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Principals Message

It is great to be back on deck at EPS! Thank you to everyone for the well wishes, Nick and I greatly appreciate your kind words and thoughts.

It is shaping up to be a busy term with lots of events on the horizon with one of the closest being Melbourne Cup. There will be a P & C meeting tomorrow, Thursday 24th October at 4pm to finalise details for the Melbourne Cup luncheon.

Attendance is vital to ensure the success of this event for the benefit of your children.

We have enjoyed celebrating Grandparents Week and remind grandparents they are welcome to visit classrooms Friday 2-3.10pm. Parents and Grandparents are welcomed in our school at anytime and we love having you involved in our school.

Have a great week.

Regards,

Carmel Doyle

GOOIMBLA HOMESTEAD

On Saturday 16th November, students from EPS and St Josephs will be singing at the Eugowra Showground as part of the 150 year celebrations and re-enactment of the bushrangers raid on the Gooimbla Homestead.

There will be no entry cost for students who are performing.

Students will need to be at the showground by 7pm and are to wear colonial themed outfits.

YEARS 3-6

BURRENDONG EXCURSION

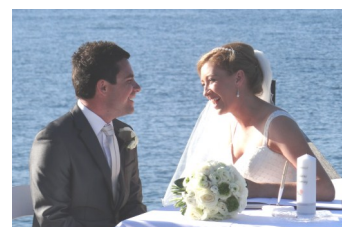
A reminder that our 3-6 Excursion is not far away.

Sent home with this newsletter is an information sheet outlining important details and a packing checklist. A medical and consent form has also been sent home which needs to be returned to school ASAP. Please ensure payment for the excursion is paid before Friday 8th November 2013 and if anyone is experiencing difficulties with payment please contact the school and assistance can be provided.

It will be a wonderful experience for students who will develop excellent skills and lasting memories, plus have lots of fun!

CONGRATULATIONS

Staff and students would like to congratulate CARMEL AND NICK on their recent marriage held in Manly. We welcome back to school from her honeymoon 'Mrs Carmel Doyle'



Halloween Theme Day at EPS

Halloween is approaching (**Week 4 - Thursday 31st of October**) and to have a bit of fun Eugowra Public is having a Halloween Theme Day.

So... we would love students to come dressed in something magical, scary or ghoulish on that day.

**Happy
Halloween**



Grandparents Week



A Rock Star Update

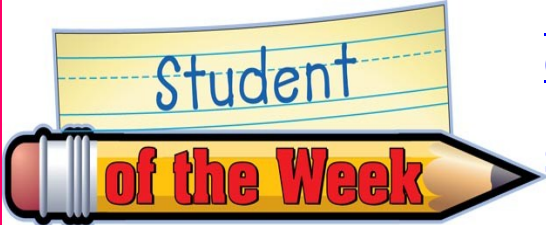


Hi to all Parents and Friends of Eugowra Public School!!!!

WE LOVE OUR GRANDPARENTS and are having so much fun hanging out with them this week. We've really enjoyed the activities we have done so far with them and we are very lucky they have been able to come and visit us at school. We have also been very busy in class and have been completing lots of different activities! We want to welcome the Kinder Orientation students as well. It has been great having them here on Wednesday and we've been doing a great job helping them settle into 'big school'. Ms D would like to remind our parents that a note has gone home today about a lesson activity that we are doing on Monday of Week 4. We need to bring in an item if we can about a group we belong to. The note explains all and if you have any other questions, Ms D said you can talk to her.

We hope everyone has a ROCKING week!

From K/1/2 Rock Stars.



**LIBRARY STUDENT
OF THE WEEK**

Sanjay Buttle

Assembly Awards:
21 October 2013

K - 2	Olivia Connell Hannah Williams
3 - 6	Brooke Stibbard Ty Jones

Student of the Week : Week 3 Term 4

Year 3 - 6	Jodi Williams
K - 2	Sonny Bevan
Mrs Langfield	Montana Bevan


Sportsperson:

Primary: Darcy Merchant
Infants: Ricky Stibbard

Term 4 2013

Week 3	21.10.13	22.10.13	23.10.13 Kinder Orientation 9am-1pm	24.10.13 P & C Meeting 4pm	25.10.13 "Day for Daniel" Students to wear RED
Week 4	28.10.13 PURCHASE YOUR MELBOURNE CUP LUNCHEON TICKET	29.10.13	30.10.13 Kinder Orientation 9am-1pm	31.10.13 Dress in Halloween Theme	1.11.13

"Day for Daniel" - This is an awareness event to promote child safety messages for children and parents. Crimes against children have no place in modern Australia. Please support our National Day of Action by wearing something **RED** and help empower our children to 'Recognise, React and Report' if they feel something is not right.



