

NEWSLETTER

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PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS



On Monday the teachers were able to spend some productive time with families, conducting parent/teacher interviews. The session was a valuable time for teachers and parents to share how the year has started off for their child and pass on valuable information. These interviews are just one form of communication between the school and home which ensures effective partnerships and that we are "working together".

EFFORT UNITY RESPECT ORDER ACHIEVEMENT

ROSS'S REPORT

First term is quickly passing us by. With a long weekend coming up, it is a good chance for everyone to have a short break before the last three weeks of term 1. I am continually impressed with the settled nature of our classes and students as I walk around the school. It is wonderful to see so much engaged learning and focussed students right across the school. The rest of the term should continue to present great learning opportunities for our children.



Our 8 member regional swimming team competed brilliantly in Shepparton yesterday. Every member of our team completed a Personal Best time in their event. Congratulations to Rachael, Ellie, Harrison M, Cohen, Darby, Harrison D, Mitchell and Arron on this superb achievement. Their results are included in today's newsletter.

Parent/Teacher Interviews were conducted on Monday. Most families were able to attend, but if you were unable to make it, please see your child's teacher to make a time to meet. We aim to have strong communication between the school and families, and the interviews are a great method to do this. We also use the newsletter, notices home, your child's diary, Skoolbag app and Facebook to provide information.

FOUNDATION STUDENTS - will attend school on Wednesdays from next week - March 15th.

SCHOOL BANKING – Parents are asked to please make sure that the deposit slips for your child's banking are filled out in full.

DATES TO REMEMBER

MARCH

Friday 10th – Assembly 2:30pm hosted by grades 3/4R & 3/4S

Monday 13th – Labour Day Holiday

Wednesday 15th – Bulb orders are due back at school

Wednesday 15th – Buildings & Grounds meeting 5:45pm

Thursday 16th – Education Committee meeting 3:30pm

Friday 17th – SRC Casual Clothes Day

Friday 17th - Assembly 2:30pm hosted by grade 1/2C

Tuesday 21st – School Council 6:45pm

Friday 24th – Assembly 2:30pm hosted by grade 6T

Friday 31st – Last day of term 1 2:15pm dismissal

Friday 31st - YCDI assembly

APRIL

Tuesday 18th - Term 2 begins

Saturday 22nd – Euroa's Humungous Garage Sale 10am – 1pm

ASSEMBLY tomorrow will be hosted by grades 3/4R and 3/4S in the Schoolhouse at 2.30pm

JUNIOR SCHOOL

Angela, Kylie and Kim

Thank you to all the parents who attended the Junior school information night and the Parent teacher interviews. It was fantastic to meet everyone, see new faces and some regulars. Reminder if you have any other concerns or would just like to talk to your child's teacher about anything, please book a time to come see the teacher through the office or by talking to them one on one.

Public Holiday – Monday the 13th of March is a public holiday. No students are to come to school.

Hotdogs – All hotdog orders and money are to be returned by tomorrow, for a special hotdog lunch on Wednesday the 15th of March.

Internet – Can all parents and students please return their internet agreement form.

Foundations - Wednesday the 15th all foundation students are to come to school for the whole day.

BULB FUNDRAISER — orders are due back by Wednesday 15th March.



Just a reminder that orders are due back at school next Wednesday. This fundraiser is a good opportunity to purchase an extensive array of bulbs at very reasonable prices. Invite your friends and family to place orders also.

HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION (HPE)

Jayde Burden

Congratulations to all our regional swimmers who competed in Shepparton yesterday. It was a huge achievement to make it to that level and you have all represented our school with great honour.

This week in Health, students have wrapped up their SunSmart learning and some have begun to learn about aspects of community health. The F/1s have explored who is available around our community to help them, while some grade 5 and 6 students have begun to explore what health messages and initiatives they have come across in public. In PE, our 3/4 students have investigated bouncing and catching techniques, while our grade 1/2 students have rehearsed and furthered their throwing skills.

I have been most impressed by the students having a go at all the activities and trying their best. Even in these dry and hot conditions, it has been fantastic to see the effort that has been continuously demonstrated- Well Done!





Kim, Monique, Amy, Maddi, Deb and Deanne

SENIOR SCHOOL

<u>REGIONAL SPORTS:</u> WOWEE! What a magnificent day for our Regional Swimming Representatives yesterday in Shepparton. All 8 of our students were champions of good sportsmanship and gave their all in each of their events: Harrison Mills, Rachael Buerckner, Ellie Bott, Cohen Paul, Harrison Douglas, Mitchell Walters, Darby Wilson & Arron Mackrell.

