



NEWSLETTER

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Euroa Primary School

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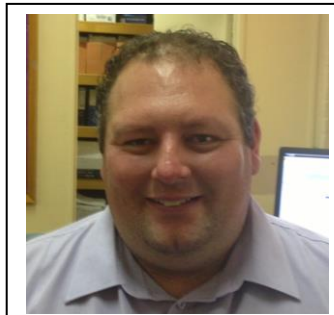
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REGIONAL CROSS COUNTRY



Congratulations to the 12 students who competed with effort and persistence at the Regional Cross Country Championships in Broadford yesterday. The weather was perfect for June and the track wasn't quite as slippery or muddy as in previous years. Well done to all the students who ran their best and good luck to Cohen and Heidi at the State Championships early next term.

EFFORT UNITY RESPECT ORDER ACHIEVEMENT

ROSS'S REPORT

I was extremely proud of our 12 students who participated in the Regional Cross Country Championships in Broadford yesterday. It is a very tough course with lots of hills and steep climbs for the kids to push through. Special congratulations to Cohen, who finished first in his race yesterday, and to Heidi who finished 6th. Both of these students will now compete in the State Championships in Bundoora early next term. Well done to Mr Clinch for his work in PE, in preparing our students. Thank you to all the parents and family members who came along yesterday to support our students and cheer them on.

Four students spent the day with me on Friday as Principal for the day. The students traded 100 green tokens to get to follow me for the day and do some "principal jobs". This included Reading Awards, Green Tokens, Yard Duty and Assembly. Well done to Harold, Ruby, Charlie and Scarlett who had saved up their tokens for quite a long time to get to the required 100.

We have 40 students in grades 4 and 5 heading to Woorabinda Camp next week. Miss K will also be attending. These students will have a fantastic time at the camp, participating in many outdoor ed activities. It should be a great way to end the term for these students. Thanks to Maddi who has organised this event for our school.

Breakfast Club has been really popular with the students as the cool weather hits! Students have been treated to warm porridge, cereal and toast this week as our volunteers continue to do a fabulous job. Thanks to Josh, Tammy and Mel for their time and effort in organising the program for our students.

DATES TO REMEMBER

JUNE

Tuesday 21st – School Council 6:45pm

Wednesday 22nd - Information session for Prospective 2017 families
7:00pm – 8:00pm

Thursday 23rd – Whole School Movie Night 5:00pm – 7:00pm

Friday 24th – Last day of Term 2 - 2:30pm dismissal

JULY

Monday 11th – 1st day of Term 3

Thursday 14th – Fundraising meeting 3:30pm

Monday 25th – Parent/Teacher/Student Conferences – students do not attend school on this day.

Thursday 28th – Australian Maths Competition

ASSEMBLY- tomorrow will be hosted by grades 4C and 4/5K and will be held in the Junior Building at 2:30pm.

END OF TERM DISMISSAL – NEXT Friday is end of term and students will be **dismissed at 2:30pm**

FAMILY STATEMENTS will be posted out before the end of term, along with a Student Information Full Details statement which parents need to go through and make any necessary changes such as new addresses, new phone numbers, change of emergency contacts etc. If there are any changes, please send updated statements back to school.

JUNIOR SCHOOL

Angela, Megan and Amy

Tomorrow's Dress Up Day - Children can come to school dressed up as a Movie or Book Character. This day has been organised by the SRC. Please send along a gold coin.

Street Stall – Thank you to all the support from parents for the Junior Street Stall last Friday. We are so proud of the team of parents who worked together to run the stall so smoothly on the day, the amazing generosity of donations for our hampers and also the yummy baked goodies. Our raffle winners were -1st Winter Hamper - Chris Thomson; 2nd Hot Chocolate Hamper - Peter Fulton and 3rd Money Tree - Lester.

Bakery Visit – This week the grade 1-2 children finished off their Integrated Studies theme 'People's Needs' with a visit to Mawson's Bakery. Thank you to Gayle, David and their team for welcoming the children into the work area of the Bakery. Children were delighted to see bread dough and vanilla slices being made and seeing the big ovens. To top it off children decorated some yummy treats to take back to school to eat for morning tea.



Prospective Families Information Session – On Wednesday 22nd June 7.00pm until 8.00pm the school will be holding an information session for prospective parents for 2017 foundation children. If you know of anyone with Kindergarten aged children please help us to promote the school and pass on this event.

End of Term 3 - Next Friday 24th June is the end of term 3 school will finish with an early dismissal at 2.30pm.

Soundwaves

Umbrella's up u,u,u.

