Newsletter Eglinton Public School



"Our School...Your Children...Their Future"

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Term 3 Week 8 Date: 3rd September 2015

Principal's Report

Dear Parents and Carers

It has been a busy week for the start of Spring with staff undertaking professional development in both writing and the new History syllabus. This learning directly impacts on improving student learning outcomes and is part of Eglinton's ongoing commitment to quality education.

Earn and Learn

This week is the last week for the Earn and Learn program. Stickers need to be stuck onto the sticker sheets and placed in the collection box in the front office at school. Then the fun begins! Tallying points and redeeming them for books, classroom equipment, art & craft materials and much, much more... There's no limit to the number of points we can collect, so your participation will really make a difference. The more points we earn, the more resources we can order!

Report from Canberra/Snow

After a delayed start all reports from the excursion are positive. Mr James reported that after a good nights sleep and hearty breakfast that they are on their way to the snow, with snow falling on higher ground. A great day will be had by all and I can't wait to see the photos.

Happy Father's Day to all our Dads for the 6th of September. Don't forget to get out to Bunnings on Saturday between 9am and 3pm for the P&C sausage sizzle.

Meleesa Smith Relieving Principal.

Dates to remember

TERM 3 2015

WEEK 8

Friday 4th September

12:30pm - Junior Assembly 1:30pm - Primary Assembly Kinder Featherdale Excursion Swimming Lessons begin Return Year 6

WEEK 9

Monday 7th September

Swimming Lessons

Tuesday 8th September

Swimming Lessons

P & C Meeting

Wednesday 9th September

Swimming Lessons

Eisteddfod Dance Ensembles 10.30am

Thursday 10th September

Swimming Lessons

Bike Safety Check Day

Friday 11th September

Swimming Lessons

12:30pm - Junior Assembly

1:30pm - Primary Assembly

WEEK 10

Monday 14th September

Swimming

Kinder Pedal Push Social 12:30pm (Free)

Clothes for Kinder

Virtue of the week

FLEXIBILITY

Flexibility is being open to the need for change.

Week 7 Awards

Congratulations to the following students who received awards at last week's assembly.

Banner



Poppy Hobson

Congratulations to the following students who received awards at last weeks assembly.

Gold Awards

Declan Howard, Georgie Owen, Belinda Baker, Tegan Halpin, Laura Martin-Clark, Sophie Bennett, Stuart Halpin, Abbie Writer and Lachlan Taylor.

Yellow Awards

Alastair, Digby Sharpham, Olivia Collett, Samantha Clarke, Ozzie Gray, Anthea Clark, Lasey Omaglosh, Jessica Ryan, Mitchell Riini, Jane Sheather, Stuart Halsey, Lyla Hellyer, Bethany Sargeant, Jarvis Whalan, Mia Phelps, Olivia Daley, Julian McMennemin, Riordan Kerschner, Benjamin Anderson, Annabell Morrison, Roisin Latham, Abbigale Carroll, Danton Barratt, Ace Tobin, Bella Duff, Jessy Palmer, Jacob Baillie, Annabel Rennie, Naomi Chapman, Roxy George, Gus McMahon, Nina Pikul, Ethan Haley, Natalie Halpin, Stewart Haley, Rei Collins, Rose Baillie, Sam Johnson, Fergus Taylor, Maj-Lis Winfield, Thomas Morrison, Talan Egan-Maranda, Phoebe Markwick, Holly Hockley-Cheetham, Grace Wright, Ruben Martin-Clark, Jack Beale, Gabrielle Ferguson, Brody Carter.

Principal Awards

Charli Knight, Brett Wharton, Mia Phelps, Summer Beckman, Lily Kovac, Jessica Ryan, Alyssa Callen, Eliza Church.

Virtue Award 'Faithfulness'

Kaitlyn Collins, Amity Kauter, Gus McMahon, Michaela Jones, Alicia Nobles and Jaden Randall.

Healthy Bites

Don't forget the Fruit & Veg making competition is on Monday 7th Sept, entries due in at the hall by 9.30 am.

We are still looking for a few volunteers to help make the tasting platters for the kid's classrooms occurring on Monday-Thursday mornings from 9.30 to 10.30.

Mon- KT, KH, KC + K-2C/3-6G

Tues-1C, 1E, 1P, 2C, 2R, 2S

Wed-3L, 3O, 4A, 4H

Thurs-5B, 5T, 6A, 6J, 3/4/5S

Well done to the kids for eating so much fruit and vegetables over the last couple of weeks. Over 300 entries have been sent away to the Sydney markets.

Thanks Amanda

Roster

<u>NAME</u>	<u>DATE</u>		
Cheryl	Friday	04/09/15	
HELP NEEDED	Monday	07/09/15	
Lianne	Tuesday	08/09/15	
Adam	Wednesday 09/09/15		
HELP NEEDED	Thursday	10/09/15	
HELP NEEDED	Friday	11/09/15	

Fruit & Veg \$5 Meal Deal Special

Chicken Burger with Salad or Hamburger with Salad and a Bottle of Water



Available every day until the end of term!