We congratulate and celebrate the success of our students whom made the finals at this elite level:

Harrison Mills - 2nd Butterfly & 3rd Freestyle

Rachael Buerckner - 4th Butterfly

Ellie Bott - 7th Backstroke

Cohen Paul - 2nd Breastroke

Harrison Douglas - 7th Breastroke

Mitchell Walters, Cohen Paul, Darby Wilson & Arron Mackrell – 4th Freestyle Relay.

<u>PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS:</u> It was terrific to meet with all of our families on Monday afternoon to catch up, chat and share information. We encourage any families who were unable to attend to please, please, make an appointment with your child's teacher.

TISSUES: Could all families please donate a box of tissues to their child's classroom? Thanks!

<u>INTERNET/EMAIL ACCEPTABLE USE AGREEMENT:</u> Mrs Crosbie has sent home this important document to most classes. Has your child returned their signed permission forms? If not please do so tomorrow.

<u>YEAR 6 SCHOOL SHIRTS:</u> Have arrived and look FANTASTIC! A big thank you to Miss Tuppen for her organisation.

<u>HOT DOG DAY:</u> Next Wednesday our grade 6 students who are travelling to Japan later in the year are hosting a HOT DOG day to help raise funds! Students across the school have been issued with a slip to indicate if they would like to order a hot dog and a prima all for a bargain of <u>\$4.</u>

Students must return their slip tomorrow so the orders can be made.

<u>COLOUR DAY:</u> Next Friday 17th our nine grade 6 student leaders are hosting a whole school out of uniform day to raise money for YOUNG LEADERS DAY. Students from grades F to 6 are encouraged to dress up in their favourite colour or colours and bring a gold coin to help support our great leaders to travel to Melbourne later this term.



EASTER RAFFLE FUNDRAISER a book of tickets and explanatory note has been sent home with the eldest child in the family today. Please look out for these.

VISUAL ART Pauline Fraser

This week we were inspired by a book called *The Hunted Whale* by James McGuane; a spectacular photographic exploration of American whaling in the age of sail. We looked at some amazing photos of the sperm whale's teeth, the skeleton as well as the fascinating art of scrimshaw the intricate carvings that whalers made on whale's teeth and small sculptures carved from whalebone.



Angus printing his incredible whale



Peta with her wonderful model of a boat, a girl and a teapot

Next week senior students will have the opportunity to experience the art of scrimshaw just like the early whalers. Of course, we will not be carving into whalebone, we will be using small plaster forms instead but the process will be very similar.



The *Scrimshaw* carving on a whale's tooth portrays a whaling ship with a whale tied to the side of the ship.

SCHOOL SPORT VICTORIA

"School Sport Victoria Team Vic State Team Trial Registrations are closing Friday 10 March 2017, for the following sports; Australian Football 12 Years and Under, Basketball 12 Years and Under, Football (Soccer) 12 Years and Under, Netball 12 Years and Under. Swimming and Volleyball have a different closing date.

You can find all the details via School Sport Victoria's website. http://www.ssv.vic.edu.au/team-vic "

YOU CAN DO IT

Organisation

Mikayla Waite 2/3R	Maddy Mace 2/3R	Emily Gall 2/3R
Lily Moffatt 2/3R	Zeke Mundy 2/3R	Lucas Argus 2/3R
Ashlea Antonis 2/3R	Elliot Firth 2/3R	Marnie Salter 2/3R

Persistence

Darby Wilson 6T	Delaney Spencer 6T	Gracey Chenhall 5/6K
Jeremiah Johnston 3/4R	Shelby Stevens 3/4R	Scarlett Trotter 3/4R
Mia Coles-Bormann 3/4R	Kortney Fruend 3/4R	Tyler Kipping 3/4R
Brendon Towers 3/4R	Danny Williams 3/4R	Alice Mooney 3/4R
Rhys Milburn 6T	Zac Johnson 6T	Heidi Smith 6T
Millie Watson 6T	Harrison Douglas 6T	Jordan Kipping 6T
Jack Williams 6T	Erin Hicks 6T	Annabel Gall 6T

Getting Along

Harry Morphet 5/6K	Charlie Hall 5/6K	Harry Morphet 5/6K
Ned Ivill 6T	Annabel Gall 6T	Jacob Sykes 6T

EUROA HARMONY DAY

A Taste of Harmony

Celebration of Cultural Diversity

Saturday 18th March 2017 10am - 12noon 3rd Age Club Bring a plate of bite sized taste of any culture and an artefact/flag from your culture

ALL WELCOME

Euroa Junior Football Netball Club

Under 12 Football

Coach: Lucas Paul

Training commences Wednesday 15th March

4:30-5:30pm

Memorial Oval, Euroa



Could you be a permanent care parent?

