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Principal's Message

CONGRATULATIONS Eugowra Public for winning the overall point score at our Small Schools Athletics carnival. This is the first time we have won and it's because of the outstanding effort from all our competitors on the day, well done! This week I'm very excited to write that golf begins and I know the students are looking forward to seeing Bruce back and to the lessons. I also wanted to say good luck to our Year 3 and Year 5 students for their final NAPLAN assessments. We also say farewell to Ms Janelle Coady who briefly took both classes for Music lessons, she will be retiring and moving to Canberra, and we wish her all the best. We will be getting a new music teacher for next Monday. Finally, good luck to our choir when they compete this Friday at the Cowra Eisteddfod. I know that they have been practising tirelessly with Miss Adams and I know that they'll do a fantastic job. Other than that, have an OUTSTANDING week, families, friends, students and staff of Eugowra Public School.

Ms. Dalla Vecchia (Relieving Principal)



Sports House Captain Peter Valentine, on behalf of our school, receiving the overall athletics point score trophy from Mr Faulkner.

Forbes Small Schools Athletics Carnival

Well done to all our students at the Small Schools Athletics Carnival. It was a wonderful day and all students should be very proud of their efforts. Some results from the day are:

Overall Champion School:

Eugowra Public

Snr Relay Champions: Eugowra Public

Jnr Relay Champions: Eugowra Public

12yr girls Champion: Evelyn Dura

11yrs boy Champion: Peter Valentine

9yrs boy Champion: Sanjay Buttle

7yrs boy Champion: Reece Matheson

6yrs boy Champion: Aidee Thomas

5yrs boy Champion: Adam Valentine

Many of our students who competed in this carnival have qualified for our PSSA carnival. More information will be given later in the term as this carnival does not take place till Term 3.

GRIP Leadership

Year 6 leaders will again have the opportunity this year to attend the GRIP leadership conference on Friday the 22nd of May in Dubbo (8:45am – 2:30pm). This is a great event for our leaders to experience in which they will have the opportunity to meet other leaders from other schools and hopefully take away with them some great ideas to implement at our school. A note with more information has been included in this newsletter for all Year 6 students.

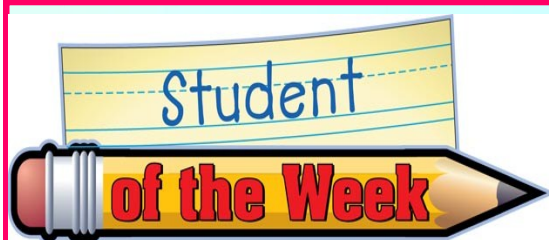
PSSA Cross Country

Notes have been sent home to all students who qualified for the PSSA Cross Country carnival to be held on Friday the 22nd of May at the Forbes Racecourse.

Please make sure you return it. More information will follow leading up to this carnival. Cross Country training has begun at school. The students who will be competing on this day may wear their joggers or sport uniform up till next Thursday for this training.

Term 2 2015

Week 4	11.5.15	12.5.15 NAPLAN	13.5.15 NAPLAN Golf	14.5.15 NAPLAN	15.5.15 Cowra Eisteddfod Choir
Week 5	18.5.15	19.5.15	20.5.15 Golf	21.5.15 Debate	22.5.15 PSSA Cross Country
Week 6	25.5.15	26.5.15	27.5.15 Simultaneous Reading Day Golf	28.5.15	29.5.15 P.J Day



Support / Library

SOW: Evelyn Dura
K-2 Chelsea Leonard
3-6 Lauren Cullenward

Sportsperson:

Infants:
Dominic Dura
Primary:
Evelyn Dura

Student of the Week : Week 3 Term 2

Year K - 2 **Sophie Gibson**

Year 3 - 6 **Joe Valentine**

Playground Award **Indi Goodwin**

Assembly Awards:

K - 2 Aidee Thomas
Anastacia Mulligan
3 - 6 Makala Leonard
Jake Greenhalgh



Week 3:

Assembly Award Winners

Ryan Valentine, Makala Leonard, Jake Greenhalgh, Evelyn Dura, Joe Valentine, Chelsea Leonard, Dominic Dura, Lauren Cullenward, Sophie Gibson, Anastacia Mulligan, Aidee Thomas, Indi Goodwin.



Class Update

3 - 6 Classroom Assembly Update

3 – 6 Eagles have been learning about the solar system, and students during our assembly presented some of the facts that they learnt - e.g. Pluto is not classified as a planet anymore. Saturn has 17 moons and Jupiter is the biggest of the planets.



CWA Public Speaking Competition

Students have been selected to participate in this public speaking competition on Tuesday 26th May. This will be held at Kinross Wolaroi School Orange. More information will be sent home next week. Parents will be required to make travel arrangements for their child or Miss Auld is happy to take them if required.

