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FRANKLAND RIVER FOX SHOOT 25TH FEBRUARY 2023



*SHOOT ALL NIGHT

*PRIZES TO BE WON

*BREAKFAST \$10.00 PER PERSON

Meet at Kieron Haynes Shearing Shed Poison Hill Road for breakfast at 7.30am

Count at 8.30am

Team nominations in by 19th February to:

Pete Ettridge: 0458 552 271

Kieron Haynes: 0438 552 360

Simon Hilder: 0427 888 379

*Prizes issued for whole bodies ONLY at the count



SKIN CANCER CHECKS Tuesday 4th April

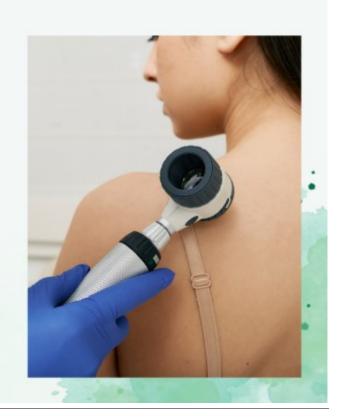
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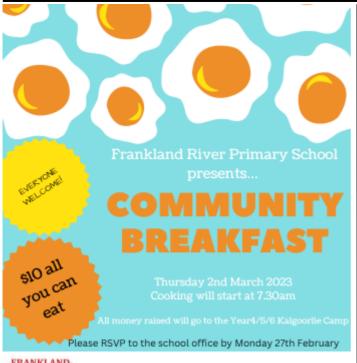
All previously booked appointments have been resheduled for the same time on the new date. Please contact us if this time is no longer suitable.

Dr Ray Cockerill from Geraldton Mole & Skin Cancer Clinic returns to Frankland River.

Book your appointment on 9855 2310

Bulk Billed Appointments





Community Breakfast Thursday 2nd March

To kick off the school year, we would like to welcome parents, families, and community members to our community breakfast on Thursday 2nd March from 7.30am. Come along to the school, meet the teachers and staff, see classrooms, get to know other families, and catch up after the summer holidays. This is our first fundraiser for our Year 4-6 camp, and we would love to see lots of people in attendance. \$10 for all you can eat! We will be making pancakes and bacon and egg burgers.

From the Principals Desk...

We have had a positive start to Term 1. Term 1 provides an opportunity for teachers to establish strong classroom routines and structures, explicitly teach social skills and behaviour expectations. These need to be established early in the year to enable us to maximise learning opportunities.

Newsletter - Change of Day

The newsletter will now be emailed out fortnightly on Fridays, with Friday Week 2 being our second edition for the year. Mrs Janelle Jones will be responsible for the newsletter so any items which families, the P&C etc. need included in the newsletter need to be emailed by 9.00am on Friday to Mrs Jones at Janelle.Jones@education.wa.edu.au Mrs Hooper will no longer be overseeing the newsletter.

Swimming Lessons

We have been very fortunate with the weather this week and the students have had a fantastic week of lessons. Swimming is a life skill and despite a few nervous faces on the first day, it was great to see the

students make progress with their swimming skills and have fun. For some of our students, this was their first set of swimming lessons and whilst it can be a bit daunting (and pretty cold!), they worked hard to learn some new skills and get familiar with the pool environment. A big thanks to Ms A who helped support our beginner swimmers by getting in the water with them. A big thanks to our wonderful P&C who generously subsidised the travel cost and entry to the pool. This helps to make swimming lessons more affordable for our families.

Swimming Carnival - Years 3-6

Frankland River Primary School is once again hosting the swimming carnival at Mt Barker Pool on Friday 10th March for all students in Years 3-6 from Frankland River, Kendenup, and Cranbrook Primary Schools. Further information will be sent out shortly but if you are able to be a parent helper on the day, please contact the school.

Wednesday Afternoons

In exciting news, we are running a couple of new programs on Wednesday afternoons. This term students will be participating in SUSTAINABILITY activities and routines with Mr Gilbert and Ms Amabilino and CHOIR with Miss Morris. One of the sustainability measures we are focusing on this term is reducing our waste. We have very strong sustainability measures in place at FRPS, but at the beginning of a new school year, it is great to remind everyone about how you (and children) can pack a waste free lunch. In Choir, students are learning a couple of songs that we hope to be able to perform for you at the end of

Term 1. We are also learning about being a good

audience in addition to performance etiquette.

