

NEWSLETTER

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SCHOOL FETE



The School Fete was held last Friday with a successful twilight session being held for the first time. A large number of families and community members enjoyed a wonderful night with a happy, positive atmosphere on display. There were many different highlights, with a large number of stalls and delicious food on offer for everyone to enjoy.

EFFORT UNITY RESPECT ORDER ACHIEVEMENT

ROSS'S REPORT

What an amazing fete we had last Friday evening. I was so proud of the great event that was put on by our school community. The event was a huge success thanks to the large amount of effort put in by parents, community members and staff. The positive feel that was on display was brilliant and I thoroughly enjoyed being part of the evening. I even had time for a round of mini golf as the Fete drew to a close and I certainly found it to be rather challenging! I would like to thank all of the staff, parents and grandparents who gave up their time to assist on



the day of the Fete. I would also like to thank the Euroa Lions' Club who provided all of the volunteer labour to run the BBQ. Their assistance, along with our fabulous school community made the evening run smoothly.

I would like to wish the best of luck to the students who are singing on Sunday with the Opera Scholars Australia group. The students will be performing a song with these singers and they have been practicing hard over the last few weeks. I am sure they will do a fabulous job.



Congratulations to the students who represented the school so well at Division Athletics last week. There were many personal bests achieved. I was delighted to hear that 22 students have qualified for Regional level at Albury tomorrow. I wish them the best of luck.

DATES TO REMEMBER

OCTOBER

Friday 20th – Regional Athletics Albury

Tuesday 24th – 5/6 production "Bollywood"

Wednesday 25th – 5/6 production "Bollywood"

Thursday 26th – 5/6 production "Bollywood" 1:45pm & 7:30pm

Euroa Community Cinema

Friday 27th – Kinder transition 9am – 10.30am

NOVEMBER

Wednesday 1st – Saleyards Canteen

Friday 3rd – Prep transition 9am – 11am

Tuesday 7th – Melbourne Cup Public Holiday

Thursday 9th – Grade 5/6 Milo T20 – Seymour

Friday 10th – Prep transition 9am – 12noon

Fundraising – Next Sunday we will be catering for afternoon tea at the Opera Scholars Australia performance. We would welcome any donations of slices. If you can help out please see Jacki at the office.

JUNIOR SCHOOL

Angela, Kim and Kylie

THATIH YOU to all parents and grandparents for their amazing donations and help with the fete. It was an amazing evening with many hours put into it from the staff and families to bring it all together. We had a great time.

The weather is getting hot again, so please make sure all students have their *hat* at school, wear *sunscreen* and bring a *drink lattle* of water to school every day.

kinder transition starts next Friday the 27th of October for all new 2018-foundation students.

Junior school excursion notices have been sent home or will be coming home soon for the Foundations' excursion to **Melbourne Zoo** and the grade 1/2 excursion to **Healesville Sanctuary**.

The grade 5/6 production of **BOLLYWOOD** is on next Thursday. Permission notes will be sent home at the end of this week. There is no cost for students to attend the production.

Reading eggs and **Mathletics** (Grade 1/2/3s) is still underway. It is a great learning tool that can be used at home on the computer, with regular tasks set by the teacher as homework. If your child has lost their password and username please contact their teacher.

HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION (HPE)

Jayde Burden

Congratulations to the 29 students who represented E.P.S last Friday in Epping. It was a wonderful day that provided students with a fantastic level of competition. I was so pleased to see the students represent our school with such honour and pride. What an achievement and credit to our school that 22 students progressed onto regionals (with 18 of those bringing home the highly desired blue ribbon!). An extra well done and good luck to the 22 students who will compete in Albury tomorrow.

This week in HPE the grade 5/6s have enjoyed the practical Bike Education sessions. The Foundation students have learnt about how to be a safe pedestrian and enjoyed participating in 'Huff n Puff' circuits along with the grade 1 and 2s. While all of this has been happening, the grade 3/4s have enjoyed a bat tennis. The weather is starting to warm up so please ensure that your child is remaining hydrated.

Kindergarten Transition

A reminder that the kindergarten transition program starts next Friday the 27th of October in the F/1 W classroom. The first session starts at 9:00 a.m. until 10:30 a.m. The kinder students will spend the session with Miss White whilst the parents can attend a brief discussion in the staffroom with Mrs. Jager and Mrs. Penman. If you know of any families wishing to enrol their children for 2018 please ask them to contact the school office prior to next Friday.

Angela White

Foundation/ Year one classroom teacher

Kim, Monique, Amy, Deb, Maddi and Deanne

SENIOR SCHOOL

Fete – A very big thank you to Euroa Timber Yard for their kind donation of wood for our mini golf course.

