



NEWSLETTER

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Euroa Primary School

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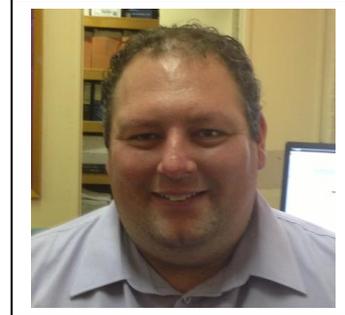
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ES WEEK



This week is Education Support (ES) Week where our ES staff are acknowledged and thanked for their hard work and commitment to our school. There was a special morning tea held in the staff room yesterday, where the ES staff were presented with some small gifts. The student leaders made a speech to acknowledge the great work that they do and presented them with a bag of special, symbolic items.

EFFORT UNITY RESPECT ORDER ACHIEVEMENT

ROSS'S REPORT

Our school will be having their Book Week Parade next Thursday 24th August. We will be including all classes from our school in the Parade, which will highlight some fabulous literacy work in our classrooms. The parade will commence at 9:15 on the turf, with students dressed up, banners on display and some students talking about their books. Once all groups have had their parade, we are going to take our parade to the Euroa Community. All classes will go on a walk around the town, visiting local businesses and institutions in our costumes with the banners on display. It is going to be a great way to celebrate Book Week.

This week we acknowledge the outstanding work that our Education Support staff complete at our school. Our team of ES staff consists of 10 members, and their work is extremely varied from day to day. The team play a huge part in the effective running of our school and contribute in many different ways. On behalf of all the staff and students, who benefit from this team, I thank all of the ES Staff for what they do. Thank you Joe, Kelly, Josh, Tammy, Gayle, Robbie, Jenny, Angie, Noelene and Jacki.

I was delighted to hear some positive reports from our first group of students who visited the GraniteHill Aged facility yesterday. Our senior students have been able to volunteer to participate in this program and were excellent ambassadors for our school. Our school values these strong links in our community.

DATES TO REMEMBER

AUGUST

Monday 21st – Friday 25th – Book Week

Monday 21st – Wednesday 23rd - Life Education

Thursday 24th – Book Week Parade at EPS 9:15am

Friday 25th – Junior School Street Stall

BOOK CLUB – new order forms have been sent home and orders need to be back at school by August 25th. Payment can be made by cash, cheque (made payable to Euroa Primary School) or online. Online payments need to be made before orders are sent to school.

Euroa Secondary College visit!

On *Wednesday 30th August*, Euroa Secondary College principal Harold Cheung and Year 7 & 8 Sub-School Leader Laura Hepburn will be visiting the Grade 6 students at Euroa Primary School between 2.00 – 2.30pm. This will be an opportunity for Laura and Harold to start to get to know ESC's Year 7 2018 students, and will also provide the students with an opportunity to ask any questions. Information packs will be handed out at this time, and Harold invites families to drop in and say hello or to come and ask any questions they may have. If you have any questions in the meantime, please don't hesitate to contact the College on 5795 2512 or to send Laura an email at hepburn.laura.l@edumail.vic.gov.au



JUNIOR SCHOOL

Angela, Kim and Kylie

Dinosaurs! The inquiry focus in the Junior School for the remainder of this term is dinosaurs! On Wednesday we were treated to a special visit from Kelsey who is an expert on all things about dinosaurs. Due to her special interest in dinosaurs she has built up a collection of dinosaur artefacts that she brought in to share with us.



Book Week Our Book Week parade is being held on Thursday the 24th of August. The parade will begin at school at 9:15, we will then venture down the main street of Euroa to share our wonderful costumes with the community. Please keep an eye out for permission slips for this event.

A reminder that the Junior School themes for Book Week are: The Very Hungry Caterpillar (F/1W) and the Fantastic Flying Books of Mr Morris Lessmore (1/2C and 2/3R).