SENIOR SCHOOL

Kim, Heather, Jenny, Maddi, Deanne and Deb

- Just a reminder for those who are off to Woorabinda Camp – Departure is at 7am Monday morning at bus area at school. Students will be returning Friday afternoon approximately at 4pm. Please make sure your child's belongings are clearly named, they have a packed lunch, water bottle and anything else they might need on the bus (book) in their school day pack. ALL medication/tablets must be clearly labelled with instructions and given to Miss K before getting on the bus. Watch the weather during the week for the La Trobe Valley in Gippsland (Morwell, Moe) to get the latest reports. Any last minute questions/queries please don't hesitate to contact Miss K at school on 5795 2212.
- Don't forget - Dress up day this Friday – gold coin donation, come dressed as your favourite book or movie character!!! Well done to our cross country runners. Great Job. Well done to Heidi Smith and Cohen Paul who are off to State.
- Next Tuesday students from the senior school and grade 3 will be visiting Castle Creek. We will depart at 10 am and return about 1.15 pm. Students will have lunch at school.
- Grades 4CJ and 4K are hosting assembly this Friday. Assembly will be held in the Junior building.

ADVANCE NOTICE – Monday 25th July – Parent/Teacher/Student Conferences – students do not attend school on this day, but attend their interview with parents. Request sheets for interview times will be sent home early next term.

VISUAL ART

Pauline Fraser

This week students are completing their paper sculptures. We discussed the many ways paper can be changed and constructed and built a chart. Paper is beautiful to use as an art medium. Just a few skills are needed, scissors and any scrap paper and an idea in mind and anything can be achieved.



Elliot Paterson displaying his crushed paper magpie.



Elliot Firth creating tables and chairs with the stripy paper.

MOVIE NIGHT

When: Thursday 23rd June 5:00-7:00pm

Where: Schoolhouse

Movie: Hotel Transylvania 2

Cost: \$10 per student or \$20 for a family of children, includes entertainment, popcorn and a drink

Why: To have a fun night and raise money for the junior school end of year excursions.



This event is for Euroa Primary School students only. Parents need to drop their children off at 5:00pm and pick them up at 7:00pm.

'YOU CAN DO IT'

Organisation

Elliot Firth 1/2B	Aaron VanDenBerghe 1/2B	Harvey Bell 3R
Jesse Best 4C/J	Cassie Rawlings 4C/J	Charlie Hall 4C/J x2
Blake Hepworth 4C/J x3	Tarryn Hobbs 1/2B	Elouise Cecere 4C/J
Alison Chapman 4C/J	Ella Collins 1/2B	Oliver Wilson 1/2B
Charlie Hall 4C/J	Gracey Chenhall 4C/J	

Persistence

Angus Burton 1/2A	Archie Wilson 1/2A	Rhylee Potter 1/2A
Jack Walters 1/2A	Cameron Mackrell 1/2A	Tarryn Hobbs 1/2B
Ben O'Connor 5/6T	Grace Ivill 5/6T	Jacob Hunter 5/6T
Millie Watson 4/5T	Rhys Milburn 5/6T	Chloe Townsend 3R x2
Declan Dunn 3R	Zach Burton 3R	Mali Jones 3R
Kira Badke 3R	Ariana Argus F/1W	Tyler Delahey F/1W
Axle Chenhall F/1W	Brialy Larkin F/1W	Jessie Sloan F/1W
Elliot Paterson 5/6T	Jeremiah Johnston 1/2B	Jayden Franklin 1/2B
Charlie Hall 4C/J	Blake Hepworth 4C/J	Millie Delahey 4/5K
Kayla Davidson 4/5K	Rachael Buerckner 4/5K	Harrison Mills 3R
Charlie Mawson 1/2A	Mitchell Walters 4/5K	Chloe Salter 4/5K
Georgie Belcher 4/5K		

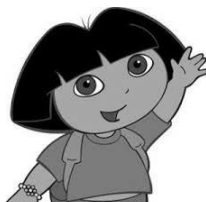
Getting Along

Emma Fruend 1/2A	Archie Wilson 1/2A	Angus Thompson 1/2A
Jayden Franklin 1/2B	Jeremiah Johnston 1/2B	Allora Godsmark 1/2 B
Elijah Galloway F/1W	Koby Kubeil 4C/J	

Confidence

Mia Coles-Bormann 3R

DON'T FORGET TOMORROW IS DRESS UP DAY - COME DRESSED AS YOUR FAVOURITE BOOK OR MOVIE CHARACTER. GOLD COIN DONATION. PRIZES FOR BEST DRESSED!



HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION (HPE)

Ian Clinch



The **Hume Region Cross Country** was conducted on **Wednesday 15th June** at **Broadford**. Euroa P.S. had 12 Grade 3 – 6 students who competed in the event.... *Amelia Delahey, Ruby Watson, Cohen Paul, Danny Williams, Harrison Mills, Ned Ivill, Jayden Ebert, Heidi Smith, Natarsha Ebert, Grace Ivill, Teagan Kubeil, Caden Robinson.*

Congratulations to... 9/10yr Boys – **Cohen Paul 1st**, 11yr Girls – **Heidi Smith 6th** who have qualified for the **State Cross Country** in Melbourne on 14th July.



