Over the last few weeks, all of the Learning communities have been involved in selecting students as Junior School Council (JSC) representatives. These students will be working with staff representatives to address issues and organise events to help make improvements to our school. Part of their role will be to report back to their learning spaces about decisions the JSC make, as well as to take suggestions and ideas from their peers to be discussed at JSC meetings.

The Junior School Council representatives for 2012 are:

Preps: Summer Lewis & Nathan Skewes.
JHM: Liam Gillett
JLB: Tegan Eastwood
JMC: Marshall Daniel
MBA: Jade Toleafoa
MMD: Hannah Real
MMR: Ronan Edwards
MNJ: Belinda Hardy
SGA: Tiffany Isgro
SRP: Daniel Koetsier & Ophelia Heng
SGR: Cassandra Saba
SIW: Brooke Jarvis

Congratulations to all of these students on being selected by their peers for this leadership role. We are looking forward to working with you throughout the year. The JSC representatives will be presented with their badges at assembly on Monday 19th March.

Cheryl Van Deursen (Principal)

Thought of the week – “Each person’s task in life is to become an increasingly better person.” – Tolstoy
**SCHOOL NEWS**

**Student Birthdays**

**Happy Birthday to all the students who celebrate their birthdays this week**

Axel W.  
Kaiyan D.  
Jordy D-K.  
Dante P.

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**Stars of the Week**

_Congratulations on all your wonderful efforts this week!

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**From the Office**

**PHOTOS TOMORROW**

Photo order envelopes need to be returned to school on ‘Photo Day’.

Family photo order envelopes are available in the office

This is **Thursday 15th March**.

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**CURRICULUM NEWS**

**National Ride2School Day Friday 23rd March**

Dear Parents

**National Ride2School Day** is an initiative to promote a healthy lifestyle. We are inviting students in Year 3 to 6 to ride their bike or scooter to school on **Friday 23rd March**.

To celebrate National Ride2School Day the students from Year 3 to 6, who bring their bike or scooter, will participate in riding activities at lunch time.

Please note, that the school does not encourage students in Year Prep to 2 to ride their bike or scooter to school.
Senior Learning Community

We have had a very productive start to the year in the Senior Learning Community. The students are enjoying utilising the different learning spaces and resources. We are currently investigating procedural writing in English and addition and subtraction in Maths. The students are enjoying the opportunity to rotate through our ‘Topic’ activities of Computers, Music, Research and Science.

We are continuing to focus on the importance of ‘5 Star Work’. The students are encouraged to present all their work to a ‘5 Star Standard’. The end of the term is going to be very busy with Athletics, Indonesian Day and National Ride to School Day. We are also looking forward to attending camp on Monday 28th May. The deposit for the Camp was due today.

Regards

Senior Learning Community
Thank-you to all the families who shopped at the Good Guys over the holidays and brought in their Cranbourne Cash vouchers – congratulations to those families who had members of their extended family also shop and collect vouchers.

Thank you to the families who continue to shop at Ritchies and use the benefit card. The school continues to receive donations from the fundraising program.

If you shop at “A Balloon & Party Centre” they will provide us with a percentage of your sale, in stock for our school. So if you are planning a party or celebration, shop at “A Balloon & Party Centre” and support our school too! Thank you to the proprietors, Matt and Cathy for their support of our school community.

Parent & Friends Association (PFA)

Next meeting of the Parents and Friends Association (PFA) will be held on Tuesday 20th March at 7pm in the staffroom. New members are welcome to attend.

PARENT EDUCATION PROGRAMMES

“My teenager is lashing out at home!!”

A forum for parents dealing with adolescent violence in the home

Date: Thursday 3rd May 2012
Time: 6:30pm-8:30pm
Location: The Nave conference room
Brotherhood of St Lawrence
High Street, Frankston

To register contact:
Lisa Abbott
0417 023 471
labbott@phcn.vic.gov.au

Light refreshments will be available.
Speakers will include representatives from the community sector, the justice system and a personal story.

Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club is back!
Tuesday and Thursday mornings
8.00am – 8.25am
Located in ‘The BER’.
50c donation for each visit

*****Commencing Term2 !!! *****