Clothing Pool

TAGS – Could everyone please check name tags on clothing to see if you have your own child's clothing or accidently picked up someone else's. People are purchasing clothes that have names on them and not getting returned to the student or lost property. Thank you.

POLAR FLEECE JUMPERS – Any orders that were not picked up from last term have been returned to stock. So we have a variety of sizes (no sz10) in stock. So if you are after one, please come in and purchase one.

LOST PROPERTY – please check (in tubs on kindy verandah).

Reminder: PLEASE LABEL ALL CLOTHING.

THANK YOU to all volunteers and THANK YOU to all for your donations.

See you Mondays..... reminder: Order form is available at school office or on school website. If unable to come in on a Monday, fill out form, circle 'leave in office', provide mobile no (so I can text you) and you can pick up after the next Monday. Or if really needed, please contact me and I'll see what I can do.

See you Monday, Denise

Clothing Pool Roster 3:15-4:00pm

31 st August	Bev
JI Magast	500
7 th September	Linda/Megan
/ September	Linda/Wicgan
14 th September	Emma/Nicole/Moune
14 September	
Wednesday 16 th	Stocktake Wednesday
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September 1pm	
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School Contributions

Our school contribution structure helps with the purchase of a range of classroom resources. Fees for students in Years K to 6 for 2015 are \$50 for the first child in a family, and \$30 for every additional child thereafter up to three children attending the school. (Maximum \$110)

St Pats Junior Cricket Club

The 2015/2016 cricket season starts soon.

St Pats Junior Cricket club would like to invite all junior cricketers, especially new members, to register for this coming season.

Registration is available for ages from U7s and above. The cost of registration is: Kanga (U7, U8, U9) and U10s = \$95 (U7s will receive free club shirt and hat). U11s and above = \$105.

Sign up for this season will occur at Paddy's hotel (Kelso).

There will be two evenings for sign-up:

Tuesday 1/9/15 from 5pm to 6.30pm Tuesday 8/9/15 from 5pm to 6.30pm

Any enquiries can be directed to the secretary, James Crane - email: jcrane@csu.edu.au

Charles Sturt University would love to welcome past and new members to the club.

Pedal Push Preparation

As you know this term we hold our annual Pedal Push activities.

Now is a great time to start thinking about our children's bikes and their current condition. In accordance with NSW Road Regulations, ALL bikes must be fitted with front and rear reflectors and a bell. Please check your child's bike has these important safety items as they will not be able to take part in our Pedal Push without them.

Children (Years 3-6) will be asked to bring their bikes and helmets to school during Week 9 to have their bikes 'safety checked' in readiness for the 'onroad' ride on the last day of term. Children in Kindy-Year 2 will participate in Pedal Push activities within the school grounds on the last day of term.

Our Pedal Push Social will also be held in the last week of term.

TIMETABLE

Bike Check (3-6) 10.9.15 Pedal Push Activities (K-6) 18.9.15

More information and permission notes will be sent home in the coming weeks. We look forward to seeing plenty of parent helpers again this year!

Thank you, Mrs Arnold



Bingletree Station Upper Turon Road Upper Turon 279 Ph: 6337 7173

* JACKEROO RANCH *

* HORSE RIDING *

* Spring School Holiday Riding Camps *

Jakeroo Ranch (est. 54 years) and recently relocated to Bingletree Station at Upper Turon, are again running their popular horse riding camps in the Spring Vacation.

1st Week: Saturday 19th September to Saturday 26th September 2nd Week: Saturday 26th September to Saturday 4th October

* Shorter stays are possible if camps are not fully booked *

These camps are for "horse-mad" children aged from 6 to 16 years. Five to six hours per day are devoted to horse activities including a one hour lesson and three hours trail riding in the beautiful Turon Valley - with tuition still being given. As well, campers are taught grooming, saddling, haltering, catching a horse, safety aspects and many other facets of horsemanship.

Previous experience is not necessary as beginners to advanced riders are catered for. We specialise in teaching nervous riders and developing their confidence.

Other activities include gold panning, cattle feeding/checking, cattle mustering camp fires and native wildlife spotting. (The property abounds with kangaroos, wallabies, wombats, wonderful bird life as well as being a working cattle farm and Quarter Horse Stud. There are Poll Hereford calves and Quarter Horse foals now being born).

This is "not just a camp" - it's a wonderful farm experience your child will treasure forever.

Enquiries: Mrs Pattie Hudson Phone 6337 7173 (nights are best).

www.jackerooranch.com.au

Out of Hours Care

Eglinton Public School P&C Inc. Out of School Hours Care in the EPS hall. Before School Care, After School Care & Vacation Care.



Completed enrolment forms are essential.

Please contact Coordinator call 0429 371 205,

Email: eglinton-oosh@bigpond.com.