Thank you to the green thumbs who donated plants for our plants stall.

Many thanks for the items donated for the white elephant stall.

And of course, thank you to all the families and friends who helped out on the night and came along and joined in the fun. It was a fantastic night and we could not have done it without you.

Bollywood –Students in grade 5/6 will be performing their annual school production next week (Thursday). We would like to invite all of our school and wider community to attend the performance. There will be 2 performances: 1.45pm and 7.45pm. Entry is \$2. Come and join us and experience the fun of BOLLYWOOD!!

Athletics – Last week at Epping we had 29 students participate in the athletics sports. Well done to all for doing their best and proudly representing Euroa Primary School. Tomorrow, 22 students will attend the Regional Sports day and represent our school. Congratulations and good luck to all for tomorrow.

3/4 Camp – This week we sent home a medical information form. These need to be completed and returned ASAP please. If your child's medical needs change between now and camp, a new form can be provided.

Last week we sent home a form requesting details of any food requirements that your child may have for camp. If you have not yet returned these we ask that you return the form ASAP please.

We will send home a list of equipment needed for camp next week.

Payments for camp are due by the 1st November. If you are having trouble making payments, please see the office staff. Our goal is to have every child attend camp as the experiences on camp are extremely valuable to student learning.

Should you have any questions about camp, please feel free to email Ms Shannon at shannon.amy.a@edumail.vic.gov.au, or drop in and speak to her before or after school.

BOOK CLUB - New order forms have been sent home and are due back by Thursday 26th October. Payment can be made by cash, cheque of credit card. Cheques should be made payable to Euroa Primary School (more than one order can be included on the one cheque) and credit card payment needs to be made online before orders are sent to school.

VISUAL ART Pauline Fraser

Students from grades 5/6D and 5/6K have commenced work on the wall panel outside the Art room. The design of the wall mural is *My Street*; the theme we are working on for the next few weeks. Ben and Charlie have created a complex of roads and streets using paint rollers. What we are attempting is a bit technically tricky as the students are actually printing on the wall panel with styrene cut outs of buildings, houses and cars they have created. The overall design will include painting and drawing. We hope to have it completed in a few weeks.





Printing and designing roads and streets

Inking up the styrene cut-outs using rollers and block printing ink



Students in grade 3/4 R are working on very large sheets of card designing artworks about *My Street.* They can choose to create small three-dimensional buildings with boxes, use corrugated card, different paper, wire, beads, paint or draw with textas.

OPERA SCHOLARS AUSTRALIA

Opera Scholars Australia will perform at the Euroa Cinema this Sun 22nd Oct at 2.00pm. Tickets are \$20 adults and \$10 children and can be purchased at The Hub. This will be a fantastic musical experience by Australia's up and coming Opera singers. Ten EPS students - Lucas and Ariana Argus, Jeremiah Johnston, Ally and Georgie Davidson, Marnie and Chloe Salter, Zali Greasley, Ethan and Kai Henson and 2 Peranbin (Strathbogie) students Sonny and Alina Lester will be performing one piece with the Opera Scholars. All of these children performed at Opera in the Alps in January and have worked very hard to perfect their piece.



EUROA PRIMARY SCHOOL Year 5/6 Students present





Thursday October 26th, 2017 Euroa Community Cinema, Bury St. 1:45pm & 7:30pm \$2 entry per person

Euroa Cricket Club Under 12 competition



Friday Night U/12 cricket is getting ready to commence. Any children who have not signed up yet and are keen to have a go at Under 12 cricket on a Friday night please call Katie on 0427 875 982 or Scott on 0407 888 416 or collect a form from Petrostar in Binney Street or Mrs

Crosbie. You must be 8 by the 1/09/2017. A great social night for all the family.

Come to the Euroa Show on Saturday 28 October and Horse Events on Sunday 29 October

Something for everyone – delicious food, local wines and all the fun of the fair!

The Wild Action Team and TV Zoologist Chris Humphrey will be presenting three exciting stage shows at this year's Euroa Show on Saturday 28 October! They are set to WOW the crowd with their amazing animal family. As well as The Wild Action Show, enjoy the fun and action-packed Young Farmers' Challenge, a Hay Bale Maze, vintage farm machinery and a range of free children's activities to complement the already popular traditional attractions. Don't miss out on the staging the second Scarecrow People's Choice Award – come and vote for your scarecrow!

Make sure you experience the excitement of the Yard Dogs and Horse Harness events, the shearing, stud cattle competition, sheep, poultry, the hands-on delight of the animal nursery and the championship breeds dog show as well as the art and craft in the pavilion.

See you there!





