



# NEWSLETTER

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## DISTRICT ATHLETICS



A strong team of 40 students participated in District Athletics last week. The weather was beautiful as our students tried their hardest and cheered each other on. We now have a large team of students who have qualified for the Division level Championships which will be held in Epping in term 4.

**EFFORT UNITY RESPECT ORDER ACHIEVE**

## ROSS'S REPORT



I was extremely proud of our students who travelled to Shepparton for the District Athletics last week. It was great to see so many ribbons won, but more importantly, it was the smiles on our children's faces and the effort that they demonstrated which was even more satisfying. It was disappointing that the relays couldn't be run in Shepparton, but again our students bounced back, and ran really well in Nagambie on Tuesday. The parent and family support was incredible, as it always is, and I thank our mums, dads and grandparents for their great support.

I look forward to seeing many of you at our Annual Footy Breakfast tomorrow morning. The staff will be preparing sausage, bacon and eggs for breakfast, with fruit juice. It is always a fun morning with a great atmosphere.

One of the highlights of my day is always when students come to my office to share the work they are doing. It is even more of a highlight when they bring me food! I enjoyed chatting to Spencer and Blake yesterday who brought me some of their freshly baked bread! The students had been reading *The Little Red Hen*, and F/1A made the connection by baking their own bread. By the way, it was delicious!

I hope everyone enjoys the holidays. It has been another great term and I look forward to seeing you all on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> October.



### DATES TO REMEMBER

#### SEPTEMBER

**Friday 21<sup>st</sup>** – Last day of Term 2 - 2.15pm dismissal

#### OCTOBER

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup>** – Saleyards Canteen

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup>** – 1<sup>st</sup> day Term 4

**Thursday 11<sup>th</sup>** – Divisional Athletics at Epping

**Saturday 13<sup>th</sup>- Sunday 21<sup>st</sup>** – Japan trip

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup>** – Bike Hike @ Bright

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup>, Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> & Thursday 25<sup>th</sup>** - 5/6 Production

**SCHOOL BANKING** – please note School Banking will commence for Term 4 on Tuesday, October 16<sup>th</sup>.

#### **Junior Athletics:**

Thank you to all the students for their participation in the Junior Athletics which was held today. It was a great day of fun and learning! An extra thank you to all of the wonderful families and friends who came down to support the carnival and assisted in costume preparations. This is a really enjoyable day for our junior students and required a great amount of teamwork to make it the huge success it was.

#### **Walk to School:**

Just a reminder that the Walk to School program will begin on the 8<sup>th</sup> of October. Students will record their walking on a poster which will be located in their classroom. I greatly appreciate your support in this wonderful program and can't wait to see how students achieve their goals of reaching 30 minutes of physical activity daily.

# FAMILY FOOTBALL

**Date: TOMORROW**

**Time: 8.15am—9.00am**

**Cost: Gold coin donation**

**Dress: Wear your footy colours**

**Activities: Footy activities by SRC**



**Money raised will be donated to State Schools Relief. This is a worthy cause which supply uniforms and shoes for many Victorian children in need.**

## YOU CAN DO IT

### Getting Along

Charlotte Boulton F/1C	Haimi Wolfenden F/1C
Charlotte Bell 2/3W	Georgia Mackrell 2/3W
Ruby Preston F/1C	Thomas Clarke-Bagnall F/1A
Chaise Howard F/1A	Manpreet Manpreet 5/6S

### Confidence

Charlotte Bell 2/3W	Aya Ferguson F/1C
Darcy-Lee Hays F/1C	Kayden Martin F/1C

### Persistence

Macey Kubeil F/1A	
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### Resilience

Ruby-Rose Doolan F/1C	Eleck Sibanda F/1A
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### Organisation

Riley Cunningham F/1C	Darcy-Lee Hays F/1C
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## DIVISION ATHLETICS

Last Thursday students travelled to Shepparton to compete in the District Athletics Carnival. The day was filled with much success, and although running out of time to complete the relay events it was wonderful to see all the students from our school apply their best efforts throughout the day. Thank you especially to those extra patient students who then travelled again to Nagambie on Tuesday to compete in the Relay events and to all the families for your understanding and cooperation.

