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Principals Message

Christmas is fast approaching and students have been working on creating Christmas Trees for the Rotary Ipomea 3rd Christmas Tree Festival held in Forbes. The tree festival is on Friday 6th, 6pm-9pm and Saturday 7th December 9am-5pm at the Forbes Town Hall

Have a great week.

Regards,

Carmel Doyle

YEAR 6-7

ORIENTATION FORBES HIGH SCHOOL

Don't forget, year 7 orientation at Forbes High School on Thursday 5 December, 9.30am—2.30pm.

Students to make their own way to FHS. Parent and Student information session from 9.30-10.30am. Student activities commence 10.45 after recess.

MISS SIVIOURS LAST WEEK

Miss Siviour's last day of Prac at Eugowra Public School will be this Friday 6th December. We have enjoyed having Miss Siviour at our school and wish her all the very best in her teaching career.

ACTIVE AFTER SCHOOL COMMUNITIES COACHING TRAINING

If any parents are interested in undertaking this training please let the school know. The training takes about 3-4 hours and the participants will then be accredited deliverers to assist with the Active After Schools Program.

SWIMMING SESSIONS

A reminder that students will be swimming for sport on Fridays 12pm—1pm

Don't forget swimmers, towels, \$1 entry and goggles if required.

A reminder that we would like parent helpers for swimming on Friday from 12-1pm.

YEAR 6 FAREWELL DISCO

The school will hold a disco in honour of our Year 6 students on Wednesday 11th December. This disco is for current Eugowra Public School students only and will commence from 6pm-7pm.

Students will receive a popper and a packet of chips at the disco. The farewell disco will take place in our school hall. Parents are asked to ensure students are dropped off and picked up from the school hall.

Students are to wear appropriate clothing and suitable shoes.

STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS

Student progress reports for semester 2 will be sent home on Friday 13th December.

PRESENTATION NIGHT

Eugowra Public School's Presentation Night for 2013 will be held on Tuesday 17th December. Parents, family members and community members are encouraged to join us on this special night.

Students are asked to be at the school hall at 6.00pm with the evening commencing at 6.30pm.

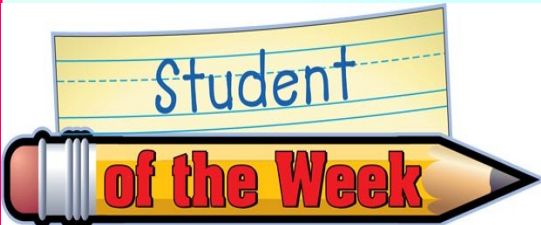
Students are to wear their full-school uniform to the Presentation Evening and therefore are allowed to wear casual clothes on Tuesday to ensure uniforms are clean for Presentation Night.

CHRISTMAS SCRIPTURE SERVICE

Students will be involved in a Christmas scripture service on Wednesday 18th December. Rev. Michael will come to our school for this service and then students will walk to St Matthew's church for more activities.

Week 9	2.12.13	3.12.13	4.12.13 Kinder Orientation 9am-1pm Willowa Xmas Carols	5.12.13 Forbes High Year 7 Orientation 9.30-2.30	6.12.13 Swimming 12-1pm	Term 4 Sun 15.12.13 7pm Carols on the Creek Students to Perform
Week 10	9.12.13	10.12.13	11.12.13 Kinder Orientation 9am-1pm Parent Info 12.15 -1pm Year 6 Disco 6—7pm	12.12.13	13.12.13 Swimming 12-1pm Reports Home School Play 6.15pm “Crazy Story”	
Week 11	16.12.13	17.12.13 Presentation Night 6pm for a 6.30pm start	18.12.13 Christmas Scripture Swimming 2- 3pm Last Day Term 4 For Students	19.12.13 Pupil Free Day	20.12.13 Pupil Free Day	



		LIBRARY STUDENT OF THE WEEK Nina Merchant	Assembly Awards: 2 December 2013 K - 2 Alec Maclean Mitchell McMahon 3 -6 Jack Frazer Jodi Williams
Student of the Week : Week 9 Term 4 Year 3 - 6 Tamara Greenhalgh K - 2 Alyssa Gibson Miss Adams Joe Valentine			Sportsperson: Primary: Grace Frazer Infants: Olivia Connell

Eugowra Public School presents...

The Crazy Story

Friday the 13th of December, at

6.15pm`

School Hall

RESERVE YOUR TICKETS NOW !!! Call 6859 2233



SECRET SANTA

The students committee has arranged for all students to be involved in "Secret Santa". Students have chosen their special person they need to bring a gift for. Gifts are to be no more than \$5 and are to be brought into school by the morning of Wednesday 18th December.



LAST DAY FOR STUDENTS

Wednesday 18th December is the last day for students. On this day students will be involved in a Christmas Scripture service, share Secret Santa gifts, have class parties and will have the afternoon at the pool. Parents are asked to pick students up from the pool at home time instead of from school. Normal school busses will pick up from the pool also.



