

SEAFORD NORTH NEWSLETTER

School Mission Statement

Our mission is to provide all Seaford North Primary School students with a high quality, challenging, global education which develops compassion and respect. We provide engaging learning opportunities that includes essential knowledge, concepts, skills and attitudes, enabling students to transfer these to new situations necessary in a rapidly changing world.

We are committed to differentiation so that students work at their level and are able to make decisions about their learning in line with the curriculum.

We encourage students to take responsibility with their learning so that they can be purposeful and make a difference to themselves and their world.

LAST DAY OF TERM 3 - FRIDAY 21ST SEPTEMBER 1.30 FINISH

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School Concert Edition

A huge thankyou to Sally-ann Jackson, coordinator of this spectacular event, as well is everyone who played a role in the creation of "The Importance of Being Ernest – the Earwig" Well done Sally-ann, Maria Kielty, our choreographer, our school captains, our performing arts captains and all our staff.

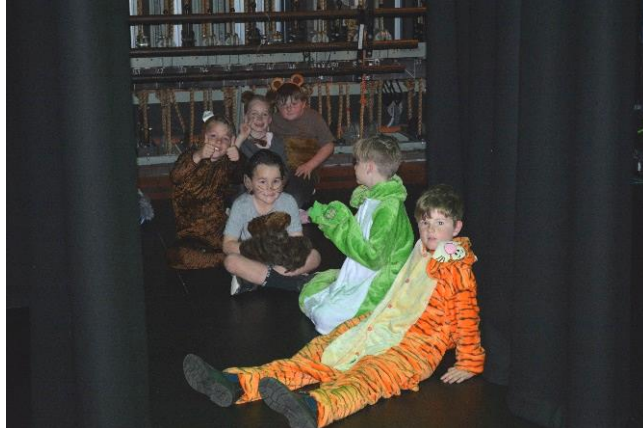
This week's concert performance was a glimpse into the positive Attitudes of our PYP Learner Profile and Values and our transdisciplinary themes - How We Express Ourselves and Who We Are. It brought together many weeks of preparation and rehearsal. It was a special night for all our children and staff and I hope you were all filled with tremendous joy and pride as you enjoyed the varied performances throughout the evening.

Stunning costumes and props have been made by our teachers, aids and parents alike, reflecting the vibrant partnership in learning within our community. The opportunity to perform in such a grand venue is a Frankston Arts Centre is indeed a big thrill for all of our kids. This distinguished venue set the scene for everyone involved in "The Importance of Being Ernest – the Earwig" to achieve his or her personal best. Possibly, there are future stars of stage and screen among the performers this evening. We hope so!

Our "Learner Profile Attributes", especially confidence, cooperation and enthusiasm were evident as children conquered the spotlight and give their all. Books featured in the performance include: The Jungle Book, Cat in the Hat, Treasure Island, Charlie and the Chocolate Factory and Where the Wild Things Are.









Lee Murnane – Principal

COMING EVENTS

SEPTEMBER

Wed 5th Foundation Star Dome Incursion
 Fri 7th Regis Aged Care Exc. FM & FG
 Fri 14th District Athletics Championships
Mon 17th to Fri 21st Grade Foundations and 1 PARC Swimming Lessons
Wed 19th 5/6 camp final payment due
Fri 21st Last day Term 3
1.30 finish

OCTOBER

Mon 8th to Fri 12th Year 5/6 camp to Woorabinda
 Sat 27th Trivia Night

PERMISSION SLIP RETURNS

Foundation Star Dome Incursion Permission slip to be returned by **Tuesday 4th September**

Foundation FM & FG Regis Aged Care Excursion permission slip to be returned by **Wednesday 5th September, 2018.**

PARC Swimming Lessons grades F & 1 Permission note and payment due by **Friday 7th September.**

District Athletics permission slip to be returned by **Wednesday 12th September.**

Woorabinda Camp notices due to be returned. **Medical Form** and **Dietary requirements** to be returned by **Monday 3rd September** and the **Camp Agreement and rules** to be returned by **Monday 17th September.**

Camp is to be paid in full by Wednesday 19th September.



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SCHOOL NOTICES

Parents please note, all notices are on the school website www.seaford-northps.vic.edu.au in the EVENTS section. Also notices can now be downloaded from the Phone App. in the Notices section.

