



# NEWSLETTER

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## Euroa Primary School

**Principal: Mr Ross Davis**

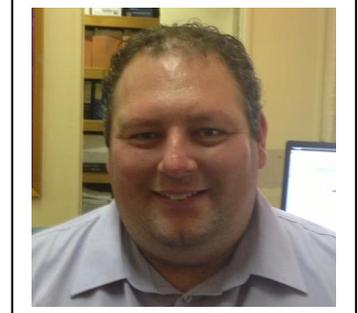
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### THANK YOU MORNING TEA



On Tuesday morning, the staff and students were able to show their appreciation towards all of our volunteers by providing a morning tea. Over 80 invitations were sent out to individuals and organisations, which shows the incredible support the school receives from the Euroa community. The School Captains made a lovely speech highlighting the fact that Euroa Primary School wouldn't be as incredible as it is, without our wonderful volunteers.

**EFFORT UNITY RESPECT ORDER ACHIEVEMENT**

## **ROSS'S REPORT**

All classes are in full preparation mode for our annual concert which will be held on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December. The concert features every student in the school with all classes performing an act on the night. The evening commences at 6pm with a BYO picnic on the turf. At 7:00, the Concert will start, with the event held outdoors. There will be some short speeches, grade performances and awards presented throughout the night. It is great that parents, grandparents, families and friends are able to come along and enjoy the night, and with every child performing, we hope to see everyone there.

Some of our senior students are participating in "Hands on Learning". A combined initiative between Secondary College and our school has the students engaging in school and their learning with hands on building the projects. The students are thoroughly enjoying the program and are looking forward to branching out into the local area with some community based projects.



The staff had a productive Curriculum Day with lots of learning yesterday. The teachers worked with Megan Dredge. Presentations on being an all star teacher, classroom management and effective communication were very well received by all teachers and gave us some practical ideas to work on. These learning days are very valuable for our staff team.

### **DATES TO REMEMBER**

#### **DECEMBER**

- Friday 8th**– Foundations Zoo excursion
- Monday 11<sup>th</sup>** – ESC Transition Day Grade 6
- Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup>** – Statewide Transition Day
- Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup>** – Grade 6 Graduation
- Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup>** – Saleyards canteen
- Thursday 14<sup>th</sup>** – End of Year Concert
- Thursday 21st** – Grade 6 'Big Day Out'
- Friday 22<sup>nd</sup>** – Last day Term 4

## JUNIOR SCHOOL

Angela, Kim and Kylie

- Next Tuesday the 12<sup>th</sup> of December is the Statewide Transition Day. Students will move to their potential class for 2018 and work with their new teacher for the day.
- The school concert is on next Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December. Families can bring along their own picnic dinner and sit on the green turf area to eat and socialise with other families. The concert will commence at 7:00 p.m., each class will be presenting an item and a variety of school awards will be presented.  
F/1W will be performing 'Santa Claus is coming' – students are required to be dressed in red or green clothes.  
1/2C will be performing 'Wriggly Wriggly Christmas' – students are required to be dressed in Christmas clothes.  
2/3R will be performing 'Shine Together' – students are required to be dressed in black or dark coloured clothing.
- This week 2/3R have been writing persuasive texts and exploring multiplication.  
1/2C have been working on adding time.  
F/1W have been counting groups of money.
- Some students received their final 2017 Individual Learning Plan and/or their Behavioural plan this week. If you received yours please read it carefully and then sign and return the copy to your child's classroom teacher.

## YOU CAN DO IT

### *Organisation*

Lily Moffatt 2/3R	Aaron VanDenBerghe 2/3R	Lucas Argus 2/3R
Axel Chenhall 2/3R		

### Persistence

Jessie Sloan F/1W	Jethro Dolphin F/1W	Austinn Moffatt 1/2C x3
Jordan Kipping 6T	Millie Watson 6T	

### Confidence

Shelby Stevens 3/4R
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### Resilience

Levi Hays 1/2C	Oliver Wilson 1/2C
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## SENIOR SCHOOL

Kim, Amy, Monique, Deb, Maddi and Deanne

### DATES TO JOT DOWN:

The end of the school year is fast approaching yet there are so many events on the go. Please make a note of the following...

