



# NEWSLETTER

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## MAREE'S REPORT

Hello Everyone,

### **Welcome Back to School F/1A, 1/2K and 2/3D students**

It was wonderful to see the smiling faces of our junior students on Tuesday as they returned to onsite learning. We are so very proud of the way they have settled back into being at school and how they have adjusted to a number of new routines and expectations with ease. Teachers and students have spent the last few days gently easing back into normal academic expectations, and have also been supporting each other and hearing about everything our students have been up to whilst learning from home.

A reminder to families in these classes of the following drop off and pick up arrangements:

- F/1A: 9.10am start and 3.00pm finish. Students are to be dropped off and picked up from the gate nearest the bus stop in Anderson Street. Mrs. Andrews or Mrs. Jager will be here to greet the students from 9am. Mrs. Andrews will walk students to this collection point at 3pm each day for parents to collect their children
- 1/2K: 9am start and 3.05pm finish. Students are to be dropped off and picked up from the gate nearest the lights in Anderson Street. Mrs. Moyle will be here to greet the students from 8.50am. Ms. Kindellan will walk students to this collection point at 3.05pm each day for parents to collect their children
- 2/3D: 9am start and 3.05pm finish. Students are to be dropped off and picked up from the gate in Scobie Street. Ms. White will be here to greet the students from 8.50am. A teacher will walk students to this collection point at 3.05pm each day for parents to collect their children

### **Grade 3 – 6: Remote Learning and Return to School**

Students in 3/4E, 5/6BJ, 5/6C and 5/6W have been continuing to learn from home this week. These students have just one more week of remote learning next week before returning to school onsite from Tuesday the 9<sup>th</sup> of June. We are so proud of the efforts these students have been putting into their daily learning tasks, and encourage them to continue this next week with a really strong and positive finish to our remote learning program.

### **Year 6 -7 Transition Forms – DUE TOMORROW**

A final reminder that our Year 6 to Year 7 transition forms are due back **TOMORROW**. We currently only have about 50% of transition forms returned as of today.

Enrolling your child in Year 7 is an important choice and to increase the likelihood of a placement in your preferred secondary school, it would be helpful to have your form returned by the end of the school day tomorrow.

### **Reconciliation Week**

This week is reconciliation week across Australia. National Reconciliation Week (NRW) is a time for all Australians to learn about our shared histories, cultures, and achievements, and to explore how each of us can contribute to achieving reconciliation in Australia.

**EFFORT UNITY RESPECT ORDER ACHIEVEMENT**

The dates for NRW remain the same each year; 27 May to 3 June. These dates commemorate two significant milestones in the reconciliation journey— the successful 1967 referendum, and the High Court Mabo decision respectively.

Reconciliation must live in the hearts, minds and actions of all Australians as we move forward, creating a nation strengthened by respectful relationships between the wider Australian community, and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

The theme for #NRW2020 – In this together – is now resonating in ways that could not have been foreseen when it was announced last year, but it reminds us whether in a crisis or in reconciliation we are all #InThisTogether.

### **Illnesses**

A reminder that any student who is at all unwell should be kept home until they make a full recovery. This is of particular importance if your child is displaying cold or flu like symptoms.

Any student who appears to be unwell at school will be sent to the office and will remain there until they are collected by a parent or carer.

### **2021 Enrolments**

Well just as it is time for our Grade 6 students to start thinking about transitioning to secondary school, it is also time for parents of kinder age students to also start thinking about transitioning to school in 2021.

Enrolments for Foundation in 2021 are now open, and we have already begun to receive a number of enrolments and enrolment enquiries for next year.

If you are wanting to enrol your child in Foundation at Euroa Primary School in 2021, please contact the office on 5795 2212 to arrange an enrolment pack to be sent to your home address. Alternatively, you can pop in to the school at any time and pick up an enrolment pack.

We encourage parents to complete and return their forms ASAP, so that we can confirm your child's place at our school in 2021.

We are also now taking enrolments for students in all year levels who will be new to our school in 2021.

If you know of any families with kinder aged children or who may be interested in attending Euroa PS in 2021, please let them know that we are now taking enrolments and encourage them to pop in and collect a pack.

Euroa Primary School really is a fantastic school and offers a great well- rounded education for all students and families in Euroa and the surrounding areas.

### **Feedback is Always Welcome**

Our School Council and Leadership Team is committed to ensuring we are working to meet the needs of our students, staff and the School Community. Your feedback is critical in enabling us to do this. I would encourage you at any stage if you have concerns, require clarification on issues or would like to discuss ways of improving the School to contact the school office to arrange an appointment to meet with me.

Have a great week ahead!

**BOOK CLUB - Book Club orders are due back on June 12<sup>th</sup>. Order forms can be collected from the Office or order on 'Loop'.**

**BIKE ED. - Help please!**

I am looking for a volunteer to please assist me in getting our school bikes ready for Bike Education. They are all in generally good repair, however, some need some adjustments to brakes, gears and tyres replaced. If anyone would be happy to assist me to do this I would be most grateful. You can contact me through the office or alternatively via email [Amy.PURCHASE@education.vic.igov.au](mailto:Amy.PURCHASE@education.vic.igov.au)

Thank you kindly.