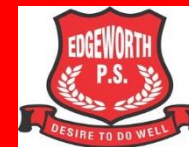




Edgeworth Public School



Upcoming Events

Term 4

Wednesday 1 November

Kinder Transition 1:30 - 3 pm
Pink Day

Thursday 2 November

NRL Oz Tag Gala Day - Stages
2 and 3

Friday 3 November

Whole School Assembly 11:45 am

Monday 6 November

Swimming School
Edgie Idol ES1 Auditions
Primary Schools State Debating

Tuesday 7 November

Swim School
Primary Schools State Debating

Wednesday 8 November

Swimming School
Primary Schools State Debating
Glendale Gala Day Year 6
Kinder Transition

Thursday 9 November

Swimming School
ES1 Aquarium

Friday 10 November

Swimming School

Monday 13 November

Swimming School
Edgie Idol closed rehearsal

Term 4 Week 4 2017

Principal Report

Our students continue to impress with the work being done in our classrooms and their positive choices for behaviour. Recently we have had a number of teachers visit from local schools that have expressed high praise for the amazing progress shown by our students through their Explicit Instruction Warm Ups and the collegiality of our staff and their dedication to seeing students succeed at achieving their outcomes. Our reputation is fast becoming one that other schools aspire to be like.

Our Stage 2 children had a wonderful (though a little stormy) at Cockatoo Island and Taronga Zoo. I would like to congratulate the children on the exceptional behaviour reported and thank both the teachers and parents that made these opportunities possible.

Our leadership process is underway and we look forward to seeing our candidates posters displayed around the school. I would like to congratulate all of our Year 5 children that nominated themselves and encourage all of our children to consider leadership opportunities going into 2018 including House Leaders, School Representative Council (SRC), Aboriginal Leadership Committee and Breakfast Club.

Plans for 2018 are well underway. If you know that you will be moving away from the area next year could you please notify the school as soon as possible, as it will have an impact of class formation and staff allocation to our school. Likewise if you know anyone moving into the area, encourage them to visit us so we can ensure that we can have a smooth transition into the New Year.

Rebecca Baird

Stage News

Early Stage 1

Next Thursday, 9 November Kindergarten students will be travelling to Sydney to visit the Aquarium. Students will need to be at school by 6:45 am so we can depart by 7 am.

Your child will need to wear full school uniform. Your child will also need to bring fruit break, morning tea, lunch, extra snacks for the bus and plenty of water to drink! Please ensure that all your child's items are labelled. **Please do not give your child spending money. There will not be time to purchase food or merchandise.**

Thank you to parents who have offered to attend the excursion. Teachers have contacted all parents who were selected to come on the excursion.

Claire Callinan

Stage 1

Year 2 and 3 School Swimming Scheme

The School Swimming Scheme program starts next week and runs from 6 November to 17 November, at Charlestown Swimming Pool. The School Swimming Scheme opportunity is now also open to Year 3 students. There are currently only 7 places left for School Swimming Scheme. Students who are in Years 2 and 3 are eligible to attend to fill these places. Students who are capable of swimming 25 metres are also able to attend to further develop their skills. The cost for the 2 week swimming program is \$65. Cash payment needs to be made prior to 3 November.

Stage 1 Party Day Excursion

Preparations are underway for Stage 1's Party Day Excursion. Notes will be sent home later this week.

Donations

Classes are quickly going through their supplies of tissues, baby wipes and Dettol liquid hand wash. If you are able to make donations of these items to your class it would be very much appreciated.

Stage 2

Congratulations to everyone who attended Cockatoo Island and Taronga Zoo last week. It was very wet but everyone had a great time.

Oz Tag Gala day is this Thursday, good luck to all those who are attending.

Surf Fun Day is next Monday - bring your sunscreen and rashie!

Year 3 students have now been invited to join the swim scheme - get your letter in quick if you would like to attend.

Stage 3

Stage 3 Party Day

Notes and information on our Stage 3 Party Day went home yesterday. On Thursday December 14, Stage 3 will be going to Springloaded, Glendale Cinemas to see Ferdinand, and Edgeworth McDonalds. The base cost is \$23, which covers Springloaded, movie ticket and bus fare. This can be paid by cash, eftpos in person, or POP. The optional extras at the movies and McDonalds are to be brought in, in CASH, to class teachers, clearly labelled and with the appropriate note filled out. All notes and money need to be returned by Thursday November 30.

Year 6 Farewell and Dance 2B Fit

Year 6 have had an amazing time learning a number of new dances in preparation for the Year 6 Farewell. A reminder Dance 2B Fit money is due by this Friday, and to please keep Farewell acceptances and money coming in.