SNPS SCHOOL UNIFORM POLICY

SNPS Council has reviewed and approved the Uniform Policy. Please refer to updated Policy and information sheet distributed with this week's newsletter.

BOOKINGS NOW OPEN FOR

INSIDE OUT

Fresh school holiday activities.

Cooking with Jamie Oliver's Learn Your Fruit and Veg, make a kite, plant a greenhouse, decorate yoga mats, and build a Lego masterpiece. BOOK NOW.

SPRING INTO
HOLIDAYS

Healthy kids are happy kids.
Spring into wellness inside & out
these holidays!



FEATURING

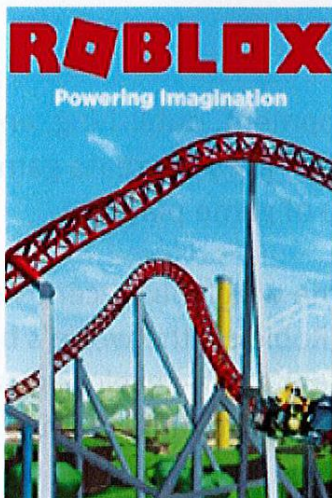


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Are there parental controls for Roblox?

Roblox offers account controls that let parents restrict how children can interact on the site. You can control whether children can be contacted, who can message them, and who can chat with them, and do a few other things in the contact settings. To enable these settings, you add your email address to your kid's account and create a PIN that prevents kids from changing the settings back. The account controls are optional; kids of any age can create an account on Roblox with no parental restrictions.

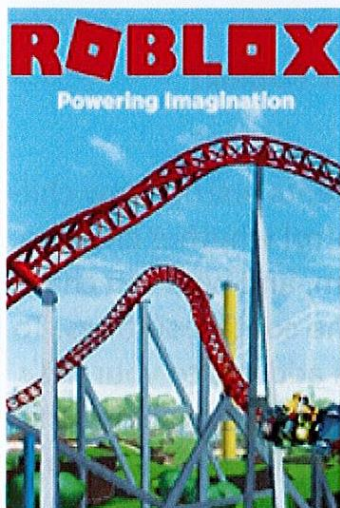
Under Age 13 Whitelist Chat

This is the preferred mode for parents looking for online safety. This option limits what members can say or see to a specific list of pre-approved words. When a user under the age of 13 signs up with their correct birth date, they are automatically put in this mode. On accounts of children under 13, Roblox automatically defaults to stricter settings, but a child could change these if there's no parent PIN.

Want to know more?

Where to get more information:

- **Information for parents**—<https://corp.roblox.com/parents/>
- **Support**—<https://en.help.roblox.com/hc/en-us/articles/203625944-Builders-Club>
 - **Frequently asked questions**—<https://en.help.roblox.com/hc/en-us/categories/200217944-Frequently-Asked-Questions>
 - **Account and security information**—<https://en.help.roblox.com/hc/en-us/categories/200217934-Account-and-Security>
 - **Privacy policy**—<https://en.help.roblox.com/hc/en-us/articles/115004630823-Roblox-Privacy-and-Cookie-Policy->



What is Roblox?

Roblox is a comprehensive game development, publishing, and gameplay platform that allows people of all ages to create games and share them with an audience of game players.

Roblox is a massive multiplayer online game which has recently surpassed even Minecraft's user numbers. Roblox is the world's biggest platform for emerging and independent game developers, and they offer the ability to earn real money from their creative efforts.

Roblox has the potential to be a learning tool similar to Minecraft, but it has its downsides. Because all of its content is user-generated, children can be exposed to a range of material.

Is Roblox free?

Roblox can be accessed free of charge, however paying members have access to certain privileges. If children are signed up for the 'Builders Club', they will be given the ability to build and manage multiple active places that others can play. They'll also be given the ability to purchase premium items in the Roblox catalogue that enable greater customisation of their avatars. Players can purchase avatar clothing and accessories as well as premium building materials, interactive components and working mechanisms.

As certain upgrades and other aspects of the game require real world money, costs could potentially add up very quickly.

What risks could Roblox pose?