Woolworths Earn and Learn Stickers

Eglinton Public School is participating in the Earn & Learn Program.

The box for your stickers is in the office foyer. Stickers must be attached to a form that is available in the foyer.

Thank you for your participation.



SCHOOL HOLIDAY JUNIOR CHESS TOURNAMENT IN ORANGE

Incorporating the NSW Country Junior Championships
Western Qualifier for Under 18 & 12 Divisions

WHERE:

St Barnabas Anglican Church Parish Hall

Corner Dora and McLachlan Streets

East Orange

WHEN:

Thursday 1st October 2015

TIME:

9:45 am to 3:30pm

ENTRY FEE:

\$10 [\$5 for additional family member]

PRIZES:

Trophies for 1st, 2nd & 3rd

in Under 18 and Under 12

REGISTER BY:

29th September 2015 latest by contacting one of the following Junior Chess Coordinators:

1. Alexander Aich Ph 0408 200 564

alexander.aich@gmail.com

Bathurst and District Junior Touch Football Competition

We are looking for Boy, Girl or Mixed Junior touch football teams. Divisions include Under 10's, Under 12's, and Under 14's. Under 16's play as a junior team in the senior competition.

Venue: To be held at Learmonth Park from 4.30 pm

each Monday for 30 minute games.

Starts: 27 October 2015. **Finishes:** 29 February

2016 (with a break over Christmas).

Nominations period – Opens 14 September to 19 October 2015 – Team registrations can be completed online at: bathurst-touch-football.asn.au

Cost: \$260 per team. Please note there is minimum of six players (usually ten player sides). For under 16 teams playing in the Senior Competition nomination fees are \$570.00 per team.

Coach: Each team requires a Coach/Manager who can also referee. The cost of the referee course is free. Those persons wishing to do the referee course should contact David Weekes (0439321568).

Age: Age divisions are based on players turning that age during 2015. For example, if you turn 12 in 2015 you can play in the Under 12's division.

More Information: contact Gerard Lang – Competition Coordinator on 0427 223 410.



EGLINTON PUBLIC SCHOOL P&C INC. OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CARE Spring Vacation Care Program



Approval Number: 3P84TO
Phone: 0429371205 Email: Eglinton-oosh@bigpond.com

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1, am	21**	22°° Leave EOOSH 9.40 Rahamim	23rd Sun catchers	Let's	Make your own barger.
2f ⁺ -25 th Sept, ⁴ 15	Beading	Ecology Centre		create Our Garden.	\$3.50
		\$19.00 (bus + activities)		·	
pm	Get creative- bring white slip on shoes or a white cotton T- shirt to dye. <u>NB</u> all items must be pre washed!	Drum kit making-\$3.50	Ranger Guides- learn out door skills with the experts.	Archery @ Bathurst Archers Club_\$17.00	Bring your wheels & protective gear- non-negotiable!
Week 2, am 28 th Sept,- 2 nd Oct, 15.	Recyclable craft	Leave EOOSH 9.00 We are 'flippin out'@ Flip Out in Orange-\$20.00	The challenge is on-who will be paper plane champion?	Leave EOOSH 10.10 Enjoy BINGO & a chat with our seniors at the Seymour Centre.	In House Movie
pm	Bring your wheels & protective gear- non-negotiable!	plus Adventure Playground Orange with sausage sizzle-\$3.00 Return approx., 3.30pm.	Come & make a hand puppet <u>-</u> \$3.50	Milkshakes & Cookies	Marathon

Bookings must be in writing on the booking form available from the Coordinator.

^{*}Please note: Organized excursions during vacation care are compulsory. Due to the higher staff/child ratios adhered to for excursions, EOOSH is unable to provide extra staffing to cater to children not attending.

Rahamim Ecology Centre is hosting....

SCHOOL HOLIDAY OUTDOOR EDUCATION





Register your child for the Rahamim School Holiday activities!

Rahamim Ecology Centre is hosting the EOOSH school holiday activity in which children can actively participate in environmental lessons as well as the 'hands-on' experiences including a permaculture tour, 'Wiradjuri voices' & Kids choir & drumming workshop.

"My children enjoyed Rahamim immensely.

All five senses where incorporated. It was really fun and educational at the same time!"

When: Tuesday 22nd September, 2015

Where: Rahamim Ecology Centre

34 Busby St, South Bathurst

Time: 10.00am - 12.00pm

Other: \$13 per child

Bookings essential

(02) 63329950 bookings@rahamim.org.au

When it comes to health, every woman has an elephant in the room.

Let's talk about what women want to know.



Central West Women's Health Centre Information Stand

Where: Stockland Bathurst

When: Wednesday 9th September

Time: 11am to 4pm









Eglinton Public Parents and Citizens

Fathers Day BBQ

When: Saturday, 5th September

Where: Bunnings

Time: 9am – 3pm



Come along and support your school's P+C help support your school!