Key Dates to remember

Some important dates to remember-

Wed Nov 8- Year 6 Glendale HS Gala Day

Tue Nov 14- Wonders of the World Expo

Wed Nov 15- Boys 2018 Leadership speeches

Thur Nov 16- Girls 2018 Leadership speeches

Tue Nov 28- Year 6 Fun Day

Tue Dec 5- 2018 Year 7 Glendale HS Orientation Day

Wed Dec 6- Stage 3 Recognition Assembly

Thur Dec 7- Carols

Mon Dec 11- Presentation Day

Tue Dec 12- Year 6 Farewell

Thur Dec 14- Stage 3 Party Day

Fri Dec 15- Last day of term- Year 6 Clapout

PBL Corner

This fortnight in our PBL lessons we are focusing on 'Movement around the school- including lunch order collections' and 'Doing our personal best when it comes to our learning'.

Playground:

Each week six students are drawn at assembly to receive a prize for demonstrating our school values in the playground. These students have been spotted by teachers on playground duty for making positive contributions, receiving a green Ronowldo card which then gets placed in the PBL letter boxes and could be drawn out at our weekly assemblies.

Classroom:

Students continue to earn Ronowldos and Dojos in the classroom for being **respectful, responsible and engaged learners**. Each child can use these Ronowldos to vote for the end of term reward they would like to participate in.

K-2- Waterfun afternoon, choose your own sport session, free iceblock

3-6- Waterfun afternoon, free time for a session, free slushie

Students earn Ronowldo cards throughout the term and have the option to choose which reward they want their points to go towards. The reward that has the most points at the end of the term is the reward that students can participate in.

This terms Ronowldo Rewards Day will run over 2 days in week 9; Stage 2 and 3 - Wednesday 5th December and Early Stage 1 and Stage 1 - Thursday 6th of December.

Random Act of Kindness

Congratulations to Aiden Robinson for receiving the random act of kindness award for this month. Aiden found an iPod in the drop off zone and handed it straight in so it could be returned to its very worried owner. Well done Aiden!



Sport

NSW PSSA Athletics

Congratulations to Sukontha Vaenkwaen who placed 4th in the Senior Girls Long Jump at the NSW PSSA Athletics Championships. Sukontha also finished 11th in the Senior Girls High Jump. Congratulations also to Sienna Kirkland, who placed 22nd in the Junior Girls Long Jump. An amazing effort by both girls!

NRL League Tag

On Thursday, over 80 excited Edgeworth PS students will participate in the NRL League Tag gala day at Belmont, competing in boys and girls competitions for Stage 2 and Stage 3. Good luck to all involved.



Canteen Roster 2017

Week 5 Term 4				
Monday 6 November	Tuesday 7 November	Wednesday 8 November	Thursday 9 November	Friday 10 November
K McCafferty K Coulin	L Towers	C O'Meley T Mackey	K Schwetz J Dafter	C Elliott J Hicks
Week 6 Term 4				
Monday 13 November	Tuesday 14 November	Wednesday 15 November	Thursday 16 November	Friday 17 November
M Stitt	J Young J Spicer	M Thouroughgood S Barlow	D Everson	K Martinb M Whyte J Strang

TUESDAY 5 DECEMBER HELP NEEDED IN THE CANTEEN

Community Liaison

This week I have a few things to share with you, so that as a community we can work together to make this a better place for everyone.

1. As the end of the year draws closer, the Executive Team and Staff are carefully working out classes for next year and we need the support of the community to inform us of any changes. Whether you are moving away from the area or you know of anyone moving into the area between now and the beginning of Term 1, please let the school know, then we will be able adjust our numbers accordingly.

2. Pre-loved School Uniform - Do you have or will you have any school uniform that is pre-loved and you would like to donate them to the school? You know... the children have grown and their is still plenty of wear in them? The school welcomes any uniform that we can re-purpose to those families who need a little extra support. Please put them in a bag and address them to myself, Louise Smith, Community Engagement Officer and hand them in at the school office.

3. The Edgeworth Community Centre have approached me to promote the services that they offer. Carol Bell is the Centre Manager, Richard De martin is a Youth Worker for North Lake Youth Services and Annie Hopkins is an Adolescent & Family Counsellor. 2 Playgroups are run in the centre along with the hire of the hall and also no interest loans for low income earners and pensioners. You can contact the Centre directly on 02 4965 8406 and obtain further information.

They are currently offer the 1-2-3 Magic & Emotion Coaching Parent Course for \$20, which includes a workbook and light refreshments (concessions are available). For more information, see the flyer attached. From a personal note, my husband and I completed this course and we found it extremely useful and use the 1-2-3 principal in our home.