Our school has and is continuing to promote sustainability practices with the introduction of Sustainability lessons on Wednesday afternoons for the whole school. During these sessions, students will learn and understand the processes involved with Recycling, Reducing and Reusing and most importantly, what happens with certain materials when they leave the household. Currently at FRPS we are collecting containers for change, batteries, lids, ink cartridges, food scraps from our Crunch & Sip for our worm farm just to name a few. We will continue to build on these processes and help make a change!

WANTED: used 2L containers (2L milk containers, orange juice containers, 2L cool drink containers etc.). We are going to create a cool little herb garden and need your 2L containers. If you have any spare, please send them in.

Thank You

A huge, big thank you those who assisted with putting the fire out on Ferngrove Road on Saturday 11th

All help was greatly appreciated.

FRANKLAND RIVER COMMUNITY CROPPING GROUP

AGM

@ Frankland River CRC
Wednesday 22nd February 5.30-6pm







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Thank you to everyone who joined us on Tuesday to celebrate 'International Book Giving Day' and 'Library Lovers Day'.

Excited faces from the kids as they chose a book to take home and keep was a delight to see, while the parents enjoyed making a choice from the books set aside for them.

Some of the bigger kid's enjoyed a couple of library-based activities while the smaller kids were entertained by the balloons. The sweet treats on offer were a hit!

Overall, it was a entertaining afternoon of library fun.





Community Garden

Updates & Announcements



To grow social connections through education & sustainable living.

Recipe's

Mediterranean Prawns with Bell Peppers

1 large bag of frozen, peeled, deveined prawns (be sure to thaw first)

1tbsp all-purpose flour 1 to 2 tsp smoked paprika 1/2 tsp salt and pepper 1/2 tsp ground coriande 1/4 tsp cayenne 1/4 tsp sugar 1tbsp butter or ghee

3 thsp olive oil 1/2 red onion, thinly sliced 4 garlic cloves, chopped

1/2 green capsicum and 1/2 yellow capsicum, cored and sliced 1 cup canned diced tomato 1/3 cup chicken or vegetable broth

2 tbsp dry white wine 2 tbsp fresh lemon juice 1/3 cup chopped parsley leaves

Pat the prawns dry and place in a large bowl. Add the flour, smoked paprika, salt and pepper, coriander, cayenne, and sugar. Toss until the prawns are well coated. In a large iron skillet, melt the butter with the olive oil over medium heat. Add the shallots and garlic. Cook for 2-3 minutes, stirring regularly, until fragrant (be sure not to burn the garlic.) Add the bell peppers and cook for another 4 minutes or so, tossing occasionally.

Now add the prawns. Cook for 1 to 2 minutes, then add the diced tomatoes, brothe wine and lemon juice. Cook for a couple of minutes or until the prawns turn

bright orange.

Finally, stir in the parsley and serve!

Recipe courtesy of: The Mediterranean Dish

Weather

Tuesday: Sunny with a top of 31C

Wednesday: Sunny with a top of 26C

Thursday: Partly cloudy with a top of 25C

Friday: Partly cloudy with a top of 24C

garden lips

Hopefully your summer vegetables are still growing strong but if they are looking a bit on the bad side you might like to consider starting to get your garden beds ready for the autumn vegetable crop.

Remove dead veggies and compost them. Start cleaning up the garden beds, making sure they are well formed and if they are reticulated, check to see if it is still in fully functional order.

More will be done here in March, these are just some early steps if your summer vegetables are finished.



2024 Restoration Opportunity

Revegetation & Protective Fencing

Greening Australia are partnering with Gillamii to provide landholders the opportunity of revegetation and protective fencing to enhance environmental assets such as Black Cockatoo habitat and Threatened Ecological Communities. Projects will be implemented as environmental offsets through the Department of Water and Environmental Regulation's Environmental Revegetation and Rehabilitation Fund, part of the State Government's Green Jobs Plan.

Opportunity

- Site Assessment
- Restoration Plan
- Funding for Seedlings & Protective Fencing
- Assistance with Site Prep & Establishment

Site Information

- Sites will be assessed and accepted by DWER based on environmental values presented
- Revegetation undertaken is to be protected in perpetuity through some mechanism (i.e. convenant)
- Planning 2023 for 2024 Revegetation

Contact Us

0427 500 374 admin@gillamii.org.au



Department of Water and Environmental Regulation



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Details & Registration -> https://www.trybooking.com/CFVZL











For further details contact Gillamii at admin@gillamii.org.au or 0427500374









Kidsafe WA will be visiting the Frankland River Playgroup in April to chat about all things child safety and keeping kids free from injuries and accidents.

What is this workshop about?