Roblox often requires additional purchases, and some of the gameplay is advanced, with many games including weapons. The social interaction amongst players could also be of concern. The purpose of Roblox is for players to interact with others by chatting, playing games, or collaborating on creative projects. This is achieved by exploring the world with avatars. Members meet and communicate with other players within an unmoderated chat feature. Like any online multiplayer game, there is little control over the types of people or age limits of those playing the game. Due to this fact, children could be at risk of being targeted by online predators.

Sustainability Section

Let's Be Responsible &
Stop Littering

What our school looked like



What our school should look like



What we should do



Clover is one of SNPS's Environmental Captains and is modelling to others what to do when they see litter

- Reduce, reuse, recycle
- Clean up litter
- Let's keep our environment clean

We are so lucky to have a school in such close proximity to the wetlands, Kananook Creek and the foreshore. We have a responsibility to look after our local environment. Let's share in that responsibility.

3198 Seaford BeachPatrol

The Seaford beach is a long stretch of beautiful beach and 3198BeachPatrol wants to keep it that way. We meet once a month to spend an hour cleaning litter off our beach. We meet on Sunday mornings, bags, gloves and tongs are provided, however you might like to bring your own gardening gloves. Sign up to get on our email list for cleaning notifications, use the following link to sign up. <https://www.beachpatrol.com.au/Contact>

On Sunday the 26th of August 54 amazing volunteers picked up 26kgs of rubbish from Keast Park.

The next beach clean is on Sunday the 23rd of September at Seaford Pier from 10am-11am.

Make sure you sign up so we can add you to our email list where you'll only receive two emails a month, one is a reminder of our next clean, sent a week beforehand and another thanking you for your efforts including information about the amount of rubbish picked up.

Greening Our Future Events

July–December 2018



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Waste tour
Composting
Eco-makeover
Waste Wise Living
Birds
and more

Most sessions are FREE, bookings are essential

Greening Our Future Events

National Tree Day

Sunday 29 July, 10am–12pm

Overport Park
Enter off Overport Road, near Armagh Road, Frankston South
Visit: treeday.planetark.org

Dig in with your local community to enhance wildlife habitat in our area.

Composting and worm farming for beginners

Tuesday 28 August

Composting: 10.30am–12pm, Worm farming: 12.30–2pm

Frankston North Community Centre
26 Mahogany Avenue, Frankston North

If you don't eat it your garden will. Learn how easy it is to create compost or worm juice to help grow great plants and reduce food waste.

Eco-makeover your home

Saturday 1 September, 10am–12pm

Frankston Life Saving Club
1/1N Long Island Drive, Frankston

Get free expert advice to help make your home more comfortable while saving money on energy and water bills.

Guided Ranger activities in school holidays

From Monday 24 September

Visit: visitfrankston.com

Explore a range of natural reserves with family-friendly activities. Small booking fee applies.



Aussie Backyard Bird Count

Monday 22– Saturday 28 October, 10am–12pm

Visit: aussiebirdcount.org.au

Celebrate National Bird Week by taking part in Australia's biggest citizen science project.

Saturday 27 October, 10am–12pm

Seaford Wetlands

Meet at the bird hide in Austin Road, Seaford

Join a Council ranger for a community Aussie Backyard Bird Count.

Birds in backyards

Tuesday 23 October, 9.30–11.30am

Seaford Community Centre
1/6 Broughton Street, Seaford

Learn about local birds on a walk and talk with experts from Birdlife Mornington Peninsula.

From scraps to soil: home composting

Tuesday 23 October, 1–3.30pm

The Village Baxter
8 Robinsons Road, Frankston South
Phone bookings only, call Cheryl: 5971 1349

If you don't eat it your garden will. Tips for successful composting in any garden

Garage Sale Trail

Saturday 20 and Sunday 21 October

All around Frankston City
Visit: garagesaletrail.com.au

Host a garage sale or discover one near you and join Australia's biggest 're-use' event.



War on Waste Tour

Friday 16 November, 9.15am–1pm

Bus leaves from and returns to central Frankston location, details provided on registration.

Visit local sites Replas and Frankston Regional Recycling and Recovery Centre to learn how waste is recycled and how you can help through daily actions.