Bundaburrah Music is offering lessons for Piano, woodwind, brass, vocal, strings and percussion. Bundaburrah is now in Forbes and Parkes

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Kip McGrath Education Centres

Intensive Maths Day—Year 7 Readiness

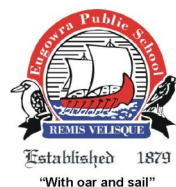
KipMcGrath, Parkes will be running a full day intensive maths readiness program for students about to enter Year 7 in 2014.

This day will be held on Tuesday 21st January and will deal exclusively with Fractions, Decimals and Percentages.

The day will commence at 9.00 am and conclude at 3.30pm

Morning tea, lunch and drinks provided.

Cost; \$120 per student



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.



LAST CHANCE TO BOOK... registration extended

Professional Guitar & Keyboard Tuition

We have an amazing opportunity to offer professional music tuition to students starting in Term 1, 2014. The program is run by Music Stars – Australia's leading provider of school music tuition. Music Stars provides:

- Group music tuition (3-5 students)
- Caters for Years 1-7
- Weekly 30 minute sessions
- \$11 per lesson, per student (\$110) per term (includes music books)
- 70% less than out-of-school lessons
- + family discounts available
- End of year reports and certificates
- **Guitars and keyboards supplied for use during lessons**

Registrations Close 30th November 2013

If you would like your child to participate in Term 1, 2014 please register your interest online by visiting www.musicstars.com.au Payment is not required until lessons commence next year. If minimum numbers aren't reached the program will not be able to run so please register your child ASAP.

More Information

If you require more information or would like to discuss the program in more detail please contact Music Stars directly using the information below. Please do not call the school.

Phone: 1300 889 179

Email: info@musicstars.com.au

Web: www.musicstars.com.au

We hope you can support this program.

Are you looking for holiday care for your child?

If YES then please contact Carmel or Kylie at the school to register your interest - or you will miss out on this opportunity!

VACATION CARE

Holiday Care at Parkes PCYC. With bus transport provided
Expression of Interest Required.

Jackeroo Ranch

Summer School Holiday Riding Camps

Pre-Christmas Camps 8th Dec—22nd Dec (3days to 2weeks)

January 2014
Sat 4th Jan—11th Jan
Sat 11th Jan—19th Jan
Sun 19th Jan—26th Jan

Ages 6-16 years

Enquiries Mrs Pattie Hudson Ph 6337 7173 (nights)
www.jackerooranch.com.au



PROGRAMS ON OFFER

SINGING – 3 DAY GROUP WORKSHOP

10 – 12 noon (8-14yrs) 2 – 4 (15+)

2 hrs per day, 3-6 students per class

Dates: 7-9 Jan OR 21-23 Jan

WORKSHOP INCLUDES:

Correct Breathing/Vocal Technique
Identify your vocal type and range
Vocal Hygiene – How to look after your voice
Learn to sing simple harmony
Learn how to use a microphone
Basic Performance skills

Cost of Program: \$60

GUITAR – 3 DAY GROUP WORKSHOP

10 – 12 noon (8-14yrs) 2 – 4 (15+)

2 hrs per day, 3-6 students per class

Dates: 14-16 Jan OR 28-30 Jan

WORKSHOP INCLUDES:

Learn basic music reading
Learn how to read a chord chart
Learn basic chords
Correct positioning of guitar
Learn about guitar aids (Picks, Capos, Amplifiers)

Cost of Program: \$60

BOOK NOW! 0414 478 535

SUMMER HOLIDAY MUSIC PROGRAMME

GAIL SMITH – OVER 20 YEARS EXPERIENCE

Get a taste of your chosen instrument over the summer holidays

INDIVIDUAL CLASSES – VOICE, GUITAR, PIANO, KEYBOARD, RECORDER

Half Hour individual lessons

Dates: 6th, 13th, 20th and 27th Jan

Book between 1 and 4 lessons

All materials provided, however students require instruments at home to practice

Please note: No refunds will be given, however make up lessons may be provided due to illness

Cost per Lesson: \$20 (Discounted rate)

Movie Night Gooloogong Log Cabin Hall Saturday 14th December

THE SPY WHO LOVED HER



DESPICABLE ME 2

Rated
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Doors open 7.30 for 8pm Movie
Bring your comfy chair/blanket/pillow

\$5 per person

\$15 per family

Refreshments available for sale

Proceeds to the Log Cabin Hall Inc.

Canowindra Junior Rugby League Football Club

Would like to call for nominations for Coaches, Managers and Trainers for the 2014 season.

Coaching positions are available for the following age divisions 8's, 10's 12's, 14's, 16's and junior girls league tag. Coaches and training staff need to be suitably qualified and have level 1 coaching accreditation or be prepared to complete the level 1 coaching accreditation and league safe course for the 2014 season.

Nomination forms can be obtained from Alison Wythes at Canowindra IGA Gaskill St Canowindra or Ken Willson at Ken's Service Centre Rodd St Canowindra. Completed nomination forms can then be forwarded to Canowindra Junior Rugby League Committee PO Box 161, Canowindra NSW 2804.

Applications Close 31/12 /2013