Water Bottles Could you please make sure that your child has a labelled water bottle to bring to school with them each day. We have noticed that there are lots of dry coughs at the moment that a little sip of water can relieve. Having a water bottle on hand means less trips to the bubble taps resulting in an increase in learning time.

LIFE EDUCATION The Life Education Van will be visiting EPS next week. Could you please ensure that you have paid \$10 (in a clearly named and labelled envelope) for your child to attend. Also, if you are interested in attending the parent session on Tuesday could you please make sure that you have returned your parent expression of interest form.

Father's Day Stall and Raffle The plates for the baked goods for the Junior School Father's Day Stall are being sent home this Friday the 18th of August and need to be returned to school between 8:30 am and 8:55 am on Friday the 25th of August. There are still time slots that need to be filled for the cake stall. Please refer to the roster that is being sent home. Your assistance with filling these time slots is greatly appreciated.

The donations for the Father's Day raffle are looking fantastic! However, there is always room for more donations in our hamper. If you haven't yet had the opportunity to donate an item for the raffle there is still time to do so. Please send your donation either to the office or to your child's classroom teacher.

A GREAT BJG THANK YOU Thank you to all of the families that contributed to our grades 1/2C, 2/3R, 3/4R and 3/4S special celebration on Monday afternoon. A wonderful afternoon was had by all.

SENIOR SCHOOL

Kim, Amy, Monique, Deb, Maddi and Deanne

Book Week – We have had a change of date for our book character parade. We will now be celebrating Book Week on the 24th August. Please keep a look out in your child's bag for a note with more information.

The theme this year is "Escape to Everywhere". The books each grade are using are:

3/4S and 3/4R – Feathers for Phoebe - students are making a head dress at school and are encouraged to wear brightly coloured clothes, scarves, capes etc.

5/6K and 5/6D – The Lost Thing.

6T – The Wizard of Oz – if all else fails, come dressed as a green munchkin.

5/6 Camp Payments – Grade 5/6 camp payments are due by the 25th August please. If you are unsure of how much still owes please call the office and they will be able to help you out.

3/4 Camp Payments – Grade 3/4 camp notes were sent home this week, so if you have not already received one please check your child's bag. Payments can be made anytime now at the Office and should be finalised before the 1st of November if your child is attending camp.

Life Ed Van Payments – Next week we have the Life Ed Van visiting our school and students will be partaking in a lesson with Harold the Giraffe. Notes were sent home the other week in regards to a parent information session (free) as well as a \$10 fee per child to partake in their lesson. Please ensure your child/children has paid their fee to partake in this exciting lesson. Thank you to those who have promptly paid already.

GraniteHill – The first of 9 senior students (Ellie, Indi, Veronica, Zali, Lani, Darby, Cameron, Jesse and Jye) have visited GraniteHill yesterday. These students participated in an orientation and tour of the facility. They have met some of the residents and assisted in cupcake making. These students will visit one afternoon weekly for the next 3 weeks, partaking in various activities with the residents. The students proudly represented our school values and YCDI keys.

Senior Athletics – Our senior athletics has been postponed to Tuesday 22nd August due to the rain. A reminder for students to come dressed in their house colours as well as appropriate footwear to compete in various athletic events. Parents, guardians, relatives and friends are welcome to come and support the students in their events as well as help on the day if you wish. A huge thank you to Mrs Burden who has been busy organising this event to make sure it is a spectacular day for us all. We look forward to seeing all of our senior school show the school values and YCDI keys during this exciting day!

Farewell Party – A massive thankyou to those families who contributed to the farewell party for two of our 3/ 4 students who left our school this week. It was a wonderful celebration with their classmates and a sad farewell, as they will be missed.

HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION (HPE)

Jayde Burden

After having to postpone the Senior Athletics carnival Tuesday, I am really looking forwards to it being held next **Tuesday August 22nd**.

Physical Education has seen students continuing to practise for the athletics, while in Health students have started to explore the digestive system.