Attend the Keeping Kids Safe Workshop for tips on how to keep your children injury free at home, during play and on the road. This session provides practical steps on how to reduce the risk of injuries covering topics such as poisoning, falls, burns, child car restraints and driveways.



Who is this session for?

Professionals, parents, carers, grandparents or anyone interested in child safety!

Where?

Frankland River Playgroup Frankland River Community Resource Centre 55 Wingebellup Road



Wednesday 19th April 2023, 9:30 am - 10:30 am



Partner:



Government of **Western Australia** Department of **Health** **Frankland River CRC**

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News from The Shed

Well - it's been a productive month at the Shed. Not only have we had hamburgers on two occasions, we even had a quiet beer on Tuesday the 14th to celebrate the successful pour of the concrete floor for our Shed extension.

Over a couple of weeks early in the month, the boys put time and effort into preparing the "slab area', removing old material and grass before leveling the area, (thanks to the shire for the use of the bobcat to assist in this work) Once the area was level we installed the formwork, black plastic and mesh ready for our new floor. On Tuesday the 14th there was a concerted team effort to make the concrete and place it so the fantastic "Plant" team could level and screed the floor.

Special thanks to the following companies for the generous support. Riverhill Contacting for supplying and delivering three loads of yellow sand, Hanson Quarry Kendenup for donating 11m3 of cracker dust, Clive and Sharon for collecting and delivering the cracker dust at no charge, Cranbrook Shire for supplying and delivering 6-7 m3 of aggregate, Mt Barker Co-op for their "sponsorship" which covered half the cost of the cement, Magnus Bentley for allowing us to use his fantastic cement mixer, Butch Packard for his effort on modifying the "kibble" to easily allow it to fit on the forks of the tractor and Elders Cranbrook for delivering a couple of pallets of cement when we ran short. Special thanks to the Paul Plant and his team for handling the wet concrete and providing us with a fantastic finished slab.

While it might have been easier to have a couple of 'agitators' deliver readymade concrete, their was much more fun and engagement had by all involved mixing onsite (check out our "Cranbrook Community Men's Shed" fb page for more photos). The boys are now organising materials to begin the construction of the trusses before the steel work is erected and the Shed extension will be visible from the road, currently you

have to look over the fence to see our new slab.

The Cranbrook Community Men's Shed, was established to provide a venue for all men living or visiting the Cranbrook Shire with a place to feel welcome to visit and participate in the various activities offered. We always encourage men to call in on a Thursday for a look around and to join us for a cuppa – the kettle is always hot and it doesn't take much for us to take a break and have a cuppa. We will be trialing opening on a Saturday morning over the next month, so if Thursday doesn't suit, why not drop in on a Saturday morning. We hold bimonthly meetings, with our next meeting being April the 13th. We hold the meetings at lunch time with all attending offered a burger cooked to perfection.

For more info about the Shed activities please contact John De Burgh 0419 957 962 or Mal Humble

0410 568 519











Mindful Colouring



NUNIJUP PATCHWORK & CRAFT GROUP Meeting Dates for 2023

March 2nd, 16th and 30th

April 6th and 20th May 4th and 18th

June 1st, 15th and 29th

July 6th and 20th

August 1st, 17th, and 31st

September 7th and 21st October 5th and 19th

November 2nd, 16th and 30th

December 7th

We will be hosting our Airing of the Quilts on Saturday 23rd September, Sunday 24th September and Monday 25th September. Times to be confirmed closer to the event.

If you would like to set aside a regular patchwork or craft date, please join us!





CRANBROOK SHOW 25/03/2023 \$5 RAFFLE

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Frankland River new depot build

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- *Yeti gear *Bar fridge *Pet supplies
- *Plus more to come



CRANBROOK SHOW 25/03/2023 SILENT AUCTION

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Frankland River new depot build

Josh Kennedy Signed football

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We are delighted you are supporting our fundraising & recycling by helping give containers a new life.

However some items are being dropped into the bins that <u>cannot</u> be recycled through this program, resulting in a lot of unnecessary sorting before delivery day.

Please check your item for the refund logo before placing it in the collection bins.

WHAT CONTAINERS CAN BE SAVED?

Most aluminium, glass, plastic, steel and liquid paperboard drink containers between 150ml and 3L can be saved. Make sure you remove the lids.



Eligible containers must:

Be included on the scheme's list of products. Display the refund mark

WHAT CONTAINERS ARE EXCLUDED?

There are some drink containers that are not eligible.

