition. They also exhibited a log book that belonged to one of the ships that transported convicts to Australia in 1795.

We were lucky enough to see a brass button that belonged to a convict from Newcastle with the letters A.A.Co (Australian Agricultural Company) engraved into it. It was 185 years old!

And finally, we were able to flick through the pages of the diary of Mary Reibey. Mary was transported to Australia as a convict and returned to England a successful business woman. It told of her time spent in Australia and how surreal it was to go back to England after being away from her family and friends for 30 years.

It was very interesting for the students to see artefacts that were up to 221 years old. We were able to ask many in depth questions about the artefacts we saw and the journeys of many interesting people.

TELL THEM FROM ME
REMINDER – students in years 4-6 have been asked to take part in an online survey about school satisfaction. If you do not wish your child to take part in the survey please return the consent form.

ROAD SAFETY
All students riding bikes and scooters to school need to have completed and Road Safety contract and returned it to school.

This contract ensures students riding to school have safe wheeled devices and will comply with the road safety regulations.
ROLL OF HONOUR – WEEK 5 TERM 1 and WEEK 6 TERM 1

Teachers recognise and acknowledge the positive endeavours and personal achievements of students in a variety of ways. One such way is the presentation of Honours and Student of the Week certificates and Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) awards at the whole school assembly. This segment of the newsletter lists those who received Student of the Week and Honours Certificates and PBL awards. Congratulations go to:

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WELCOME

We are really pleased to welcome 2 new students to our school
Welcome Isaac Woods in K Cook, William Ingles in 3 Blaxland

KINDERGARTEN have been having a fantastic time exploring many new sounds and letters during Jolly Phonics time. Last week one of our sounds was p, p, p. We watched popcorn being made and created pasta necklaces.

Luke Srama the new Captain Coach for the Tumut Blues, serving up breakfast at Franklin Public

TUMUT SHOW DISPLAY
## COMMUNITY NEWS

### EASTER ACTIVITIES AT PLAYGROUP THIS WEEK!

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All of our playgroups are free and everyone is welcome to come along, if you can, please bring a piece of fruit to share for fruit time. **Call Krystle on 6947 6961 or come to the SaCC building to find out more!**

### CANTEEN ROSTER

| Mon - 07.03.16 | Kellie King, Karen Cobden | Mon – 14.03.16 | Karen Eccleston, Lisa Britt |
| Tue - 08.03.16 | CLOSED | Tue – 15.03.16 | CLOSED |
| Wed - 09.03.16 | Michelle Minogue, Leah Crampton | Wed – 16.03.16 | Jill Sutton, Jackie Sheriff |
| Thu - 10.03.16 | CLOSED | Thu – 17.03.16 | CLOSED |
| Fri - 11.03.16 | Jenelle Kitchener, Danielle Emonson | Fri - 18.03.16 | Bree McNally, Lauren Dowell, Melissa Hargreaves |

### REMOVING HEAD LICE AND NITS

Mention head lice and most of us instantly develop an itch. While head lice and nits, (the eggs of head lice) are certainly annoying and persistent, they’re not dangerous. Here’s everything you need to know to rid your kids of head lice and nits. Find out more: [http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/wellbeing/health/removing-head-lice-and-nits](http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/wellbeing/health/removing-head-lice-and-nits)

### SCIENCE STARTERS

Did humans live with dinosaurs? Does the moon disappear in the day? Kids love to know the answers to life’s mysteries but there are a few facts they often get wrong in the name of science. Find out more: [http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/homework-and-study/other-subjects-and-projects/science/10-scientific-facts-your-child-needs-to-know](http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/homework-and-study/other-subjects-and-projects/science/10-scientific-facts-your-child-needs-to-know)

### SCHOOL BANKING

**Wednesday**

Bank books to office before school.

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A number of families have been struggling with head lice. One grandparent came in and shared a new product with me that has proven to be successful in combating Head lice. It might be worth a try!

### FRANKLIN RADIO NEWS

**FM 96.3**

Thursday at 10.30am

Logan Klaus and Matilda Symons

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**Reminder to label hats and clothing with your child’s name.**

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Tumut Schools As Community Centres

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| Tuesday | 9.30-11.30 – Baby Ccino |
| Wednesday | 9.30-11.30 – Paint and Play |
| | 12.30-2 – Gurinya (Aboriginal playgroup) Contact us if you would like the shuttle bus to pick you up. |
| Thursday | 9.30-11.30 – Paint and Play |
| | 12.30-2.15 – Batlow Playgroup |
FRANKLIN FIVE - Week 7

- 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

Zac Withers
K/1Sturt

Damien Anderson
1/2Bass

Sophie Day
5/6Chisholm

PBL Corner – SAFETY
Examples of SAFETY in our school:
- No running on concrete areas.
- Walking under the COLA and on paths.
- Playing with equipment carefully.
- Sitting correctly on chairs and picnic tables.
- Leaving sticks and stones on the ground or in the garden
- Show respect in the sandpit – keep the sand for playing with, not throwing.
- Follow gym equipment rules.
- Play fairly and keep hands and feet to ourselves.
- Using the toilets appropriately.
- Walk bikes and scooters in school grounds.
- Cross the crossings with an adult or teacher.

ENRICHMENT AT FRANKLIN SCHOOL

Selected students in Years 4-6 have been undertaking enrichment lessons with Mrs Till on Monday and Friday afternoons.

Adelong Public School’s school captain, Ellie Crawford, has been joining Franklin students in these activities.

2 Flinders have been learning a lot about Probability and Data this week. Here we are learning to categorize events that are “likely” and “unlikely”.

We have been using our peers as learning tools in 2 Flinders. Here is Will explaining what he has learnt about probability to his classmates.

Proud students from 2 Flinders, showing off their knowledge of how to collect data. Our class made tally graphs, bar graphs and pictograph. We have learnt how to present and display different types of data.