YOU CAN DO IT

Organisation

Scarlett Trotter 3/4R	Jacob Mace 3/4S	Harrison Mills 3/4S
Oakley Paul 3/4S	Tiarne White 3/4S	Tyler Kipping 3/4R
Harvey Bell 3/4R	Chloe Townsend 3/4R	Danny Williams 3/4R
Cassius McCall 3/4R	Shelby Stevens 3/4R	Annabel Gall 6T
Lani Hepworth 6T	Heidi Smith 6T	Millie Watson 6T
Ally Davidson 3/4R	Alice Mooney 3/4R	

Persistence

Gracey Chenhall 5/4K	Cassius McCall 3/4R	Tyler Kipping 3/4R x2
Brendan Towers 3/4R	Mia Coles-Bormann 3/4Rx5	Mikayla Waite 2/3R
Celeste Appleby F/1Wx2	Aiden Appleby F/1Wx2	Brooke Lurati F/1W
Elexia Williams F/1W	Jack Walters 3/4S	Peta Thomson 3/4R
Hailey Quast 3/4S		

Getting Along

Matilda Kubeil 2/3R

Confidence

Amelie Firth 5/6K	Shelby Stevens 3/4R	Cassius McCall 3/4R
Cameron Mackrell 3/4R		

VISUAL ART

Pauline Fraser

We are still working on our Still Life theme focussing on flowers in vases inspired by Australian artist- Margaret Preston, Dutch artist- Vincent van Gogh and British artist- David Hockney. Students are using overlays of tissue paper, thick acrylic paint, styrene printing, pastel painting and drawing. We have discussed ways artists create different background and have been trying out these ideas. Some beautiful artworks are on display in our school Art room and in the office foyer.



Work on the wall panel outside the multi-purpose room is progressing well.

* We need lots of eggcartons to put our paint in if you can help out please.

BOOK WEEK 2017



...It's next week!

Each class is in super preparation mode in readiness for our annual parade with each class now having outlined costume ideas to assist families.

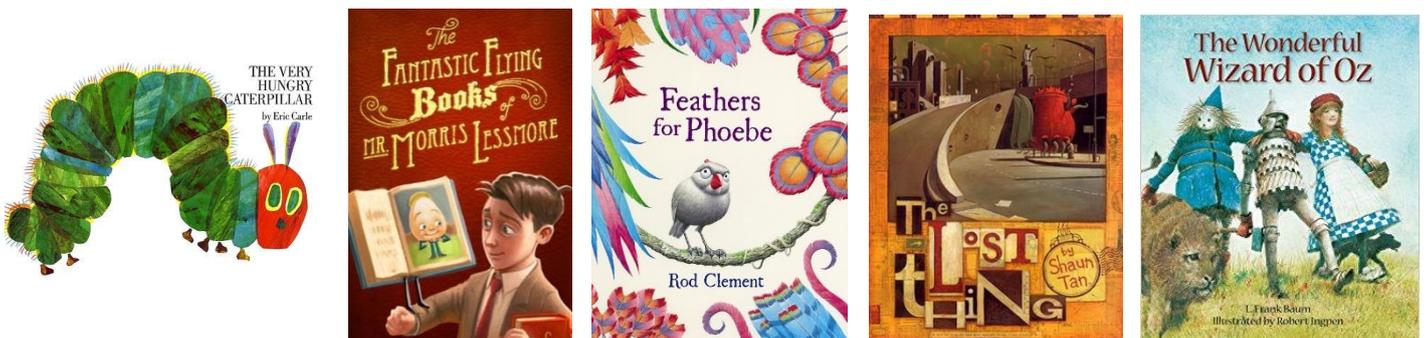
Please note: CHANGE of PLANS:

The parade will commence here at EPS at 9:15am on Thursday on the turf. Class groups will unfurl their banners, share their books and authors before proceeding to Binney Street and beyond sharing our displays with the wider community.

We invite one and all to join us and share in the delight of books and reading.