Excluded containers include:

Any plain milk containers

Any glass containers which have contained wine or pure spirits

Containers 1L or larger which have contained flavoured milk, pure fruit or vegetable juice All cordial or syrup containers





https://www.write4fun.net/



All entries must be received by 17 March 2023 and there is a limit of five photos per person.

Please send any queries via email to goldenlens@communities.wa.gov.au.

For more information contact WA Seniors Card on: 1800 671 233

The Franklander Deadline Dates for 2023

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Vol 26 No 7	31 March
Vol 26 No 8	14 April
Vol 26 No 9	28 April
Vol 26 No 10	12 May
Vol 26 No 11	26 May
Vol 26 No 12	9 June
Vol 26 No 13	23 June
Vol 26 No 14	7 July
Vol 26 No 15	21 July
Vol 26 No 16	4 August
Vol 26 No 17	18 August
Vol 26 No 18	1 September
Vol 26 No 19	15 September
Vol 26 No 20	29 September
Vol 26 No 21	13 October
Vol 26 No 22	27 October
Vol 26 No 23	10 November
Vol 26 No 24	24 November
Vol 26 No 25	8 December



Drawn on 12th March 2023



1st Prize

ARB 60ltr Car Fridge/Freezer Value \$1300





\$500 Alcohol Basket

3rd Prize



\$150 Gift Vouche



4th Prize \$100 Gift Package

Persons Under 18 years of age are PROHIBITED from purchasing a ticket. Name & Address is required for ticket to be VALID

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Frankland River Solitary Style plates are available at a cost of \$220.00.

They make a fabulous gift for birthdays, or the new car buyer.

If you are interested please complete application form from the Frankland Community Resource Centre and return to Teresa Lawson with payment.

Please call 9855 2310 for any enquiries.

Frankland River CWA Branch **Annual General Meeting**

Our AGM will be held on Thursday 2 March 2023 at the Frankland River Community Centre commencing at 7pm.

Everyone most welcome.



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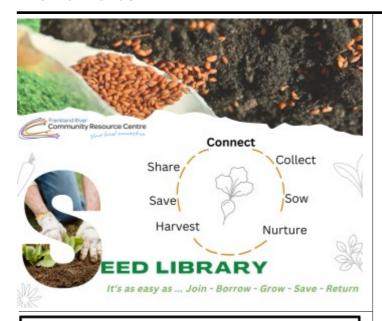
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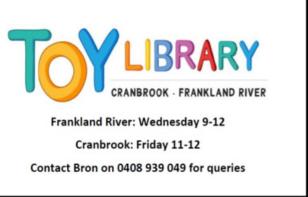
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FEBRUARY / MARCH 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		Storytime Yoga 6.30pm	Playgroup Toy Library Community Cropping AGM 5.30pm	Op Shop 10am - 1.30pm Waste Station 1:00pm - 5pm Yoga 6.30pm	24 Waste Station 7:30am - 11:30am	25 Op Shop 8.30 - 12.30 Frankland River Annual Fox Shoot
Fox Shoot Breakfast 7.30am Count 8.30am Waste Station 7:30am - 11:30am	Waste Station 1:00pm - 5pm	28 Storytime Yoga 6.30pm	1 Playgroup & Toy Library	Community Breakfast 7.30 Nunijup Patchwork Op Shop 10am - 1.30pm Waste Station 1:00pm - 5pm Yoga 6.30pm	3 Waste Station 7:30am - 11:30am Article deadline	4 Op Shop 8.30 - 12.30
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Church Announcements Anglican

Cranbrook:

Ist, 2nd, 3rd & 4th Sunday 10.00 am at St Oswalds Church Contact - Jan Pope 0417 981 264

Tenterden:

On a 5th Sunday of the month 10:00 am at St Mildred's Church

Baptist

No services at Frankland River until further notice

Cranbrook Service 10.30am

Cranbrook Frankland River Baptist Church Services are also uploaded to YouTube https://www.youtube.com/channel/ UCV4nIqkuX_cJ7LwacAgAdAw

Contact Mark Jefferies 0428 517 103

Catholic

Parish Priest Father Ely Comanda Ph 0421 282 775

Contacts: Clarissa Devine 0497 545 334 Debbie Coole 0427 240 556

Mass Times - 3rd Sunday of the month at the Frankland Catholic Church at 3.00pm.

All new community members warmly welcomed.

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• Hospital	Mt Barker Albany Info Centre	9892 1222 9892 2222 13 11 26		
• Cranbro • Crime S		(08) 68013840 1800 333 000		
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• DFES		1300 657 209		
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TO THE RESIDENT

The Franklander

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