Waste wise living: Christmas and beyond

Friday 7 December, 11am–12pm

Frankston Library
60 Playne Street, Frankston

The inspiring "Rogue Ginger" (Erin Rhoads) shares practical tips to reduce and avoid single-use plastic and other "throw away" items, any time of year.

Detox your home

Saturday 2 February

Skye, details provided after booking: frankston.vic.gov.au

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Community bulletin

Mosquito monitoring and control at Seaford Wetlands

Melbourne Water is responsible for managing Seaford Wetlands, which naturally attracts large numbers of mosquitos. Though not all mosquitos in the area originate from this wetland.

Annual monitoring and control program

Listening and responding to the local community, we have implemented a mosquito larvae monitoring program and coordinate management actions to control mosquito outbreaks during the warmer months of the year.

The wetlands are monitored monthly, starting this September and larvacide briquettes are distributed in the wetlands if excessive larvae numbers are present. For the month of August, high volumes of larvae were found, and therefore briquette treatment has taken place.

The briquettes mimic the mosquito juvenile hormone and disrupt the development of larvae and pupae in the water with minimal impact on other fauna. They act for up to 150 days.

This monitoring is continued during the warmer months until the seasonal conditions no longer favour mosquito development.

Activities include:

- monitoring of adult mosquitos and larvae
- adult mosquitos will be sent to the Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning (DELWP) labs for identification and examination for arboviruses. Inspections will assess the effect of rains on mosquito larvae numbers
- treatment and control of mosquito larvae if outbreak numbers are found.

Currently, Melbourne is free of dengue fever, chikungunya or yellow fever. This would not be possible without the work of the DOH, DELWP and Melbourne Water.

If visiting the wetlands, you are advised to wear long, loose-fitting clothing and use a suitable insect repellent containing picaridin or DEET during the warmer months of the year.

For further information and advice visit:

- Better health - beat the bite website - <https://www.betterhealth.vic.gov.au/campaigns/beat-the-bite>

Keep up to date with what's happening

For more information about this project or our other activities please call 131 722 or visit www.melbournewater.com



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Melbourne Water is owned by the Victorian Government. We manage Melbourne's water supply catchments, remove and treat most of Melbourne's sewage, and manage rivers and creeks and major drainage systems throughout the Port Phillip and Westernport region.



THE MAYOR'S Family Picnic

Sunday 9 September 2018
11am-2pm
Carrum Downs Recreation Reserve
Wedge Road, Carrum Downs

Local BBQ "Cook-Off" • Lawn games and activities
Live entertainment • Market and community stalls
Don't forget to bring your picnic rug!

Please note children must be supervised by an adult/guardian at all times.
Please leave your pets at home.
Frankston City Council acknowledges the traditional owners of the land in and around Frankston City.

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The Bumble Bee team are excited to announce that we are coming back to Mornington for Round 3! This will be the third of our four events planned for the area in 2018. We would really appreciate it if you could help us spread the 'buzz' about our next event at **Peninsula Community Theatre on Sunday 24th June 2018!**

In 2018, we are also collaborating with **Baby Restraint Fitters** (aligned with Hire for Baby), who are providing professional baby restraint installations and checks at a reduced rate at each of our events across Melbourne.

Families are able to prebook via the following link for a \$30 installation service or \$20 visual check:

<https://babyrestraintfitters.simplybook.me/v2/>

'Drive up' installations on the day will be available, pending availability, at a cost of \$35.

We anticipate this to be a hugely popular service and recommend families prebook wherever possible.



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- ✓ WANT TO KNOW MORE ABOUT WHAT SORT OF JOBS AND TRAINING ARE AVAILABLE?
- ✓ WHO IS OFFERING WHAT SORT OF COURSES?
- ✓ NOT SURE WHERE TO START OR WHO TO ASK?

If the answer to any of these questions is YES.....this is the information session for you. Come along and get some advice on possible next steps!

A FREE SESSION RUN BY A QUALIFIED CAREER ADVISOR

Date: A choice of 2 sessions: **Tuesday 9th October** or **Tuesday 16th October**

Time: 9.00 am – 10.15am

Venue: Belvedere Community Centre, 36 Belvedere Rd, Seaford

To book a place please ring: 9776 8922



Supported by the Family Learning Partnerships (FLP) program, which aims to engage and support parents and carers to participate in learning, setting them a pathway towards further education and employment.

