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Friday 11 October
2013,

3.30pm

Participation Leads to Success

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E.P.S Message

Welcome back to all families, students and staff. I hope everyone enjoyed the two week holidays. It has been wonderful to see the smiling and well rested faces of each student ready for Term Four. It is also good to see that all students have had a fantastic start to the term.

This term is already filling up with different events and activities so please read the newsletter for any details and don't hesitate to ask a staff member if you have any questions.

There are a few things I would like to remind families about for the beginning of term. Firstly, as the weeks get hotter it is very important that students are wearing their hats. We have sun screen at school but are limited in the amount of spare hats. If your child has misplaced their hat, another can be worn, otherwise students will be expected to either sit or play in the shade.

Secondly, Kinder Orientation will be starting on Wednesday of Week 2, we had a lovely 'Welcome' afternoon with our preschool students at the end of Term Three and we are all looking forward to having them on Wednesday to experience "big school".

Finally, sport days remain the same - Wednesday and Friday and library will still be held on Tuesday.

Have an awesome week!

From Ms. D

Hooray!! Kinder Orientation

Kinder Orientation for our preschool students starting next year will begin next **Wednesday the 16th, Week 2**. Students will start at 9:10am and finish at 1pm. If any parents would like their child dropped off at the preschool after 1pm this can definitely be arranged, please let us know. If you have any questions don't hesitate to contact the school and ask Ms Dalla Vecchia or Miss Adams.



Jump Rope For Heart



Thank you to all students who participated on the day and to all the parents who helped spin a skipping rope and participated in the afternoon. Eugowra Public raised over \$300 for a worthy cause. So thank you very much. Fundraising awards will be given out this week.

Fruit and Veg Month

Fruit and Veg Month was a great hit at Eugowra Public School. We finished off with a colouring competition won by Hannah Williams and Ethan Brown and had an awesome Fruit and Veg trivia afternoon, with parents and our Kinder Orientation students helping different teams. The winners on the afternoon after a very close game of 'Apple and Banana' to split a two way tie were 'The Fruit Ninja Brains' consisting of Jodie, Clare, Anastacia, Ty, Montana and Peter. Well Done to everyone for being so excited over Fruit and Veg.



Community Vegetable Garden

Spooky Sam and Scary Sally are doing a great job at minding Eugowra's community garden. So much so, the garden is flourishing with spinach and coriander.

Please feel free to come in and take some of the produce and let other community members know they may do so as well. We are also very happy to pick a bundle at school for you and hold it for pick up in the afternoon. Otherwise you're quite welcome to come in during a time that suits to pick the vegies yourself.



We love our Grandparents at Eugowra Public...



and to show how wonderful we think they are we will be celebrating NSW Grandparents week at Eugowra Public during **Week 3 - Monday 21st to Friday 25th**. More details of activities during the week will be in the following newsletter, however we would like to extend a very warm invitation to all our grandparents to attend our **Monday morning assembly at 11am (Monday 21st)** followed by a picnic morning tea with students.



**P & C Meeting
This Friday 11th October 2013
3.30 pm
At Eugowra Public School**

Preschool Information for Parents and Carers

Dubbo School of Distance Education offers a distance education preschool program for isolated students from NSW.

The Preschool has been in operation for over 22 years and provides an individual, child-centred and play based program via distance education.

If any families feel they may be able to utilise this service please contact the centre;

Phone: 5804 7000

www.dubbo-d.schools.nsw.edu.au

susan.gown@det.nsw.edu.au



Left - Students enjoying the beautiful and adventurous Japanese Gardens.

Right - Learning the art of origami.



Cowra Japanese Gardens - Cherry Blossom Festival Excursion



Left - Lillian pictured with her calligraphy work.

Right - Grace and Darcy enjoying flying the kites on the hill.



Term 4 2013

TERM 4 Week 1	Monday 7th Oct PUBLIC HOLIDAY	Tuesday 8th Oct STUDENTS RETURN	9.10.13	10.10.13	11.10.13
Week 2	14.10.13	15.10.13	16.10.13 Kinder Orientation 9am—1pm	17.10.13	18.10.13

Getting and Keeping the Players – ASC Market Segmentation Research

Is your sporting club struggling for members?

Are players harder than ever to recruit?

Australians are becoming increasingly time poor, so how does your sport stop the decline in member numbers, against the trend? Your sport cannot afford to miss out on learning what drives people to play sport and what motivators can be used to entice people to join your club.

The information session will be held in Parkes on 22nd October from 12pm – 1.45pm.

This information session is relevant to strategic decision makers within sporting clubs/ associations and facility operators.

The Western Region Academy of Sport, Active After School Communities and Sport and Recreation are joining forces to bring to the Central West this exciting new research developed by the Australian Sports Commission. Cost is only \$15pp, including a light meal. Call 6362 6623 or visit www.dsr.nsw.gov.au/training/

Bookings essential.



Office of
Communities
Sport & Recreation

FORBES JUNIOR RUGBY LEAGUE

Forbes Junior Rugby League is calling for coaches for 7's, 8's, 10's, 12's, 14's and 16's for the 2014 season.

Please submit your application in writing to PO Box 563, Forbes. Closing date 31 October 2013. Enquiries contact Chris Morrison on 0427 541 896.



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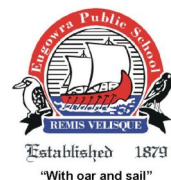
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EUGOWRA PUBLIC SCHOOL

"KINDER START"

ORIENTATION DAYS

We would like to extend an invitation to parents and children who are considering becoming part of our school community in 2014, to attend our Kindergarten Orientation Days.

- Wednesday 18th September > 2-3pm (Trivia and Jump Rope for Heart Jump Off)
- Wednesday 16th October > 9am - 1:00pm
- Wednesday 23rd October > 9am - 1:00pm
- Wednesday 30th October > 9am - 1:00pm
- Wednesday 6th November > 9am - 1:00pm
- Wednesday 13th November > 9am - 1:00pm
- Wednesday 20th November > 9am - 1:00pm
- Wednesday 27th November > 9am - 1:00pm
- Wednesday 4th December > 9am - 1:00pm
- Wednesday 11th December > 9am - 1:00pm (Including a Parent Information Session from 12:15 - 1pm)



Children will be involved in class activities and experience the fun of our school environment. Children will need to bring a packed recess.

Teachers are able to walk students back to the Preschool if required.

If you have any enquiries or concerns please don't hesitate to contact the Principal, Miss Carmel McMurray; Infants Teacher, Ms Sonia Dalla Vecchia or 2014 Infants Teacher, Miss Cath Adams on 6859 2233.



Bedgerabong Public School P&C Association

Spring Fair & Market Day

Saturday 19th October

Stalls for hire (\$20)

Car Boot Stalls
BBQ & food stalls
Cannibal Coffee
Pony Rides
Fresh produce
Amusements
Entertainment
Face painting



Where: Bedgerabong School

Time: 10am to 3pm

For more info contact:

Margot Ruble: 68572118

Marilyn Horan: 68571185



Canowindra Family Sports & Fun Day

Games, sports, fun activities, free BBQ and much much more!

When: Friday 25th October 2013

Where: The Oval, Canowindra (near the Rugby Clubhouse & Tennis Courts)

Time: From 3pm / BBQ from 5pm

Who: Everyone—all families are welcome.

Cost: Free!

Come along and see what activities are available for your child to get involved in here in Canowindra.

