Dear Parents and Caregivers,

This Saturday the P&C is participating in an Education Expo at Rose City Shopping Centre. The idea is to promote our school, hand out flyers and generally encourage people to stop and chat. Please contact Merrill (46603606) if you are able to lend a hand.

Both Janine and I are away today and tomorrow, attending an ICT Conference. We had not planned to be away but were asked to attend so we could learn all about the management of i-pads and various programs. In our absence Jenny Lane, Bob Baldwin and Louise Rossiter will keep things ticking over.

Thank you to the parents for sending in all the fascinating items from the past. Our display is growing and will soon have to be relocated from Mrs Baldwin’s room to the resource room.

This week we have a science permission (Photo) note to be signed and returned to school. We have to submit these forms in order to have our entries judged as part of the Hermitage Research Facility Science Competition.

Have a great week

Laura Watson
Principal
**Week 8 Kindness Awards**

Won by
Abbi Mauch

with runners up
Madison Kane & Bethany Mauch

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Foster the Idea of Practice and Mastery

Some children believe that they are either good at something or they are not good at it. They may try it once or twice, but failure will make them give up.

Other children have been taught by their parents that to succeed is to practice. These children have parents who have emphasised the importance of learning through mistakes, setbacks, failures, and practice.

Studies show that children who believe they’re no good at something often won’t even try. But children who believe that to be good at something requires practice and hard work are willing to get stuck in, make mistakes, and keep trying until they get it right.

By teaching your children that if they keep trying they can do anything, they will persist, master, and succeed!

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**Freestone Playgroup—Freestone State School**

Freestone Playgroup meets from 9 to 11 am with the session involving free play, an organized craft activity and a music session. Please bring a healthy morning tea to share with others. We welcome all our new school families with little ones to come and meet some local mums.

Cost is only $2 per week plus Insurance $35 family for the full year.

If you need more information contact Leesa on 46612739 or 0419741264

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**~Tuckshop~**

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Thank You to Mrs Karen Mauch for keeping our school spick and span.

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**~Community News~**

**Freestone Hall Announcement**

Wellies & Beanies Boot Sale & Boot Art Auction

Will be held on the 20th July as part of the Jumpers & Jazz event

Call John for more info on 0408660654