What are the Fundamental Motor Skills?

The **Fundamental Motor Skills** are the movement and ball skills which are seen as essential for all primary students to develop (*throw, catch, kick, run, jump, bounce, leap, dodge, strike*). These skills are taught during practice, play, and games, and often require repetition every year. It is expected that by Grade 6 students should have 'mastered' these skills in order to successfully participate in a range of sporting activities.



EUROA U/10s SOCCER TEAM

Due to the poor ground condition the main pitch has been closed for all training and this Saturday's game by the City of Greater Shepparton. After careful consideration the SJSA executive has decided that the U/10s matches for this week will be rescheduled to August 20th. Training is on next Tuesday then we will see you all after the holidays.

Josh Mosely

STUDENT REPORTS (2016 Semester 1)

The **Australian Curriculum** and the **Victorian Essential Learning Standards** (AusVELS) is the curriculum taught, assessed and reported in Victorian State Primary Schools.

For detailed information go to...

<http://www.australiancurriculum.edu.au/> and <http://ausvels.vcaa.vic.edu.au/>.

At each Year level (F – 6) there are '**standards**' which teachers use to assess students' learning.

At **Euroa Primary School** this semester we have introduced **Compass School Management System**, which incorporates a Student Report module. We have had a few technical problems and anomalies which we hope will be resolved before printing the reports.

Student Reports will have '**ratings**' **A – E** (with **C** being the '**expected standard**', which the majority of students achieve) and a '**graph**' showing a student's 12 month progression. However, due to the diversity and breadth of the curriculum, not all learning areas (domains) of the AusVELS are taught each semester. Some AusVELS learning areas are taught by teachers thematically as 'Integrated Studies'. Teachers will also assess students' Work Habits (Effort, Behaviour) using the following scale....**Excellent, Very Good, Good, Satisfactory, Unsatisfactory**. Student Reports will contain individual classroom teacher and specialist teacher **comments**.

Student Reports will be distributed to students at the end of Term 2. Parents will then have an opportunity to attend a **parent/teacher interview** early in Term 3 to discuss the report.

Ian Clinch (Assessment and Reporting Co-ordinator)

Parent Information Session

All prospective families for the 2017 enrolment at Euroa Primary School are invited to attend a discussion about school readiness and general school information prior to enrolment. 2017 enrolment forms are now available from the school office, Euroa Kindergarten and Goodstart learning centre.

When: Wednesday June 22nd

Where: Euroa Primary School Junior Building

Time: 7:00 p.m — 8:00 p.m

Child care will be provided



Charlotte Bell ready for learning

EUROA FARMERS MARKET – Saturday 18th June

Come along to the Euroa Farmers Market next Saturday and experience some fantastic new “flavours”. Spanish food, Spanish music and flamenco will dominate the scene and organiser Helen Brook says “ we’ve got fabulous music, flamenco dancers and fun competitions – all to be enjoyed with a bowl of paella – cooked and served on the street”.

The paella cooking demo will commence at 12noon – after which bystanders can buy a bowl of this popular Spanish dish. The crowd will be entertained by Opal Ocean – who will start playing around 11am – in time to warm up the crowd for the Senes Flamenco dancers at 12noon. There will be prizes for the kids - for the best flamenco dress and the best bull-fighting cape (complete with best flourish of the cape). There will be a grand prize for the best Salvador Dali moustache and sponsor Shirley Saywell from Brady & Kibble says “everyone is eligible to enter” ! There will be also be an olive-pit spitting competition and a tomato juggling competition – and Helen and Shirley encourage everyone to have a go – offering cash prizes for the winners. Another of the sponsors, Russ Knight from Lisadurn Olives, will be giving away a 2 litre jar of olives to the person who comes closest to guessing the number of olives in the jar.


The Rotary Market licence has been extended to 3pm so everyone can hang around a bit longer and join in the entertainment.

For further info contact Helen Brook on 0409-783577 or Shirley Saywell on 0427-246900.



EUROA FARMERS' MARKET
9am-3pm Saturday 18th June
Food stalls with olives, tomatoes, corn, potatoes, chillies and more
Enjoy a Spanish experience with Paella cooking demos at 11am and 1pm followed by more Spanish food, music and festivities
Best Salvador Dali moustache and Olive pit spitting competitions
Proudly sponsored by Lisadurn Hill Olives, Rotary and Brady and Kibble

CIRCUS WORKSHOP
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Do you know a child with energy to burn?
Or a teenager who likes to show off?
Want to learn how to juggle?



***Workshop: 5 - 6.30pm Wednesday 29 June 2016**
Suitable for 9 - 14 year olds
Free workshop entry with a non-refundable ticket to Aussie Aussie Aussie
Performance: 8pm Thursday 30 June 2016
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