There are a number of children supported by the Department of Health & Human Services who require a *family for life* as they are unable to live with their birth families. We are seeking committed and motivated people who would be interested in learning more about providing a permanent family for a child.

Assistance payments are made to the Permanent Care family to assist with the day to day expenses of caring for a child/young person. Assistance payments are considered to be a reimbursement for expenses and not an earned income.

We are also keen to speak with families who are particularly interested in caring for children aged between 5 and 10 years.

Information sessions are being held on:

Tuesday 28th March 2017 at 6:00pm

Department of Health & Human Services

43-47 Rowan Street, Wangaratta



Thursday 30th March 2017 at 6:00pm

Department of Health & Human Services

163-167 Welsford Street, **Shepparton**

Bookings not essential. For further information please contact:

Adoption & Permanent Care Program 2: 5832 1500





COLOURFUL DAY

DATE: FRIDAY
12TH OF MARCH

PRIZES FOR
THE MOST
COLOURFUL
COSTUMES IN
THE SCHOOL.

PLEASE BRING
A GOLD COIN
DONATION SO
THE GRADE &
SRC CAN GO
TO
MELBOURNE

COME IN A SINGLE

COLOURED

COSTUME FOR THE

DAY OR MULTI
COLOURED





Euroa & District Netball Association

NetSetGo! and (Wednesday night) Junior Netball to commence the first week of Term 2 on Wednesday 19th April 2017

All registrations are to be completed online this year!
Registrations close on Friday, 24th March 2017

All abilities are catered for. Both boys and girls (Under 15 years) are most welcome.

If your child has ever participated in any netball please register as a return user. If you don't know their Netball ID or are having trouble locating it please contact Kim Kipping on 0429 380 220 or email kimkipping@gmail.com.

Please <u>DO NOT</u> register your child as a new user if they have ever played netball before!

If your child has NEVER participated in any netball before please register as a new user

If you have more than 1 child they must be registered separately using the appropriate link

Suncorp NetSetGo!

'Net' (Foundation & Grade 1) at 3.45pm and 'Set '(Grades 2 & 3) at 4.45pm on Wednesdays commencing 19th April 2017. 'Set' is available to Grade 4 students as well but please speak to Kylie **before** registering your child.

SUNCORP

\$70 Registration Cost: Includes Suncorp NetSetGo! Membership, Participant Pack & EDNA fee.

Please register online using the following link only for Suncorp NetSetGo! (Foundation & Grades 1, 2 & 3)

https://netball.resultsvault.com/common/pages/noauth/olregstart.aspx?type=6&entityid=39459&fl=1&id=26368

Wednesday Night Junior Netball

<u>If numbers allow</u> there will be the following competitions on Wednesdays, commencing the first week Term 2, the 19th April 2017. **Registrations close on Friday, 24th March 2017** to enable team selections etc. to be completed.

11 and Under (Grades 4 & 5) at 5.45pm for a 30mins training session followed by a game of 10minute quarters

14 and Under (Grade 6 and above) game at 7.15pm

\$70 registration cost: Includes \$51 Netball Victoria Membership & \$19 EDNA fee

Please register online using the following link only for Wednesday Night Junior Netball

(https://netball.resultsvault.com/common/pages/noauth/olregstart.aspx?type=1&entityid=39459&fl=1&id=31509

NB: If you have already registered your child elsewhere in 2017, it will ask that you pay the \$19 Association fee only.

If you have any queries please feel free to contact one of the following people. We are here to help you:

Kylie Moffatt on 0408 141 711 email: kylieosredkar@hotmail.com

Kim Kipping on 0429 380 220 email: kimkipping@gmail.com

Felicity Watson on 0431 963 126 email: watson.felicity.a@edumail.vic.gov.au

Lindy Meehan on 0402 862 315 email: lindy@mmkaccoiunting.biz







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