- F/1W: **The Very Hungry Caterpillar** by Eric Carle
- 1/2C & 2/3R: **The Fantastic Flying Books of Mr. Morris Lessmore** by WE Joyce
- 3/4R & 3/4S: **Feathers for Phoebe** by Rod Clement
- 5/6D & 5/6K: **The Lost Thing** by Shaun Tan
- 6T: **The Wonderful Wizard of Oz** by Frank L Baum

Thanking you,
Deb Dingwall



What's On - Strathbogie Shire

Keep up to date with events, markets, cinema and activities in the townships of Euroa, Nagambie, Violet Town, Avenel, Longwood, Strathbogie, Ruffy and Graytown.



Monday 14th– Sunday 20th August

Friday 18th 9.30am-2.30pm: Australian Hearing check clinic at High St parking bay Nagambie.

Friday 18th 9am-3pm: Cattle Council of Australia Biosecurity Awareness Workshop at Euroa Flour Mill. 1300 020 163 for bookings.

Friday 18th 11am: Nagambie Community Office Grand Opening at Shop 1/263 High St Nagambie. RSVP 5794 2565

Friday 18th 7.30pm: St Dunstan's film night screening *The Red Violin* 1998 [R] High St Violet Town. Can bring & share meal at 6.15pm.

Friday 18th 8pm: Euroa Community Cinema screens *Things to Come* [M] (subtitles). Tickets \$10.

Saturday 19th 9am-1pm: Euroa Village Farmers Market at Kirkland Avenue.

Saturday 19th August 8am-3pm: Volunteers needed for Boomerang Bag making at The Third Age Club Euroa. To get involved: 0403 309 502

Saturday 19th August 7.30pm: Sammy Owen Blues Band performing live at Under the Sun Café Strathbogie. Bookings essential: 0490 774 070.

Saturday 19th 7.30pm: Euroa Football Netball Club OKTOBERFEST celebration at Memorial Oval Clubrooms. Contact clubrooms.

Saturday 19th 8pm & Sunday 20th 4pm: Euroa Community Cinema screens *20th Century Women* [M]. Tickets \$10.

Saturday 19th & Sunday 20th 10am– 4pm: Ministry of Chocolate's Annual Chocolate Festival at Mitchelton Wines, Nagambie. Free entry.

Saturday 19th & Sunday 20th 12.30-2.30pm: Goulburn Explorer River Cruises to the Mitchelton Chocolate Festival. Bookings essential: 03 5794 2373

Monday 21st– Sunday 27th August

Thursday 24th August 6.30pm: Nagambie Football Netball Club Sportsmans Dinner at Mitchelton Wines. Tickets \$100. Bookings 5736 2222.

Friday 25th 6-10pm: Under 18s Bluelight Disco at Violet Town Football Netball Club, Tulip St. \$5 entry. Bus from Euroa & Benalla.

Friday 25th 4.30pm: Euroa and surrounds Youth Mental Health Group Meeting at Euroa Library.

Saturday 26th 11am-2pm: Introductory Forums for new & part time landholders at Old Flour Mill Gallery 17 Kirkland Avenue. Registrations to strathbogierangescmn@gmail.com

Saturday 26th August 10.30am-12.30pm: Strathbogie Shire Solar Bulk Buy info session at Violet Town Community Complex, 35 Cowslip St. Free entry. Registrations on trybooking on Shire website

Saturday 26th 8pm & Sunday 27th August 4pm: Euroa Community Cinema screens *Chicken People* [PG]. Tickets \$10.

Sunday 27th August 9am-1pm: Nagambie Farmers Market on High St.

Sunday 27th lunchtime: Annual Stingray Run will stop in at Seven Creeks Hotel Tarcombe St Euroa for lunch.

Sunday 27th 11am-3pm: Miniature Railway Rides on corner of Turnbull & Hunter St Euroa. Rides \$2 each. Sausage sizzle & drinks available.

Sunday 27th 1.30-3.30pm: Sundy by the Sevens with Greg Dudley in Euroa Third Age Clubrooms

For more info, visit:
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