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| Monday December 11 <sup>th</sup>    | - Year 6 Transition Day at ESC                    |
| Tuesday December 12 <sup>th</sup>   | - Statewide Transition Day<br>- Year 6 Graduation |
| Thursday December 14 <sup>th</sup>  | - SCHOOL CONCERT                                  |
| Wednesday December 20 <sup>th</sup> | - Year 5/6 Violet Town Pool Excursion             |
| Thursday December 14 <sup>th</sup>  | - Mr. D's BIG DAY OUT                             |

### 2018 SCHOOL CAPTAIN SPEECHES:

Well done on all the year 5 students who gave a speech for the school captains positions. All contenders spoke extremely well and showed great confidence in why they should be a school leader. 8 Students out of the 18 are now preparing for interviews and the school captains for 2018 will be announced at the school concert. It was incredibly pleasing to have 18 students willing to step out of their comfort zone to show their leadership skills in front of their peers. Again, well done to all contenders and good luck to the 8 in their interviews.

### YEAR 6 GRADUATION:

Details of this celebratory evening have been sent home. Payments need to be made by Monday at the latest. Thank you to those who have already paid, returned the note and passed on photos of their child to Miss Tuppen. For those who haven't already passed on photos could you please do so ASAP by emailing them to [tuppen.deanne.k@edumail.vic.gov.au](mailto:tuppen.deanne.k@edumail.vic.gov.au) or giving photos to the office to be scanned.

We look forward to sharing in this special evening with all of our students and parents.

### SCHOOL CONCERT:

With the school concert fast approaching below is what your child/children will be wearing on the night:

3/4 R: Please ask your child as they have been allocated a certain character.

3/4 S: Please ask you child as they have been allocated a certain group to dress as (a person or duck).

5/6 K & D: All black

6T: Denim bottoms (jeans or shorts), boots (any kind) and flannel top.

Any questions please don't hesitate to contact you child's teacher. We thank you for helping us in creating a wonderful evening.

## HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION (HPE)

Jayde Burden

This week students have enjoyed playing modified versions of cricket and Soccer. As we are winding up to the end of term it is great to be playing a variety of games with students and witnessing their growth in skills and game sense that has occurred throughout the year.

## VISUAL ART

Pauline Fraser

Students are enjoying their last few weeks in the art room where they have the opportunity to select from a variety of organised activities, which include, sewing with felt, wire jewellery and decorations, paper sculptured Christmas boxes, Pop-up cards, papier Mache and drawing.



Amelie sewing with felt



Georgie preparing her styrene



Cameron twisting wire



Cassius creating a sewn felt Santa with Kortney who created a sewn present



Jacob and Harrison with their sewing

## GraniteHill Visits

Jenny Jager

Congratulations Sienna, Maison, Delaney, Lucas, Bailey, Georgie, Will, Kusuma and Kierley on completing their visits to GraniteHill. Our visit this week consisted of decorating a Christmas tree for the residents, singing some Christmas carols and having a chat while having afternoon tea.

Our visits to GraniteHill are now complete for this year.

I would like to acknowledge all our students who have participated in the program this year and the amazing job they have done not only representing Euroa Primary School in the wider community but also for their gentle, compassionate manner towards the residents. I know our visits have brightened the days of many and something some residents look very forward to.

I would also like to thank teachers Ms Dingwall, Miss K and Miss Tuppen on also giving up their class time sometimes to escort our students to GraniteHill.



### **Grade 6s attending Euroa Secondary College next year**

Thank you to all the Grade 6s attending Euroa Secondary College next year that have sent their transition paperwork in to ESC's General Office. Can you please check that you have returned your camp intention form and deposit as we need to finalise this no later than Monday 11<sup>th</sup> December.

ESC's office hours are 8.30am-4.30pm Monday to Thursday and 8.30-4pm on Friday.

Paperwork can be dropped off at any time during these hours, and students can also try on uniform during this time.