4. Breakfast Club is running a "Big Pancake Day" on Wednesday 8th November, all students and parents are invited to join us for breakfast from 8am for a \$1 donation. This is always a great morning and everyone has fun, other breakfast options are also available.

5. The website is being updated weekly with permission notes, news, dates for your diary and photographs of the events that are taking place. So please click on this link and check it out, you may be surprised with what you find. <http://www.edgeworth-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/>

Louise Smith
Community Engagement Officer



1-2-3 MAGIC® & EMOTION COACHING PARENT COURSE

Learn to manage difficult behavior in children 2-12 years old

A three-session program for parents and carers
at Edgeworth Memorial Neighbourhood Centre
Cnr Minmi & Main Rd Edgeworth

Monday 20th & 27th Nov & 4th Dec at 10am-12pm

Cost: \$20 for workbooks and light refreshments (concessions available)

Learn:

- ✓ How to discipline without arguing, yelling or smacking
- ✓ How to sort behaviour
- ✓ How to handle challenging and testing behaviours
- ✓ Choosing your strategy, the three choices
- ✓ Using emotion coaching to encourage good behaviour
- ✓ 7 tactics for encouraging good behaviour

Parents will receive:

- A 1-2-3 Magic & Emotion Coaching Parent Workbook

What people are saying...

What a relief to come across a program that preserves the dignity of the child, maintains the self-control of both the parent and the child and is actually easy to remember when memory is the first thing to go!

I realized quickly that the 1-2-3 Magic can be a magnificent preventative measure that any parent can use to avoid raising a child, who later down the line, needs excessive discipline or grows out of control.

The presenters for this course are Annie Hopkins (Adolescent and Family Counsellor) and Richard De Martin (Youth Worker) who completed Parents' 1-2-3 Magic® & Emotion Coaching practitioner training in June 2017.

Limited spaces are available

Registration is required

Please register for this course by contacting

Annie Hopkins, Northlakes Youth Services, on 0402 402 157

• An end to the arguing and yelling! • It saved our lives • Simple, sane, effective

This course is being run by a Parentalop® licensed practitioner. www.parentalop.com.au

EDGEWORTH PUBLIC SCHOOL UNIFORM SHOP.

SHOP OPENING HOURS TERM 4 2017

OCTOBER

Monday 9th – 2.30 till 3.30pm, Tuesday 10th – 2.30 till 3.30pm, Thursday 12th – 8.30 till 9.30am, Monday 16th – 2.30 till 3.30pm, Tuesday 17th – 2.30 till 3.30pm, Thursday 19th – 8.30 till 9.30am, Monday 23rd – 2.30 till 3.30pm, Tuesday 24th – 2.30 till 3.30pm, Thursday 26th – 8.30 till 9.30am, Monday 30th – 2.30 till 3.30pm, Tuesday 31st – 2.30 till 3.30pm.

NOVEMBER

Thursday 2nd - 8.30 till 9.30am, Monday 6th – 2.30 till 3.30pm, Tuesday 7th – 2.30 till 3.30pm, Thursday 9th - 8.30 till 9.30am, Monday 13th – 2.30 till 3.30pm, Tuesday 14th – 2.30 till 3.30pm, Thursday 16th - 8.30 till 9.30am, Monday 20th – 2.30 till 3.30pm, Tuesday 21st – 2.30 till 3.30pm, Thursday 23rd - 8.30 till 9.30am, Monday 27th – 2.30 till 3.30pm, Tuesday 28th – 2.30 till 3.30pm, Thursday 30th – 8.30 till 9.30am.

DECEMBER

Monday 4th – 2.30 till 3.30pm, Tuesday 5th – 2.30 till 3.30pm, Thursday 7th - 8.30 till 9.30am, Monday 11th – 2.30 till 3.30pm, Tuesday 12th – 2.30 till 3.30pm.

ANY QUESTIONS – JENNY GORDON 0439-472-902 or email skooluniforms168@gmail.com .



'STORYTIME'
Tuesday 7th Nov 2017
FREE EVENT for preschoolers and parents

Local author Deborah Kelly will be reading her new book titled "ME AND YOU"



This book is a rhyming picture book that celebrates the importance of family and special relationships in childhood

Morning tea and craft activities included

Time 10:00am - 11:30am
29 St Helen Street, Holmesville
Contact Mums' Cottage to confirm booking
Ph: 02) 49534105
Email: admin@mumscottage.org.au

(BOOKS AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE ON DAY \$25 CASH ONLY)