

EDGEWORTH PUBLIC SCHOOL

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NEWSLETTER TERM 4 - WEEK 6

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday 11 November to Friday 21 November Swim Scheme– Year 2

> Friday 15 November Kindy Club B– 9:30 am

Tuesday 19 November SRC Help for Hunter Farmers fundraiser

Tuesday 19 November Playround Pre – School upgrade begins

Wednesday 20 November School Infrastructure works begin

Wednesday 20 November Year 6 Sports Gala Day at GTHS

> Friday 22 November Kindy Club A- 9:30 am

Tuesday 26 November NRL League Touch Gala Day– Stage 2 & 3

> Thursday 28 November Year 6 Fun Day

Friday 29 November Kindy Club B- 9:30 am

Monday 2 December Edgie Idol Grand Final– P to Year 2 9:30am Year 3 to 6 11:45 am

Tuesday 3 December 2020 Year 7 Highschool Orientation Day

> Wednesday 4 December Teddy Bears Picnic 10am

Thursday 5 December Christmas Carols

Friday 6 December Walk a Mile Koori Style- 10 am

> **Monday 9 December** Stage 1 Party Day

Tuesday 10 December Early Stage 1 Party Day

Wednesday 11 December Stage 2 Party Day

Thursday 12 December Stage 3 Party Day

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Currently our teachers are working towards completing Student Reports for the end of year. It is important that your child is at school to complete final assessments during this time. Learning achievement correlates directly to good attendance. When your child is at school every day, they are able to connect, succeed and thrive.

Our school will be participating in our annual school evaluation. Please keep an eve out on our school's Facebook page and ClassDojo as feedback is a gift.

As the school year comes to an end, we would like to remind our students to continue to follow our school PBL expectations. We are beginning to review classes for 2020, should you have any concerns, please contact the school.

SCHOOL BUILDING Works

Over the next 10 weeks the school will be undertaking further improvements to our school.

We will see the repurposing of our old dental studio to our new Aboriginal Cultural learning centre. Many classrooms will receive a mixture of painting, floor covering and cupboard replacements. Our residence will receive a new kitchen (to support our Breakfast club) and painting through out. Kindergarten building will receive a new roof. We are also upgrading our cola and building drainage systems.

We will endeavour to minimise disruptions to our normal school procedures however we ask for your patience and understanding during these school improvements. Your support is GREATLY APPRECIATED.

KINDY CLUB

It has been lovely to meet our two groups of 2020 Kindergarten students in Kindy Club Groups A and B. All of the children were so eager to show us what they already know and were keen to learn new things. Keep an eye on our calendar for future orientation dates.







PBL Focuses Term 4

Week

Canteen– remembering our polite manners, where to line up and returning lunch tubs

Week 6 Keeping our school clean



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CHRISTMAS CAROLS



NSW PSSA ALTHETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Congratulations to Jenice Hicks, Shania Griffen and the Senior Girls relay team Sienna Kirkland, Lecari Self, Atalia Slomka, and Skye Bozic who competed at the NSW PSSA Athletics Championships last week. Jenice ran a blistering time to finish 5th in the under 8 Girls 100m final, Skye Bozic and Sienna Kirkland finished a respected 21st and 33rd in the Senior Girls high jump, Shania Griffen finished

21st in the 13 Girls 100m, Sienna Kirkland jumped two PBs to place 20th in the Senior Girls Long Jump, and the Senior Girls relay ran a 4 second PB to finish 4th in their heat. It's an outstanding and a highly creditable achievement to compete at such an incredibly high level. You represented Edgeworth with pride and you all should be extremely proud of your efforts :)



SRC

Our next fundraiser is Help for Hunter Farmers in Week 6, Tuesday 19 November. As it is warmer weather, we are asking students to show their support by wearing their favourite team's jersey (instead of dressing as a farmer) and donating a gold coin.

Thank you in advance for showing your support in getting behind these worthy initiatives.

JUNIOR AECG LEADERSHIP DAY

A few weeks ago, EPS held the first Cultural Leadership Day for our IILA Community of Schools. Our Junior AECG team, as well as the senior students from our community of schools, had a great time further developing their leadership skills through their participation in a range of team building activities and cultural activities with the BreakOut being a favourite. We were lucky enough to have Glendale Technology High School's Jr AECG team as well as some other responsible senior students attend, supporting our primary students throughout the day, and sharing their high school experience.



We all had a great day and hope that this is the first of many cultural leadership days for our community to come!

WALK A MILE

EPS is making a public stand against domestic violence and joining in Walk A Mile Koori Style. We are encouraging all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students and Year 6 to attend. The school will provide a bus to transport students to and from the walk (leaving at 9:10am and back by 1:30pm) for the students not travelling with their families. Registrations for the boys and men starts at 9:00am, at Anne Feneley Lookout, Corner of Watt Street and Reserve Road Newcastle. The girls and women will gather in King Edward Park, near the exit gates. This is the corner of The Terrace and York Drive. Students are to pack a recess, lunch and water. If you have any questions, please contact the school.



The P&C is a small group of staff and parents that meet twice a term with the aim of bringing the school and the community in to close cooperation and provides the opportunity to contribute to decisions about our school. We welcome new parents, grandparents or community members to join our great team.

The next meeting is on Monday 2 December 2019.

P & C are having a fundraiser, at the movies watching Frozen 2 on Friday 29 of November. Flyers to come out in the coming weeks.

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