Any questions, please don't hesitate to contact the College on 5795 2512 or email [street.janet.l@edumail.vic.gov.au](mailto:street.janet.l@edumail.vic.gov.au)

# **WELFARE CHRISTMAS HAMPER FUNDRAISER**

A raffle to raise funds to support our Welfare Program for 2018.

Our school provides three breakfasts a week and on average 12 lunches and play lunches a week to students for various reasons.

Our Breakfast Club relies heavily on donations from our school and wider community but our funds only go so far.

Please support our Christmas raffle that will be drawn the night of our school concert.

We ask every family to donate a non-perishable food item or Xmas related item to go into making up a Christmas hamper.

Suggested items could be; decorations, serviettes, chocolates, candles...etc. Basically anything you would love to have on your Christmas day festivities.....

All donations can be left at the office or given to Jenny Jager. We appreciate your support!

Raffle tickets will be sold at the office and on the night of the school concert.

We thank you for supporting the children of Euroa Primary School





# Carols by Candlelight

Presented by Euroa Citizens Band

**7.30pm | Saturday 23 December 2017**

**Seven Creeks Park** near Burtons Bridge

Alternative wet weather venue:

**Mercy Centre, Anderson St, Euroa**

Featuring

**Euroa Citizens Band**    **Strathbogie Singers**

**Gayle Mawson**    **Second Voice**

**Rebecca Threlfall**    **Euroa Ukulele Group**

**and Santa!**

BBQ supplied by Euroa Lions Club

## SOMETHING FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY THIS SCHOOL HOLIDAYS AT THE EUROA COMMUNITY CINEMA



The Little Mermaid  
10th January



UP!  
17th January



Robin Hood  
24th January

### School Holiday Classics

Wednesdays at 2pm

Tickets \$5 each

Kids under school age - free

### Weekend Screenings

Saturday at 8pm & Sunday at 4pm

Tickets \$10 each

Kids under school age - free

Star Wars: The Last Jedi  
13th & 14th January



Ferdinand  
Fri 19th Jan at 6:30pm  
& Sat 20th Jan at 4pm



Wonder  
27th & 28th January



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Bury St, Euroa  
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IT'S DISCO  
TIME



***Euroa Cricket Club***  
are welcoming all  
children, Primary  
School age up to  
under 14, to a  
**DISCO** at the  
Memorial Oval on  
Friday the 8<sup>th</sup> of  
December.

Entry **\$10** a child.

Family of 3 or  
more children,  
**\$25.**



What time you may  
ask.

7:30 to 9:30pm



Music by Evolve

Supervised

### **We rework Linocuts**

Monday 22 January

Workshop 1: 10am - 12pm

For children aged 5-12

\$20 members \$22 non-members

Workshop 2: 2-4pm

Teens and adults

\$20 members \$22 non-members

With artist **Jazmina Chiffoos**

Inspired by *Enter the Lair*, our family interactive exhibition, we are offering two workshops - one for adults and teens, and one for children. Artist Jazmina Chiffoos will teach participants the basics of linocut printing while exploring the fantasy world of the werewolf.

Image: Jazmina Chiffoos. *Melodrama* was a true marvel in her day 2011. redbull.com.au



### **Impressionist Landscapes**

Wednesday 24 January 10-11am

For children aged 8-12

\$10 members \$12 non-members

With **Nicolette Pace**

Children will take easels outside by the lake and using acrylics they will experiment with colour in the style of the Impressionists to paint the local landscape.

Image: Claude Monet. *Cliff Walk at Pourville 1882*. oil on canvas



### **Magical Tree Sculpture**

Thursday 25 January 10-11.30am

Ages 5 - 12

\$10 members \$12 non-members

With **Nicolette Pace**

Inspired by the artworks in our current exhibition *The Botany of Desire* and the gardens surrounding the Gallery, children will experiment with wire, mudroc and other materials to create magical trees and other objects based on the natural world.



# BENALLA ART GALLERY HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS



## SUMMER 2018

# BENALLA ART GALLERY

BENALLA



RURAL CITY

CREATIVE VICTORIA

**BENALLA ART GALLERY**

Botanical Gardens

Bridge Street, Benalla, VIC 3672

OPEN 10am - 5pm (closed Tuesdays)

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