Congratulations to the following students who have qualified to compete at the Ranges Division Athletics Carnival to be held in Epping on Thursday the 11<sup>th</sup> of October:

Millie D, Leila C, Chloe S, Oscar G, Blake H, Danny W, Harrison M, Jye D, Ellie B, Ruby W, Will C, Cohen P, Baxter F, Mitchell W, Mitchell R, Scarlett T, Marnie S, Oakley P, Archie W, Jack W, Matilda K, Brendan T, Koby K, Ben C and Oliver W.

**LUNCHTIME ACTIVITIES** - This term at lunchtime activities students had the chance to participate in a STEM activity. They were challenged to build a Marble Run. 4 groups of students completed the challenge. Pictured are 2 groups with their completed work.



*Addison and Lucas*



*Scarlett and Allora*

o Learn to juggle  
o Craft  
o Art  
o Giant Jenga

**School Holiday Fun**  
for school age kids at  
**EUROA SKATE PARK**

o Free WiFi  
o Giant Chess  
o Interactive games  
o Drama games

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> September & 1<sup>st</sup> October  
1 – 3pm

Contact Inga Hamilton on 57950000 for more information

Strathbogie  
shire

A colorful illustration of a group of diverse children of various ethnicities and ages, holding hands and jumping joyfully on a grassy field. The children are drawn in a simple, cartoonish style with bright colors.

## Kindergarten Transition

Euroa Primary School Transition Program will be in term 4 for kindergarten children starting school in 2019. This program enables children to become comfortable with the school environment and makes it an easy and positive experience.

*Dates for School Transition Program:*

26<sup>th</sup> October- 9:00am - 10:30am

2<sup>nd</sup> November- 9:00am - 11:00am

9<sup>th</sup> November- 9:00am - 12:00am

16<sup>th</sup> November- 9:00am -1:00am

11<sup>th</sup> December – 9.00am – 3.15pm



Crystal working with a kinder student.



Hugh catching up with kinder friends.

If you have a child who is ready to begin school next year can you please fill in enrolment forms and return them to our school office.

euroa kindergarten  
**Fashion Parade**  
PRESENTED BY  
**BOUTIQUE ON BINNEY  
& BURTON STORES**  
**FRIDAY 12TH OCTOBER**  
6.30PM  
Euroa Community Conference Centre  
- Memorial Oval  
\$30 per head  
Canapes provided, cocktail bar  
and drinks at bar prices  
Tickets available for purchase  
at Boutique on Binney

BURTON'S  
SUPA LIQUOR  
EVOLVE  
BOUTIQUE  
ON BINNEY

**ARBORETUM VISIT** - On Tuesday, F/ 1 A, F / 1 C and 2 / 3 W went to visit the Euroa Arboretum. The students participated in three activities. Bird watching, which involved walking around the Arboretum with binoculars and bird identification kits to search for native birds. A few cockatoos, Willy wagtails and wrens were spotted.

Water exploration in the pond saw students using nets and magnifying bug catchers to examine the contents of one of the small dams. Wrigglers, baby yabbies, tadpoles and water spiders were easy to find and observe.

The final activity saw Cathy Olive educate the students and teachers about edible native foods eaten by the traditional indigenous Australians. Daisy yams and chocolate lilies were on the menu just to name a few. Students learnt to appreciate the foods that they had for their own lunch, as they were not impressed by the native bush flavoured foods.

Thank you to Cathy from the Arboretum and the parents who came along to assist on the day.

**Angela, Megan and Kylie**



*Elisha, Olivia and Cathy*



*Ellie*



*Xanthe, Zeke and Levi*



*Jessica with a tadpole*



*Charlie and Macey looking for birds*



*Jessica, Hugh, Curtis and Eleck watching Cathy Olive wash plant roots to eat.*