HEAD LICE

Please keep a constant check on your children's hair. Please, if your child has lice keep them at home until treatment has commenced and remember to do follow up treatments every week to prevent reinfestation until the life cycle has been broken.

**Please tie hair back so it is not loose.
Plait or bun!**



Library News

Just a reminder to find library books and to bring back your books regularly!

Congratulations to those students who have remembered to bring their books in EVERY week!

Premiers Reading Challenge: Just a reminder for students to record books they have read since January then bring the form back in to Miss Auld so these can be recorded into the system. Please have these lists returned to Miss Auld by this coming Monday 18th May.

Overdue Notices

Some overdue notices are being sent home this week. Please find the books and return them to the Library ASAP.

Thank you, Miss Auld.

Choir

The choir are competing in the Cowra Eisteddfod this Friday 15th May at the Cowra Civic Centre from 10:30am. All are welcome to come and watch. A small entry fee for spectators is charged at the door.



Forbes Athletics —age champions



5yrs boy Champion:
Adam Valentine



7yrs boy Champion:
Reece Matheson



9yrs boy Champion:
Sanjay Buttle



11yrs boy Champion:
Peter Valentine



12yr girls Champion:
Evelyn Dura

**6yrs boy
Champion:**
Aidee Thomas



Jnr Relay Champions: Eugowra Public
Nina Merchant, Mitchell McMahon, Sanjay Buttle, Alec Maclean



Snr Relay Champions: Eugowra Public
Evelyn Dura, Jake Greenhalgh, Peter Valentine, Haydan McCarthy

FORBES FAMILIES WEEK 2015

Friday 15 May!

Spectacular Screenings presents 'Paddington' (rated G)
@ the Forbes Youth & Community Centre
Doors open at 6pm, movie starts at 6.30pm
\$2 entry per person

Saturday 16 May!

FOOD REVOLUTION DAY
TEMPLAR STREET
10AM TO 1PM

Wednesday 20 May!

THE GIGALEES!
2 X FREE SHOWS!
0 TO 5 YEARS 10 TO 10.45AM
SCHOOLS 11.45 TO 12.30PM

FREE! Transition to School Information Evening
for parents and carers to attend.
5 - 7pm @ Forbes Town Hall

Understanding Bullying Workshop
presented by Relationships Australia
6 - 8.30pm @ Forbes Town Hall
\$10 per person

Contact: Natalie Walker 02 6850 2200 or natwalker@forbes.nsw.gov.au for information

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FOOD REVOLUTION DAY
★ DAY ★
16 MAY 2015

Let's get excited about good food!

FARMERS MARKETS & DEMONSTRATIONS

WIN a Pizza Oven, Veggie Garden or Compost Tumbler

Templar St, Forbes 10am - 2pm

FREE Demonstrations on • Raised Veggie Bed Gardening • Potted Citrus Growing
• International Cooking • Butchering
• Healthy Pizza Making • Composting • Kids Activities

NorthParks **Woolworths**

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SCHOOLS 11.45 TO 12.30PM

Contact: Natalie Walker 02 6850 2200 or natwalker@forbes.nsw.gov.au for information

WEAVING WORKSHOPS
Presented by
The Orange Fibre Artists Group

FRIDAY 15th May 2015
AT: **Splash Gallery**
79 Rankin Street, Forbes
TIME: **10.30am—2.30pm**
BYO Lunch

More workshops planned for 29th May and 12th June
Contact Dee Anderson - 0416107 320

Understanding Bullying

The seminar aims to assist parents to understand bullying and how best to support their children who may experience it. Topics include the impact of bullying on children and their families, skills and strategies for children and their parents.

Wednesday 20th May 2015
6.00pm – 8.30pm
Forbes Town Hall
Harold St Forbes

Cost: \$10 per person (or a contribution you can afford)

For further information or to make a booking call: **6333 8888**
or contact Maree Yapp on 6852 3008

National Families Week

FAMILY RELATIONSHIP CENTRES
Relationships Australia
NEW SOUTH WALES

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LINK TO LEARN
Early Learning and School Information 5-7pm
Understanding Bullying 6-8.30pm

Forbes Birth to Kinder

Read to me
Listen to me
Talk to me

Wednesday 20th May

5:00—7:00pm—talk to schools and early learning centres and other services to find out how they can best meet yours and your child's needs in education. All welcome to come along on the night for a cuppa and a chat.

6:00—8:30pm "Understanding Bullying" presented by Relationships Australia, cost \$10 per person. Limited child minding available and bookings essential. To book contact: Jess Kittowski, Community Health 6850 2233 or Relationships Australia on phone 6333 8888