Meeting

The P&C will be holding a meeting this Thursday 24th October at 4pm at the school to discuss final preparations for our Melbourne Cup luncheon. We would also like volunteers for modelling at the fashion show on the day.

Reminder -
Final ticket sales for the Melbourne Cup Luncheon.

Numbers needed by this Monday 28th October 2013 - Get your table together - Don't miss out.

Parkes & District Netball Assoc. (PDNA) will be holding Representative Team Trials for the 2014 seasons on Thursday 31st October. Trials will be conducted for all age groups from 11 - 17 years from 4.30 - 5.30pm and Opens & State League from 5.45 - 6.30pm. Player nomination form and Information pack can be found on the PDNA website www.parkes.netball.asn.au or from control during the Tuesday night competition.

**St Matthews Anglican Church
STREET STALL**

Cakes
Produce
Plants
Raffles

Funds raised go towards the maintenance of the Eugowra St Matthews Church Building

FRIDAY 25 October 2013, From 9am.
In front of Mulligan's Old Shop
(Between RTC and Gental Cow Café)



EUGOWRA PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDRAISER

eat your greens
FUNCTION CENTRE

Celebrate
2013 MELBOURNE
Cup

AT EAT YOUR GREENS FUNCTION CENTRE
TUESDAY NOV 5
FROM 12 NOON

\$35^{pp} 2 COURSE MENU | BIG SCREEN | RAFFLES
SWEEPSTAKES | RACING TRIVIA | HAT MAKING COMP
PRIZES FOR THE BEST HAT & OUTFIT COMPETITION
FASHION PARADE by SOMERSET LANE BOUTIQUE

BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL - ENQUIRIES PH 0427 592481
Tickets available online @ www.trybooking.com/DNFS
or Somerset Lane Clothing before 28th October, 2013

Cadia Valley Operations Open Day

Sunday 17 November 2013

Experience firsthand the surface mining operations of one of Australia's largest underground gold mines at the Cadia Valley Operations Open Day.

On the 2.5 hour guided bus tours visitors will see sweeping views of the open cut lookout, get up close to super-sized mining machinery, visit CVO's ore processing plant and glimpse into the future at the progressive rehabilitation of CVO's waste rock dumps.

This year, the Open Day will be run exclusively out of Blayney and will be held in conjunction with the inaugural Blayney Festival.

Tickets are a gold coin donation and are available:

- Online at: www.cadiavalley.com.au/openday
- Blayney Visitor Information Centre. Ph: 6368 3534.
- Orange Visitor Information Centre. Ph: 1800 069 466.

For more information, contact 02 6392 2317.



Share the joy of Children's Week

Children's Fun Day



Date: Wednesday 23rd October, Time: 10am – 12 midday
Venue: YACC (Forbes Youth & Community Centre) Battye Street
Cost: Free for families with children 0-5 years, jumping castle, FREE BBQ, art/ craft, face painting, Book Bob visit, drama performance, FREE ice cream and loads more.

Universal Children's Day is held on Wednesday 23 October, 2013



FREE Children's movie night – Despicable Me

Date: Saturday 26th October, Time: 7pm doors open for 7:30pm movie
Venue: Forbes Youth & Community Centre

Cost: Free for children 12yrs and under, \$2 all others
FREE BBQ, Refreshments available on the night, and Lucky door prizes. Children under 10 years to be supervised by a responsible adult.

Its Party Time Kids, Cars, Drugs & Alcohol

Date: Tuesday 22 October 2013, Time: 7pm – 9pm
Venue: Forbes Services Memorial Club

Cost: FREE presentation for parents

For further information please contact
Maree Yapp on 08523008 or Natalie Walker on 08502300



Bin A Book
Giving books a new life!



This Bin a Book project goes one step better up the waste hierarchy from recycling. I like their way of thinking. Collecting unread picture books and REUSING them.

It's Bookatastic!



A new initiative of Forbes Birth to Kinder to reuse unused picture books and create Book Bags for families to promote reading in the home. Held during National Recycling Week, sponsored by Forbes Shire Council, Netwaste, Forbes Schools as Community Centre and JR Richards. Books can be donated at participating schools and shops between Monday 11 - Sunday 17 November 2013

REDUCE REUSE RECYCLE

Forbes residents are already great at RECYCLING ✓
and the "BIN A BOOK" Program helps us to be great at REUSING ✓
Together we can REDUCE the amount of waste that ends up in our landfill ✓

